

Children's theatre

of Western Springs

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CTWS Summer

2010

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Summer Drama Workshop
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Summer Drama Workshop 2010

For students *entering* grades 2 through 8

We are excited to announce that registration is open as of **February 20th at 10am** for our Summer Drama Workshop 2010. This registration book has all of the information you need to make your plans and register.

This year our production will be



School House Rock Live includes many favorites from the classic Saturday morning cartoon series. Students will delight in learning “Conjunction Junction,” “I’m Just a Bill,” “Interplanet Janet,” and “Three is a Magic Number” to name just a few.

Throughout each session, students will explore all areas of musical theatre including singing, dancing, and acting. This intense workshop will culminate in a final performance friends and family are invited to attend. It’s sure to be a show that will be as much fun for audiences to watch as it will be for students to perform. We’re looking forward to a fantastic camp and hope to see many of you there!

Dates

Four two-week sessions are available during Summer 2010:

Please note Session 1 may begin before your school term has ended.

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| 1) June 7-18 | 2) June 21-July 2 |
| 3) July 6-16* | 4) July 19-30 |

Sessions meet daily from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm Monday - Friday. Final performances are scheduled on the second Friday of each session between 9:00 am and 1:00 pm. The performance time will be announced a few days before the date of each performance. Admission to the performance is free for anyone interested in attending.

*Classes the week *after* July 4 will end at 2 pm.

Tuition

Cost for a two-week session is \$395. All materials are included in the cost of tuition. **Full payment or a minimum deposit of \$200 is needed with the registration form in order to ensure that a place will be held. Payment in full for all sessions is due on Monday, May 17th.**

REGISTRATION AND CAMP DETAILS

Registration

We are continuing to revise our registration procedures in order to be as fair and efficient as possible. Registrations will be accepted as walk-in only and not before **Saturday, February 20th at 10am.**

- ◆ **Each adult may register students from ONE household only.**
- ◆ **We will hand out numbers on a first come, first served basis starting at 10am and will accept registrations in that order.** (If the weather is very cold, we may open the doors and let folks in, however we will not hand out numbers or start registering early.)
- ◆ **On February 20th, registration will end at 2pm for the day.**
- ◆ **After Saturday, February 20th, please call the CTWS office at 708-246-4043 to inquire about camp availability and registration procedures. Last year, camp filled up quickly, but we can’t predict what 2010 will bring.**
- ◆ **Be sure to note our new tuition policy.**

Please be sure to include your card’s CVC/CIN number (the last 3 digits on the signature line on the back of your card). Otherwise we cannot process your credit card.

No phone, faxed, emailed or mailed registrations will be accepted.

What To Have Each Day

Attire: Students should wear comfortable clothing and gym shoes.

Meals: Students should bring a light meal or snack with juice or water bottles for breaks. **Please do not bring anything with peanuts!**

Refund Policy

Please note that our refund policy is firm and will be enforced regardless of the reason for withdrawing or the status of wait lists.

(% Refund Based on Full Tuition)

Drop prior to May 1st = Full Refund

After May 1st and up to two weeks before first day of camp = 85%

Drop less than two weeks prior to the start of your session = NO REFUND

Attendance

Daily attendance is vital to your child’s participation. Because each camp incorporates an intense rehearsal process, students must be present to maximize their learning time and to make each performance the very best it can be.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Location & Phone Numbers

The address for the theatre is:

4384 Hampton Avenue
Western Springs, Illinois 60558

Office Phone	708-246-4043
Box Office Phone	708-246-3380
Website	www.theatreofwesternsprings.com

We are located at the corner of Hampton and Hillgrove, which is north of the Burlington Northern railroad tracks, south of Ogden Avenue, west of Wolf Road, and east of the I-294 tollway.

Mission Statement

The Children's Theatre of Western Springs strives to provide a comprehensive theatre education which encompasses both artistic and technical aspects. Our objectives are: to help our students develop an appreciation of theatre; to challenge our students to expand their thoughts, abilities, and talents through creative dramatics; and finally, to impart love, understanding, a spirit of collaboration, and a lifelong commitment to theatre.

Enrollment and Eligibility

Summer Drama Workshop

Enrollment is limited to 75 students per session. Students must have completed 1st grade to be eligible for participation but cannot have graduated from 8th grade.

High School Repertory Company Summer Stock

Enrollment is open to a limited number of students. Students must have completed 8th grade to be eligible for participation. This camp is also open to students who have graduated from high school during the spring of 2010.

All registrations are taken on a first come, first served basis.

High School Rep Summer Stock 2010

For students *entering* grades 9 through Freshman Year of College

We're looking forward to another great High School Rep musical production. Students will spend three exciting weeks rehearsing a show and will end camp with four performances of the production that will be open to the public. Our show choice is one that will challenge our students in new ways and will no doubt be a lot of fun for actors and audience members alike. This year's production will be:

13

When his parents get divorced and he's forced to move from New York to a small town in Indiana, Evan Goldman just wants to make friends and survive the school year. Easier said than done.

The star quarterback is threatening to ruin his life and his only friend, Patrice, won't talk to him. The school freak sees an opportunity for blackmail and someone is spreading the nastiest rumors.

With an unforgettable rock score from Tony Award-winning composer Jason Robert Brown, *13* is a hilarious, high-energy musical for all ages about discovering that cool is where you find it, and sometimes where you least expect it.

Dates and Times

One three-week session of Summer Stock is available for Summer 2010:

July 5 through July 25

Summer Stock Hours

Summer Stock will meet daily from 2:00 pm to 6:00 pm Monday through Friday. Performances are July 23 & 24 at 7:30pm and July 24 & 25 at 2:30pm. Each student receives two tickets to the show. Additional tickets may be purchased for \$15 each. Performances are in our intimate Cattell Theatre, so seating is limited. Please reserve your tickets early!

Tuition

Cost for the three-week session is \$430. All materials are included in the cost of tuition. **Full payment or a minimum deposit of \$200 is needed with the registration form in order to ensure that a place will be held. Payment in full is due by May 17th.**