



## 11th Annual UNM Lobo's Got Talent Show

Sponsored by ASUNM Student Special Events (SSE), the UNM Student Activities Center, Lobo Village & Casas del Rio

### OFFICIAL RULES & REGULATIONS

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1<sup>st</sup> @ 5:00PM to SUB 1018

AUDITION FIRST SESSION: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup> IN THE SUB BALLROOM A

AUDITION SECOND SESSION: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6<sup>TH</sup> IN THE SUB BALLROOM A

LOBO'S GOT TALENT FINAL SHOW: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00PM IN SUB BALLROOM

1. Each act must complete a registration form (attached) in order to be eligible to participate in the auditions and final show.
2. All registration forms are due by 5:00 pm on Thursday, November 1<sup>st</sup> to the Student Activities Center located in the Student Union Building room 1018. Only the first 32 acts to submit an application & register for an audition time will be guaranteed audition spots.
3. It is required that **ALL** members of each act be students at The University of New Mexico and currently enrolled in a minimum of 6 credit hours.
4. A maximum of 16 individuals are eligible to perform in each act. Only those listed on the application are eligible to perform. Once the application is submitted, no name changes, additions/subtractions, or substitutions will be permitted. Special exceptions for extreme situations applying to the above rules must be requested in writing to the Student Activities Center at least one business day prior to your audition or by 9:00 am on Friday, November 9<sup>th</sup> for the Lobo's Got Talent Final. The whole group is required to attend one of the full dress auditions on **November 5<sup>th</sup> or 6<sup>th</sup>** to be eligible for the Lobo's Got Talent Final.
5. An individual may perform in up to two acts as long as they are in different performance categories. If a performer would like to participate in two acts he/she must be on both acts' application. Due to limited space in the finals, if a student performs in two individual acts, they will be asked to choose one if they are both up to final show quality. If a student performs as an individual and a group (2+), both acts will be eligible for the final show.
6. Auditions will be held in the **Student Union Building Ballroom A on Monday, November 5<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018**. Sign-up for audition times will occur when you submit your application. Do not be late for auditions - you will be disqualified. You cannot audition without previously submitting an application and registering for an audition time (see Rule 2). The Lobo's Got Talent Finals will be on **Friday November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018, beginning at 7:00 p.m.** in the Student Union Building Ballrooms. Only acts that have auditioned and been chosen by the judges panel, (or have won an approved sister contest) will be eligible to compete in the LGT Final. A minimum of twelve (12) acts will be selected.
7. Basic sound equipment will be available for performers. However, no special lighting or special effects (such as smoke machines, special scenery, etc.) may be used without permission. Please list all technical needs on the application form provided.

8. Stage dimensions will measure 24' wide by 16' deep. The stage is carpeted. Lighting will consist of a spotlight (and various levels of house lights) on a dark stage with a dimmed audience.
9. Each act is limited to no more than 7 minutes of actual performance time and 3 minutes of setup and breakdown time combined. If a performer uses more than 7 minutes in the performance time, the audio will be turned off and a deduction will be assessed in the overall score.
10. All performances should be safe and in good taste. Acts deemed to be dangerous to the performer or crowd or containing music, lyrics, gestures, costumes, or material judges consider to be overtly rude or offensive will be stopped immediately and the act will be disqualified. Parental Advisories may be attached to certain acts in the final show program so families with children who attend the show and may take action they feel is appropriate.
11. Violations of the UNM Student Code of Conduct (such as alcohol use, drug use, threat of physical harm, offensive behavior, etc) will result in disqualification and be referred to the Dean of Students Office for a discipline review.
12. Judges will base their evaluation of your performance in the following categories:
  - o Showmanship (Energy, Presence)
  - o Creativity/Artistic Interpretation
  - o Quality of Act (Mistakes, Tone)
  - o Overall Performance
13. The highest and lowest scores for each act will be discarded and the middle scores will be added together to determine the final score. The decisions of the judges are final.
14. Acts selected for the Lobo's Got Talent Final will be judged on the same rating scale with the same criteria as the auditions. Scores from auditions will not carry over.
15. The judges will be selected by the Lobo's Got Talent Committee and will represent members of the UNM and Albuquerque community.
16. The judges will determine the overall 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Place awards based on their combined scores. In addition, the audience will select a *People's Choice Award* based on who records the loudest decibel reading when all the acts are announced at the end of the show. The People's Choice Award is \$100 and provided by Lobo Village and Casas del Rio.
17. Applicants must arrive on time to all Lobo's Got Talent events. All contestants need to be at their auditions 15 minutes prior to their scheduled time **on November 5<sup>th</sup> or 6<sup>th</sup>**. If a performer has a class conflict, a special accommodation may be granted if the Student Activities Center has been notified in writing when the application is submitted. For the Lobo's Got Talent Final on **Friday, November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018**, contestants need to be in the Student Union Building Ballrooms by **6:30 p.m.** Any contestants arriving late without prior approval may be disqualified from performing.
18. The Student Activities Center has the authority to disqualify any contestant during any level of Lobo's Got Talent for failure to comply with the rules stated above.
19. All acts who qualify based on the rules and regulations are eligible for 1 – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Prize total of \$500, 1 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Prize total of \$350, 1 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Prize total of \$150 and 1- Audience Choice Prize total \$100 provided by Lobo Village and Casas del Rio (<http://lobovillage.com> / <http://casasdelriounm.com>).

Thank you for participating in Lobo's Got Talent!



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★ **DUE THURSDAY** ★  
**NOV. 1ST by 5PM**

### Contact Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Act Name: \_\_\_\_\_

UNM ID#: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### Performance Information

What type (category) of act will you do?

- Music - Solo
- Music - Band
- Music - Group/Duo
- Comedy
- Reading/Poetry
- Acting/Skit
- Dance
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Song/Music Used: \_\_\_\_\_ Artist/Writer: \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: Cry Me a River by Justin Timberlake or Everyday Sunshine by Me (Original Song)

Please describe your act in 1-2 sentences: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

If chosen for the show, please provide a brief intro for your performance: \_\_\_\_\_

### Participants

If individuals other than yourself will be performing, please list their information. (If you have more than four other individuals, attach a separate sheet with the requested information. All members must be UNM students)

Name	UNM ID#	Name	UNM ID#
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

### Equipment & Technical Needs

- Piano
- Stool/Chair
- Standing Microphone
- Electricity
- Headset Microphone
- Equipment I will be bringing: \_\_\_\_\_
- Hand-held Microphone
- CD/ipod/iphone/etc Accompanist

**By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and accept the official rules of the 2018 Lobo's Got Talent Show. If I am selected during auditions, my act is prepared to attend and compete during the show on Friday, November 9th at 7PM.**

Printed Name

Signature

Date

### FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

Audition date: Nov. 5 or Nov. 6 @ \_\_\_\_\_ PM in SUB Ballroom A or B Rcvd: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_