

2026-2027 CRITICAL DATES

Please know competition completion dates are critical to the planning of each level of competition. I will try to be as flexible as possible with deadlines. Bill Highland

CRITICAL DATES FOR 2026-2027 SPEECH CONTESTS

- **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2027: Deadline to COMPLETE all club contests.**
- **THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 2027: Deadline to COMPLETE all Area semifinal contests.**
- > **TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 2027, Final Speech Contest, Time TBD, Citrus Heights Community Center, 6300 Fountain Square, Citrus Heights, CA.**

REGIONAL SEMI-FINAL SPEECH CONTESTS

There will be four semifinal speech contests scheduled between the completion of the Club Speech Contests starting on **MARCH 1, 2027** with a deadline of **THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 2027**. **Note: Area Semi-Final Speech Contests can be scheduled at regular Rotary Club meeting facilities as long as no Rotary Club is holding a Club Meeting at that time.**

Each regional Rotary District 5180 Area Semi-Final Contest will be organized and conducted by a Rotary District Assistant Governor in the following AREAS:

- North Sacramento ----- AREA 3
- South Sacramento----- AREAS 1 & 8
- Central Sacramento - AREAS 2, 4, & 7
- Middle Sacramento----- AREAS 5 & 6