

Awards

Awards must conform to the policies outlined by the District Student Speakers Committee and ratified by the District Cabinet. Any additional awards are a basis for disqualification.

Club contests - The club shall present \$75.00 to the winner and \$25.00 to each finalist.

Zone contests - The district shall present \$125.00 to the winner only.

Region contests - The Lions of District 46 - Student Speakers Foundation, Inc. shall present a \$1,250.00 scholarship to the winner only.

District contests - The Lions of District 46 - Student Speakers Foundation, Inc. shall present a \$5,000.00 scholarship to the winner only.

The scholarship awards are granted for use at any **accredited** two- or four-year college, university, or any other school approved by the Lions of District 46 - Student Speakers Foundation, Inc.

The winners shall be allowed seven years from the date of high school graduation to utilize their scholarships. Disbursement of scholarship amounts will be paid as follows:

Region Winners - Total of \$1,250. \$625 will be paid **twice** during the first year of college in an accredited institution of higher learning. Normally, the first payment will be made prior to commencement of the first semester, and the second payment will be made prior to commencement of the second semester. In the case of a trimester institution, payments will be made prior to commencement of the first two semesters. For institutions on a quarter system, payments will be made prior to commencement of the first and third quarters.

District Winner - Total of \$6,250. \$1,562.50 will be paid **twice** during both the first and second years of college in an accredited institution of higher learning. The time of payment of such amounts for two-three -and/or four-term institutions will follow the payment schedule noted above for Region Win