

# +Vacaville's Got Talent 2024

## May 18, 2024

### Official Rules and Details Please read Carefully:

**Application:** All Acts must complete a registration form online or via paper and it must be received by the office no later than Midnight on May 5, 2024. Each act must submit a registration form and the name and age of those in the act. Minors will need to complete a release of liability. Space is limited and the deadline may end sooner as limits are reached. Your space is not held until entry fees are paid in full.

Access Application Here:



**Entry Fees:** Must be received no later than Midnight on May 5, 2024.

The fee is \$20.00 for solo; \$40.00 for small group 2-3 performers: and \$20.00 per participant groups 4+.

**Age Divisions:** All acts compete in one of three divisions.

The Preteen ages 12 and under

Teen Division ages 13 – 17

Adult Division ages 18+.

In cases where the act consists of a group of people, choose age the division that is an average age for all. Producers reserved the right to combine divisions if less than 2 register in said division.

**Categories:** Instrumental, Vocal, Comedy, Dance, Cheer/Acro, Band, Novelty/Open

**Awards:** High point in each Age Division receives a trophy and \$250 cash prize.

The first-place winners in each Category will receive a trophy. Awards for Runner up and special awards will be given based on depth of category. Winners will be invited to perform at various community events.

**Eligibility:** The contest is open to all amateur entertainers. Professionals are NOT permitted to compete. This includes Union musicians and anyone whose principal source of income is from their talent. Compensation for performing at weddings, etc. does not constitute principal source of income.

**Timing:** Acts are limited to 3 min. with a Max of 2 min to set up. Bands will be allowed 7 min for set up, you must provide your own equipment. There is no house keyboard or instruments, you must provide your own.

**Dressing Rooms:** Dressing rooms are very limited and available for those competing in multiple acts only. You should arrive at the theater ready to compete, there will be public restrooms open. Please plan on changing and returning to the main audience until your division is called backstage.

**Judging:** Judges' decisions are final, and scores are not released to the acts or the public. Poor sportsmanship will not be tolerated and may result in disqualification and or revocation of invitation to perform at Vacaville Fiesta Days Winners Showcase for Studio/School/Individuals if exhibited. Studio directors may email [Kristina@starproducers.org](mailto:Kristina@starproducers.org) 1 week after the conclusion of competition for detail score results and comments.

**Areas of scoring:**

30 % Interpretive Ability: Technical Skill Level (Execution, Technique, Synchronization)  
30 % Stage Presence: Integration of Elements (Costume, Choreography, Props, Music, Etc.)  
30% Entertainment Value: Suitability (Appropriateness to performer age and audience)  
10 % Crowd Response: Audience may rank each act based via personal smart device or via applause.

**Sound System:** All acts are required to submit music via the provided link no later than midnight May 5, 2024. All acts must use the provided sound system and microphones. Vocalists may use recorded accompaniment, provided it contains instrumental accompaniment ONLY. Failure to submit music impedes competition. Please bring a backup copy of music via flash drive in mp4 format.

**Admission:** Registered performers will be allowed entry into the show, all other attendees must purchase a ticket. Admission to the theater is \$20.00 for general admission, and are first come first serve, no seat saving.

**Tickets:** Link for tickets will be provided on March 1, 2024

**Schedule:** Final Schedule will be published and submitted to all registered acts no later than midnight on 5/9/2024. Website may be checked for frequent schedule updates.

Doors open at 1:30 PM

Show Begins at 2:00 PM

Awards Approx: 4:30 PM