



Celebrating 50 years of secondary school speaking excellence

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Rostrum Voice of Youth is a national speaking competition which provides an excellent opportunity for secondary school students to gain experience and confidence in expressing their views and communicating a message. Students first participate at a regional level. Regional winners go on to participate in the State Final. State winners will compete at the National Final to be held in Hobart.

Contestants are required to present:

A prepared speech - 6 minutes - JUNIORS (aged at least 11 years as at 1/1/24 and in years 7, 8 or 9)
 - 8 minutes - SENIORS (under 18 years as at 1/1/24 and in years 10, 11 or 12)

A short notice speech - 3 minutes - Juniors & Seniors, preparation time of 15 minutes.

2024 RVOY REGIONAL FINAL TOPICS

JUNIOR PREPARED TOPICS (Years 7-9)	SENIOR PREPARED TOPICS (YEARS 10-12)
BUILDING BRIDGES	HOW MUCH IS ENOUGH?
POSITIVE VIBES	MAKING YOUR MARK
AGE IS NO BARRIER	CHALLENGING THE BOUNDARIES
UNCOVER THE SECRETS	WHAT NEXT?
THE END OF AN ERA	WORDS HAVE POWER

There is a **\$10 non-refundable entry fee** payable via direct deposit. This needs to be submitted to the State Coordinator along with the consent form by the closing date. You will receive the consent form and payment details in an email when you register.

WHAT	WHEN	WHERE
North West Regional Final	Thursday April 11th 6.30pm	Marist Regional College, Burnie
Northern Regional Final	Saturday May 4th 9.30am Juniors 1.00 Seniors	Scotch Oakburn College, Launceston
Southern Regional Final	Saturday May 11th 9.30am Juniors 1.30 pm Seniors	The Friends' School, North Hobart
State Final	Saturday June 15th 1.00pm	Scotch Oakburn College. Launceston
National Final	Saturday July 27th	Hobart

Great prizes: 1st \$300 2nd \$150

Regional winners \$50. Encouragement awards presented at the Regional Finals

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