

AMERICA OUR COUNTRY

2020 MARY KAWAKAMI SPEECH CONTEST

For 7th-12th Grade Junior and Senior High School Students

- The contest is open to Junior High and Senior High School Students in North Utah County.
- Contestants must present their own original speech. The speech must not have won a 1st place award in any speech contest in the previous 12 months.
- Speeches must be at least two minutes in length and no longer than three minutes in length.
- Contestants will be judged on content, value, presentation, language and creativity.
- To receive their scholarship awards, the top three winners must present their winning speech at the Veteran's Day Awards Program, if held this year.

CASH SCHOLARSHIP PRIZES

1st PLACE\$1,000.00

2nd PLACE..... \$500.00

3rd PLACE.....\$300.00

FIVE RECOGNITION AWARDS ...\$100

Due to the current pandemic situation, we are requiring all audience members to wear a mask during the speech performances and the awards presentation. The masks will allow us to continue to perform while being sensitive to those concerned about the COVID spread.

We will do our best to practice social distancing in the theater.

IMPORTANT DATES

October 10, 2020 Entry Forms Due

October 24, 2020 Speech Contest located at

The Valentine Theater, 895 N 900 E,

American Fork 1:00 pm

To be announced Veteran's Day Ceremony



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LAST NAME _____ FIRST NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP CODE _____

PHONE _____ SCHOOL _____ GRADE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

Enter online at <http://americanforkarts.com/speechcontest/> or mail this form to:

Mary Kawakami Speech Contest, PO Box 443, American Fork UT 84003