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HOPEsudbury 2016 Telethon Talent Sign-up

Dear Community Member:

HOPEsudbury is seeking performers for its 15th annual Telethon scheduled for November 5, 2016.

Like every year, this enjoyable, entertaining event, run entirely by community volunteers, will feature a variety of talented community members performing live on local cable television. We're looking for singers, dancers, storytellers, musicians, magicians, comedians, demonstrators, etc. of all ages and abilities to participate.

To sign up, please fill out the attached form and return by October 4 to Carole Ann Baer, HOPEsudbury Talent Coordinator, 15 Partridge Lane, Sudbury, MA 01776. We encourage you to sign up early. The event will take place in the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional High School auditorium from 3:00 pm to 9:00 pm. The final time will be determined by the number of performances. The following equipment will be available for your use: piano, music stands, hand held microphones, CD/cassette players and sound systems.

Funds from the 2016 Telethon & Auction will be used to support our signature program, the HOPEsudbury Community Assistance Fund (The HOPE Fund), which last year distributed \$47,000 to Sudbury families with emergency or unexpected financial need. Since 2002, HOPEsudbury has contributed more than \$450,000 to a variety of charitable causes, locally and around the world. To learn more about HOPEsudbury, please visit our website at www.hopesudbury.org.

The Telethon & Auction, our primary fund-raiser, is a fun, visible event, attracting performers of all ages, a wide array of auction items, and community-wide viewership. And your participation is key to our success. We hope you'll join us and share your talents at this year's Telethon.

Sincerely,

Carole Ann

Carole Ann Baer HOPEsudbury Telethon Talent Coordinator

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For Official Use Only: Date Recvd: _____ Email Confirmation: _____ Performance Time: _____

Telethon & Auction

**Telethon Talent Sign-Up Form
Sign-Up by October 4, 2016**

(Please PRINT clearly. Be sure to sign the separate Sudbury TV Release Form.
Every performer must complete a Release Form.)

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ e-mail: _____

Name of Act/Group: _____

Name(s)/Age(s) of Participants: _____

Email addresses for ALL participants (use back of form, if necessary): _____

How would you like your performance to be described in the program? _____

Check if you are an L-S student

Estimated Length of Performance: _____ Minutes _____ Seconds

(Due to time constraints, ALL performances are limited to 3 minutes. Special permission is required for longer performances; please contact Carole-Ann Baer (contact info below), to request additional time. Also due to time constraints, we will be limiting the number of piano performances this year. Pianists will be included on a first-come, first-served basis.)

Type of Performance:

Singer Dancer Magician Comedian

Musician, please list instrument(s): _____ music style _____

Number of pieces to be performed: _____ Names of pieces _____

Demonstration (e.g. floral, cooking, crafts), list type _____

Other, please describe _____

Please list equipment needs: _____

Please list special lighting/sound needs? _____

Please describe time/scheduling constraints on the day of the event: _____

If you/your group will be fundraising for the Telethon, would you like to present your donation on-air? _____

If you will be performing with a second group, please check here: _____

Note: Performers should NOT wear black or white clothing.

**Please complete and return by October 4, 2015 to Carole-Ann Baer: caroleannbaer@gmail.com
or mail to: 15 Partridge Lane, Sudbury, MA 01776.**

For more information, contact Carole-Ann at 978-443-6684 or email caroleannbaer@gmail.com

Please note: The HOPEsudbury Telethon is a volunteer production. Every attempt will be made to accommodate everyone who wishes to perform and to keep on schedule. All performances should be suitable for family viewing.

**Sudbury TV
INDIVIDUAL RELEASE FORM**

PROGRAM: HOPEsudbury Telethon

PARTICIPANT: _____

PRODUCTION DATE: November 5, 2016

PRODUCTION LOCATION: Lincoln-Sudbury Regional High School

I have hereby participated as indicated on the above program, which I understand will be produced and recorded by SudburyTV for airing/distribution through SudburyTV on COMCAST Channel 8 and Verizon Channel 31, live streaming sudburytv.org and on-demand following the event.

I agree that insofar as I am concerned, this program may be edited and used in whole or in part for broadcasting purposes (including over public television stations and over other television and radio stations and CATV channels) for audio and/or visual, cassette, web site, and closed circuit exhibition purposes, and all other non-broadcast purposes in any manner or media, in perpetuity.

I consent to publication of the program transcripts in whole or in part after the broadcast and also consent to use my name, likeness, voice, and biographical material about me in connection with the program's publicity and other promotional purposes. I understand that I will not be compensated for this appearance. I expressly release the producer from any privacy, defamation, or other claims I may have arising out of broadcast, exhibition, publication, or promotion of this program.

Name (print): _____

Name (sign): _____

Address: _____

Date: _____

For Parent or Guardian of a Minor:

I represent that I am a parent/guardian of the minor who has signed the above release and I hereby agree that we shall both be bound thereby.

Name (sign): _____ **Name (print):** _____

Address: _____

(Every performer needs to complete & sign his/her own release form)