

# CLASSICAL TIMES

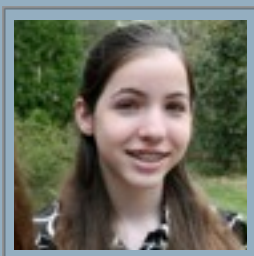


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## LOQUITUR

Welcome to the first Classical Club newsletter! As your editor I hope to publish a newsletter after every Classical Club meeting to keep you informed about the goings on. Remember the success of our club depends on you being



active.  
See you next week!  
Sarah Rust  
Editor

## Stargazing This Friday

Stargazing Night is Friday October 26th! The Mullins have graciously offered to host the latin students at Master's Academy and promises to be a fun-filled night with possibly a bonfire afterwards! Everyone will gather to view the fall constellations and to be in awe of God's creation. Don't forget to bring a "stellar" treat to share (Milky Ways, Starbursts, Moon Pies, brownies in the shape of stars – you get the idea!) and the hot chocolate is already provided. Bring chairs or blankets and dress warmly. If you bring a flashlight, please cover it with red cellophane or a brown paper bag so the light is not too bright. This is a family gathering – bring all the siblings, grandparents, neighbors, etc. The more the merrier. The elementary students will be singing Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star in Latin and acting out the myth relating to the fall constellations. Since we're in a drought we'll probably see the starry sky, but if it rains it wouldn't be a bad day! Much effort goes into these events and the hosts love for you and your family to enjoy the fun

## Certamen Practice

Certamen meets every Monday at 2:45 to 3:45 P.M. Certamen, Latin for "competition", (pl. 'Certamina') is a quiz bowl style competition with classics-themed questions. Come on in and join!

## Welcome to the Club

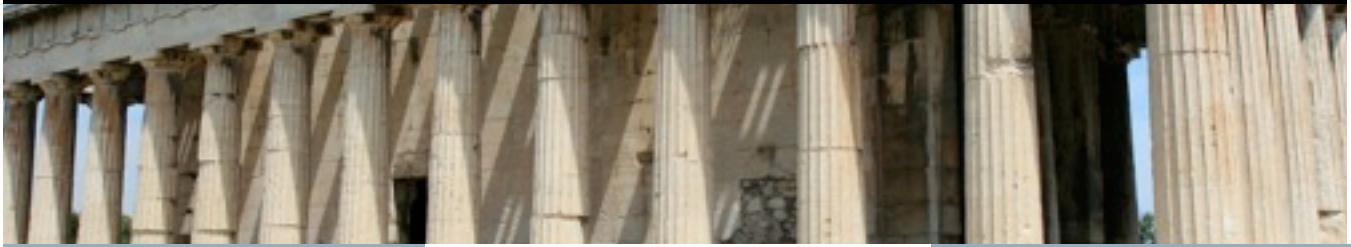
Salvete! I would like to thank everyone who participated in the Classical Club elections, the candidates, voters, and Mrs. Madden. I am very excited about the Classical Club and believe that this will be a great year.



Fall Forum is on November 17 at UNCG and is a fun way to spend a Saturday. At Fall Forum you can play certamen against people who are in the same level of latin as you are, you can listen to Dr. Jonathan Zarecki from UNCG give a lecture, or you can participate in field relays in Olympika! I hope you can come and if you do remember that the theme is **THIS IS SPARTA**, but remember you must sign up before November 1.

Everyone remember to record on your answering machines either in Latin, with a classical theme, or with Latin/Greek phrases in it so that we can get publicity points. Publicity is promoting the classics in fun and creative ways. If you have any questions or any ideas about publicity please contact First-Vice President Marshall Winchester.

Gratias tibi ago,  
Rebekah Rust  
president



**CALENDAR:**

**STARGAZING**

The Mullin's House October 26th

**FALL FORUM**

UNCG November 17th

**SPRING CERTAMEN**

Wake Forest University March 29th

**SPRING CONVENTION**

Wake Forest University April 25th and 26th

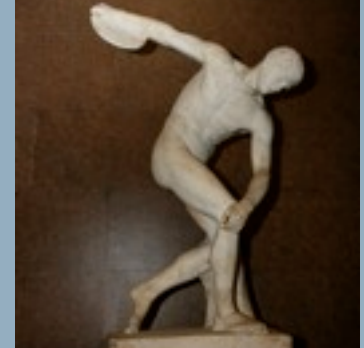
**Precontests**

The precontests this year for North Carolina are Modern Myth; Poetry; Creative Writing - Theme: The legend of ... (Tell a story from Greek/Roman history or Classical mythology.); Audio-Visual; Slogan; Chariot Design; Publicity; and Scrapbook.

All the precontests' deadlines are March 15th. If you have any questions about precontests please contact Rebekah Rust or Sherri Madden

**FAMOUS LATIN PHRASE**

lux mundi - the light of the world



The Discobolus of Myron ("discus thrower" Greek Δισκοβόλος του Μύθωνα) is a famous Roman marble copy of a lost Greek bronze original, completed during the zenith of the classical period between 460-450 BC.

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