

When your VPE asks to be part of your club contest this August, say YES!

The Table Topics Contest is tailor made for busy people.

- ✓ No speech preparation necessary.
- ✓ Answer an open ended question in 1 to 2 minutes.
- ✓ Every answer is the correct answer because it is just your opinion.



Hmm, Should I compete?

So what's the catch? Well, when Toastmasters speak, people listen... intensely.

- ✓ A good speaker can **persuade**, **influence**, **entertain**, enlighten, **soothe**, **rally**, **charm**, explain, and **generally change a listener's opinion** in the space of 1 to 2 minutes.

Can you do that? More importantly, can you do that impromptu? It takes practice.

Challenge yourself this August. Stretch yourself. Compete for 1 -2 minutes.

The Tall Tales Contest is a super fun contest.

- ✓ Have you got a wild and crazy story to tell?
- ✓ Do you have a family legend that gets more embellished every year?
- ✓ Put together a 3-5 minute story that says "*No really, it's true! Sort of.*"

The reward of telling a FUN STORY is worth the effort.

- ✓ Show your creative and lighthearted side.
- ✓ Have the audience hanging onto your every word.
- ✓ Listen and laugh. Give it a try!

A TALL TALE

A fictional story that stretches the truth.

- ❖ Details are exaggerated.
- ❖ Superhuman characteristics
- ❖ Problems are solved in humorous ways

FACT

EXAGGERATION
MORE EXAGGERATION

LAUGHTER & APPLAUSE!!!

Be a part of your club Table Topics & Tall Tales contests. Say YES!

See you at the District Contest in November!



Register now:

\$65: Now until August 31, 2017

\$70: September 1-30, 2017

\$75: October 1 -31, 2017

\$80: November 1-17, 2017

\$85: At the door — Cash or checks only

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Oh man, I said 'Yes'. Now what?

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