



Spotlight ACT

[A Newsletter Highlighting Athens Creative Theatre Performances and Programs]

STUB NOTES

AVAILABLE OCT. 1

NEWSIES

Music by Alan Menken
Lyrics by Jack Feldman
Book by Harvey Fierstein

TICKET PRICES

\$15 Adult
\$12 Student/Senior/Children
\$10 Groups of 10 +
Free for ACC Employees

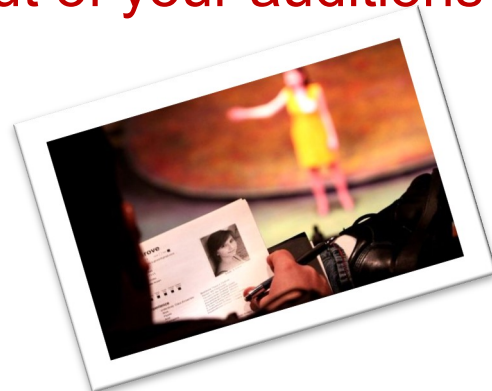
Tickets available through the Morton Theatre Box Office by calling 706-613-3771 or online at www.mortontheatre.com

Audition Workshop

Getting the most out of your auditions

Athens Creative Theatre's skilled staff will be hosting a one night *Audition Workshop* on **Thursday, August 2nd** at Quinn Hall (Memorial Park).

The Audition Workshop will focus on the basic skills, expectations, and processes of various theatrical audition formats and will guide participants through the audition process, what to expect as an actor, and what is expected of them from the casting directors.



The 2 hour workshop is designed for performers ages 13+ of all experience levels. Whether an individual is completely new to theatre auditions and is seeking a basic groundwork for how to audition, or individuals who have been to a number of auditions but just don't seem to be landing the roles that they are going for.

Instructors Terry Powell (ACT Program Specialist) and Daniel Self (ACT Program Leader) will cover in detail how to prepare a music selection for an audition, how to select roles that are best for an individual performer, proper audition attire, how to prepare for a dance audition, and how to become a stronger cold reader in auditions.

Students are encouraged to bring their audition materials and have open dialogue with the ACT staff about their audition needs and experiences. Registration for this program begins on August 4th, 2018 at www.accgov.com/leisure.

LAST CALL

Auditions for Newsies will take place August 6-7 (Performances November 1-4, 2018) Don't miss your chance to take YOUR place in the Spotlight with ACT!

UPCOMING PERFORMANCES

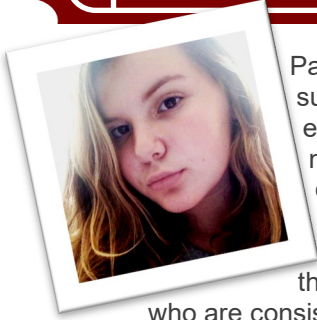
NEWSIES

Its time to carry the banner with Disney's *Newsies* is the rousing tale of Jack Kelly, a charismatic newsboy and leader of a band of teenaged "newsies" When titans of publishing raise distribution prices at the newsboy's expense, Jack rallies newsies from across the city to strike against the unfair conditions and fight for what's right! *Newsies* is a great theatre experience for children and adults of all ages to enjoy!



Performances November 1-4, 2018 at the Morton Theatre. Tickets go on sale October 1, 2018. call 706-613-3771 or visiting www.mortontheatre.com to purchase tickets.

IN THE SPOTLIGHT



Part of the ACT summer theatre experience is to make leadership opportunities available to members of our theatre community

who are consistently ready to show up and go the extra mile to make sure the production and program run smoothly.

EMMA CRANE has been a part of ACT for seven years now. She has gone through the summer performance program, CIT program, and is now one of our official summer theatre instructors. She came to ACT in 5th grade because she wanted to try something new and has been a participant in our summer programs ever since.

Emma enjoys working in all aspects of the theatre program but really shines in the wardrobe department. She can regularly be found organizing costumes for the actors and uses her skills as a seamstress to mend, modify, and enhance costumes for the summer theatre program participants.

SCHEDULE

AUGUST

- 2 - Audition Workshop
- 4 - Fall Registration Begins for ACC residents
- 6 - Fall Registration Begins for non-residents
- 6-7 - Auditions for *Newsies*

Athens Creative Theatre is a unit of the Arts Division of Athens-Clarke County Unified Government's Leisure Services Department. The Division is supported in part by the Georgia Council for the Arts through the appropriations of the Georgia General Assembly, GCA also receives support from its partner, Agency of The National Endowment for the Arts. ACT is also funded in part by our booster organization, FACT (Friends of Athens Creative Theatre)

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

AUDITION WORKSHOP | August 2, 2018 | Quinn Hall

Audition workshop covers the basics of theatrical auditions to help students gain insight on what casting directors are looking for as well as helping students to set realistic audition goals. Under the instruction of ACT staff members T.A.

Powell, and Daniel Self students will learn how to become more confident readers, make the most of their musical selections, and how to make the best impression for any audition situation. Registration is \$20 for ACC residents and \$30 for non-residents

**AUDITION
WORKSHOP**

MUSIC FOR ACTORS

September 8 - October 13, 2018 | Quinn Hall

Music for Actors is a beginning music course for any singer who has always wanted to learn how to read sheet music more proficiently and how to become a more capable and confident singer in theatre, and choral environments. Under the instruction of Daniel Self, this six week course covers

the fundamentals of music reading, sight singing, singing fundamentals, audition materials, and music selection. Registration is \$83 ACC resident and \$124.50 Non-resident

**Music
FOR ACTORS**

Register online for ACT programs and many other Leisure Services Programs at www.accgov.com/leisure.

FROM THE COMMUNITY

"I cannot believe the caliber of work that comes from a children's summer theatre program within two weeks!"

- "Mother Goosed" Patron