

The Tewksbury Historical Society is sponsoring the "**TEWKSBURY HAS TALENT**" Program to encourage cultural development in Tewksbury and as a process, will entertain and celebrate the Town of Tewksbury's 277th birthday.

Tryout on Nov. 30th, 6:10pm and Final Show RULES

1. Tryouts will be limited to 5 minutes on stage, not including set up time. Please arrive at the Wynn School for signing in at the performers desk by 6:10pm.
2. Performers will make sure their performance is in good taste and viewable for any child in the audience. (Please listen to any recorded music carefully!)
3. This is open to any Tewksbury resident. All individual performers must be residents of Tewksbury. If a resident is a part of a performing group, that group will be eligible to perform with the resident even if the other members of the group are not residents. Groups supply names of all people in the group on the back of the form.
4. Each performer will register in advance to be allowed to perform. Return this page to Tewksbury Historical Society, P.O. Box 522, Tewksbury, MA 01876. Late registration the night of the tryouts will be accepted at the discretion of the Historical Society.

Contact for Information: **tewksburyhistoricalsociety@msn.com**

Performer Name _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone # _____ Tewksbury, Ma 01876

Please check appropriate box: Grades 3 - 4 _____ grades 5 - 8 _____ Grades 9 -12 _____

College _____ Adult _____ Senior Citizen _____

Describe Performance:

Sign-in starts at 6:10pm. Tryouts will start as soon as possible after sign-in. Tryouts are held in the Wynn Auditorium on Nov. 30 (Wed.).

- The "Tewksbury Has Talent" show will be performed on December 3rd, 6:30pm in the Wynn School Auditorium. Performers sign in by 6:15pm.
- Generally everyone who tries out will be in the show.
- Information and ticket reservations can also be obtained at the Local History Room of the Library any Tuesday, 3:30pm-5: 30pm.

Return this page to the:
Tewksbury Historical Society, P.O. Box 522

Other information:

- You will be allowed 5 minutes to set up if you have props or instruments to move onto stage. They should be brought backstage so they are ready to be set up.
- We will provide a sound system and have two wired microphones for performers. If you are using music please bring CD's with the music for your act. You are to have them clearly marked and give them to person signing you in.
- Props are allowed but must be set up and removed within a 5-minute time frame.
- A three-person panel will judge performers. The audience scores may judge the tryout and it will count in the final score. There will be no judging for the Saturday, Dec. 3rd show. The three-panel judges reserves the right to refuse an application or refuse any performance that in their judgment does not follow the rules.
- Any performer/group who did not tryout or could not participate in the tryouts may petition to perform in the final show. Send a letter or e-mail to the Historical Society to appeal for participation in the 277th Anniversary Show.
- All performers must have a signed "hold harmless agreement" provided with this application before performing.
- Some performance awards will be given to the best performing groups. Performance awards will be based on the **tryouts on Nov. 30th** and will be announced at the show on Dec. 3.

- The final show will not be scored. The "**TEWKSBURY HAS TALENT**" show will be pure entertainment. It is a celebration of the 277th Birthday of Town of Tewksbury.

"277th Anniversary

TEWKSBURY HAS TALENT" Show

6:30pm, Dec. 3rd, 2011 @ Wynn School Auditorium.

All performers must be in the auditorium by 6:15pm.

Tickets: Premium Seating \$8.00, General Seating \$6.00

Society Members - \$2.00 off / Groups of ten or more \$2.00 off

Tickets will be available at tryouts or by email: tewksburyhistoricalsociety@msn.com

They may also be bought at the Local History Room every Tuesday from 3:30pm - 5:30pm