

Key Club

Louisiana-Mississippi-West Tennessee District

Convention Contest Entry Form

2009-2010 ORATORICAL CONTEST ENTRY

IMPORTANT: Oratorical Contest will be held at 4:00 p.m. on Friday afternoon.

NAME: _____ GRADE: _____

KEY CLUB OF: _____ HIGH SCHOOL, DIVISION: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____

I will enter the **ORATORICAL CONTEST** at the upcoming ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE LaMissTenn KEY CLUB DISTRICT with full and complete knowledge of the rules governing the contest as outlined below.

signed: _____
Contestant *Date*

signed: _____
Faculty Advisor *Date*

2009-2010 ORATORICAL CONTEST RULES

The topic for the 2009-2010 Oratory Competition will be:

"What is the biggest challenge facing servant leaders today and what is the key to overcoming it?"

The subject matter for orations and the presentation must be original and completely developed by each orator. Each orator...

- must be a member in good standing with his/her Key Club. **There is a maximum of two (2) persons from each club.**
- is required to complete this ORATORICAL CONTEST ENTRY form and file by the Registration Deadline.
- will be allowed a maximum of five (5) minutes for his/her presentation. Exceeding the time limit may result in a penalty.
- must present a typed, doubled-spaced copy of his/her oration, to the chairman of judges for the oratorical contest.
- must wear "professional business attire" for the contest.
- may not use note cards, copies of the oration, or outlines of the oration while delivering his/her oration.
- may not stand behind or beside a podium or speaker's stand while delivering his/her speech for the first elimination round.

Complete rules for competing in this contest can be found in the annual Key Club International Guidebook."

FIRST, SECOND, and THIRD PLACE TROPHIES will be awarded to the winners. The **FIRST PLACE WINNER** may appear during the Key Club District Convention to present his/her winning oration.