

Variety Show Requirements

- No more than 4 minutes for set up, performance, and exit.
- Ridiculing persons, groups, or geographic areas will not be permitted.
- Any sexual reference will exhibit a healthy attitude regarding sexuality — as opposed to “shock value,” exploitative, or general tastelessness (this includes spoken word, dancing/gestures). In an effort to be sensitive and pastoral to the whole conference, conference staff, and co-directors will evaluate whether or not an act has the potential to trigger traumatic events for other participants.
- Use of food is NOT allowed
- Use of substances/material that requires stage clean-up will NOT be allowed.
- Acts will show respect for all property (stage, AV equipment, or other equipment provided).
- Participants must abide by the specific stage Dress Code.
- A Back Home group leader must attend the sound check with the participants.
- Each participant will sign a covenant agreeing to abide by these requirements.
- The Back Home group leader will sign the covenant stating that the leader has seen the act & agrees that it is G-rated & suitable for presentation to the conference.
- A conferee may appear in no more than one act.
- Young people will be the focus and leaders of this event. Adults with the group may certainly be a part/partner of the act, but in an assisting and supportive role.
- Lyrics must be provided in writing for any music used during the act, including background music. Please cite if your song/poem/etc is original and if not, who wrote the piece. Changing the lyrics to a song or omitting inappropriate words or phrases does not guarantee the act will be approved.



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