

## **CALL FOR JUDGES**

2019 National History Day District Event

**National History Day** is an exciting academic enrichment program that helps students learn about historical issues, ideas, people and events as they develop research, thinking and communication skills.

The program culminates in a series of competitions that allow students to showcase their research in one of five project categories. Students participate at a district level and can advance to state and national events.

After laboring on their projects for months, young historians are eager to share their research and interact with someone about their conclusions. That's where you come in.

We would like to invite you to be a judge for History Day. If you have not seen the work done by History Day students, this is your chance to see the kind of work that students present for History Day and to gain first hand experience evaluating History Day projects. The only qualifications you need are to be a good listener, like young people and be ready to be impressed.

Packets explaining the judging process and containing the criteria as well as sample judging questions will be mailed to you in advance. A judges' informational session will be held prior to the competition each day.

Please help make this a valuable learning opportunity for AEA 267 students by becoming a judge. Let them "wow" you with their experiences and their capabilities. It's a day you will truly enjoy.

## YOU CAN BECOME INVOLVED BY:

- 1. Calling the Grout Museum District: **319-234-6357**
- E-mailing Emily Snodgrass: emily.snodgrass@gmdistrict.org
- Completing the form to the right and mailing it to: Grout Museum District History Day Judging 503 South St. Waterloo, IA 50701



## **Approximate Judging Times**

**Senior Division (Grades 9-12)** 

Thursday, March 28, 12:30 - 2:00pm **Junior Division (Grades 6-8)** Friday, March 29, 8:30am - 11:30am

Name

Address

City Zip

Telephone Number

E-mail Address

Please indicate the event day(s) for which you will be able to volunteer:

\_\_\_\_\_Thursday, March 28
\_\_\_\_\_Triday, March 29

The greatest need for judges is on March 23, but we would be happy to see you either day.

**THANK YOU**