

FLEURIEU FOLK FESTIVAL 2009

YOUNG TALENT SHOWCASE

Guidelines, rules and relevant information for participating students, parents and teachers.

General information

The Young Talent Showcase will be held as part of the 2009 Fleurieu Folk Festival in the picturesque township of Willunga. The festival commences Friday 23rd to Sunday 25th October.

The Talent Showcase will be held on:

Saturday 24th October from 1pm-2.30pm for 8-12 year olds & Sunday 25th October from 1pm-2.30pm for 13-17 year olds.

Whilst we wish to encourage and nurture our young Folk musicians, we need to limit the number of participants to 12 entrants in each age group. We would therefore encourage early application, so fill in the application form below and post it as soon as you can.

Rules

- 1** Performances **must be in the Folk music genre.**
- 2** All entrants to be aged:
Primary School students 8-12 years or High School students 13-17 years.
- 3** All entries to be made on the **official entry form** only.
- 4** Each entrant **will be assessed as a solo performance.**
- 5** Entrants are allowed **accompaniment** (not overpowering the solo performer) to assist them during their performance. This is optional. The entrant will be assessed on their performance (not the accompaniment).
- 6** **One item only per entrant.**
- 7** The **total performance time** for each act to be no longer than **5 minutes** - this includes any setting up time.
- 8** Each act will have the use of two microphones, one for vocal and one for an instrument if required.
- 9** All entrants need to **be in close proximity to the stage area** in readiness to perform no less than 15 minutes before their time slot.
- 10** It is the entrant's responsibility to arrive and **be on time.**

Parent / Teacher Information

As with all festivals and community events where children are performing there's always a need for strict policies and measures to safeguard the full identity of any participating student or child.

Therefore, other than by first name and school only, the full identity of each participant will be prohibited and suppressed.

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Young Talent Showcase Entry Form



First name: _____ Age: _____

Suburb: _____ Phone: _____

School: _____

- Will your performance be vocal or instrumental?
- If instrumental what type of instrument? _____
- Name two folk songs you would sing:
or
Name two folk tunes you would play:

- Will you have musical accompaniment? Yes/No
- What section of the Talent Showcase will you be entering? Please tick.

8-12 age group (Saturday 24th October from 1pm to 2.30pm)

13-17 age group (Sunday 25th October from 1pm to 2.30pm)

Parent's Signature: _____

(Please read the rules and guidelines overleaf before submitting your application)

Download an entry form online at www.fleurieufolkfestival.com.au

Please post your completed application form to:
Young Talent Showcase
PO Box 52 Seaford SA 5169