

NATIONAL SPEECH &
DEBATE ASSOCIATION

100 YEARS

A CENTENNIAL
CELEBRATION

CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF
SPEECH AND DEBATE!

JUNE 2024-JUNE 2025



Everything you need to need to be part of the celebration
and promotion of the National Speech & Debate Association's
centennial milestone.





From the Executive Director



The National Speech & Debate Association is excited to recognize and celebrate the positive impact of speech and debate activities on students, schools, and communities.

From local celebrations to the National Speech & Debate Tournament, the educational value of speech and debate will be celebrated near and far from June 2024 to June 2025. In addition to special events and programs, thousands will share personal stories of how speech and debate changed their life on social media using the hashtag #SpeechAndDebate.

We hope you will join in the festivities!

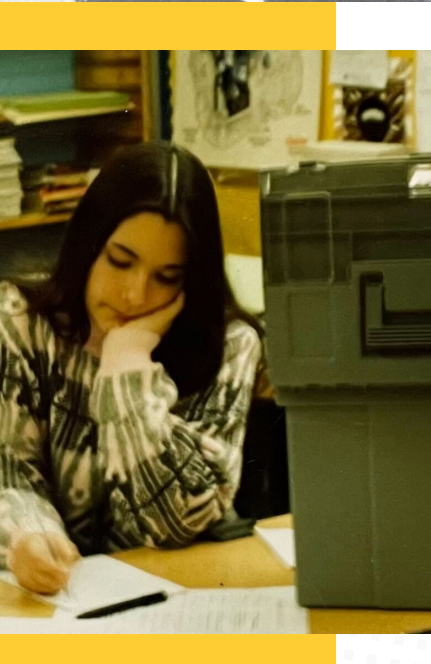
With gratitude,

J. Scott Wunn

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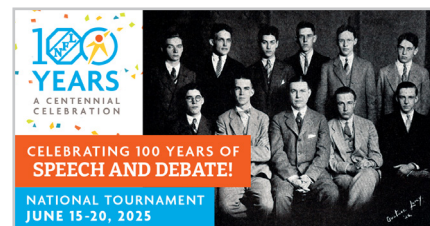
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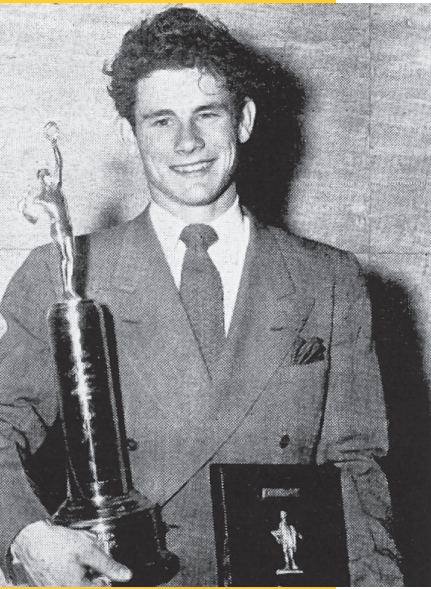


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Press Release

- [Press Release Template](#)



Information

NSDA Historical Timeline

- speechanddebate.org/history
 - » 1925 - 2025
 - » Milestones
 - » Beginnings
 - » National Tournament Era
 - » The War Years

Nationals History

- speechanddebate.org/nationals-history
 - » Tournament Results
 - » Awards
 - » Hosts
 - » Tournament Book Archive
 - » And More!

Notable Alumni

- speechanddebate.org/notable-alumni
 - » Nearly Two Million in All 50 States
 - » Supreme Court Justices
 - » Media Visionaries
 - » Academy Award Winners
 - » Authors
 - » Lawyers

NSDA Membership Numbers

- speechanddebate.org/membership-database
 - » Current Membership Data
 - » Active Coaches and Students
 - » Active Schools
 - » Honor Society Degrees
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 - » Historical Membership Data

Sponsors

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NSDA Social Media

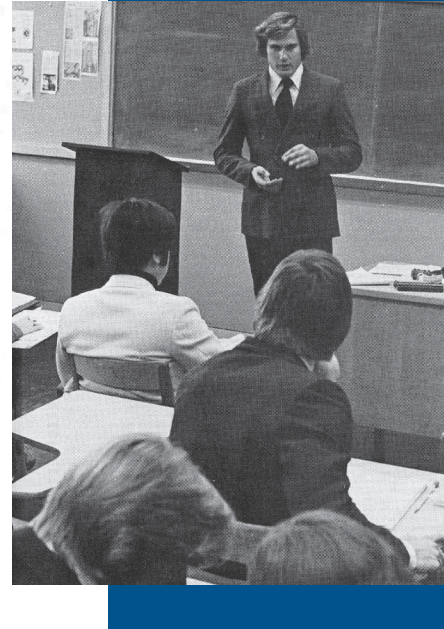


Celebration Ideas

Collect Your Stories

- » Behind every team, champion, and coach, there is a moment, mentor, or story. With your words, photos, and videos, you help demonstrate the lasting impact of speech and debate. Add your legacy at [speechanddebate.org/centennial-stories](https://www.speechanddebate.org/centennial-stories).

ADD YOUR LEGACY



Celebrate in Your State

- » Enhance your local, district, or state tournament, add to your student showcase event, or use as a focal point for a fundraiser. Events and celebrations are a great way to honor and support your program. Learn more at [speechanddebate.org/centennial-events](https://www.speechanddebate.org/centennial-events).

CELEBRATE LOCALLY



Celebrate at Nationals

- » Join us at the National Speech & Debate Tournament June 15-20, 2025, for the weeklong culmination of the Centennial Celebration! Learn more at [speechanddebate.org/centennial](https://www.speechanddebate.org/centennial).

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We look forward to celebrating the amazing impact and legacy of speech and debate education, participation, and competitive activities during our organization's centennial milestone!

We are here to help!

Send your questions to info@speechanddebate.org