



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 5110

2019 4-Way Test Speech Contest

Sponsored by Rotary Club of Florence

STUDENT ENTRY FORM

**Please enter me in the Rotary 4-Way Test Speech Contest
I understand the contest will be held on**

Thursday, April 11, 2019 at 4:00 PM at the Florence Event Center

I understand that if I am a finalist, I will speak at the Florence Rotary Club at noon on Tuesday, April 30, 2019. I understand that by entering this contest, if I am the winner, I will participate at the "Speak Off" at the Rotary District 5110 Conference in Coos Bay, Oregon on the morning of Saturday May 4th, 2019.

My Club Sponsor may help me with transportation arrangements.

Student Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Telephone: _____ Email: _____

School: _____

I have read and understand the guidelines, rules and recommendations.

Signature of Student: _____ **Date:** _____

Please keep the attached copies of guidelines, rules and recommendations and return this page to your supervising teacher and/or the Rotary Club Sponsor.

For an application and more information, contact Mr. Orr or Mr. Moser at Siuslaw High School or Ms. Moyer at Mapleton High School or call Rotary Sponsor Meg Spencer at 541-999-2627

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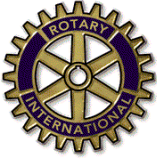
To participate in the 4-Way Speech Contest you MUST:

- 1. Be a high school student (public, private, or homeschooled) in grades 9-12 at the time of the competition.**
- 2. Write an original speech incorporating Rotary's 4-Way Test as the major focus of your speech.**
- 3. Perform your speech without reading it (you may refer to notes) at the Florence 4-Way Speech Contest at 4 p.m. on Thursday, April 11 at the Florence Events Center.**
- 4. Make sure your speech is between 5 to 7 minutes (points will be deducted for speeches that do not meet this requirement).**
- 5. Be available to perform your speech at the Florence Rotary Meeting at noon on Tuesday, April 30 if you are the contest winner.**
- 6. Be available to participate in the "Speak Off" at the Rotary District 5110 Conference in Coos Bay, Oregon on the morning of May 4, 2019 if you are the contest winner.**

The Rotary International Four-Way Test is a nonpartisan and nonsectarian ethical guide for Rotarians to use for their personal and professional relationships. The test has been translated into more than 100 languages, and Rotarians recite it at club meetings:

Of the things we think, say or do

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



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JUDGING CRITERIA

Three judges and one timekeeper will be used at each level of competition. Judging will be on a 100-point system, broken down into five criteria categories as follows:

1. INCORPORATION OF 4-WAY TEST (0-20 points)

Is test clearly included in speech?

2. CONTENT (0 - 25 points)

Effective application of 4-Way test to reality. Is speech relevant? Use of originality, creativity, sophistication.

3. ORGANIZATION (0 - 25 points)

Is the body orderly and logical? Transitions? Introduction & conclusion?

4. DELIVERY (0 - 20 points)

Poise, enunciation, projection, expression, gestures, use of notes, eye contact.

5. TIME LIMIT (0-10 points)

Is speech within 5-7 minute time limit?