



2009 ORATORICAL CONTEST

for Middle and High School Students

Topic

THE LEGACY OF THE DREAM: WHAT IMPACT HAS DR. KING'S DREAM HAD ON THIS PAST ELECTION YEAR?

Contest Guidelines

This contest is open to all middle and high school students in the **City of Lakeland**. Essays should be no more than 500 words for high school students and 250 words for middle school students. All essays must be typed, double spaced and **postmarked by November 30, 2008**. Students will be judged on a speech that is responsive to the theme. Oratorical presentations will be held January 22, 2009 at 6:00 PM -- Word Alive Ministries
302 E. Memorial Blvd. (Lakeland)

Grand Prizes

High School:	1st Place/\$500	2nd Place/\$250	3rd Place/\$100
Middle School:	1st Place/\$250	2nd Place/\$150	3rd Place/\$75

Competition Timeline

Nov. 30, 2008	Deadline to mail written essays
Dec. 8, 2008	Contestant's workshop (6:00 PM - 8:00 PM) Family Fundamentals 1021 Lakeland Hills Blvd Lakeland, FL (Learning Room 1)
Jan. 22, 2009	Oratorical competition at Word Alive Ministries (6:00 pm)

Return application and typed copy of essay on or before November 30, 2008 to:

Carol Griffin
The Education & Enlightenment Group, Inc.
P.O. Box 93220
Lakeland, FL 33804
For more information, call 863.834.6027

Event will be filmed for later viewing on PGTV.

Applications Available at the following locations and websites:

Simpson Park Community Center
1725 Martin Luther King, Jr. Ave.

www.lakelandgov.net
www.freewebs/eeg-week.com

Word Alive Ministries (Administration Office)
302 E. Memorial Blvd

Jackson Branch Library



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