

**tribune**[ˈtrɪbjʊːn] *n*1. *др.-рим.* трибун

tribune of the people - народный трибун

2. трибуна; эстрада

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**trib·une** f22 [tribune tribunes] *BrE* [ˈtrɪbjʊːn] *NAmE* [ˈtrɪbjʊːn] *noun*

1. an official elected by the people in ancient Rome to defend their rights; a popular leader

2. a raised area that sb stands on to make a speech in public

Word Origin:*sense 1* late Middle English Latin *tribunus* 'head of a tribe' *tribus* 'tribe'*sense 2* mid 17th cent. French Italian medieval Latin *tribuna* Latin *tribunal* 'raised platform provided for magistrate's seats'*tribunus* 'head of a tribe' *tribus* 'tribe'**tribune**

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an official in ancient Rome who was elected by the ordinary people to protect their rights

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