

KIDZACT SUMMER CLASSES

4 SUMMER SESSIONS

KinderAct

Theatre begins with telling stories. Do your children like to play dress-up and act out adventures? Or maybe they are shy and would benefit from an outlet to help bring them out of their shell? Then theatre is the perfect place for them! Music, movement, acting, and creative play will make this a joyful experience that will be a unique beginning to the journey of theatre for everyone!

Sessions 1-4 (See below for all session Dates)

Time: 10:45am-Noon • Tuition: \$125 per session - Session 3 \$112

Ages: Completed Pre-K or Kindergarten

FirstAct

Children who have completed first or second grade, come take a journey through a story. By adding music, movement, costumes, and familiar characters in this creative theatre class we teach our young stars about the essentials of theatre. Feel the power of imagination, learn the wonder of working with a team, and develop beginning theatre skills. A different story will be offered each session.

Sessions 1-4 (See below for all session Dates)

Time: 9:00am-Noon • Tuition: \$300 per session - Session 3 \$270

Ages: Completed First or Second Grade

ThirdAct-Mini Musical

For students who have completed third through eighth grade. Are you ready to develop a character, learn lines, and perform a musical? Students in this class work as ensemble to create, rehearse, and present a short musical play of increased difficulty. Each session will explore new material and present a showcase at the end of the term. Material covered will be from *Beauty & the Beast, Jr.* and *James & the Giant Peach, Jr.*

Actors who successfully complete the June session may re-audition for James & the Giant Peach, Jr. on July 8 or 9.

Sessions 1-4 (See below for all session Dates)

Time: 9:00am-Noon • Tuition: \$300 per session - Session 3 \$270

Ages: Completed third-eighth grade.

MAKE IT A FULL DAY OF SUMMER ARTS

Of course! Take a theatre class in the morning and attend ArtsCool at the von Liebig in the afternoon. For children in our morning theatre classes, KidzAct will supervise your child's (brown bag) lunch and walk them over to the Art Center for \$10 a week.

EXCITING NEW CLASSES

Acting and Improv for Autism Spectrum Disorder and Sensory Processing Disorder

Actors will learn teamwork, patience, sensory awareness, and communication through emotion-oriented, confidence-building theatre games. Classes will take place in a noise- and light-sensitive theatre with a quiet waiting area for parents and students. The camp is led by theatre professionals who have 20 years of dedicated experience creating fun, welcoming, and safe classroom environments for all students. Acting and Improv for ASD/SPD is tailored to the specific needs and interests of each student. Participants will receive personal attention and are encouraged to demonstrate their ideas in their own unique way. Class culminates in a final show for family and friends which highlights the talents and skills of each student.

Sessions 1-4 (See below for all session Dates)

Time: 4:30-5:30pm • Tuition: \$100 per session - Session 3 \$90

PLEASE NOTE THERE IS NO CLASS JULY 4

SESSION 1: Monday-Friday, June 5-16

SESSION 2: Monday-Friday, June 19-30

SESSION 3: Monday-Friday, July 3-14

SESSION 4: Monday-Friday, July 17-28

Advanced Theatre Conservatory Classes 2 Summer Sessions

Advanced Conservatory is a new curriculum-based KidzAct program taught by the staff and guest artists of TNP. Conservatory is designed for Middle and High School students who would like to further develop their theatre skills beyond performance based experience. The small class sizes allow for personalized and professional instruction for each student. Daily core classes in acting, voice, and movement are emphasized along with specialized classes. Students will spend the day in one core class and one specialized class. Along with performance classes, all students will receive backstage access to learn about the technical elements of theatre to create well-rounded artists.

(SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR FULL LIST OF CLASSES)

JUNE CONSERVATORY: MoN.-Fri. June 5-30 TIME: 11:30am-2:30PM

JULY CONSERVATORY: Mon.-Fri. July 3-28 TIME: 11:30am-2:30PM

AGES: Middle & High School

TUITION: \$600 per session (Session 3 \$570 - No Class July 4)

PREREQUISITE: Advanced Conservatory is for students who have completed one or more KidzAct Classes

EARLY DROP-OFF, LUNCH AND LATE PICK-UP AVAILABLE



KidzAct Youth Theatre of The Naples Players
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Information 239-434-7340 naplesplayers.org



NEW ADVANCED CONSERVATORY CLASSES

CORE CLASSES

Acting is Doing – Jessica Walck – Learning how to be genuine and truthful on stage is where it all begins. In this intermediate/advanced acting course, students learn through monologues and scene work how to bring truth to their acting. This class is an intensive workout for the actor where they become more comfortable performing as they understand what drives their character. Materials Required - three ring binder, notebook, and pencil.

Voice for Musical Theatre Charles Fornara - In a masterclass setting, students receive independent coaching and feedback in audition repertoire in addition to refining the skills needed to participate in musicals as a cast member. Students explore sight-reading and harmony holding as well as addressing, reviewing and polishing all facets of "the audition." Materials Required - three ring binder, notebook, pencil, and double-sided sheet music for at least two audition-ready songs.

Dance for Musical Theatre - Dawn Lebrecht Fornara - In this comprehensive conservatory class students explore the varied dance styles featured in musical theatre. Dance skills, physicality, and confidence improve through the study of choreography of iconic and lesser-known numbers from Broadway shows, as well as significant work on technique and terminology. Material Required - tap shoes, jazz shoes, movement clothes, a three ring binder for hand outs, pencil, and a notebook

PERFORMING CLASSES

Acting for Film & TV – Katie Cross – Learn how to adapt your acting skills from stage to the screen.

Improv – Craig Price & Mike Santos – Incorporate the "Yes, and..." philosophy into stage work and life through classic games and improv settings.

Director's Lab – Bryce Alexander – Being a good performer means understanding every part of the Artistic Process. This segment will focus on creating movement, the director's process, and helping actor's explore their own artistry.

Movement & Combat – Cole Butcher – Students will work on the mechanics of movement beyond dance as they explore techniques in Fitzmaurice, Laban, and stage combat.

College Prep for the Performing Arts – Staff of TNP – Work closely with the staff of TNP as they take students through all the do's and don'ts of applying to a Performing Arts University. Topics covered include resume writing, monologues, song choice, filming and submitting videos, and interview skills.

TECHNICAL CLASSES

Scenic Design – Mike Santos & Chase Lilienthal – Learn the
DEADLINE: Scholarship Application Deadline: week before classes begin. Payment must accompany registration.

basics of scenic design including how to read ground plans and elevations, as well as perspective, color, texture, and concept.

Costume Design – Dot Auchmoody & Mary Wallace – The costume can bring a character to life. Learn the process of costume design from concept to construction to the final product.

Lighting Design – Craig Walck – Join Craig as he illuminates the world of lighting design through stage demonstrations of color, texture, angles, and intensity.

Sound Design – Bradley Van Houten – Listen in as Brad explains the abstract art of sound design by playing examples from past and present shows.

Prop Design – Esther Snyder – The secret world of props will show students how to get the right one, where they come from, and ensuring they last for the entire show!



AUDITIONS AGES 9-14

MAY 6 & 13: BEAUTY & THE BEAST JR.

REHEARSALS JUNE 5-JULY 6 (1-5PM)

PERFORMANCES JULY 7-9, 2017

MAY 6 & 13: JAMES & THE GIANT PEACH JR.

REHEARSALS JULY 10-AUGUST 10 (1-5PM)

PERFORMANCES AUGUST 11-13, 2017

AUDITIONS AGES 13-18

JUNE 3: SISTER ACT THE MUSICAL - TEEN

REHEARSALS

JUNE 19-JULY 28 (3-6PM) JULY 31-AUGUST 3 (7-10PM)

PERFORMANCES AUGUST 4-6, 2017



REGISTER ONLINE: Sign up online at naplesplayers.org
KidzAct link (<http://naplesplayers.org/education/kidzact/>)

BY PHONE: Call 434-7340, ext 127 Pay by credit card.

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR ALL CLASSES

Scholarship application available on-line for printout at www.naplesplayers.org, KidzAct link, or at The Naples Players business office. Or call 434-7340, ext. 127,

Any tuition balance not covered by the award will be payable upon receipt of award.

A 50% refund for classes will be made if participant withdraws up to one week before the class start date. Withdrawals after that time will receive no refund.

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