

FOR CHILDREN WHO ARE AGES 5-10 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.

SHOW INFORMATION:

[The Last Unicorn](#) – **NO CONFLICTS March 12 through 25**

[Winnie the Pooh](#) – **NO CONFLICTS March 26 through April 8**

The Wizard of Oz

- [Cast A:](#) Performs April 20-22 **NO CONFLICTS April 16 through 22**
- [Cast B:](#) Performs April 27-29 **NO CONFLICTS April 16 through 29**
- [Cast C:](#) Performs May 4-6 **NO CONFLICTS April 30 through May 6**
- [Cast D:](#) Performs May 10-12 **NO CONFLICTS April 30 through May 12**

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO:

- Register on [Bellevue Parks Online](#) (using Internet Explorer or Mozilla/Firefox) by January 4. **Space is limited.**
 - Choose only one show.
- Attend mandatory parent meeting on January 11 at 5 p.m.

Note: If your 5-10 year old has been in a minimum of three (3) plays with BYT in 2016-2017, you may audition but will still be required to pre-register.

PAPERWORK TO COMPLETE:

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 5-10 YEAR OLDS:

- ☐ Participant Information 5-10 Year Olds
 - PARENT 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

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ADULT BACKGROUND CHECKS:

CHILDREN AGES 7 AND YOUNGER:

A parent is required to be at all rehearsals and backstage at all performances for children 7 and younger. These parents will need to fill out a background check form which is 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.**

The Last Unicorn

Great show for all ages. Young people over 8 can expect lines and the opportunity to sing.

- **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. Young people 8 and over can expect lines. 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. Children 10 and younger will perform only one week of your choice depending on availability and will be in 2-3 songs.

- **Rehearsal time & location:**
 - Casts A & B: Bellevue Youth Theatre & Crossroads Community Center, 5-7 p.m.
 - Casts C & D: Crossroads Community Center, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- **Rehearsals begin:** Monday, January 22
 - **ALL CASTS: First meeting at Bellevue Youth Theatre, January 22 at 5 p.m.**
- **Tech Week:**
 - Casts A & B: The week of April 16 **NO CONFLICTS**
 - Casts C & D: The week of April 30 **NO CONFLICTS**
- **Performs:**
 - Cast A: Performs April 20-22 **NO CONFLICTS**
 - Cast B: Performs April 27-29 **NO CONFLICTS**
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Rehearsal locations:

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

ALL tech weeks and performances take place:

- Bellevue Youth Theatre: 16051 NE 10th Street