

DISTRICT 101 TALL TALES CONTEST

MAY 30, 2020

Contest Chair – Abhijeet Joshi
Toastmaster – Declan Shalvey
Chief Judge – Solarzar Dellaporta
Sergeant at Arms – Douglas King

The subject for the **Tall Tales** speech must be of a highly exaggerated, improbable nature and have a theme or plot. Humor and props may be used to support or illustrate the speech.

The Speaking Time is 3-5 minutes.

Representing Divisions A-G (in alphabetical order by last name). You may practice your judging using this unofficial scorecard.

		Speaking Order									
JUDGING ITEMS		SUGGESTED POINT VALUES				MARCIA DAVIS-CANNON <i>What's Cookin'?</i>	DENNIS DAWSON <i>The Barbarian's Beard</i>	AKSHAT GUPTA <i>Flying on a Bike</i>	ANDY KEATES <i>You Can't Hide It</i>	NESHANTHANAN NEELOJANAN <i>How I Grew a Muffin Top</i>	SONJA TRAN <i>Courtroom C-3</i>
		EXCELLENT	VERY GOOD	GOOD	FAIR						
Speech Development Opening, Build-Up, Climax, Organization, Smoothness	C O N T E N T (30)	30	22-29	13-21	0-12						
Speech Techniques Effective Use of Exaggeration, Irony, Pun, Surprise Twists, Humor, Slapstick, Etc.		25	18-24	11-17	0-10						
Physical Appearance, Body Language		15	11-14	7-10	0-6						
Voice Flexibility, Volume		15	11-14	7-10	0-6						
Appropriateness To Speech Purpose and Audience, Good Grammar, Pronunciation and Word Selection	L A N G U A G E (15)	15	11-14	7-10	0-6						
TOTAL SCORE (100 Points Possible)											
Winning Order											

Please remain silent for one minute after every speech.

Toastmaster Interviews Contestants

Awards Presented by

District Director, **Pavan Datla, DTM**
 Program Quality Director, **Vaibhav Singh, CC, CL**

We thank all the contestants, participants and volunteers who worked to make this contest possible. We also extend our thanks to the ballot counters, timers and judges for their support.