



**2026 Registration Form-Rotary District 5770 4-Way Test Speech Contest**

**Southern Tech 2610 Sam Noble Parkway, Ardmore, OK 73401**

**Date of Contest: January 31, 2026**

**Contestant's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell phone number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **City** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zipcode** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_ **High School** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sponsoring Rotary Club** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name & cell phone number of accompanying Rotarian or parent** \_\_\_\_\_

**General Information**

- Speech theme: WHAT IS THE HISTORY OF THE ROTARY 4-WAY TEST & HOW CAN USING IT IMPROVE LIVES
- 4-Way Test: 1. Is it the truth 2. Is it fair to all concerned 3. Will it build good will and better friendships 4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned
- There will be three judges provided by Rotary District 5770.
- Each contestant will draw for a number for speaking order.
- Contestants will be introduced after the final judging is completed.
- The district committee will provide a timer to keep each contestant aware of the time elapsed.
- Awards will be as follows: \$1000 for first place; \$500 for second place; \$300 for third place; \$200 4<sup>th</sup> place.
- Judging will be on a point system
- Speech contestants are individuals, not team presentations.
- The speeches must be a minimum of 5 minutes in duration, and no more than 7 minutes in length. Contestants whose presentations fall outside of these limits will have a penalty of 5 points for every 30 seconds under or over the time.
- Speeches are expected to uphold the highest standards of appropriate content.
- We will begin registration at 10:00 AM and will begin the speeches no later than 10:30 AM. All contestants must be present at 10:30 AM in order to draw for order.
- The event is being held at the Southern Tech in Ardmore, OK.
- Four-Way Speech chair is Jim Swink
- Sponsorship/entry fee is \$50.00 per student which will cover the cost for the contestant's and an accompanying Rotarian's or parent's lunch, snacks and drinks. Please make checks payable to the Ardmore-Arbuckle Sunrise Rotary Club. Please send both check and application to Jim Swink at the following address:

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