

2009 BIG SHANTY FINE ARTS TALENT SHOW AUDITION INFORMATION

Announcing the Big Shanty Intermediate Fine Arts Talent Show!

Where: Big Shanty Cafeteria

When: Friday, March 20, 2009 at 6:30

Tickets go on sale February 19, 2009!

Again this year, we will be showcasing onstage talent along with students' works of visual art. All students are eligible to audition. Students can participate in both the on stage talent and visual showcase.

Auditions and Regulations for Stage Talent

12:15-3:30 On Stage

During Conference Week

Monday, January 26; Tuesday, January 27; Wednesday, January 28

(Auditions will be held at 5-minute intervals)

Audition sign-up will be held outside the music and art rooms from 7:15-7:45, January 20, 21 and 22. Students must bring attached paper, signed by a parent or guardian stating that they give the student permission to audition. After students sign-up, they will receive a notice with the time and date of their audition along with an info sheet that must be filled out and returned prior to auditioning. Auditions are open to parents. **Students are welcome to stay after school until their audition time. If students are not signed up for ASP, parents must be at Big Shanty to pick students up at audition time.** Please come into the cafeteria to pick up your student at the time of the audition. If your student is enrolled in ASP, they will be sent to ASP after they audition.

Possible acts include, but are not limited to: dance, gymnastics, martial arts, reading poems or original stories, comedy, acting, playing of an instrument or singing. (All background music must be karaoke style and have no lead signing on the recording, no singing over or along with a recording is allowed- even in the audition)

Onstage talent regulations, procedures and suggestions-

- ❖ Big Shanty will provide a microphone, a CD player with access to the sound system and a piano. If you need any other props or equipment, you must provide them yourself or arrange for their use.
- ❖ Only students from Big Shanty will be allowed to participate. If you are singing and have someone playing the piano or guitar they may be from outside the Big Shanty Community. Please talk to Mrs. Brown or Mrs. Palen if you have any questions or concerns.
- ❖ No animals.
- ❖ Every performance must be school appropriate. A student will not be considered for the show if any part of their act can be considered inappropriate for school. This includes but is not limited to profane or suggestive lyrics, or sexually explicit dancing.
- ❖ All auditions will be video taped for purpose of judging only.
- ❖ No less than three judges will decide on final talent show line-up.
- ❖ All acts need to be adequately prepared at the time of the audition, students will not be judged on how well they can be, but on how well they are.

Visual Art Regulations

Included in the Talent Show is a visual arts exhibit. The theme for your art should complete the thought "Oh, The Places I Have Been." Your art may be realistic or fantasy, and don't worry if you do not really have a pet. You can be as creative as you would like! All entries accepted will be hung up in the halls of Big Shanty the same week as the Talent Show for all to see!

Restrictions include:

- Artwork must be 16 in. by 20 in. or smaller
- Drawing, painting, photography, or sculpture
- Go along with the theme *Oh, The Places I Have Been*
- Turn in artwork to Mrs. Palen by Tuesday, February 27
- Artwork must be labeled on the back with a first and last name as well as your teacher's name

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Mrs. Brown or Mrs. Palen at school by phone or email.

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All proceeds from ticket, food and raffle ticket sales benefit the Music and Art programs at Big Shanty.