**Solo**

This category has been selected to give young people with special attributes within clubs an opportunity to showcase their unique talents. Solo performances may include song, dance, music, comedy or drama. Pre-recorded music can be used. Clubs are limited to one nomination for solo performances. In addition, individuals participating in solo acts cannot front group performances in other categories. However they will be allowed to play minor roles within group performances.

***Time Limit: 5 mins***

**Group Singing**

The purpose of this category is to give an opportunity for a group to perform. The group performance must include singing. Clubs are limited to one nomination for group performance.The minimum number performing is two.

***Time Limit: 6 minutes***

**Dance**

Clubs may wish to enter a group in the dance category which can be any form of dance. Pre-recorded music can be used for the dance performances. Clubs are limited to one nomination in this category.

***Time Limit: 8 mins***

**Trad**

This category is to provide an opportunity for young people in your club to showcase their trad talents. This performance can include dance, song, musical instrument, poetry recital, and storytelling. The performance must be trad style. Clubs are limited to one nomination in this category.

***Time limit: 6 minutes***

**Performance**

The possibility with this category are endless. An opportunity to display talents that does not fit into another category. You can be creative in your performance. Pre-recorded music can be used. Content must be suitable for the audience attending. Clubs are limited to one nomination in this category.

***Time Limit: 7 mins***

**Pimp my Shirt**

We all love to support our teams, and this category is designed to promote art in the club and is an event for club members who are not competing in the Mini Tops.

This category has no entry fee and the only stipulation is that the t-shirt must be designed by members of the club.

Transform a plain t-shirt into your youth club t-shirt- be as creative as you wish! There is no limit on entry per club.

**Competition Fees**

Competition fees are as follows;

One Entry: €40

Two Entries: €70

Three Entries: €100

Four Entries : €120

Five Entries: €140

“Pimp my Shirt” entry holds no Fee

Competition Rules

* Clubs wishing to participate in this year’s mini tops competition must register all members before the closing date of 6th November
* Any changes after this date must be made known to Ossory Youth.
* All entry forms must be accompanied by appropriate fees. (See competition fees)
* Late entries will not be accepted.
* The content and material used during the show must be suitable for the audience attending.
* REHEARSALS: Each club will be strictly given a rehearsal time. Any club that fails to turn up for their allocated slot will forfeit their slot and will not be given a second slot except in the case of emergencies.
* The use of musical instruments are allowed during performances. Pre-recorded music may be used.
* Pre- recorded music is permitted for individuals and groups performing in all categories. Clubs are required to provide their own cd’s on the night– which must be clearly labelled. Pre– recorded music must be provided on cd’s.
* Clubs can avail of opportunities to speak with light and sound technician before the show. It is the responsibility of the club to ensure they have outlined any special requirements with the sound and light specialists.
* Performers can only use hand held props.
* Teams will incur penalties for exceeding the time limit allocated from each category.
* All participants are required to conduct themselves in an acceptable manner at all times on and off the stage.
* Club leaders will be responsible for their own members.
* Participants and leaders must respect the decision of the adjudicators. The adjudicators decision is final.

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**Dance**

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**Group Singing**

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**Solo**

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**Pimp my Shirt**

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