Instructions

1. Upon arrival, one member of the arriving group should come to the front of the auditorium to tell who has arrived. There will be no sitting in adjacent seats.

2. PARKING: You may park for free in the non-metered spaces in the lot at the corner of Packer and Brodhead. If that is full, you might park on the street or in the Zoellner garage, three blocks east of Packard on Packer Ave. You must pay $4 to enter the garage, and then you may park there all day. You may pay by credit card, coins, or one or five dollar bills. Cars that park on Packer Ave should feed the meters. These are city meters, and you could be ticketed if you don’t. They accept quarters, credit cards, and payment by phone.

3. During the test, teachers and parents may sit in the lobby and look at the exam, or might go to Johnny’s Bagels and Deli or Barnes and Noble Cafe, or the Lehigh libraries. Lindermann Library is particularly beautiful. Also Saxby’s coffee house is nice and convenient. See the map. Help from some teachers in distributing exams at the beginning of the test would be appreciated.

4. Although most people stay for the afternoon activities and awards, it is not necessary to do so. Results will be posted on the contest website by late Saturday afternoon.

5. There will be a break for lunch after the exam until 1:20.
   a. You can preorder pizza in the lobby above the auditorium prior to the contest. The cost is $5, which gives you two slices of pizza and a soda. The pizza will be available in the lobby immediately after the contest. You must order before 10:00, and we will sell no more than 150 tickets.
   b. The Food Court on the second floor of the University Center will be open with Pandini’s (pizza, pasta, salads) and Flame (burgers). The Hawk’s Nest in Lamberton Hall offers similar food. You can receive a 25% discount on your order by showing this page. This is a highly recommended option, as you can get a small taste of Lehigh’s campus (and a nice discount).
   c. Alternatively, the ten dining options on the map are within four blocks of Packard, and are recommended. Nawab and Jenny’s are
restaurants, while the rest serve fast food. Goosey Gander is a Lehigh institution, with excellent sandwiches.

6. You have a choice of three activities between 1:10 and 2:45.
   a. Ken Monks, the other coach of the Lehigh Valley ARML team and director of Prove it! Math Academy, will conduct a fun math game for teams in Packard 101 beginning about 1:10. Teams will be formed upon arrival. This is not a part of the official contest but is good practice for ARML. Coaches, parents, and family members are welcome to be on teams, too.
   b. Beginning at 1:30, Dr. Mike Neiman, a former Lehigh Valley ARML team member and Lehigh graduate, will discuss solutions to exam problems in Packard 466. A printed sketch of the solutions will be distributed there (and in 101) at 1:30.
   c. Beginning about 1:10, there will be a speed chess tournament in part of the seating area of the Food Court on the second floor of the University Center. If you are reading this before March 4 and are interested in participating in this event, please let us know when you register for the contest.

7. The awards ceremony will be held in Packard 101 at 2:45. Cash prizes and plaques will be awarded. Results will appear on the website late Saturday afternoon, and solutions to the contest problems will appear on the website on Monday.

9. We are asking for home telephone numbers and e-mail addresses because some top scorers on this contest will be invited to participate on the Lehigh Valley team in the American Regions Math League contest to be held at Penn State University on Saturday June 4. Practice sessions will be held at Lehigh University Sundays from 3:30-6 PM during the spring. We will again have five teams of 15 people, coming from as far as 90 miles away from Lehigh. The A team (the Lehigh Valley Fire) won the national championship in 2005, 2009, 2010, and 2011. If you are not interested in being on the Lehigh Valley team, you need not provide the requested information.