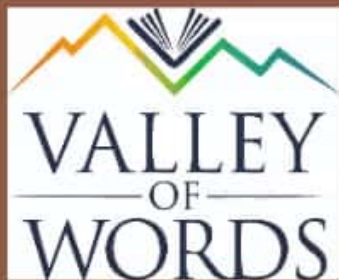
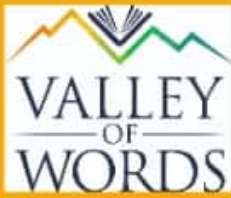


VoW MANTRANA NATIONAL DEBATE CHAMPIONSHIP 2020





VOW मंत्राना NATIONAL DEBATE CHAMPIONSHIP

PRELIMINARY ROUND (ZONE WISE)

OCTOBER 11, 2020

QUARTER FINALS (NATIONAL LEVEL)

OCTOBER 29, 2020

SEMI FINALS ROUND (NATIONAL LEVEL)

NOVEMBER 8, 2020

FINALS ROUND (NATIONAL LEVEL)

NOVEMBER 22, 2020

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VALLEY OF WORDS INTERNATIONAL ARTS AND LITERATURE FESTIVAL

Valley of Words is a non-profit and volunteer-driven initiative of The Valley of Words Foundation Trust. It cherishes diversity by creating a platform for new writers to be heard along with the best readers, critics and listeners from the worlds of fiction, non-fiction and poetry in a threeday Literature and Arts festival in Devbhoomi capital Dehradun. It gives space, time and encouragement to firsttime authors, translators and narrators through book launches by facilitating conversations and dialogues with eminent personalities.

VoW has successfully organised three editions of the International Arts and Literature festival, with the 4th edition to be held this November. Nestled in the foothills of the Himalayas, Dehradun brings together an inspirational blend of culture and natural beauty in VoW's endeavour to bring together artists and authors from across the world. VoW is an inclusive and open-access festival with no registration fee.

VoW opens up a world for young adults, storytellers, bloggers, balladeers puppeteers, thespians, photographers, artists and craftspeople alike supporting and encouraging #vocal4local, made in India and Atma Nirbhar Bharat regimes. It organises concerts and walks, supports local handicrafts through its exhibitions and celebrates creative expressions across all genres.

THE VOW ऋtrana NATIONAL DEBATE CHAMPIONSHIP 2020

This year VOW and DAV Colleges from across North India have joined hands to conduct a National Debate Competition that shall be organized in collaboration with the ऋtrana Debating Society.

VOW ऋtrana DEBATE CHAMPIONSHIP 2019

The Valley of Words International Arts and Literature Festival in its 3rd edition collaborated with the ऋtrana Debating Society, DAV PG College Dehradun and for the first time, ऋtrana organised the district level 'VoW-DAV Debate Championship' in November 2019. The championship hosted 84 students from 24 eminent colleges of Dehradun. The speakers kept their views in English as well as in Hindi on the topic English is an Indian Language, followed by rebuttal questions. There was a winner, 1st runner up and 2nd runner up in each category (English- For and Against & Hindi For and Against). The winner of each category got an opportunity to perform in the VoW Fest in front of eminent personalities including great authors, bureaucrats, parliamentarians, business tycoons, philosophers, army men, and an intellectual gathering. The winners also got the VoW voucher cards for shopping in the VOW Fest Exhibitions. The Best Team trophy was awarded to the Doon University, Dehradun.

Voice For India

Who we are

VoiceForIndia is a youth led organisation dedicated to engaging young people with the political process and providing them with a platform to express their views. Through debates, talks and workshops from experts across the country we hope to equip the youth with the skills needed to successfully implement social change. We offer free, valuable training in debating, public speaking, campaigning, economics, political journalism and policy-making.

Mission & Vision

The one thing that is common in a learner and a leader is dream. They both dream for their voices to be heard. And we at Voices for India call upon the dreamers to become the future leaders. We call upon the youth to raise questions, justify actions and demand answers. No more howling as a wolf, it's time to roar like a lion. Be the change you wish to see in the society. Be the leader you always dreamt to vote and start making a difference with your voice.

Our Role

By means of our website & resources we hope to provide an insight into the importance of our society. Through meetings, workshops, training sessions and talks from experts, we hope to debate ideas. We hope to bring the inner voice to the public. Equipped with the various sorts of skills needed, we help young mind find their cause.

ZONE - IV

VOICE FOR INDIA

STRUCTURE OF THE DEBATE

This year VOW and VOICE FOR INDIA have joined hands to conduct a National Debate Competition that shall be organized in collaboration with the ऋtrana Debating Society.

The preliminary round shall be conducted by VoiceForIndia.

ऋtrana Debating Society, DAV PG College Dehradun (For Uttarakhand, Delhi NCR, UP, Bihar, West Bengal, Gujarat, MP, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh & North East India= **Zone 1**)

DAV College Management Committee (for all DAV affiliated colleges and Hansraj College, University of Delhi= **Zone 2**)

Department of Higher Education, Haryana (for all Government Colleges in Haryana) = **Zone 3**)

Voice for India NGO (Rest of India= **Zone 4**)

Mr. Ankit Anjan, Founder & President, VoiceForIndia shall be responsible for conducting the preliminary round.

A total of 12 students are to be selected .

The 12 selected students shall proceed to the next round of the VOW ऋtrana Debate Championship

In the quarter final round, the top 20 speakers will be selected and sent to the semifinal.

In the semifinal round out of the 20 participants, the top 4 speakers will be selected and sent for finals

In the final round, the 4 finalists will compete for best 3 positions (1st, 2nd and two runners up)

NOTE: NO Registration Fee shall be paid for any round.



TOPICS OF THE DEBATE

PRELIMINARY ROUND

Media Trials violate the fundamental rights of the accused.

मीडिया ट्रायल्स आरोपी के मौलिक अधिकारों का उल्लंघन करते हैं।

QUARTER FINAL ROUND

Protectionism is ultimately destructive to international relations.

संरक्षणवाद अंततः अंतरराष्ट्रीय संबंधों के लिए विनाशकारी है

SEMI- FINAL ROUND

Judiciary should not interfere in religious matters.

न्यायपालिका को धार्मिक मामलों में हस्तक्षेप नहीं करना चाहिए

FINAL ROUND

India should recognise Tibet and Taiwan.

भारत को तिब्बत एवं ताइवान की संप्रभुता को स्वीकारना चाहिए

THE JUDGING CRITERIA

Quality of content

Fluency

Body Language

Pronunciation

Voice Modulation

Rebuttal

Confidence



REGISTRATIONS

The last date for the registration is 30th September, 2020.

Separate registration link will be provided for each round

For the preliminary round the registration link is as follows:

<https://forms.gle/6Fs9FGytnVSugKhSA>

For the preliminary round the registration links are as follows:

Zone 1: <https://forms.gle/uXFJDcDk3yUa49rh8>

Zone 2: <https://tinyurl.com/VowDav>

Zone 3: <https://tinyurl.com/VowDavDelhi>

Zone 4: <https://forms.gle/H68BUKK7trQ3h13C6>

AWARDS AND TROPHIES

Only four prizes will be awarded to four best speakers in the following manner:

1. First prize - 51,000/-, trophy, and certificate
(irrespective of the medium chosen)

2. Second Prize - 31,000/-, trophy, and certificate
(irrespective of the medium chosen)

3. Two Runners Up - 11,000/-, trophy, and certificate each
(irrespective of the medium chosen)

E-certificates will be provided to all the participants.

DATES OF THE DEBATE

Preliminary Round - 11 October, 2020

Quarter Final Round - 29 October, 2020

Semi- Final Round - 08 November, 2020

Final Round - 22 November, 2020

RULES OF THE DEBATE

The entire debate competition will be held online.

There will be a separate topic for each round, that has been specified above.

The debate shall be organized in Hindi and as well as in English, the students may choose the language as per their expertise.

Only the individual performances of the participants will be judged.

Time limit for preliminary round: 3+1minutes + rebuttal.

Time limit for quarter finals/semifinals/ finals: 4+1 minutes + rebuttal.

Paper reading is not allowed.

Participants are supposed to unmute their video/audio only when asked to do so.

Any unparliamentary behaviour during the course of the event will render the participant liable for disqualification.

**IN CASE OF QUERIES,
PLEASE CONTACT
For Preliminary Round**

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