

GOVERNOR'S CLUB TOASTMASTERS #3031

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District 16

Area K-4

Meeting Times

Thursdays 11:55-1:00

Oklahoma Farm Bureau

2501 N. Stiles

Upcoming Events

Humorous Speech Contest

Date: Oct. 3, 2009

10:00am

McFarlin United Methodist Church

419 S University Blvd,
Meyer Hall (basement)

Norman, OK

Oklahoma Farm Bureau & Affiliated Companies' 5th Annual Benefits Fair

Thurs., October 29, 2009

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Toastmasters has been invited to participate in this event, and will have a booth.

Chairperson:

Rebecca Lasich

District 16 Fall Conference

Nov. 6-7, 2009

Downtown Sheraton Hotel
Oklahoma City, OK

Early Registration Fee: \$99

After Oct. 26th: \$125

Contact Melissa Pearson,
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Congratulations to Ms. Meghan Padgett, CTM as she represented The Governor's Club in the Area K-4 Humorous Speech Contest. Everyone could tell that Meghan was a well prepared expert at speaking although this was her second time competing in such a huge contest. She spoke with enthusiasm and excitement. I counted no grammatical errors (it's a habit) and she had lots of body movement.

Meghan was a delight to see and hear. She amazed the audience with her beautiful voice. Yes, she does have a nice speaking voice but I'm talking about her singing voice. She sounded like an angel who just got its first set of wings as she sang a verse from the song, "Jesus Loves Me". She did not win the contest...this time...but she did win the hearts of everyone present.

If you have never been to a Humorous Speech Contest I advice you to plan ahead of time to attend. You will be in for a treat. There are always friendly toastmasters ready to welcome you. One rule of advice from me is to bring a friend to share the laughter with. Don't hesitate to support you toastmaster family at any event.

If you have any articles, special events, or want to share something that's on your mind for The Governor's Club Toastmasters Newsletter please contact me.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>2- Celebrates the forty years the Jewish people wandered through the desert after leaving Egypt</p> <p>17- Herbert Birch Kingston, a Cleveland, Ohio philanthropist and candy company employee started Sweetest Day</p> <p>24- Initiated in 1990, this is a national day is for devoted to helping others by doing volunteer work in the community</p> <p>24- Almost all of the more than 100 countries in the world are members of the UN</p>				<p>1 <u>International Day for the Elderly</u></p> 	<p>2 <u>Sukkot</u></p> 	<p>3 Humorous Speech Contest 10:00am McFarlin United Methodist Church 419 S University Blvd, \$3 Norman, OK</p>
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	<p>12 <u>Columbus Day</u></p>  <p>Thanksgiving Day in Canada</p> 	13	14	15	<p>16 <u>Boss's Day</u></p> 	<p>17 <u>Sweetest Day</u></p> 
18	19	20	21	22	23	<p>24 <u>Make a Difference Day</u></p>  <p><u>United Nations Day</u></p> 
25	<p>26 Fall Conference Registration: \$99 After the 26th. registration: \$125</p>	27	28	<p>29 OFB 5th Annual Benefits Fair 10:00 to 1:00</p>	30	<p>31 <u>Halloween</u></p> 

SPOOKY HALLOWEEN JOKES

1. What is a vampire's favorite type of ship?
2. What was a witch's favorite subject when they were in school?
3. What musical instrument does a skeleton play?
4. Why don't skeletons like parties?
5. Why did the mummy call the doctor?

88 Stone Pumpkin!



This article was obtained from the Ananova website.

Bavarian Martin Reiss planted the pumpkin at the end of April and harvested it in September when it was 88 days old.

The Austrian association for giant pumpkins, that weighed Reiss' specimen, said at 559.5kg (88.1 stone) the vegetable is the largest of its kind ever measured outside North America.

Pumpkins are very popular in Central Europe, and during "pumpkin time" in early autumn are the stars of many local festivals as well as featuring heavily on most restaurant menus.

ANSWERS

1. A blood vessel.
2. Spelling!
3. A trombone.
4. They have no body to dance with.
5. Because her baby was coffin.

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The mission of a Toastmasters club is to provide a mutually supportive and positive learning environment in which every member has the opportunity to develop and practice communication and leadership skills, which in turn foster self-confidence and personal growth.

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