



The Literacy Council's 25th Annual Spelling Bee

Thursday April 14, 2016 at The Millroom

Do you want to compete?

This isn't your average spelling bee! Fifteen teams of three adults each will compete in the most spirited and outrageous word challenge of their lives. Teams must have both spelling and concentration skills in order to disregard the pandemonium caused by a costumed, cheering audience.

Recruit two friends and register your team by calling [828.254.3442](tel:828.254.3442) ext. 206 or emailing luann@litcouncil.com. Once you register, you'll get a team packet that includes event rules, study materials, and fundraising suggestions

Why participate?

- It's fun! Unleash your inner geek and join us for a zany, raucous good time
- With comedian David Ostergaard as the emcee, you'll be laughing the entire evening
- You can cheat! Teams that raise funds over the entry fee can pilfer another team's word or purchase clues
- The top finishers win generous prizes, but no one walks away empty-handed. Each participant receives a prize!
- Your team could be crowned "Best Spellers in Buncombe County!"



How much does it cost?

Teams contribute a collective \$250 to participate. Most of our teams raise this amount (or more) through friends, coworkers, family members, and others. We will provide access to CrowdRise, a fun and easy-to-use fundraising web site. Often the little donations add up to a cheat-worthy stash! We can also offer some pointers on using social media to reach more people who want to support literacy. You have until the date of the event to raise the money.