



Fond du Lac Evening Optimist Club

(Fond du Lac's First Optimist Club)

Wisconsin – Upper Michigan Dist. – Club Number 09070



Dear Teacher,

The Fond du Lac Evening Optimist Club has two exciting opportunities for your students to speak their mind about social issues that concern them. The first is an essay contest and the second is an oratorical contest. You will find more detailed information about each of these contests below. We believe that these are good opportunities for young citizens to feel like their opinion matters.

□ Essay Contest

- For students who are of age 19 by December 31, 2009 or younger
- 400-500 words on the topic "The Internet: Today's Evolution or Tomorrow's Menace?"
- References are required
- Postmarked February 20, 2010
- Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place

□ Oratorical Contest

- For students who are 16 by December 31, 2009 or younger
- 4-5 minute speech on the topic "Cyber Communication: Progress or Problem?"
- References are required
- Contest to be held March 17th, 2010
- Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place

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If you are interested in making these opportunities available for your students entry sheets and official rules are enclosed with this letter. Please make copies as they are needed.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

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