



2020 EDUCATION AND OUTREACH PROGRAM

SENIOR PROGRAM DETAILS

Senior ACADEMY Program Registration includes:

- 3 week acting/tech intern program with instruction from Actors' Equity professionals in voice, dance, scene work, and tech in preparation for multi-discipline performance as part of a cabaret/showcase on the Depot Theatre main stage.
- Seniors will have access to Depot staff and Equity professionals to receive college theater preparation assistance.
- EQUITY OPPORTUNITY: As a benefit of the Depot's status as an Equity theatre, senior Academy participants who perform in Depot main stage shows will also have the opportunity to join the Equity Membership Candidate Program (EMC).
 - In addition to the workshops and cabaret, all of the senior participants will be able to audition for one of four parts alongside the professional performers in the Depot's main stage production of BARNUM: THE MUSICAL.

PARTICIPANT AGES: 13 and older and enrolled in school (inclusive of home school and college)

DATES: Regular program: July 27- August 23, 2020
BARNUM actors: July 20-August 23, 2020

AUDITIONS: May 16, 2020 at the Depot Theatre, 6705 Main St., Westport, NY (For both BARNUM and Academy performance)

PERFORMANCES: August 22-23, 2020

PROGRAM/PERFORMANCE LOCATION: Depot Theatre, 6705 Main St., Westport, NY

STAFF:

ARTISTIC AND MUSICAL DIRECTOR: Adam Tilford

CHOREOGRAPHER: Dan Bob Higgins

SCENE DIRECTION: Adam Tilford, Jackie Robertin



SENIOR PROGRAM SCHEDULE

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
JULY 19	JULY 20 First rehearsal for BARNUM	JULY 21	JULY 22	JULY 23	JULY 24	JULY 25
JULY 26	JULY 27 5PM-9PM	JULY 28 5PM-9PM	JULY 29 5PM-9PM	JULY 30 3PM Meet BARNUM cast 5:00 PM BARNUM Preview Night*	JULY 31 7:30 PM BARNUM Opening	AUG 1 BARNUM Perf. 3:00 PM
AUG 2 BARNUM Perf. 5:00 PM	AUG 3 5PM-9PM	AUG 4 5PM-9PM	AUG 5 5PM-9PM	AUG 6 BARNUM Perf. 5:00PM	AUG 7 BARNUM Perf. 7:30 PM	AUG 8 BARNUM Perf. 7:30 PM
AUG 9 BARNUM Perf. 5:00 PM	AUG 10 5PM-9PM	AUG 11 5PM-9PM	AUG 12 5PM-9PM	AUG 13 BARNUM Perf. 5:00 PM	AUG 14 BARNUM Perf. 7:30 PM	AUG 15 BARNUM Perf. 7:30 PM
AUG 16 BARNUM Perf. 3:00 PM	AUG 17 5PM-9PM (TECH)*	AUG 18 5PM-9PM (TECH)*	AUG 19 5PM-9PM (TECH)*	AUG 20 5PM-9PM (TECH)*	AUG 21 5PM-9PM (TECH)*	AUG 22 Senior Performance Time TBD
AUG 23 Senior Performance Time TBD	<p><i>*All senior students required to attend.</i></p> <p>BARNUM Performances. (RED)</p> <p>BARNUM rehearsals will be in accordance with Equity rules. Actors cast in BARNUM will receive detailed schedule.</p> <p>Senior Rehearsals (BLUE)</p> <p>All performances and rehearsal times are subject to change.</p> <p>All performances and rehearsals are at the Depot Theatre, 6705 Main Street, Westport, NY.</p>					



REGISTRATION

The registration fee is \$300 per participant. For families with more than one child participating in the program, the fee for the additional participants is \$200/participant. NOTE: Discounted fee for additional participants in one family is not available online. (Must be paid by check or by contacting the box office.)

The registration fee must be received by the 2020 auditions on May 16. This fee, this signed participant guidelines form for each participant must be received by June 15, 2020. If the forms are not completed the participant will not be admitted to the program. Online registration and forms are available via a link at depottheatre.org

SCHOLARSHIPS:

The registration fee may be waived in cases of financial hardship. Generally participants will be considered for a scholarship if they qualify for the free and reduced price lunch program at school. To be considered for a scholarship, please contact Kim Rielly at (518) 962.4449 x2 or krielly@depottheatre.org. This information will be kept strictly confidential.

POLICIES:

Participants must attend ALL rehearsals – with a positive, cooperative, enthusiastic attitude. The only exception for excuse is a medical or family emergency. If a participant skips one or more rehearsals, his/her role may be diminished or deleted. Attendance at dress rehearsals and all shows is mandatory. Actors are asked to please wear sneakers or shoes that they can dance in to all rehearsals. (No sandals or flip-flops).

For the Senior program, regular rehearsals occur at the Depot Theatre, and begin at 5:00 p.m. and end at 9:00 p.m. (July 30th schedule begins at 3pm and includes mandatory attendance of the Preview performance of BARNUM.) BARNUM actors' rehearsal times will be determined by the show's director. It is also recommended that actors arrive five minutes before rehearsal starting time to get organized and prepared.

VOLUNTEERS:

Parental/Guardian assistance during the rehearsal period and during performances is welcomed. Parents should sign up at rehearsals for available volunteer opportunities. Parents/Guardians are encouraged to assist their children in memorizing lines and lyrics!

All updated information and materials will be available online at www.depottheatre.org.

