PowerPoint Presentation

PURPOSE:

To develop and demonstrate creative and technical talents by creating a PowerPoint presentation.

CATEGORIES:

– Category A. Scrapbook of your church's youth ministry for the past year.
– Category B. Scrapbook your church's preparation and participation in LTC for the past year.
– Category C. Worship Meditation based on this year's LTC theme.
– Category D. Songs and Sermon Notes centered on this year's LTC theme.

PROCESS:

- For Categories A and B, collect pictures of LTC and other youth group activities from leading up to last year's convention to the deadline for the current year.
- For Categories C and D, the entry must be suitable for presentation at a Sunday morning worship assembly.
- The PowerPoint Presentation should be self-explanatory, but if you wish to provide additional descriptions of the pictures and additional short narratives about the activities for the judges, you are free to do so in a one-page attachment.
- Email a team sheet from the registration website and the presentation to the Event Coordinator on or before **Pre-Convention One deadline**. With the exception of special cases (determined by communication with the Event Coordinator) all presentations will now be submitted via email.

GUIDELINES:

1. Presentations should be not less than 10 slides or more than 40. The first slide must include participants' name(s) with their grade(s), church name with congregation number, convention site, category, and copyright information.
2. The slides themselves and all features within the slide should advance automatically. The maximum time for the presentation is 7 minutes.
3. Due to the variety of fonts and features within PowerPoint itself, presenters should check their presentation on different computers to ensure compatibility. Presentations will be judged on computers running PowerPoint 2000 or better on both Windows and Macintosh platforms.
4. A maximum of three (3) students may work on a presentation. Each participant may participate on only one (1) team.
5. The presentation will be judged at the level of the oldest participant. Grade levels 3-12.
6. Adult assistance shall be limited to that of technical advice and supervision only.
7. By sending your presentation to LTC you are granting permission to LTC to upload your work to the LTC website as a resource for future participants. Please include on your first slide personal copyright information.
8. Any content or images that you do not own need to be noted as such. Include where you got these from and/or to whom they belong

AWARDS:

Awards will be given to all team members, based on each team's rating. Ratings and awards of gold, silver, or bronze will be given according to the judging criteria listed.

JUDGING CRITERIA:

- **Depicts Theme** – Viewer's understanding of the theme and its impact on people's lives is enhanced. This includes activities outside of LTC preparation that show real life application of the theme.
- **Displays Creativity** – Fonts, colors, graphics, sounds, and animation are used in creative, tasteful, and aesthetically pleasing ways.

- **Neatness/Legibility** – Slides are not "cluttered," but display a well-organized, informative presentation.
- **Description of Events** – Descriptions which accompany pictures should be succinct, yet informative.
- **Follows Required Standards** – Follows procedures and rules outlined above.
- **Overall Impact** – Does the presentation glorify God?

COACHES AND CHURCH COORDINATORS: Make certain that the student is correctly registered in this event (whether or not they come to the convention) and complete all requirements by the **Pre-Convention One Event deadline**.