



SkillsUSA's GOT TALENT SHOW



Friday, December 7, 2018

7:00 pm

Greater Lowell Lecture Hall

Admission is FREE*

(Performance Fee-\$10.00)

Set up/Sound Check— 6:00 pm

Open Mic—6:30-7:00 pm



PRIZES!

First Place— \$100.00 Gift Card of Choice* Second Place— \$50.00 Gift Card of Choice*

Third Place— \$25.00 Gift Card of Choice* Audience Choice— \$25.00 Gift Card *

Judges' Choice Award— \$25.00 individual/\$50.00 group Choice of Prize*

**See official rules on our website for details.*

**PERFORMERS MUST REGISTER AT
GLTECHSKILLS.COM BY NOVEMBER 30, 2018**

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Official Rules and Details



Is there a Cost/Fee?

- **FOR PERFORMERS** there will be an entrance fee of \$10.00 per act (not per person) which will be used to ensure interest in the event and defer the cost of prizes.
 - Teachers, organizations, shop groups, and clubs wishing to participate may choose to either pay the admission fee OR waive the admission fee. Those waiving the fee will not be eligible for the 1st, 2nd, or 3rd place prizes. They will be eligible for the Audience Choice and Judges' Choice Awards.
 - The deadline to fully register to perform will be November 30, 2018. Students will need to provide a **permission slip and registration fee** to be considered as fully registered. Students performing as part of a club must submit their permission slips to the club advisor.

Who Can Enter the Talent Show?

- Any student, club, teacher, or group wishing to compete in the Talent Show will register on-line at our gltechskills.com website.
- Acts can be made up of soloists, groups, teachers, or any combination.
- Acts must be submitted in advance and approved for content and appropriateness.
- Students who would like to perform but do not fully register or pay the registration fee may show their talents during the Open Mic Time as performers warm up (approx. 6:30 to 7:00 pm).

How Much Does it Cost to SEE the show?

- Admission to the show is FREE and open to everyone.
- Snacks will be on sale before and during the show.

What Kind of Performances Are Allowed?

- Performances may be dance, music, drama, song, magic, or any other talent that meets the following criteria.
 - All acts must be school appropriate and will be screened for content prior to the show.
 - Acts must be safe and may not involve any tricks or moving parts that may create a safety hazard.
 - Acts must be four minutes or less in length—including set-up and breakdown of equipment. No exceptions. Set up before the show and post-show breakdown of equipment can be arranged. See Ms. Cornellier for more information.

How are Prizes Awarded?

- Prizes will be awarded based on the judges' decision.
 - Judges will be recruited from the SkillsUSA Alumni, Greater Lowell Staff, and Chapter Officers.
- Prizes will be announced at the end of the event, but will not be given to students until the following week to allow the advisor to purchase the performers' choice of gift cards.
- Audience Choice Awards are based on Audience Applause.
- Judges' Choice will be given to the best performance by a school group, club, teacher/shop performance provided that more than one group or staff member is entered in the talent show.
- In the event that there is not more than one school group, club, teacher, or shop performance, the judges may elect to award the prize based on outstanding effort by any of the performances.

What are the Prizes?

- First place—100.00 gift card of choice.
- Second place—50.00 gift card of choice.
- Third place—25.00 gift card of choice.
- Audience Choice Award-- 25.00 gift card of choice.
- Judges Choice Award—
 - If awarded to an individual act or performance by a student or group of students independently performing —\$25.00 in choice of gift card.
 - If awarded to an individual teacher or group of teachers—Choice of shop/class breakfast OR \$25.00 Artisan gift card OR \$25.00 choice of gift card.
 - If awarded to a club, organization, or teacher/student team-- Choice of breakfast or pizza for the shop, class or club which the group represents, not to exceed an amount equal to \$3.00 per student/member.
- Winning performers will make their gift card selections the night of the performance.
 - All selections are final and cannot be changed after selected.
 - Gift cards will be purchased and delivered within 7 school days of the talent show.
 - Note-- VISA Gift Cards will have activation fee deducted from the total prize.
 - Winning clubs, organizations, or shop entries may make their prize decision at a later time, but must redeem their prize by April 1, 2018. It is the responsibility of the club/organization/shop advisor to select a date, time, location, and vendor for the prize. SkillsUSA will process all PO's or reimbursements.

For the purpose of this event, the following definitions apply:

- **Clubs and organizations** are defined as groups of two or more members who have regular meetings monitored by an advisor and overseen by the Student Activities Coordinator.
- **Shop groups** are defined as members of the same shop grade, level or homeroom who are organized and coordinated by a shop instructor for the purpose of developing a performance for this event. The shop group may or may not include the shop instructor.
- **Performers** are defined as students who are fully registered including submitting a permission slip and any applicable registration fee.

The fine print—

Please note that the Greater Lowell Chapter of SkillsUSA and/or our affiliates assume no responsibility or liability for any incorrect or inaccurate entry information, or for any faulty or failed electronic data transmissions; failure of students/teachers to complete registration; suspended or discontinued Internet, wireless phone service or faulty equipment required for performance; or any injury or damage to a participant's equipment, computer, or mobile device which may be related to or resulting from any attempt to participate in the Talent Show.

If, for any reason, the Talent Show is not capable of running as planned for any reasons including weather related delays, Greater Lowell SkillsUSA reserves the right at its sole discretion to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Talent Show in whole or in part. In such event, we reserve the right to award any prizes in a manner deemed fair and equitable by our judges and administration.

Performers: no refunds will be offered once registration fees are paid, unless the show is cancelled by the Greater Lowell SkillsUSA Chapter due to low interest or other extenuating factors.

**For more information, please contact your
SkillsUSA Advisors or Mrs. Cyr in Student Activities!**

