



*Oregon Battle of the Books is a fun reading incentive program that encourages students to read a range of genres and authors in the spirit of teamwork and camaraderie.*

*Parental support will be necessary for teams to successfully compete in the Battle of the Books program. Students may need to make special trips to the public library to find battle books. (See attached list of titles.) Each team member needs to read/listen to at least 6 of the books from the attached list. All students are encouraged to read as many of the titles as possible to be the most prepared for their battles. Teams may also take notes and create practice questions for each other. However, no notes or papers of any kind will be permitted at the battles. If you would like further information, you may also check out the website:*

*<http://oboblsta.pbworks.com/>*

*The team, which wins our school competition, will participate in the regional championship, date and location to be determined. Students will need their own transportation to the regional championship.*

#### *Gardiner MS OBOB Schedule:*

*October 7<sup>th</sup> ... Informational Meeting & Team Applications handed out*

*October 21<sup>th</sup> ... First OBOB Lunch Time Meeting with Teams*

*OBOB Teams will meet every Friday During Lunch ... students bring lunch to library to eat.*

*November 1<sup>st</sup>.... All Team Applications are due.*

*February 27<sup>th</sup> - March 3<sup>rd</sup> .... GMS competitions*

*Regional competition locations TBA*