



# Theatre Arts for Kids™



Presenting an all new SESSION 2!!!!

# ANIMATION SENSATION

Your favorite animated musicals brought to the stage.

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**July 11-29**

*\*Tangled \*Shrek \*Toy Story \*Mary Poppins \*Princess & The Frog  
\*The Little Mermaid \*Hercules \*Cinderella*

And Many More **ANIMATED CLASSICS!**

The options are endless. The program will cater to the performers.

*Scenes will be selected to feature each of the performers enrolled in the program.*

*Rehearsal Location:  
1963 Tice Valley Blvd  
Walnut Creek*

*Performance at:  
Del Valle Theatre  
7pm, 7/28*



*Monday-Friday  
9:30am-3:30pm*

*Boys & Girls  
Ages 7-15*

**Fee: \$725**

**To Register:**

*Send in Registration (found online) & Payment in Full to:*

**CCCC, PO Box 2518, Walnut Creek, CA 94595**

Phone: 925-945-7101, x203

email: [programs@childrenschorus.org](mailto:programs@childrenschorus.org) / website: [www.childrenschorus.org](http://www.childrenschorus.org)





# Summer 2011... Theatre Arts for Kids!™



*Challenging musical theatre arts program for young and aspiring performers.  
Each session culminates with a performance at Del Valle Theatre!*  
**NO experience necessary!**

## Session 1: **Broadway Highlights**

This three-week musical theatre workshop will feature scenes from four Broadway shows. There will be lead roles and ensemble numbers. Stage time will be ample and the opportunities are endless!

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**Legally Blonde, Wicked,  
Alice In Wonderland, Grease**

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### **PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:**

Summer Theatre Arts for Kids™, facilitated by the Contra Costa Children's Chorus, is a challenging musical theatre arts program specially geared for the young and aspiring performer interested in learning about, participating in, and producing a musical. Through teamwork and workshops, performers gain lifelong skills as they build self-esteem and develop leadership ability. Instruction will focus on **vocal technique, musicianship, dance, dramatics, and technical theatre**. Special workshops in **stage combat, performance artistry, improvisation** and an **audition workshop** will benefit students in all of their artistic endeavors. Summer Theatre Arts for Kids™ provides the total theatre experience, from auditioning, rehearsing, polishing, and performing to warm-ups and exercise designed to enhance concentration and focus.

### **OUR DIRECTOR:**

**Leah Arington** has been the director of the Contra Costa Children's Chorus' summer theatre program for the past ten years. She has also served the CCCC as Associate Artistic Director, conducting the Level 1 Chorus, the Boys Choruses, the Honors Ensemble, the Graduate Ensemble, as well as serving as the resident Voice Instructor, Choreographer, and Stage Director. Originally from Nebraska, Leah started *Theatre Arts For Kids* there in 1997.

Leah received her degrees in vocal performance and music education at the Eastman School of Music in New York and continued her graduate studies at the Royal Northern College of Music in Manchester, England. She received her masters degree in Stage Directing from Eastman. Leah's performing credits include various roles and solo engagements with Royal Northern Opera Company, the Eastman Opera Theatre, the Rochester Broadway Theatre League, the Nebraska/Aksarben Arts Council, the Centro Studi Italiani Opera Theatre, the Eastman Philharmonic Orchestra, and the East Bay's own Diablo Light Opera Company, and Women's Sing. Leah is certified in *Orff* methods and recently completed Henry Leck's *Choral Artistry*.

She continues to enjoy spending her summers in the east bay directing TAFK, which has become a thriving company for young performers.

### **PAYMENT / DROP POLICY:**

Deposit: \$100 non-refundable deposit due with registration form.  
Session Change Fee: \$20 each change.  
Final Payment Due: by April 1, 2011 (or when registering)

### **REFUND POLICY:**

#### **Session 1:**

- Before May 9 100% refund minus \$100.
- May 10-22 50% refund minus \$100.
- June 22-29 25% refund minus \$100.
- After May 30 0% refund.

#### **Session 2:**

- Before June 6 100% refund minus \$100.
- June 7-19 50% refund minus \$100.
- Jun 20-27 25% refund minus \$100.
- After June 27 0% refund.

Site: 1963 Tice Valley Blvd. Walnut Creek  
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 2518, Walnut Creek, CA 94595  
Phone: (925) 945-7101 x 203 Website: [www.childrenschorus.org](http://www.childrenschorus.org)



# Summer 2011 Theatre Arts for Kids!™ Registration Application

- Session 1 (6/13-7/1) ages 7-15 9:30am—3:30pm, M-F \$725
- Session 2 (7/11-29) ages 7-15 9:30am—3:30pm, M-F \$725

*(Shows are subject to availability through their publishing companies.)*

**[1 DVD of final performance & 1 DVD of photos, plus 2 tickets included in each session's cost]**

**RETURN REGISTRATION & EMERGENCY FORMS WITH YOUR PAYMENT.**

Please note student's name on your payment *(Use separate application for each student)*

- New to Theatre Arts       Returning Student

Student's first & last name	Home phone #	Age	Date of Birth	M/F
Address	City	State	Zip	
E-mail address	Fax number	School	Grade in Fall, 2011	
Mother's name	Day phone	Cell phone/pager#	Evening phone	
Father's name	Day phone	Cell phone/pager#	Evening phone	
Guardian's name	Day phone	Cell phone/pager#	Evening phone	

Student lives with:     Both parents     Mother     Father     Guardian

**In order to help us plan, please identify any days you know of in advance that your child will be absent.**

Attendance is taken daily. Should your student be ill, or will not be present, please contact the office.

Drop off/pick up policy: Please adhere to program hours. There is no extended-hours program.

The directors and staff are not available for childcare. For your child's protection, please drop off and pick up your student at the door where a staff member will be waiting. If someone other than the parent will be picking up your child, written authorization must be provided in advance. In the case of carpools, please provide a written schedule.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



# Theatre Arts for Kids!™ Health/Emergency Information

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's First & Last Name                      Home phone #                      Age                      Date of Birth                      M/F

**In an emergency, if parent is not available, contact:**

1) \_\_\_\_\_  
Name                      Relationship                      Day phone/pager #                      Cell phone #

2) \_\_\_\_\_  
Name                      Relationship                      Day phone/pager #                      Cell phone #

**Health History** *Check each box for which your child has current vaccinations:*

- Chicken Pox                       Rubella                       Mumps                       Whooping cough
- TB                       Tetanus/Diphtheria                       Polio                       Hepatitis

Do we have your permission to provide Tylenol to your child in the event of minor aches, should we be unable to reach you or the emergency contacts?     Yes  No

• *Check each box if your child has past or present medical complications with:*

- Diabetes                       Epilepsy                       Heart arrhythmia                       Kidney trouble
- Digestive problems                       Rheumatic fever                       A.D.D.                       Other

Detailed explanation: \_\_\_\_\_

List medications you will provide and proper dosage: \_\_\_\_\_

• *Check each box if your child has any allergies to:*

- Hay fever                       Poison Oak                       Penicillin                       Sulfa Drugs
- Lactose intolerance                       Other medicines                       Insect bites                       Other

Detailed explanation: \_\_\_\_\_

List medications you will provide and proper dosage: \_\_\_\_\_

Should there be extenuating family circumstances (illness, separation or divorce or any other family health issues) that may affect your child while attending Theatre Arts for Kids™, please fill out a Confidential student information form.

• *Student's family physician* \_\_\_\_\_ *Phone #* \_\_\_\_\_

• *Student's dentist* \_\_\_\_\_ *Phone #* \_\_\_\_\_

*Family health insurance carrier* \_\_\_\_\_ *Subscriber #* \_\_\_\_\_

• *Primary Subscriber* \_\_\_\_\_ *Verification Phone #* \_\_\_\_\_

**IN CASE OF EMERGENCY:** I understand every effort will be made to contact me. In the event I cannot be reached, I hereby give my permission to the physician selected by the adult leader in charge, to secure proper treatment, including hospitalization, anesthesia, surgery, or injections of medication for my son/daughter.

Parent signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_