



EASTERN CANADA DISTRICT OF KEY CLUB INTERNATIONAL

RULES GOVERNING THE ORATORICAL CONTEST

1. Subject for all orations: ***What is the biggest challenge facing servant leaders today and what is the key to overcoming it?"***
2. The subject matter for the oration and presentation must be original and completely developed by each orator. These factors will be considered equally in determining who is to receive the award.
3. Each orator will be allowed a maximum of five (5) minutes for his/her presentation. Anyone exceeding this limit will be disqualified.
4. Each orator must be an official member in good standing with the District, Key Club International and his/her local club.
5. During the District Convention elimination, trials will be held (time and place to be announced in the Convention programme). Three orators will be selected to appear before the entire convention.
6. Judging will be based on the following criteria:
 - A. **SPEECH**

Clarity of message & projection of idea	20 points
Depth	10 points
Originality	10 points
Organization	20 points
Reference	5 points
Grammar/word choice	10 points
 - B. **DELIVERY**

Posture (composure and gestures)	10 points
Voice (tone, effectiveness/pronunciation)	10 points
Attention of audience	5 points
7. Three outstanding orators will receive suitable awards and recognition for their excellence in public speaking. The winning orator will be eligible for the International Oratorical Contest.
8. The decision of the judges will be final. No changes or alterations will take place after the judges and the Chairperson of the Judges have certified the results.

Key Club of: _____

Signature:

President: _____ Secretary: _____

Faculty Advisor: _____ Kiwanis Advisor: _____



District Oratorical Contest Entry Form

Subject for all orations:

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

The Key Club of _____

Name of
Participant: _____

We certify that this participant listed above is an active member in good standing of this Key Club and that the Oration meets the criteria.

(SIGNATURES)

Key Club
President: _____

Faculty
Advisor _____

Kiwanis
Advisor _____

I hereby declare that my oration meets the criteria and is in good taste.

**Signature of
Participant:** _____