

Application Form - 2015

KEY DATES

Deadline for Application Forms:

Thursday 12th March

Auditions: Sunday 22nd March & Tuesday 31 March

Live Shows: Semi-Finals Saturday 25th & Sunday 26th April, 7.30pm

The Final Saturday 9th May, 7.30pm

Let Me Entertain You is the greatest talent competition for Somerset and beyond. The competition is open to people of all ages who can audition as individuals or groups. Whatever your talent is singing, dancing, comedy, poetry, playing the spoons - we want to see it! 36 Acts will be selected from auditions to perform and compete at one of the Semi Finals. The top 9 acts from both categories will then compete against each other in our Final to compete for the star prize of £1,000.

To apply: Complete and return the application form, along with your £10 Entry Fee, £25 for groups of 4 or more (please make cheques payable to 'The Foyer Club'), to 'Let Me Entertain You' The Octagon Theatre, Hendford, Yeovil, Somerset, BA20 1UX. Please note the entry fee is non-refundable.

Your act should last no more than 4 minutes. All proceeds from this competition will go to 'The Foyer Club' - a charity that exists to support the arts through support of The Octagon Theatre.

Name of Act:		
		Age range of people in your act:
Contact Address:		
Contact Email:		
Contact Telephone:		Contact Mobile:
Any Special Requirements	s (sound, equipment	etc.):
Please note: it may not be possible to grant your preferred date.	Tuesday 31 st March	

If you cannot attend either of these dates, please submit your audition by video - either by posting a DVD or sending an email with a link or video attached to octagontheatre@southsomerset.gov.uk. Please note that we will still require the appropriate entry fee as listed above. All video links must remain active until Wednesday 1 April.

I have read the terms and conditions of application (please tick) \Box



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- 1. These terms and conditions relate to your application to participate in a talent search competition being staged at The Octagon Theatre titled 'Let Me Entertain You'. The information given by you in your application may be used in the Programme should you be selected to audition.
- 2. You acknowledge and agree to abide by the rules, regulations, terms and conditions for this competition as determined by the Producer (the "Rules") and you acknowledge that the Rules may be changed (including without limitation verbally) at any time by the Producer in their sole discretion. The Producers' decisions regarding all elements of the application process, the competition and the Programme shall be final and binding.
- 3. Applications close Thursday 12th March 2015. Any applications made after the closing date of 12th March 2015 may not be considered.
- 4. Applicants will be selected and invited to attend an audition at a time and location to be decided at the sole discretion of the Producer whose decision will be final and binding.
- 5. The producer reserves the right to provide alternative dates for auditions and change the dates of auditions and heats.
- 6. Only those performing (and/or legal chaperone for under 16s) will be given access to the audition room.
- 7. The completion of an application does not guarantee that an applicant will receive an audition or participate in the Competition.
- 8. If you are under 18 years of age please make sure that you get the permission of your parents or legal guardians before applying.
- 9. If you are under 16 years of age and you are invited to audition, you must be accompanied by your parents or legal guardians at the audition. Proof of age will be required at the auditions.
- 10. Your act should contain no offensive material, including but not limited to, no nudity, no swearing, no offensive gestures, no sexually explicit content.
- 11. In the event that you are invited to attend an audition you hereby irrevocably grant all consents necessary for the Producer to film and record such audition and to use recordings featuring your image and/or voice in connection with the competition and/or ancillary rights in the show and to exploit the same in all media throughout the world in perpetuity without the need for payment to you.
- 12. Should you be selected to take part in the Competition you agree and undertake to enter into further contracts with the Producer and you agree to abide by the terms therein.
- 13. All personal details and/or information given in your application either in this form or otherwise must be truthful, accurate and in no way misleading.
- 14. The Producer reserves the right to disqualify you if you have supplied untruthful, inaccurate or misleading personal details and/or information, have failed to abide by the Rules and/or are in breach of the terms hereof.
- 15. You must disclose to the Producers details of any criminal convictions and/or unspent convictions other than driving offences which have not resulted in a ban or more serious sentence. You shall notify the Producers immediately if there are any criminal charges brought against you or if any information you provide in your application becomes inaccurate between now and the competition dates.
- 16. Data Protection
 - 1. We take your privacy very seriously. The information you provide about yourself as part of the application procedure will be used by the Producer to assess whether or not to select you for the Competition. If you are successful, this information may be used in connection with the production and promotion of the Competition. By submitting this application form you consent to any information you provide, including without limitation any sensitive personal information, being used for this purpose.
 - 2. We adhere to the Data Protection Act. Your information will not be passed on to any other party.

In addition to those terms and conditions if you are selected to take part in the Semi-Final of Final:

- 1. The Judges decision is final.
- 2. Only those authorised by the producers will be granted access to the backstage areas of the theatre.
- 3. The producer reserves the right to make changes to the running order and content of the show without prior notice.
- 4. We require that all contestants and those associated with your acts conduct themselves appropriately at all times. The use of bad language, any act of aggression or illegal act will result in your immediate expulsion from the competition.
- 5. The backstage areas come under the supervision of the technical staff at the theatre. All reasonable directions and requests from the Technicians and Producers must be adhered to.
- 6. Only ticket holders will be given access to the auditorium.
- 7. In the event that you are invited to perform in a Semi Final or Final performance you hereby irrevocably grant all consents necessary for the Producer to film and record such audition and to use recordings featuring your image and/or voice in connection with the competition and/or ancillary rights in the show and to exploit the same in all media throughout the world in perpetuity without the need for payment to you.

'Let Me Entertain You' is staged by 'The Foyer Club' (The Producer)

The Foyer Club, c/o The Octagon Theatre, Hendford, Yeovil, Somerset BA20 1UX