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**Permian Basin Fair & Expo**

**Talent Show Seeks Entries**

Got talent? Show us your talent for the 2021 Permian Basin Fair & Expo’s Talent Show. This year, the preliminaries will be held at Music City Mall on August 14, 2021. The finals will be held Saturday, September 11th at the Ector County Fairgrounds during the Fair’s run. Competitions are divided into four age groups: 7yrs & under, 8yrs - 12yrs, 13yrs -17yrs, and 18yrs and over. Division entry is determined by the age of the oldest member in the act including accompaniment. A grand prize winner will receive $500 and a plaque. 1st place winners in each category will receive $150, 2nd place $100, and 3rd place $50.

In 2020, the Permian Basin Fair and Expo was canceled due to the pandemic. In 2019 top honors went to Greenwood High School junior, Kloe Lowe, for her vocal skills. Kloe sang, Somewhere Over the Rainbow, a classic made by Judy Garland and recut by Katherine McPhee. Lowe shared, “Winning the talent show meant everything to me. It really gives me a starting point for bigger things in the future! The experience was phenomenal, and it was my first time really participating and getting myself out there.”

Talent acts range from singers performing their own music or covers, musicians, and dance performers. Judging will be based on talent, originality, and showmanship. Get your act together and join us, deadline to submit your entry is Wednesday, August 11th no later than 4:00 PM. Entry forms and full guidelines are available at pbfair.com. The Permian Basin Fair and Expo is set to run from September 3-12, 2021 See you at the Fair!