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MUSICAL THEATRE – FRIDAY 12 MARCH 2021

FEES: Solo: £6.50 Duo: £12.00 Group: £18.00

To present a short piece of dialogue or a piece of devised text with a performance in character of a Song from Musical Theatre or Film. The performance should include some movement. In Group classes items may be linked by a theme.

Own Choice

SOLO CLASSES

MT1	MUSICAL THEATRE: 11 years and under: SOLO	Time Limit: 4 mins
MT2	MUSICAL THEATRE: 14 years and under: SOLO	Time Limit: 5 mins
MT3	MUSICAL THEATRE: 16 years and under: SOLO	Time Limit: 6 mins
MT4	MUSICAL THEATRE: OPEN: SOLO	Time Limit: 6 mins

DUOLOGUE CLASSES

MT5	MUSICAL THEATRE: 11 years and under: DUO	Time Limit: 6 mins
MT6	MUSICAL THEATRE: 14 years and under: DUO	Time Limit: 7 mins
MT7	MUSICAL THEATRE: 16 years and under: DUO	Time Limit: 8 mins
MT8	MUSICAL THEATRE: OPEN: DUO	Time Limit: 8 mins

GROUP CLASSES

With the Covid restrictions that are in place at the time of going to press decisions have had to be made regarding which events can sensibly be expected to take place in 2021.

With the safety of both Festival personnel and all other participants being paramount, it is with regret that we have to confirm that the **Musical Theatre - Group Classes** event will not take place in 2021.

Please read Musical Theatre and General rules

The emphasis is on a complete performance and presentation, rather than solely a study of music, and will show ability in acting, singing, dancing and choreographic skills. Performances must show implicit dramatic content with portrayal of characters and their motivations. This is an opportunity to explore style, form and character through communicating the dramatic content of a musical text. Extract from plays may be edited to create dialogue moving into musical scenes. (see copyright rules).

CD Player and piano are provided

All performances must be from memory, and clearly introduced.

A suggestion of costume and minimal hand-props will be permitted(see Rule 2c).

Where there is a sufficiently large entry in a class it will be split into age related groups.

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MUSICAL THEATRE RULES

1 COPYRIGHT

- a. The festival does not accept liability for the infringement of copyright recording or performing rights arising out of an entrant's accompaniment or performance. It contributes to a group license to cover payment of fees for the use of recorded music at its events. Teachers and choreographers using tapes created from commercial recordings are advised that they are themselves responsible for seeking permission to re-record from the recording companies concerned. Performers or teachers with queries on how to obtain copyright permission for performance items should contact Festivals House (British and International Federation of Festivals) on 01625 428297 or email at info@festivalsoffestivals.org.uk before making their entries.
- b. The use of photo or other facsimile copies of printed material without the publisher's permission is forbidden as contrary to law. However, when material is part of a volume, and not published separately, a copy may be made for the Adjudicator, provided that the entrant has already purchased a copy. The photocopy will be retained and then destroyed by the festival.

2 PERFORMANCE

- a. Chairs and a table will be provided
- b. A copy of the musical track you will be using should be sent in advance. The CD should contain one instrumental track only. All CDs should be clearly marked with the class/number of the entrant.
- c. Minimal props and a suggestion of costume essential to the action or character may be used. N.B Full stage costume is discouraged and may contravene copyright
- d. Please provide a copy of the script and music for the adjudicator and a further copy of script for the CD operator

3 TIME LIMITS

Time limits must be strictly observed. Introductions are not included in the time limit and 2 minutes are allowed for set up.

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Go to our website and visit Syllabus/Entry Forms