

District Contest

Rotary Clubs may nominate one essay.

The deadline to email contest applications is April 7, 2017. All entries must be received on or before this date.

The District 7610 first place winner will be honored at the 2017 Rotary District Conference at the Wintergreen Resort, Wintergreen, VA on Saturday May 20, 2017.

District 7610 Essay Prizes

1st Prize = \$750

2nd Prize = \$500

3rd Prize = \$250

Submit entries by April 7, 2017

Via email to:

Holly Graf, Youth Contest Chair

email: holly.graf@verizon.net

Phone: 757-846-1859

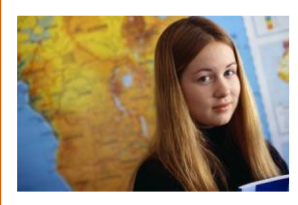
Rotary District 7610

Four-Way Test Essay Contest



Service Above Self





Club Contests

Entries will be judged and scored by each participating Rotary Club. Clubs select 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners, who should be honored at a club scheduled meeting or event.

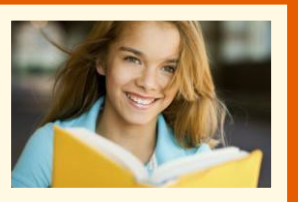
Clubs are encouraged to award cash prizes (determined by the sponsoring Club) and plaques or certificates with family members and school faculty present at an award ceremony.

Scoring Criteria

1. Adequate treatment of ALL Four-Way Test questions.
2. Understanding of Rotary's Ethical Principles (4-way test)
3. Sincerity and originality.
4. Quality of writing.

For more information, forms and guidelines:

<http://www.rotary7610.org/EssayContest.htm>



District 7610 General Rules

Contestants must be students in grade 7 or 8 within District 7610. Clubs may submit only one entry.

The length of the essay must be between 500-1500 words, typed (12 pt font), double spaced, and submitted by e-mail. Entries must be received on or before the deadline (April 7, 2017).

Each entry must be accompanied by a cover page/entry form signed by the sponsoring Rotary Club President. The cover page/entry form may be downloaded from the District website.

Essay contest entries will be blind-judged by the District Essay Contest Judging Panel. Judges will not know the name of the student or nominating club.

The District 7610 first place essay will be presented by the winning student and recognized at the District Conference on May 20, 2017 at the Wintergreen Resort in Wintergreen, VA.

