



P.O. Box 1604
Tracy, CA 95376
Phone (209) 640.6454

Contact: Melyssa Barrett, President
Phone: (209) 640-6454

PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

October 8, 2008

Tracy Performing Arts Foundation hosts Stellar Awards Gala

TRACY, CA – The Tracy Performing Arts Foundation will be hosting the Stellar Awards Gala at the Grand Theatre Center for the Arts on Friday, November 6, 2008. The Stellar Awards Gala is patterned after the Academy Awards with plenty of glamour and glitz. Performing artists from all areas of the arts will be recognized for their activities and outstanding achievements over the past theatrical year (September through August 2009). The Stellar Awards Gala is the opportune time for the Tracy community to dress up and come out to honor our local performing artist and their achievements in the Performing Arts.

Scheduled to perform: Scholarship winners from Encore! , StarQuest, Show Us What You've Got Dance Competition, and much more! You will not want to miss this historic event honoring our youth and adults!

Awards will be based on nominations received by the community. Go to www.tracyperformingartsfoundation.org to nominate your favorite Actor/Actress, Performing Arts Educator, Theatrical and Non-Theatrical Production, and Outstanding Community Organization contributing to the performing arts. Plus: The People's Choice Award for the 2009 Tracy's Next Producer Director will be announced.

While this is a free event and we know these are tough economic times, we cannot afford to take off even one year of supporting our young people. We want to keep performing arts alive in our community. Please come join us and plan to provide a donation amount of your choice.

#

#

#

#

About the Tracy Performing Arts Foundation:

The Tracy Performing Arts Foundation was founded in 2003 to promote the growth and perpetuation of performing arts in Tracy and the surrounding areas. We seek to increase the support for performing arts throughout the community by supporting other community entities and bringing a cross-section of performing arts and related events which focus on providing opportunities for learning, practice, and performance to those interested in participating in performing arts. The Tracy Performing Arts Foundation maintains five divisions focusing on Theatre, Music, Vocals, Dance, and Film and includes scholarship opportunities in each of those disciplines. For More information contact Melyssa Barrett at (209) 640-6454 or visit www.tracyperformingartsfoundation.org.