

American Legion Post 12 Oratorical Contest Winner

Rockmart High School Sophomore, Breeze Barber, will be representing Post 12 at the district level American Legion Oratorical Contest on February 10 in Cartersville. Breeze researched and presented two speeches Saturday to members of the post. The first was an eight minute prepared oration on an aspect of the United States Constitution with emphasis on a citizen's duties and obligations to our government. The second was an extemporaneous three minutes speech on Amendment 15, the right to vote.

This annual oratorical competition is open to all high school students (9 – 12 grade). Topics are posted in the Fall to allow students to research the subjects in depth. Scholarship awards are presented at each level as they move toward the National competition held in Indianapolis on April 14-15. You can learn more at www.legion.org/oratorical.

Picture: Breeze Barber and Dean Jarman

