What is Texas Revue?
- The largest, most diverse, student-run talent show of the year!
- Showcases a variety of acts including dancing, music, skits, and unique talents by individual performers, groups, and student organizations.
- Long-standing tradition at UT, but was lost in the 60's. It was re-established in 1995 and has continued to be a part of student life every spring.
- Average attendance of over 1,000 audience members every year.

TIMELINE:
- Fall Semester – February 12: Emcee Audition sign-ups open on Hornslink (LINK)
- Fall Semester – February 17: Act Audition sign-ups open on Hornslink (LINK)
- February 15: Emcee auditions
- February 18 & 19: Receive call to confirm audition time slot
- February 21 (Saturday): Act auditions @ Texas Union Ballroom
- February 24/25: Receive call about results
- April 4-10: Event promotion and tabling
- April 10: Tech night at Texas Union Ballroom
- April 11: Dress rehearsal daytime, show begins at 7pm

GUIDELINES:
- 10 Minute time slots (audition with final act, including props, costumes, etc.)
  - 7 minutes MAX for performance
  - 1.5 minutes to set up, 1.5 minutes to take down
  - Microphones, lights, and piano will be provided
- You may perform covers, but you must give credit to the original artist
- Acts must stay for the entire duration of the show
- Your physical performance during auditions is also your performance on show day.
  - Excluding dress, lights, sound, and props. All changes are subject to committee discretion.

If you have props that could be considered weapons, you must bring an approved Weapons Form from the Dean of Students (see FAF section) TO AUDITIONS in order to enter the building.

JUDGING CRITERIA:
- Showmanship
  - Does the act keep your attention?
  - Will the act leave a good impression?
- Originality
  - Is the act unique?
  - Would the act satisfy a broad and diverse audience?
- Technique
  - Are the act’s skills above par/distinctive?
Is the act well-prepared and rehearsed?
Does the act flow/transition smoothly?

**REHEARSAL:**
Tech Night
- Date: April 10 (Friday evening)
- Location: Texas Union Ballroom
- Time: Friday evening: specific times for each act will be determined closer to date

Dress Rehearsal
- Date: April 11
- Location: Texas Union Ballroom
- Time: All day run-through, specific times for each act will be determined closer to date

*Entire act must be present for both rehearsals*

**SETUP INFORMATION:**
- We will provide a keyboard at auditions and a piano on show day
- If you have **props** that could be considered **weapons**, you **must** fill out a waiver form from the Dean of Students, done either online or in person at their office in the SSB, **prior to auditions** in order to bring them into the building.

**REQUIREMENTS:**
*Tabling*: Each member in the act must table for 3 hours in the 2 weeks prior to the show with a maximum of 60 hours of tabling required per act
*Communication*: Prompt responses to e-mails and other forms of communication is expected
*Paperwork submission*: early March; must submit music, cue sheet, act descriptions, spreadsheet of members, photos
*Filming*: late March, transition/promo videos

*Acts will be disqualified from prizes and/or barred from performing if any requirements are not met*

**PRIZES:**
Best Overall: $1,500
Best Technical: $750

*All performers must be UT students for the act to be eligible for cash prizes*

If you have any questions between now & show date, please direct them to **texas.traditions.ut@gmail.com**

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