RULES OF ORDER

1. The President or, in the absence of the President, or on the delegation of the President, a Vice-President shall take the Chair and shall preside.

2. Delegates wishing to speak shall proceed to one of the microphones provided for that purpose. When recognized by the Chairperson they shall give their name, state the purpose for which they rise, and confine their remarks to the questions at issue.

3. Speeches shall be limited to three (3) minutes.

4. A delegate shall not speak more than once upon a subject until all who wish to speak have had an opportunity to do so.

5. A delegate shall not interrupt another, except to rise to a point of order or question of privilege.

6. A delegate called to order shall, at the request of the Chairperson, take a seat until the question of order has been decided.

7. In the event of a tie vote on any matter other than the election of officers, the Chairperson may cast a deciding vote. The Chairperson shall not take part in a debate without leaving the Chair.

8. a) Any motion or amendment to a motion may be amended, provided the amendment is relevant to the question and does not have the effect of simply negating the question.
   b) Amendments are always voted on in reverse order to their introduction. That is, the second amendment must be disposed of before the amendment and the amendment must be voted on before the main motion.

9. The report of a committee, when adopted becomes the decision of the Convention that adopted it.
   (For YEU Triennial Conventions only:
   Resolution of Record 99-6: **CHANGE OF BY-LAWS TO ALLOW VOTE ON RESOLUTION RATHER THAN VOTE ON RESOLUTION COMMTEE RECOMMENDATION.**
   'BE IT RESOLVED THAT the By-Laws be amended to require that Resolution Committee recommendation be shown before the actual resolution, but the actual resolution be voted on, not the Resolution Committee recommendations'.)

10. The following motions shall be in order at any time and in the order stated:
    a) To adjourn (not debateable)
    b) To recess (not debateable)