

2014 New York State Envirothon Oral Presentation Judge's Score Sheet

Team Number

Room Number

Judge's initials

- 0 Not at all
- 2 Poor or poorly
- 4 Fair or slightly well
- 6 Good or fairly well
- 8 Excellent or very well
- 10 Outstanding

(Each aspect is worth 10 points for a total of 200 points)

A. The Presentation: (Maximum 120 points) Circle Score

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| 1. Demonstrated a comprehensive understanding of sustainable agriculture, including the 3 pillars. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 2. Presented a plan that includes all elements required by LSFAF and which could really be implemented with long-term sustainability. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 3. Explained actions for best management practices, including sustainable soil fertility, limited water use, and alternative fuel use. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 4. Explained organic farming and why it may or may not be part of the plan. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 5. Showed how plan could include composting, crop rotations, cover crops, conservation tillage, and management intensive grazing systems. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 6. Addressed natural resource conservation including water quality, climate change and erosion. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 7. Showed an understanding of marketing, CSAs, food hubs, farmer's markets and farm to school. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 8. Demonstrated an understanding of pollinators and explained how to attract them. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 9. Described how the plan would provide economic, social and environmental benefits. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 10. Included a plan for publicity and education. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 11. Presented a summary statement of the plan with a synopsis of why it should be implemented. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 12. Incorporated integrated pest management, including biological pest control techniques. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |

Total Section A

B. Quality of Presentation (Maximum Score 70) Circle Score

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| 13. Presentation was well organized with a clear introduction and strong conclusion. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 14. Presentation showed creative ideas, clearly stated and supported. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 15. Participants enhanced the presentation (eye contact, gestures, voice inflection, exhibited professionalism, etc.) | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 16. References and resources were stated to support the presentation. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 17. Visual aids made major points and showed conclusions. They were correct, eye appealing, readable and neat. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 18. Questions from the judges were answered logically and concisely by all team members participating. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |

Total Section B

C. Required Elements (Maximum Score 20) Circle Score

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| 19. Each team member gets 2 points for equal oral participation in presentation. | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |
| 20. Effective use of time was shown. Give 10 points (8-10 minutes); 6 points (7-8 minutes); 2 points (under 7 or over 10 minutes), (<i>Time is called at 10 minutes</i>) | 0 2 4 6 8 10 |

Scale for Scoring 0 - 2 POOR 4 - 6 AVERAGE 8 - 10 EXCELLENT

Total Section C

Final Score out of 200