Youth Power Speech Competition

North Bay Leadership Council Wants to Hear from Teen Leaders in the North Bay!

North Bay Leadership Council is hosting a Youth Power Speech Competition for students ages 16-20. The winning applicant will be chosen to be the keynote speaker at our annual Leaders of the North Bay Awards Luncheon and receive a college scholarship.

****Winner must be able to attend the Awards Luncheon on May 12****

Prizes Include:

First place winner will win the opportunity to deliver the **Keynote Speech** at our Leaders of the North Bay Awards luncheon and receive a **$5,000** scholarship

One runner up will receive **$1,000** scholarships

Two additional finalists will be granted **$500** scholarships

Submission Deadline: March 17, 2023

For more information on how to enter the contest please email:
info@northbayleadership.org

NBLC Leaders of the North Bay Youth Power Speech Competition

Are you a teen leader in your community? Do you dream about inspiring other people to action? If you feel this way, then we want to hear from you!

North Bay Leadership Council is hosting a Youth Power Speech Competition where the winning applicant will be chosen to be the keynote speaker at our annual Leaders of the North Bay Awards Luncheon and receive a college scholarship.

How to Enter:

Please submit a 5-minute video of you giving a speech showing your leadership on a cause that you feel passionately about, including what action you want to see that will improve the situation. We want to know why it is important to you and should be important to the community. Please also submit your speech in writing as well as filling out the attached form.

Please submit all required materials by March 17, 2023, via email to info@northbayleadership.org. If you do not receive a confirmation email within two business days, please email to make sure your entry was received.

Eligibility:

- Competition is opened to North Bay teens, ages 16-20 only
- Applicants must be enrolled in a high school, college or university, who wish to continue their post-secondary education

Prizes:

First place winner will win the opportunity to deliver the Keynote Speech at our Leaders of the North Bay Awards luncheon which showcases incredible leaders in our community. You will also win a scholarship of $5,000 and the opportunity to have one-on-one leadership and speech coaching with our President and CEO, Cynthia Murray. Two complimentary tickets to the awards luncheon will be provided. **Winner must be able to come to the awards luncheon on May 12, 2023.**

One runner up will receive $1,000 scholarship. In addition to the winner and runner ups, two additional finalists will be granted a $500 scholarship.

Our goal for this competition is to grow and foster leadership within the youth community to create more leaders who will make the future brighter.

About North Bay Leadership Council:

North Bay Leadership Council is an employer-led public policy advocacy organization committed to providing leadership in ways to make the North Bay sustainable, prosperous and innovative. As business and civic leaders, our goal is to ensure economic health by promoting better education, infrastructure, and governance to make our region a better place to live and work.

About Leaders of the North Bay:

NBLC * Signature Event * Leaders of the North Bay Awards Luncheon
Friday, May 12, 2023
DoubleTree Hotel, Rohnert Park
Open to Public – RSVP required with ticket purchase
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Each year, the North Bay Leadership Council presents five selected honorees with their Leaders of the North Bay Awards. The categories are: United We Stand – Community Building: Recognition of leadership in corporate philanthropy or volunteerism, civic engagement, and community impact, Paint the Community Green – Environmental Stewardship: Recognition of leadership in green business, green building and/or environmental stewardship, The "Light Bulb" Went On – Innovative/Entrepreneurial Spirit: Recognition of creativity, innovation and the entrepreneurial spirit, Empowering the Latino Community – Leadership within the Latino Community: Recognition of efforts to empower and strengthen the Latino community through education, job training, cultural awareness, and business development resources, From Red Tape to Red Carpet – Leadership in Government: Recognition of local governments that cut through red tape, eliminate barriers to economic growth, enhance efficiency of service, improve the business climate through innovation and best practices.

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Welcome to North Bay Leadership Council's Youth Power Speech competition. If you are interested in being considered for this incredible opportunity, please fill out the form below, produce a 5 minute video of your speech on a subject that you feel passionate about and have shown leadership in addressing, and include a written copy of your speech. Please email the completed form and other materials to info@northbayleadership.org.

Applicants must be between the ages of 16-20 and planning or currently attending college. Deadline to submit applications is March 17, 2023. The winners will be notified and announced in April.

Name: _____
Age: _____ Grade Level: _____ School Name: _____
Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Are you planning on or currently attending college? Yes ☐ No ☐

Please list your current college or your top three college choices:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

1. Please provide a short biography

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2. What is the cause that is the focus of your speech?

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3. What are your extracurricular activities?

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4. Is there any other information you would like to share?

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