

Application Form - 2020

KEY DATES

APPLICATIONS DEADLINE

In person: Friday 15 March 2020, 5pm Filmed: Friday 20 March 2020, 5pm AUDITIONS Sunday 22 March 2020

LIVE SHOWS

SEMI-FINAL 1
Saturday 2 May 2020, 7.30pm
SEMI-FINAL 2
Sunday 3 May 2020, 7.30pm
FINAL
Saturday 16 May, 7.30pm

Let Me Entertain You, the talent competition for Somerset and beyond, is back for 2020! 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 from auditions are sent into the two Semi-Finals with the top 9 acts from both Semi-Finals 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 to 'Let Me Entertain You' The Octagon Theatre, Hendford, Yeovil, Somerset, BA20 1UX or email your entry to Kathryn.Monkton@southsomerset.gov.uk. Once your application has been processed you will be asked to submit your £10 Entry Fee (£25 for groups of 4 or more) at the Box Office. 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 voluntary run organisation that exists to support The Octagon Theatre.

| Name or act: | |
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| Please describe your act: | |
| How many people are in your act: | |
| Name of Contact: Age range of people in your act: | |
| Contact Address: | |
| Contact Email: | |
| Contact Telephone: | |
| Contact Mobile: | |
| Any Special Requirements (sound, equipment etc.): | |
| I have read the terms and conditions of application (please tick) \square | |
| Signed: Date: | |
| (If Under 16 this form must be signed by a parent or legal guardian) | |



- 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 at 5pm on the 15 March 2020 (20 March 2020 for filmed entries). Any applications made after the closing date of 5pm on the 15 March 2020 (20 March 2020 for filmed entries) may not be considered.
- 4. Applicants will be selected and invited to attend an audition at a time and location/send in a filmed audition 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 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.
- If you are under 16 years of age and you are invited to audition, you must be accompanied by your parents or legal quardians at the audition. Proof of age will be required at the auditions.
- 10. Applicants must be entitled to live and work in the UK, and be able to demonstrate that they have the right to live and work in the UK on request by the Producer.
- 11. Your act should contain no offensive material, including but not limited to, no nudity, no swearing, no offensive gestures, no sexually explicit content.
- 12. 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.
- 13. 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.
- 14. 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.
- 15. 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.
- 16. 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.
- 17. 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 GDPR legislation as part of The Octagon Theatre and South Somerset District Council. Your information will not be passed on to any other party. For our full Privacy Policy, please visit: octagon-theatre.co.uk/plan-your-visit/privacy-policy

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 reserve 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. By taking part in the Semi Finals and Final you/your guardian give/s consent for you to be photographed and/or filmed for marketing purposes.

'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