

HIGH SCHOOL Musical Theatre Awards at PROCTORS



IMPORTANT DATES 2025 - 26

Friday, September 12 – Friday, October 31

School Application Open

Adjudicator Application Open

Wednesday, November 19, 2025

4 p.m. Informational Participation Meeting at Proctors

Friday November 28, 2025

Participation Fee Due

Friday, December 19

Due prior to starting rehearsals:

- Media Release/Playbill Information
- Signed copy of Licensing Agreement
- Optional: Appeals for Qualifying Roles and Shows

Wednesday, January 21

4:30 p.m. Preliminary Adjudicator Training

January 2 – February 6

Due prior to Adjudication Period

- School & Production Information
- Cast, Crew & Orchestra Information
- Budget Tier Information

Friday, February 6 – Sunday, March 29: School Performances Adjudication Period

- Placement of High School Musical Theatre Awards ad in all participating school playbills

Wednesday, April 1

3:30 p.m. Nominations Announced – (group categories, supporting, top 20 lead performers & Outstanding Achievement Winners)

Tickets on sale to schools at 12:00 p.m.

Due April 1 or no later 24 hours after nomination announced:

- Outstanding Musical Nominee Information & Music submission
*** NO EXCEPTIONS due to strict orchestration schedule. Unfortunately, if music is not received by this date, schools will be unable to perform in the ceremony. ***

Due Friday, April 3

- Callback & Outstanding Lead Info
- Lead Performer Solo piano/vocal score
- 1 page Resume
- Headshot

Wednesday, April 15

- 4:00 p.m. Callback & final Adjudication Training at Proctors

Wednesday, April 17

- Representative & Award Acceptance Information Due
- Production Photos Due - for show display
 - Full Cast, Crew & Orchestra (1 photo each)
 - Supporting Performer Nominees
 - Outstanding Lead Performer Nominees

Saturday, April 18

- 10 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Callbacks for Outstanding Lead Performers at Proctors

Monday, April 20

- Outstanding Lead Performer Nominee's announced
- Tickets go on sale to public

Wednesday, April 29

- 4 p.m. Virtual Outstanding Leads Meeting
- All show details and orchestrations finalized

Saturday May 9 – Friday May 15

Rehearsals for Ceremony – detailed schedule coming soon

Saturday, May 16

7 p.m. HSMTA Ceremony at Proctors.
 (change)

June 12 – June 23, 2026

Jimmy Awards (*dates are tentative and subject to change*)