

JPII Falcons Musical Theatre Summer Camp



Rising 4th - 9th Grade Students

June 17 - 21, 2024

9 – 1:30 Monday – Thursday; 2 – 6 Friday

We will have placement auditions on Sunday, June 16, 2 PM-4 PM.

\$175 – Registration begins now and will end June 1, 2024 or when camp is full

Only 25 spots available, so register early!

The camp and performance will be held at JPII Catholic High School.

About the Camp

This summer camp is designed for students who love to perform and are interested in learning about putting on a Broadway KIDS production in one week! Students will learn the songs, dances, and lines to perform for parents on Friday. Each child registered will have a part – auditions are for placement purposes only. **We will have placement auditions on Sunday, June 16 from 2 - 4 PM.**

The \$175 cost for the week includes: a part in the show, a t-shirt, pizza and drinks before the show on Friday, and 2 tickets to the performance. Additional tickets may be purchased at the door on Friday for only \$5!

The money is refundable only if camp materials are returned immediately, and if you cancel by June 1. Refunds will not be given if camp materials aren't returned and if cancellation isn't received by June 1. A refund check will be mailed.

About the Show

Disney's *The Lion King* has captivated the imagination of audiences around the world, and we will bring the African savanna to life on your stage with Simba, Rafiki and an unforgettable cast of characters as they journey from Pride Rock to the jungle and back again in this inspiring, coming-of-age tale.

About the Camp Directors

Mari Adams has been the director of theatre at JPII Catholic High School for the past 19 years. She has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Theatre from Louisiana Tech University and a Master of Fine Arts degree in theatre from the University of Alabama. She has directed over 30 plays and musicals!

Dorene Gullatt is a native of the Huntsville area. She was the director of the JPII Concert Choir for ten years and continues to be an active musician today. Mrs. Gullatt earned her B.A. in Vocal Performance and Music Education from the University of Alabama in Huntsville. She also has been an active member of Dance Masters of America and held certifications to teach ballet, tap and jazz. She has participated in and choreographed many pieces for local community shows and competitions.



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Expectations

The staff members of the JPII Musical Theatre Camp want your child to have a great experience, but your child must be able to adhere to some expectations. Please make sure your child is willing/able to do the following before attending:

- **Bring a lunch, their script, a pencil, a water bottle and wear tennis shoes to practice every day.**
- Practice OUTSIDE of summer camp in learning songs and dance moves BEFORE and DURING the camp period (will receive script and materials after receiving payment and registration).
- Take constructive criticism from adults and high school staff.
- Memorize lines, songs, and dances by Friday of that week.
- Attend the summer camp for the ENTIRE duration for all of the days.
- Be a team player and accept his or her role graciously.
- Work well with others and behave appropriately.
- Stay focused and be willing to try ALL of the activities for the day.
- Respect the staff, student staff, students, and facilities of JPII.
- Be willing to help with clean up and set up for the performances.
- Attend placement auditions on Sunday afternoon June 16 from 2-4 PM.

Schedule

The typical schedule will be as follows:

Monday through Thursday

- 8:45 – 9 Drop off and play games
- 9:00 – 11:00 Music rehearsal, choreography, and theatre basics
- 11:00 – 11:30 Lunch
- 11:30 – 1:00 Blocking, choreography and music rehearsals
- 1:00 – 1:30 Winding down and cleaning up

Friday:

- 2:00 – 2:15 Drop off and play games
- 2:15 – 4:15 Final rehearsal
- 4:15 - 4:45 Pizza Party
- 4:45 House opens for parents
- 5:00 - 5:30 Performance
- 5:30 – 6:00 Clean up

What's Next?

- Register at www.jp2falcons.org and remit payment at the JPII front office. Checks are made payable to JPII with *Musical Theatre Camp* in the memo line. Spots will not be "held" and registration is not complete until payment has been received.
- You will receive an email confirmation of online registration and a reminder to remit payment.
- After receiving complete registration and payment, materials will be provided to you at the front office of JPII Catholic High School beginning May 1. Only those who have paid will receive camp materials.

For more information, please contact Mari Adams at madams@jp2falcons.org. There is a cap of 25 students and it is **first come, first served**.