# DJTEBSCHOLASTIC LEAEDEB 



# Directors, Sites Set For Regional Contests 

## Debate Topic Areas Selected by Council

## Director Cites Application Of Amateur, Awards Rules

Critic Judge Training
Planned at TWU, ACC


Debate Teams to Compete On "Young America Speaks"

State Meet Contest Winners Eligible for Webb Award

## Jhoughts Jor Sale Extemp Event Goals Listed

Propaganda contests should hiont of view, which in itself gives the pupil
contests tend toprescribe a point
a sort of "sell-out" psychology and certainly one's views, especially on
public questions, should not be for sale.
Headlines daily recount enough of this, without also inducing in the
immature pupil an attitude of mind incossistent with civic rectitude.
If the woods are not full of such proposals from propaganda organi-
zations, then the mails are. Many of these are practically lotteries, since
so many contestants are involved that any sort of "grading" or even
intelligent "sorting" according to levels of excellence is impossible.
The pupil who enters such a contest is taking a "thousand-to-one
shot," instead of engaging in stimulating competition where any genu-
ine superiority has a chance of being recognized.

## Status of Uinners

## and <br> work is overshadowed by the more espectacular events. It is hard to compare exceptional achievement in literary or aca demic contest to outstanding performance in athletics. The athletic <br> event ta <br> The academic contest winner, as well as the well-rounded athlete demonstrates superior promise for future success. He shows that his school has done its job well. Academic letters, scholarships, honors day programs and othe means may be used to show the academic winner that his efforts are <br> means may be used to show the academic winner that his efforts are important to him, his school and his community. Recognition will spu future contestants to prepare well and give their best to the compe <br> The recognition of superior students will give a school added status in its community, area and in the state. The school that proudly ac knowledges its success in academic fields is showing publicly the valu <br> Contests in Reading

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while the other is prose reading. Selections from either form of writing
demand both skill and imagination and dramatic ability. Both contests
require effective reading, the ability to make the printed page alive and
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Hereford Senior Regular Winner

Rules Applications Clarified

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##  <br> Wichita Falls, Dumas, Donna Albany Take Grid Crowns


right: BOTTOM ROW—Bud Leech, Rocky Hill, Johnny Agan, Jackie Mitchell, Roy Hogan, Dennis Tucker, ton, Guy McCain, Jack Lynch, Bob Oliver, Gary Don Hise. TOP ROW-Coach Luke Thomas, Mike Coul
ter, Bill Stapp, Jim Wood, Martin Vann, Ronnie Harrison, Wayne Balliew, Coach Elvin Hill and Coach



## State Cage Playoffs Will Start March 1

