

THE 44TH GULGONG



PRINCE OF WALES

EISTEDDFOD

2025

SPEECH & DRAMA PROGRAM

FRIDAY 23rd MAY 2025 &

SATURDAY 24th MAY 2025

THE GULGONG PRINCE OF WALES EISTEDDFOD COMMITTEE IS PLEASED TO PRESENT

THE 44TH

GULGONG PRINCE OF WALES

SPEECH & DRAMA EISTEDDFOD 2025

AT THE GULGONG MEMORIAL HALL, HERBERT ST GULGONG – SCHOOL GROUPS

PRINCE OF WALES OPERA HOUSE, MAYNE ST GULGONG – SOLOS, DUOS

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Patron: Mrs Edyth Lewis

Speech & Drama Committee: Katie Gilbert, Julie-ann Kleu, Rebecca Nielsen, Rhonda Watt

Convenor: Katie Gilbert

Adjudicator: Ms Bill Deverson

ADMISSION

Single Session	Adult	\$ 5.00	Senior	\$3.00
Single Session	Child	Free		
Day Pass	Adult	\$10.00	Senior	\$5.00
Gala Concert	Adult	\$10.00	Senior	\$5.00

Acknowledgement of Country – In the spirit of reconciliation, the Gulgong Prince of Wales Eisteddfod acknowledges the Wiradjuri People, Traditional Custodians of the land on which we gather, and pay our respects to their Elders past, present and emerging.

The Eisteddfod is a subsidiary of Gulgong MADS.

Our aim is to provide opportunities for students of Dance, Speech & Drama and Music to set themselves goals to perform in front of an audience and Adjudicator.

ADJUDICATOR: MS BILL DEVERSON



The Gulgong Prince of Wales Eisteddfod Committee is very excited to introduce our Speech & Drama Adjudicator for 2025 – Ms Bill Deverson.

Bill completed her degree at the Trinity and Laban Conservatoire. After completing her scholarship, she became a lecturer, where she devised and taught the first drama syllabus to all graduates. She also taught specialist movement courses at RADA and London academy for professional actors and drama students. Bill began to branch out into touring works and creating productions, working both nationally and internationally.

She has Production Managed many festivals, events and productions ranging from Hip Hop to ballet, Opera to West End, One Dance UK, London International Mime Festival and everything in between!

After more than 3 decades of working in theatre, she resides in Australia and continues to work in the areas she loves.

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GULGONG MEMORIAL HALL

Friday 23rd May 2025

Commencing 10:00 AM

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Competitors in the first 3 classes of the session are asked to present their adjudicator copies to the clerk’s desk at least 15 minutes before the session begins.

Please label your adjudicator copies in this way, before you get to the clerk’s desk:

Class No 288

Competitor No 5

“Seven Ages of Man”

And if the title isn’t obvious add it, e.g.

285 - Groups & Schools - Choral Verse Speaking - Two contrasting pieces of your own choice (Max 35 performers) - Infants Yrs 1 & 2

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| 1 | Gulgong Public School | 1/2 F | 4 | Mudgee Public School | Mudgee Meerkats |
| 2 | Mudgee Public School | Mudgee Quokkas | 5 | Mudgee Public School | Mudgee Rosellas |
| 3 | Gulgong Public School | 2K | | | |

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Infants

286 - Groups & Schools - Choral Verse Speaking - Two contrasting pieces of your own choice (Max 35 performers) - Junior Primary Yrs 3 & 4

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| 1 | Gulgong Public School | 3R | 3 | Gulgong Public School | 4A |
| 2 | Kandos Public School | Junior Primary | 4 | Mudgee Public School | Mudgee Magpies |

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287 - Groups & Schools - Choral Verse Speaking - Two contrasting pieces of your own choice (Max 35 performers) - Senior Primary Yrs 5 & 6

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1 Kandos Public School Senior Primary

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288 - Groups & Schools - Choral Verse Speaking - Two contrasting pieces of your own choice (Max 35 performers) – Secondary School

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1 Gulgong High School Secondary

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Junior Primary

Senior Primary

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Friday 30th May 2025 6.30pm

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GULGONG OPERA HOUSE

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Commencing 1:00 PM

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Competitor No 5

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"Seven Ages of Man"

260 - Solos - Monologue/Character Sketch - Own choice - Costume optional - 13 & 14 Yrs

Prize (1st, 2nd): \$15, \$10

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1 Ruby-eve Milojevic Eurunderee
2 Estee` Benita Bathurst

3 Julia Barnett Bathurst
4 Holly Hill Mudgee

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261 - Solos - Monologue/Character Sketch - Own choice - Costume optional - 15 Yrs & over

Prize (1st, 2nd): \$15, \$10

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1 Ashley Maher Mudgee
2 Morgan Gentle Bathurst
3 Madeline Bourke Bombira

4 Caitlin Holleman Mudgee
5 Josephine Gilbert St Fillans

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for his generous and ongoing support of the Eisteddfod

205 - Solos - Verse Speaking - One piece of your own choice - 13 & 14 Yrs

Prize (1st): \$15

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1 Estee` Benita Bathurst
2 Hailey Ashford Rylstone

3 Julia Barnett Bathurst

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206 - Solos - Verse Speaking - One piece of your own choice - 15 Yrs & over

Prize (1st): \$15

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| 1 Josephine Gilbert | St Fillans | 3 Morgan Gentle | Bathurst |
| 2 Hayley Davis | Bathurst | | |

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....

220 - Solos - Australian Verse - Own choice - 13 & 14 Yrs (see rule 11)

Prize (1st): \$15

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| 1 Estee` Benita | Bathurst | 2 Julia Barnett | Bathurst |
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221 - Solos - Australian Verse - Own choice - 15 Yrs & over (see rule 11)

Prize (1st): \$15

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| 1 Morgan Gentle | Bathurst | 2 Hayley Davis | Bathurst |
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248/249 - Solos - Mime 14 years and over

Prize (1st, 2nd): \$15, \$10

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| 1 Julia Barnett | Bathurst | 3 Morgan Gentle | Bathurst |
| 2 Hayley Davis | Bathurst | 4 Jessie Nunan | O'Connell |

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265 - Solos - Poem - Written and performed by the poet - Poem must be memorised - 14 Yrs & over

Prize (1st): \$15

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1 Josephine Gilbert St Fillans 2 Estee` Benita Bathurst

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266 - Solos - Shakespearian Monologue - Own Choice - 14 Yrs & under

Prize (1st): \$15

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1 Andie Sutcliffe Two Mile Flat

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267 - Solos - Shakespearian Monologue - Own Choice - 15 Yrs & over

Prize (1st): \$15

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1 Morgan Gentle Bathurst

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227 - Solos - Sight Prose Reading - To be provided by the Adjudicator - 13 & 14 Yrs

Prize (1st, 2nd): \$15, \$10

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1 Estee` Benita Bathurst 3 Ruby-eve Milojevic Eurunderee
2 Hailey Ashford Rylstone 4 Julia Barnett Bathurst

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228 - Solos - Sight Prose Reading - To be provided by the Adjudicator - 15 Yrs & over

Prize (1st, 2nd): \$15, \$10

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1 Jessie Nunan O'Connell 3 Hayley Davis Bathurst
2 Josephine Gilbert St Fillans 4 Morgan Gentle Bathurst

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....

236 - Solos - Bible Reading - Eisteddfod will provide a copy to read from - 13 Yrs & over (John 14: 5-14)

Prize (1st, 2nd 3rd): \$15, \$10, \$5

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1	Morgan Gentle	Bathurst	5	Estee` Benita	Bathurst
2	Josephine Gilbert	St Fillans	6	Jessie Nunan	O'Connell
3	Julia Barnett	Bathurst	7	Hayley Davis	Bathurst
4	Hailey Ashford	Rylstone			

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215/216 - Solos - Humorous Verse 14-16 years

Prize (1st): \$15

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1	Julia Barnett	Bathurst	3	Hayley Davis	Bathurst
2	Morgan Gentle	Bathurst			

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....

231 - Solos - Prepared Prose Reading - Selection from any novel - Own Choice - 13 & 14 Yrs

Prize (1st): \$15

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1	Holly Hill	Mudgee	3	Julia Barnett	Bathurst
2	Estee` Benita	Bathurst			

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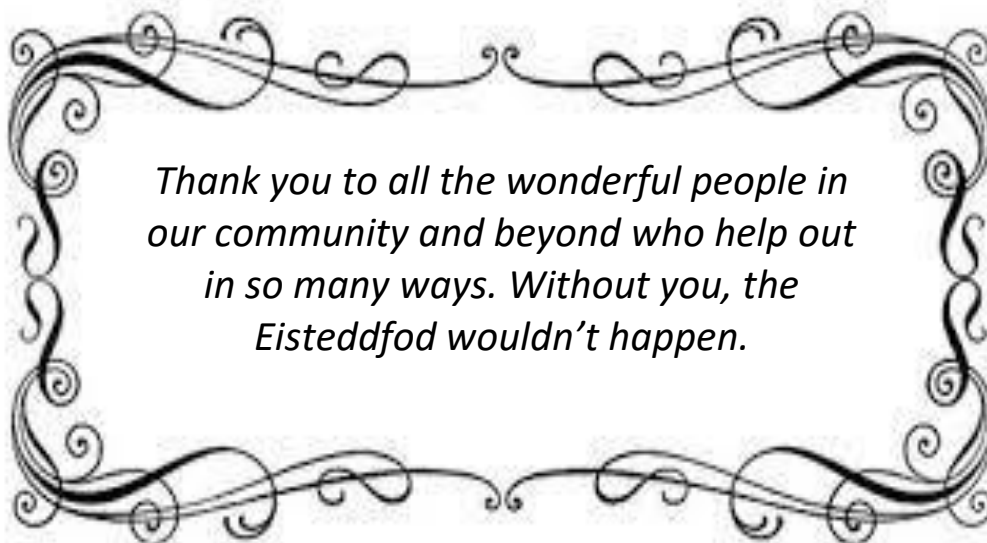
232 - Solos - Prepared Prose Reading - Selection from any novel - Own Choice - 15 Yrs & over

Prize (1st, 2nd 3rd): \$15, \$10, \$5

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1	Josephine Gilbert	St Fillans	4	Ashley Maher	Mudgee
2	Morgan Gentle	Bathurst	5	Jessie Nunan	O'Connell
3	Hayley Davis	Bathurst	6	Madeline Bourke	Bombira

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....



271 - Duologues - Impromptu telephone Conversation for two - Subject to be given by the adjudicator - 13 Yrs & over

Prize (1st, 2nd): \$24, \$18

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1 Estee` Benita, Julia Bathurst
Barnett

3 Natalie Hawes, Holly Mudgee
Hill

2 Hayley Davis, Bathurst
Morgan Gentle

4 Josephine Gilbert, St Fillans
Madeline Bourke

1st.....

2nd.....

3rd.....

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-----END OF SESSION-----

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44TH GALA CONCERT

MUSIC, SPEECH & DRAMA

Friday 30th May 2025 6.30pm

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GULGONG OPERA HOUSE

Friday 23rd May 2025

Commencing 5:30 PM

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Class No 288

Competitor No 5

And if the title isn't obvious add it, e.g.

"Seven Ages of Man"

256 - Duologues - Duologue - Literary excerpt consisting of two characters from a play - Own choice - 14 Yrs & under

Prize (1st): \$24

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1 Natalie Hawes, Mudgee
Holly Hill Mudgee

2 Dakota Watts, Yarrawonga
Summer Devenish Mudgee

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....

257 - Duologues - Duologue - Literary excerpt consisting of two characters from a play - Own choice - 15 Yrs & over

Prize (1st): \$24

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1 Ashley Maher, Mudgee
Jack New Mudgee

2 Madeline Bourke, Bombira
Josephine Gilbert St Fillans

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....

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244 - Solos - Radio Announcements: Competitors will read material supplied by the Adjudicator - 13 & 14 Yrs (see rules)

Prize (1st, 2nd): \$15, \$10

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| 1 Holly Hill | Mudgee | 3 Ruby-eve Milojevic | Eurunderee |
| 2 Estee` Benita | Bathurst | 4 Julia Barnett | Bathurst |

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245 - Solos - Radio Announcements: Competitors will read material supplied by the Adjudicator - 15 Yrs & over (see rules)

Prize (1st, 2nd): \$15, \$10

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| 1 Josephine Gilbert | St Fillans | 4 Morgan Gentle | Bathurst |
| 2 Ashley Maher | Mudgee | 5 Hayley Davis | Bathurst |
| 3 Madeline Bourke | Bombira | | |

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238/239 - Solos - Public Speaking Prepared 14-16 years

Prize (1st, 2nd): \$15, \$10

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| 1 Julia Barnett | Bathurst | 3 Morgan Gentle | Bathurst |
| 2 Josephine Gilbert | St Fillans | 4 Madeline Bourke | Bombira |

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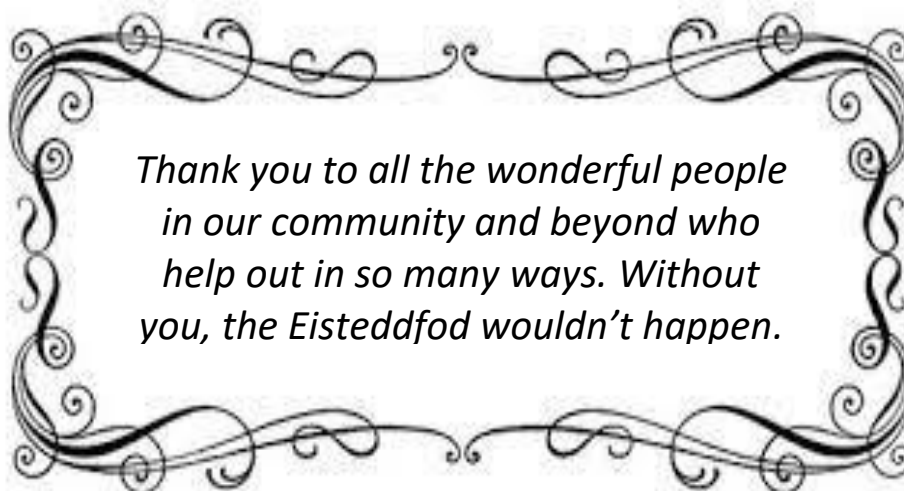
241 - Solos - Public Speaking Impromptu - Topics provided by the Adjudicator and palm cards are permitted - 13 Yrs & over

Prize (1st): \$15

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| 1 Jessie Nunan | O'Connell | 3 Estee` Benita | Bathurst |
| 2 Josephine Gilbert | St Fillans | | |

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277 - Solos - Senior Phil Crossley Memorial - Competitors must recite a Henry Lawson poem of their own choice - 13 Yrs & Over (see rules)

Prize (1st, 2nd) \$50, \$10

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| 1 Hailey Ashford | Rylstone | 3 Julia Barnett | Bathurst |
| 2 Estee` Benita | Bathurst | 4 Morgan Gentle | Bathurst |

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275 - Championships - Senior Championship - Competitors must present 3 items (Monologue, Poem, Sight Prose Reading) - 13 Yrs & over-Total Time Limit for Monologue and Poem: 9 minutes

Prize (1st, 2nd 3rd): \$70, \$50, \$30

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| 1 Estee` Benita | Bathurst | 6 Morgan Gentle | Bathurst |
| 2 Julia Barnett | Bathurst | 7 Holly Hill | Mudgee |
| 3 Madeline Bourke | Bombira | 8 Jessie Nunan | O'Connell |
| 4 Ashley Maher | Mudgee | 9 Hayley Davis | Bathurst |
| 5 Josephine Gilbert | St Fillans | | |



253 - Duologues - Poem for Two - Own choice - 15 Yrs & over

Prize (1st): \$24

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| 1 Morgan Gentle, | Bathurst |
| Hayley Davis | |

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273 - Solos - Stand up Comedy Solo - Piece to be written and performed by entrant - 13 Yrs & over -

Prize (1st): Trophy \$50

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1 Jessie Nunan O'Connell

1st.....

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GULGONG OPERA HOUSE

Saturday 24th May 2025

Commencing 9:30 AM

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Competitor No 5

"Seven Ages of Man"

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202 - Solos - Verse Speaking - One piece of your own choice - 7 & 8 Yrs

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1 Shaurie Pavan Bathurst

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207 - Solos - Restricted Verse Speaking - One piece of your own choice - 8 Yrs & under

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1 Daisy Dwyer Bathurst

4 David Watt Beryl

2 Freyer Williams Gilgandra

5 Ariana Mai Irvine Bathurst

3 Spencer Burgess Coolah

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....

200 - Solos - Nursery Rhyme - Your own choice in costume - 6 Yrs & under

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1 Tanishka Pavan Bathurst

3 Fern Dwyer Bathurst

2 Nathan Kleu Gulgong

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212 - Solos - Humorous Verse - One piece of your own choice - 8 Yrs & under

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1 Daisy Dwyer Bathurst

3 Tanishka Pavan Bathurst

2 Shaurie Pavan Bathurst

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201 - Solos - Verse Speaking - One piece of your own choice - 6 Yrs & under

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| 1 | Tanishka Pavan | Bathurst | 3 | Nathan Kleu | Gulgong |
| 2 | Fern Dwyer | Bathurst | | | |

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229 - Solos - Prepared Prose Reading - Selection from any novel - Own Choice - 8 Yrs & under

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| 1 | Shaurie Pavan | Bathurst | 4 | Freyer Williams | Gilgandra |
| 2 | Ariana Mai Irvine | Bathurst | 5 | Tanishka Pavan | Bathurst |
| 3 | Daisy Dwyer | Bathurst | | | |

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233 - Solos Bible Reading - Eisteddfod will provide a copy to read from - 8 Yrs & under (Psalm 23)

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| 1 | Nathan Kleu | Gulgong | 3 | Freyer Williams | Gilgandra |
| 2 | Tanishka Pavan | Bathurst | 4 | Shaurie Pavan | Bathurst |

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222 - Solos - Look at a Picture & Tell a Story - 8 Yrs & under

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| 1 | Tanishka Pavan | Bathurst | 2 | Shaurie Pavan | Bathurst |
| 3 | Ariana Mai Irvine | Bathurst | | | |

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217 - Solos - Australian Verse - Own choice - 8 Yrs & under

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| 1 | Freyer Williams | Gilgandra | 3 | Shaurie Pavan | Bathurst |
| 2 | Tanishka Pavan | Bathurst | | | |

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258 - Solos - Monologue/Character Sketch - Own choice - Costume optional - 8 Yrs & under

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| 1 | Shaurie Pavan | Bathurst | 3 | Tanishka Pavan | Bathurst |
| 2 | Ariana Mai Irvine | Bathurst | | | |

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250 - Duologues - Poem for Two - Own choice - 8 Yrs & under

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| 1 | Shaurie Pavan,
Tanishka Pavan | Bathurst | 2 | Fern Dwyer, Daisy
Dwyer | Bathurst |
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251 - Duologues - Poem for Two - Own choice - 12 Yrs & under

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| 1 Daisy Dwyer, Polly Bathurst
Dwyer | 2 Rebecca Hope, Euan Bathurst
Hope |
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246 - Solos - Mime - Individuals will perform a mime - 9 Yrs & under

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| 1 Euan Hope Bathurst | 3 Eric Burgess Coolah |
| 2 Shaurie Pavan Bathurst | 4 Tanishka Pavan Bathurst |

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262 - Solos - Poem - Written and performed by the poet - Poem must be memorised - 8 Yrs & under

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| 1 Nathan Kleu | Gulgong |
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Competitor No 5

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237 - Solos - Public Speaking Prepared - Topic of your own choice - Palm cards are permitted - 12 Yrs & under

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1	Maggie Burgess	Coolah	4	Spencer Burgess	Coolah
2	Sophie Ashford	Rylstone	5	Eric Burgess	Coolah
3	Andie Sutcliffe	Two Mile Flat			

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247 - Solos - Mime - Individuals will perform a mime – 10 to 12 Yrs

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1	Polly Dwyer	Bathurst	3	Rebecca Hope	Bathurst
2	Maggie Burgess	Coolah	4	Adeline Chenhall	Bathurst

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263 - Solos - Poem - Written and performed by the poet - Poem must be memorised - 9 to 12 Yrs

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1	Andie Sutcliffe	Two Mile Flat	2	Jake Marchant	Gulgong
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255 - Duologues - Duologue - Literary excerpt consisting of two characters from a play - Own choice - 12 Yrs & under

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| 1 | Eliana Kleu, Susanna Kleu | Gulgong | 2 | Jemima Gibbs, Maggie Burgess | Coolah |
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270 - Duologues - Impromptu telephone Conversation for two - Subject to be given by the adjudicator - 12 Yrs & under

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| 1 | Liam Ashford, Olivia Ashford | Kandos | 3 | Spencer Burgess, Jemima Gibbs | Coolah |
| 2 | Maggie Burgess, Eric Burgess | Coolah | | | |

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272 - Solos - Stand up Comedy Solo - Piece to be written and performed by entrant - 12 Yrs & under

Prize (1st, 2nd): \$50, \$20

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|---|--------------|--------|---|----------------|------------|
| 1 | Eric Burgess | Coolah | 2 | Emelia Gilbert | St Fillans |
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213 - Solos - Humorous Verse - One piece of your own choice - 9 & 10 Yrs

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| 1 | Susanna Kleu | Gulgong | 3 | Abigail Watt | Beryl |
| 2 | Polly Dwyer | Bathurst | | | |

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214 - Solos - Humorous Verse - One piece of your own choice - 11 & 12 Yrs

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| 1 | Eliana Kleu | Gulgong | 3 | Adeline Chenhall | Bathurst |
| 2 | Andie Sutcliffe | Two Mile Flat | 4 | Thomas Marwick | Bathurst |

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223-Solos - Look at a Picture & Tell a Story – 9 & 10 Yrs

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| 1 Sophie Ashford | Rylstone | 4 Euan Hope | Bathurst |
| 2 Abigail Watt | Beryl | 5 Olivia Ashford | Kandos |
| 3 Polly Dwyer | Bathurst | | |

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209 - Solos - Restricted Verse Speaking (one piece of your own choice) 10-12 years

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| 1 Maggie Burgess | Coolah | 4 Rebecca Hope | Bathurst |
| 2 Thomas Markwick | Barthurst | 5 Allie Claire Williams | Gilgandra |
| 3 Emelia Gilbert | St Fillans | | |

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224 - Solos - Look at a Picture & Tell a Story - 11 & 12 Yrs (see rules)

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| 1 Liam Ashford | Kandos | 3 Eliana Kleu | Gulgong |
| 2 Andie Sutcliffe | Two Mile Flat | 4 Jemima Gibbs | Bundella |

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208 - Solos - Restricted Verse Speaking (one piece of your own choice) 9 years

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| 1 Emily Watt | Beryl | 3 Eric Burgess | Coolah |
| 2 Sophie Ashford | Rylstone | 4 Euan Hope | Bathurst |

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259 - Solos - Monologue/Character Sketch - Own choice - Costume optional - 9 to 12 Yrs

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| 1 Emily Watt | Beryl | 4 Archie Watt | Beryl |
| 2 Dakota Watts | Yarrowonga | 5 Lilah Rayner | Mudgee |
| 3 Polly Dwyer | Bathurst | 6 Abigail Watt | Beryl |

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218 - Solos - Australian Verse - Own choice - 9 & 10 Yrs (see rule 11)

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1 Allie Claire Williams Gilgandra

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219 - Solos - Australian Verse - Own choice - 11 & 12 Yrs (see rule 11)

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1 Archie Watt Beryl 3 Rebecca Hope Bathurst
2 Andie Sutcliffe Two Mile Flat

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225 - Solos - Sight Prose Reading - To be provided by the Adjudicator - 10 Yrs & under

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1 Olivia Ashford Kandos 3 Euan Hope Bathurst
2 Polly Dwyer Bathurst 4 Emily Watt Beryl

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226 - Solos - Sight Prose Reading - To be provided by the Adjudicator - 11 & 12 Yrs

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1 Archie Watt Beryl 4 Jemima Gibbs Bundella
2 Liam Ashford Kandos 5 Rebecca Hope Bathurst
3 Eliana Kleu Gulgong

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234 - Solos - Bible Reading - Eisteddfod will provide a copy to read from - 9 & 10 Yrs (Mark 4: 35-41)

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- 1 Sophie Ashford Rylstone
- 2 Allie Claire Williams Gilgandra

- 3 Susanna Kleu Gulgong
- 4 Olivia Ashford Kandos

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235 - Solos - Bible Reading - Eisteddfod will provide a copy to read from - 11 & 12 Yrs (Mark 6: 45-56)

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- 1 Rebecca Hope Bathurst
- 2 Eliana Kleu Gulgong

- 3 Liam Ashford Kandos

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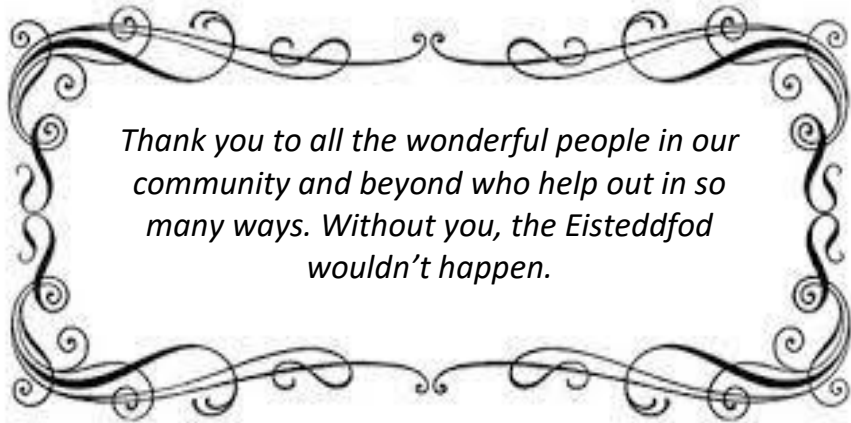
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Please label your adjudicator copies in this way, before you get to the clerk's desk:

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Competitor No 5

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"Seven Ages of Man"

281 - Groups & Schools - Dramatic Sketch or Short One Act Play or Scene (3 - 35 Performers, Own choice) – Secondary *Supported by Goldfields Motor Inn*

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203 - Solos - Verse Speaking - One piece of your own choice - 9 & 10 Yrs

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1 Emelia Gilbert St Fillans 3 Susanna Kleu Gulgong
2 Polly Dwyer Bathurst

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204 - Solos - Verse Speaking - One piece of your own choice - 11 & 12 Yrs

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1 Jemima Gibbs Bundella 3 Eliana Kleu Gulgong
2 Adeline Chenhall Bathurst

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242 - Solos - Radio Announcements: Competitors will read material supplied by the Adjudicator - 10 Yrs & under (see rules)

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1 Olivia Ashford Kandos 2 Maggie Burgess Coolah

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243 - Solos - Radio Announcements: Competitors will read material supplied by the Adjudicator -

11 & 12 Yrs (see rules)

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| 1 Adeline Chenhall | Bathurst | 4 Jemima Gibbs | Bundella |
| 2 Dakota Watts | Yarrowonga | 5 Liam Ashford | Kandos |
| 3 Andie Sutcliffe | Two Mile Flat | | |

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276 - Solos - Junior Phil Crossley Memorial - Competitors must recite a Henry Lawson poem of their own choice - 12 Yrs & under (see rules)

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| 1 Olivia Ashford | Kandos | 3 Andie Sutcliffe | Two Mile Flat |
| 2 Archie Watt | Beryl | | |

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230A - Solos - Prepared Prose Reading - Selection from any novel - Own Choice - 9 to 12 Yrs

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| 1 Sophie Ashford | Rylstone | 5 Allie Claire Williams | Gilgandra |
| 2 Eric Burgess | Coolah | 6 Euan Hope | Bathurst |
| 3 Emelia Gilbert | St Fillans | 7 Susanna Kleu | Gulgong |
| 4 Polly Dwyer | Bathurst | | |

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230B - Solos - Prepared Prose Reading - Selection from any novel - Own Choice - 9 to 12 Yrs

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| 1 Olivia Ashford | Kandos | 5 Maggie Burgess | Coolah |
| 2 Jemima Gibbs | Bundella | 6 Adeline Chenhall | Bathurst |
| 3 Eliana Kleu | Gulgong | 7 Rebecca Hope | Bathurst |
| 4 Liam Ashford | Kandos | | |

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