



## Open Window Theatre Youth Musical

**Calling all youth ages 8-18!!!**

Registration for Young Actors Academy summer youth musical *Seussical the Musical* is officially open! Spots are limited and are available on a first come first serve basis, so be sure to sign up early. SEUSSICAL is a musical featuring characters from a number of classic Dr. Seuss books such as the Grinch, Cat in the Hat, Horton, the Whos, and others.

This summer we will have TWO CASTS of Seussical:

### **Blue Cast and Yellow Cast**

The Blue and Yellow casts will have separate rehearsal and performance schedules, but will be sharing the same set, props, and some costume pieces. Your participant will be in either the Blue or Yellow cast.

\*Space is initially being capped at the first 50 registrants for each cast. We had a waiting list for our summer musical last year. Sign up soon to reserve your spot.\*

### **JULY & AUGUST 2022 SCHEDULE**

**Rehearsals:**

Monday – Thursday, July 18 – August 11

BLUE CAST : 9:00 AM-12:00 PM

YELLOW CAST: 12:30 PM-3:30 PM

**Mandatory Dress Rehearsals:**

Monday – Wednesday, August 15-17

BLUE CAST : 9:00 AM-12:00 PM

YELLOW CAST: 12:30 PM-3:30 PM

## **Mandatory Performances:**

### **BLUE CAST:**

Thursday, August 18 at 7:00 PM (call at 6:00 PM)

Saturday, August 20 at 2:00 PM (call at 1:00 PM)

Sunday, August 21 at 7:00 PM (call at 6:00 PM)

Friday, August 26 at 7:00 PM (call at 6:00 PM)

Saturday, August 27 at 7:00 PM (call at 6:00 PM)

Sunday, August 28 at 2:00 PM (call at 1:00 PM)

### **YELLOW CAST:**

Friday, August 19 at 7:00 PM (call at 6:00 PM)

Saturday, August 20 at 7:00 PM (call at 6:00 PM)

Sunday, August 21 at 2:00 PM (call at 1:00 PM)

Thursday, August 25 at 7:00 PM (call at 6:00 PM)

Saturday, August 27 at 2:00 PM (call at 1:00 PM)

Sunday, August 28 at 7:00 PM (call at 6:00 PM)

## **CONFLICTS**

Please carefully consider any and all known or potential conflicts with the above dates and times and list them on your registration form.

## **PLEASE NOTE**

### **Auditions for registered students**

Students will be able to audition for named characters ahead of our summer program. They may choose to audition at Open Window Theatre on one of two dates: Monday, May 9 or Thursday, May 11. Materials and a specific time will be emailed to those requesting to audition for a named character. Auditions will be scheduled for a half hour at a time mid afternoon through the evening. Any students joining after cast list is sent will be added to the ensemble.

**Students DO NOT need to audition to be in the show or to receive an ensemble or small role.**

\*\*Students in the current spring semester classes may audition before or after class and do not need to sign up for an audition spot.

\*\*\*If the above dates do not work for your schedule, a student may send a recording or schedule an outside audition : [youth@openwindowtheatre.org](mailto:youth@openwindowtheatre.org)

**Students may not be called to all rehearsals. But everyone will be called to rehearsals for tech week starting August 15th, and must attend all performances for their cast. A breakdown of characters and rehearsal schedule will be sent by June 1st.**

## EXPECTATIONS

Putting on a musical is a combined effort between administration, staff, crew, volunteers, parents, and actors/participants. In order to create a positive experience and environment, and make a show that is truly collaborative while also being challenging, educational, and of high quality, it is imperative that the following expectations be observed.

1. **Be prepared.** Participants are asked to bring a water bottle, pencil, and script to every rehearsal. Scripts will be sent home for participants to spend time at home memorizing lines, practicing their singing, and running choreography.
2. **Be kind.** There is a large range of ages, abilities, and experiences of participants. Everybody is welcome, whether this is their first or 1,459th time on stage!
3. **Every role and every participant is important.** There are a few named roles and a large ensemble in our show. Some sung and spoken lines that are under a named character may be redistributed to ensemble members. We ask that all participants be gracious in sharing roles or accepting solos. Every participant and character is fundamental to a successful production!
4. **Costumes.** Students may be asked to provide some basic pieces for costumes. Details will be communicated at a later date, but no participant is expected to purchase anything not found at home.
5. **Attendance.** August 15, August 16, and August 17 Rehearsals are MANDATORY. Participants MUST also attend all performances for their cast *Every participant is essential to the performance!*
6. **HAVE FUN.** This musical is meant to be both a fun experience and a quality show. Let's work and have fun together!

## PARENT VOLUNTEERS

We would love the help of parent volunteers in different capacities. There is a place on the registration form to indicate if you would like to be contacted to help out in different areas of the production. We would appreciate your time and talent immensely! Each adult volunteer will receive one complimentary ticket for any performance.

## REGISTRATION

TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD FOR THIS PRODUCTION, you must fill out the registration form and make payment via the links provided in the email, or visit: [openwindowtheatre.org/youth](https://openwindowtheatre.org/youth)

\$130 - PER PARTICIPANT

### Tuition Price

\$123.50 - 5% DISCOUNT FOR 1 SEMESTER

2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR YAA PARTICIPANTS

\$117 - 10% DISCOUNT FOR FULL 2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR YAA PARTICIPANTS

If you have any questions, please email [youth@openwindowtheatre.org](mailto:youth@openwindowtheatre.org)

\*please allow 2-3 business days to receive an answer to your email

Thank you!

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