

## FOR PARTICIPANTS 11 AND OLDER BY JANUARY 22:

### WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW:

- **THEATRE IS AN INTENSIVE EXPERIENCE.** If you have never been in a show, the rehearsal process and production week can be very time consuming. If your child is involved in another other activity that is more than once a week, you should consider not committing to a production.
- **COMMITMENT:**
  - This should be your main extracurricular activity. When you or your child miss a rehearsal, it impacts the entire cast.
- **HOW OFTEN DO I REHEARSE?**
  - 2-3 times a week to start. Will increase closer to performance time.
  - **Unexcused conflicts** will result in loss of lines, role, and/or affect future casting.
- **WHO SHOULD ATTEND THE FIRST REHEARSAL? EVERYONE!** All cast members will be expected to attend the first rehearsal unless approved by the director.

### WHAT YOU NEED TO DO:

- Attend an audition date
  - Tuesday, January 2 and Wednesday, January 3 from 5-6:30 p.m. at Bellevue Youth Theatre for “The Last Unicorn”, “Winnie the Pooh”, “The Wizard of Oz”
  - Thursday, January 4 from 5-6:30 p.m. at South Bellevue Community Center for “Winnie the Pooh”

### PAPERWORK TO COMPLETE BEFORE AUDITIONS:

PLEASE FILL OUT YOUR FORMS ONLINE AND PRINT THEM OUT. Add the signature AFTER it has been printed. This way it is easier to read and we have the required original signature.

What do I fill out?

#### **FOR AGES 11 AND OLDER:**

- ☐ Audition Form
  - Ages 17 and younger: PARENT sign the waiver of liability/photo-video release
  - Ages 18 and older: PARTICIPANT sign the waiver of liability/photo-video release
- ☐ Rehearsal Commitment & Bio Form
  - CHECK the box marking your understanding of our expectations and conflict policy
  - SIGN the Participant Understanding of Rehearsal Commitment form
  - FILL OUT the bio form

### ADULT BACKGROUND CHECKS:

#### **PARTICIPANTS AGES 18 AND OLDER:**

Background checks are required to participate in our plays. These are good for one calendar year.

- **Social security numbers are required on these forms. If you do not have a social security number, you may list your unexpired passport number instead. All background checks are kept secure in our safe.**

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### The Last Unicorn

Great show for all ages. Strong teen parts and good roles for the entire family. Singing audition suggested but not required.

- **Rehearsal location:** Bellevue Youth Theatre
- **Rehearsals begin:** Monday, January 22
- **Rehearsal time:** Monday through Friday, 5-7 p.m.
- **Tech Week:** The week of March 12 **NO CONFLICTS**
- **Performs:** March 16-25 **NO CONFLICTS**

### Winnie the Pooh

This is a show with a lot of opportunities for all ages. Singing audition is not required but is suggested. This is a fun show with lots of great roles.

- **Rehearsal location:** South Bellevue Community Center
- **Rehearsals begin:** Monday, January 22
- **Rehearsal time:** Monday through Friday, 5-7 p.m.
- **Tech Week:** The week of March 26 **NO CONFLICTS**
- **Performs:** March 30-April 8 **NO CONFLICTS**

### The Wizard of Oz

This show is the classic musical with songs from the 1939 movie. Teens will be given priority by age in this show, with two complete casts of ages 11 and older. Children under 12 may not have lines and will have the opportunity to sing and perform.

- **Rehearsal location:**
  - Cast 1: Bellevue Youth Theatre & Crossroads Community Center
  - Cast 2: Crossroads Community Center
- **Rehearsal time:**
  - Cast 1: Monday through Friday, 5-7 p.m.
  - Cast 2: Monday through Friday, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- **Rehearsals begin:** Monday, January 22
  - **BOTH CASTS: First meeting at Bellevue Youth Theatre, January 22 at 5 p.m.**
- **Tech Week:**
  - Cast 1: The week of April 16 **NO CONFLICTS**
  - Cast 2: The week of April 30 **NO CONFLICTS**
- **Performs:**
  - Cast 1: April 20-29 **NO CONFLICTS**
  - Cast 2: May 4-12 **NO CONFLICTS**

### Rehearsal locations:

- Bellevue Youth Theatre: 16051 NE 10<sup>th</sup> Street
- Crossroads Community Center: 16000 NE 10<sup>th</sup> Street
- South Bellevue Community Center: 14509 SE Newport Way

### ALL tech weeks and performances take place:

- Bellevue Youth Theatre: 16051 NE 10<sup>th</sup> Street