

Schuyler County Fair

Schuyler County Fair PO Box 48 Rushville, IL 62681 217-322-6182

Friday, June 29th – Wednesday, July 4th

www.schuylercountyfair.org

Talent Show

1. Professional entertainers are not eligible.
2. Entries must be Schuyler County residents. In the case of group entries, at least one member must be a Schuyler County resident. There will be a review process to consider entries that do not meet this requirement.
3. Winning entries are expected to compete in the state talent competition representing Schuyler County. The runner-up may represent Schuyler County in the event the winner cannot compete.
4. The entry can represent only one county fair at the state level of competition.
5. Acts must observe a four (4) minute time limit. Acts running longer than the allowable time limit will be subject to disqualification.
6. Divisions for competition are as follows: SPARKLERS: All entries can be 8 years of age or younger on the day of competition. There is NO Sparkler division at the state level. If the entry wants to qualify for state competition, they must enter the Junior division.

JUNIOR: Entries can be 14 years of age or younger on the day of competition. Junior division winners can be 15 years of age when competing at the state level the following January.
SENIOR: Entries cannot be over 21 years of age on the day of competition. Senior division winners can be 22 years of age when competing at the state level the following January.
7. A piano will be the only equipment furnished.
8. There will be a panel of three judges and their decision will be final.
9. There will be a set-up time of three (3) minutes for each act.
10. When using cassettes or compact disc for accompaniment, they cannot have like talent on them, i.e., vocals, tap dancing, like instrument, etc.
11. Sportsmanship and responsible behavior will be expected of all entries.

Talent Contest Superintendent-Kris Paisly
Assistant-Katie Boyd

2012 Rules for the Schuyler County Fair Amateur Talent Contest

PRIZES:

Sparkler Division Winner \$50 and a free 8x10 photo courtesy of Lane Photography
Runner-up \$25
Second Runner-up \$15

Junior Division Winner \$100 and a free 8x10 photo courtesy of Lane Photography
Runner-up \$50
Second Runner-up \$25

Senior Division Winner \$100 and a free 8x10 photo courtesy of Lane Photography
Runner-up \$50
Second Runner-up \$25

All entries will receive participation awards.

We look forward to enjoying the many talents that the youths of Schuyler County possess. These rules coincide with the rules the talent acts must adhere to at the state level of competition. Should you have any questions or concerns regarding contest rules or participation, please direct them to the **Talent Contest Director, Katie Boyd.**

Name of group or individual _____
Age _____ Phone _____ Division Entering _____

If group act, please list all names and the ages below:

Contact person for group acts: _____
Parent's Names _____
Address _____

Type of act _____ Name of selection _____
Accompaniment _____
Special stage needs _____

**** By state fair ruling, anyone who performs regularly for pay is not considered an amateur.**

Your signature below will verify amateur standing.

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