

Calling all graduates of 3rd through 8th grade: Three Rivers Community Players needs you to be a part of **Broadway Peter Pan Jr.**!

We are excited to announce that we will be trying something different for rehearsals. We are going to hold a drama camp! With more focused time, we are planning on going into acting techniques, as well as preparing for a fantastic show! Therefore, our schedule will go like this:

Auditions: Monday, June 26 and Tuesday, June 27 from 6:30 to 8:30. Callbacks will be Wednesday, June 28 from 6:30 to 8:00. At auditions, students will be asked to read, sing and perhaps learn a simple dance routine. They will be measured and given a list of simple costume requirements, a script, and a music CD. The cast list will be published Wednesday by noon, and students may pick up their scripts on Wednesday evening at the theatre

During the next three weeks, students will memorize their lines at home. They will be expected to have their lines memorized by the start of rehearsals on July 31. Volunteers will be working on the set and costumes to have everything ready for rehearsals.

Rehearsals: Monday through Friday, July 31 through August 18 from 9 to 12 in the morning.

Performances: Fridays and Saturdays, August 17,18, 19, 24, 25, and 26 at 7:30. Sunday matinees on August 20 and 27 will be at 2:00.

I am going to ask parents to stay for at least one night of auditions in place of a parent meeting. That will give us a chance to review rules, requirements and other information. Some things parents need to know up front:

1. Bullying during auditions or rehearsals will not be permitted. This includes laughing at or making fun of someone onstage. I have never seen such a kind, encouraging group of kids, and I would like that to continue.
2. Students are required to bring \$50 for auditions. I am planning on casting everyone who auditions, so this money will cover t-shirt, script, CD, specialty costumes and other incidentals.
3. For those parents who prefer a discount, there will be sign-up sheets for parents to volunteer. Those who put in at least 3 hours helping out will only pay \$25! That is HALF OFF! We will need help in set design, costume construction, and keeping kids focused backstage.
4. Because our time is so condensed, I will be asking that students only miss two days of rehearsals and absolutely no performances. Dates they will not be at rehearsal must be noted at auditions. Only emergency absences will be accepted after that.
5. Please be prepared to sign up for a day to bring snacks during rehearsals.
6. If you have any questions that you need to ask before auditions, my email is hansmusser@aol.com.

