Impromptu Debate Worksheet

Proposition:

Opposing position:

Arguments for our position.

1. 

2. 

3. 

4. 

Arguments for the opposition’s position.

1. 

2. 

3. 

4.
Summary of the Debate

1. What were your side’s best two points?

2. What were your side’s best two counter-points to the opposition?

3. What were the opposition’s best two points?

4. What two counter-points by the opposition caused the most harm on your side’s case? Why?

Based on the arguments presented (not your personal position on the topic or bias for your team), which side won the debate? Be ruthlessly honest.

_____ Affirmative  _____ Negative