



The American Legion

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KISD High School Counselors
KISD Debate Coaches
KISD High School Students (Grades 9 – 12)

The American Legion Post 164 Katy Texas is pleased to announce that registration is now open for their 2021 Katy High School Oratorical Scholarship Program. The National official rules are enclosed as well as the Department (State of Texas) program rules and guides. An oratorical brochure and a registration form are also included.

The program is open to KISD High School students in grades 9 through 12. The contest is in two parts.

1. The Prepared Oration - the subject to be used for the prepared oration must be on some aspect of the United States Constitution with emphasis on a citizen's duties and obligations to our government.
2. The Assigned Topic - the assigned topics for this year as well as the Texas and National rules and guides are enclosed for student review and preparation.

All eligible students are welcome to participate at the Post level, which is the first level of competition on December 4th. The winner from each high school at the Post level will progress to the District competition.

Each level of competition has a scholarship award available. The amounts have been modified since the enclosed material was published. The current scholarship amounts are:

Overall Post 164 winner - \$500 College Scholarship
District 22 winner - \$1,000
Division 2 winner - \$1,500
Department (State of Texas) 1st Place - \$2,000
Department (State of Texas) 2nd Place - \$1,500
Department (State of Texas) 3rd Place - \$1,000
Department (State of Texas) 4th Place - \$500 National
first round quarter final participant - \$2,000
National second round semi -final participant that does not progress - \$2,000
National 1st Place - \$25,000
National 2nd Place - \$22,500
National 3rd Place - \$20,000

Please have students interested in competing fill in and submit the enclosed contest registration form to the above address to my attention. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me.

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