

# **COME EXPLORE THE WORLD OF PERFORMING ARTS!**

*No previous theatrical experience necessary...*

Only a willingness to learn, a limitless imagination, and a positive, supportive attitude!

Rose Hill Elementary PTSA and Studio East are once again pleased to offer a wonderful opportunity for our students to explore the world of live theater with this year's musical comedy production of

## **Just Another Day in Wonderland**

**Auditions: May 7, 8, and 10<sup>th</sup>, 2012.**

**Performances: June 15 & 16, 2012 @ 7:00pm**

**Director: Walayn Sharples**

**Music Director: Dave Spring**

**Parent Producer: Arlene Kettering**

This year's exciting show is open to 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> grade students. Studio East will provide directors, scripts, music, sets and costumes. Rose Hill Elementary will provide the kids and parent volunteers.

The production can accommodate up to 50 students. To participate, fill out and submit to Cindy in the Front Office:

\_\_\_ Audition form

\_\_\_ Conflict calendar

\_\_\_ Current picture of your child (a color copy is fine).

\_\_\_ Registration fee (\$100), **check payable to RHE PTSA**. Registration fee includes: six weeks of instruction, student scripts, cast member tee shirt, cast party, and includes sets, props, music costumes, and two directors from Studio-East.

**APPLICATIONS ARE DUE THURSDAY, APRIL 13<sup>TH</sup> AT 3 P.M. at the front office.**

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

**MANDATORY PARENT MEETING: Tuesday, May 1, 2012, 7:00 p.m. in the Library**

*This is for parents of registered students.* Student actors can also attend. At this meeting, you will meet the directors, discuss the schedule of auditions and rehearsals, review the parent packet and committee work, and answer any of your questions.

**AUDITIONS: May 7, 8 & 10, 2012 after school, Music Room** Auditions will consist of a one-minute monologue that your child will memorize ahead of time (a selection of monologues will be

included in the packet given out at the parent meeting. Your child's specific audition time will be assigned at the parent meeting. All registered students receive a part in the play. Auditions are simply to allow the directors to see the child's personality and comfort level performing so they are better able to cast the parts of the play. Students receive their parts on Friday, May 11. Scripts are handed out and we'll do a read-through and start learning songs.

**REHEARSALS: Rehearsals begin Monday, May 14 at 3:15pm in the gym and music room.**

Rehearsals will be in the gym and music room from 3:15 to 5:30 p.m., Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays (No Wednesdays). The last week of rehearsals will go as late as 6:00 p.m. at Lake Washington High School. The full rehearsal schedule will be finalized after the play is cast by the directors in two week increments (this flexibility allows us to increase or decrease our focus on certain scenes/songs as necessary).

**CONFLICTS:** Please check your calendars for any possible conflicts. We need to know these conflicts **prior** to auditions so the directors can schedule your child's rehearsals accordingly. Please remember that cast members will be required to attend all of his/her assigned rehearsals as it takes a great effort to learn lines, stage dances and musical numbers, and to build a sense of teamwork. Not every cast member will be called to every rehearsal during the early weeks, but **all** cast members will be required to attend rehearsals the final week through the performance nights. **No conflicts are permitted June 11 thru 16, 2012.**

**REGISTRATION FEE: \$ 100.00/child**

The registration fee must accompany the audition/registration form. The fee is non-refundable unless your child decides not to participate prior to auditions. A few partial scholarships are available. If you would like to apply for one, please contact Arlene Kettering for the scholarship form at least a week prior to the application due date. Completed scholarship applications are to be attached to regular application forms.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES: Parent involvement is required.**

In order to produce a quality show, we need parents to be involved. There are opportunities to volunteer during the day, the evening, at home, or at school. Volunteer sign-up forms will be available at the parent meeting.

**PERFORMANCES AT LAKE WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL**

Parent volunteers will transport the actors from the elementary school to the high school (just a few blocks away) for the last week of rehearsals so that the actors can acclimate themselves to the stage. Permission slips and driver forms will be available at the parent meeting.

**QUESTIONS?**

Please contact the parent producer: Arlene Kettering (Producer) at 425-827-2892 or [ajkettering@gmail.com](mailto:ajkettering@gmail.com).

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ROSE HILL ELEMENTARY 2012  
***JUST ANOTHER DAY IN WONDERLAND***  
AUDITION FORM

Student Name: (last) \_\_\_\_\_ (first) \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Hair Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Male: \_\_\_\_\_ Female: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT INFORMATION

Parent/Guardian #1: Mother \_\_\_ Father \_\_\_ Stepmother \_\_\_ Stepfather \_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell/Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

(All communication from Parent Producer and Directors will be sent via email)

PARENT INFORMATION

Parent/Guardian #2: Mother \_\_\_ Father \_\_\_ Stepmother \_\_\_ Stepfather \_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell/Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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This year all student actors will receive a tee shirt. Please circle your child's size:

Child S   Child M   Child L   Child XL   Adult S   Adult M   Adult L

Performance experience, or classes (or attach a resume):

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Dancing, singing, gymnastics experience:

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Do you play an instrument? (check one)

No \_\_\_\_

Yes \_\_\_\_ . I've played the \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years

Director's Notes:

**PLEASE NOTE ALL CONFLICTS ON THIS CALENDAR. THE REHEARSAL SCHEDULE WILL ATTEMPT TO WORK AROUND LISTED CONFLICTS.**

**NOTIFY PRODUCING PARENTS IMMEDIATELY OF ANY CHANGES. Please note conflicts accurately to avoid unexcused absences.**

**Auditions take place in small groups – your student will be called on either audition day for approximately 1 hour. You will receive an Audition Schedule at the Parent Meeting. All students are expected to attend Callbacks and the Full Cast Read-Through.**

<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>FRIDAY</b>
<b>Week 1 (5/7)</b> <b>Auditions</b>	<b>Auditions</b>		<b>Casting &amp; First read-thru</b> <b>FULL CAST</b>	<b>Call Backs</b> <b>FULL CAST</b>
<b>Week 2 (5/14)</b> Rehearsal 3:15-5:30	Rehearsal 3:15-5:30		Rehearsal 3:15-5:30	Rehearsal 3:15-5:30
<b>Week 3 (5/21)</b> Rehearsal 3:15-5:30	Rehearsal 3:15-5:30		Rehearsal 3:15-5:30	Rehearsal 3:15-5:30
<b>Week 4 (5/28)</b> Rehearsal 3:15-5:30	Rehearsal 3:15-5:30		Rehearsal 3:15-5:30	Rehearsal 3:15-5:30
<b>Week 5 (6/4)</b> Rehearsal 3:15-5:30	Rehearsal 3:15-5:30		<b>MANDATORY FULL CAST REHEARSAL</b> 3:15-5:30	<b>MANDATORY FULL CAST REHEARSAL</b> 3:15-5:30
<b>Week 6 (6/11)</b> 3:15-6:00 <b>MANDATORY FULL CAST REHEARSAL</b>	3:15-6:00 <b>MANDATORY FULL CAST REHEARSAL</b>	3:15-6:00 <b>MANDATORY FULL CAST REHEARSAL</b>	3:15-6:00 <b>MANDATORY FULL CAST REHEARSAL</b>	<b>PERFORMANCES 7PM ON 6/15 AND 6/16 AT LWHS</b>

**STUDENT NAME** \_\_\_\_\_