Debate Topic: $\qquad$
Pro or Con (Circle one) Which Side Won: $\qquad$

## Criteria

## Rate:

## Comments

1. Opening statements
were well organized.
Affirmative:

Negative:
2. Opening statements were not read from cards.

Affirmative:

Negative:
3. Debaters gave specific facts and cited their sources.

Affirmative:

Negative:
4. Debaters spoke loud
enough to be heard and expressed
conviction and emotion.
Affirmative:

Negative:
5. Rebuttal was specific to arguments made in the opposing team's opening statement.

Affirmative:

Negative:
6. Debaters
participated equally in
the rebuttal.
Affirmative

## Negative:

7. Respect was shown
throughout the debate
for the opposing team.
(No name calling,
interruptions, etc. )
Affirmative:

Negative:
8. Summary was a convincing and persuasive statement.

Affirmative:

Negative:

