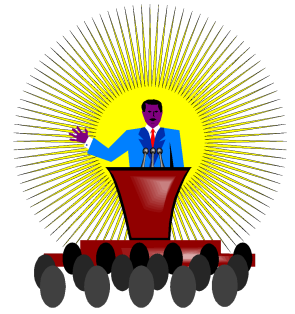


Northern California/Northern Nevada PUBLIC SPEAKING FESTIVAL GUIDELINES



I PURPOSE

The Public Speaking Festival is designed to encourage youth in the development and use of talents and gifts which the Lord has given them for use in ministry.

II FESTIVAL GUIDELINES

1. **One (1) to two (2) to (8)** students - email for pre approval on larger group).
2. Choose **one (1)** of the following Public Speaking/Ministry Presentation categories:
 - Preaching (can be for any age)
 - Large Group Messages (geared toward Sparks or T&T clubbers)
 - Large Group Presentations such as puppets and drama (can be for any age)
3. Presentations must be **seven (7) to ten (10)** minutes long
4. Theme should be salvation/evangelism or Christian living.
5. Supply judges with **three (3) clearly typed outlines** describing presentation's content, with all students' names on each copy.
6. Participants must bring own props, if necessary.
7. Register online at <http://www.westcoasthonorcamp.org/ncann> by the registration deadline.

III JUDGING

Judging will encompass the following criteria:

1. Content: Three (3) outlines provided, material organized, introduced clearly and scripturally based, topic identified
2. General Appearance: Speaker's dress or costume appropriate to the topic
3. Presentation: Enthusiasm, quality and volume of voice, body language, eye contact
4. Speaker/Audience Connection: Confidence, creativity, audience's interest is kept, visual effectiveness
5. Use of Scripture in Presentation: What passage the presentation based on? Is it read or quoted?
6. Presentation of the Gospel: Clear and complete
7. Delivery of Presentation: Points build progressively and logically
8. Compelling Conclusion
9. Use of Application to Life of Audience
10. Sufficient preparation
11. Answers BASED questions
 - a. Bible Truth – What does Scripture say?
 - b. Apply – What should I do?
 - c. Specify – How can I do it?
 - d. Equip – What do I need to do it?
 - e. Disciple – Will you show me how?