

ABOUT THE CAMP

The Augusta Players is a nonprofit community theatre. We have been in the entertainment business since 1945 and we know how to teach your kids to have fun onstage! Each year our summer camps provide theatrical training in a fun atmosphere for children 6 to teen. During these camps, emphasis is placed on learning the craft of theatre to include what goes on backstage.

Each group has classes in music, dance and most important—ACTING! Our students will prepare a scene or reading to be presented to parents in an evening showcase. The week culminates in a camper Talent Show where the kids can showcase their own theatrical talent with assistance from the camp leaders.

CAMP DIRECTOR

Rebecca Brune directs the camp again this year. As a staff member of the Augusta Players, Ms. Brune also acts as the Augusta Jr. Players Artistic Director. She holds a Bachelor of Music degree from Georgia Southern and has been seen recently in leading roles on the Augusta Players' stage.

THE FACULTY

CARRIE ANDERSON—Acting, 2 and 3

Ms. Anderson received her Bachelor of Music degree from NYU in Vocal Performance/Musical Theatre. Most recently she has choreographed *La Cage aux Folles*, *The King & I* and *The Sound of Music*. She was also seen in *Hairspray* (Velma von Tussle) and *Chicago* (Roxie Hart.).

JEANNIE BUTLER—Music

Ms. Butler is a retired educator from the public school systems. Most recently she has been at the head of The Augusta Players' orchestra for *Hairspray*, *A Christmas Carol*, *the Musical*, *Chicago* and *The King & I*.

THE FACULTY

TIM CAMPBELL—Tech 2, 3 & 4

Mr. Campbell has been working behind the scenes in professional theatre in the CSRA for many years. Currently, he acts as the House Technical Director for The Imperial Theatre.

HEATHER DAVIDSON—Acting 4

Ms. Davidson is a full time faculty member who teaches Acting and Musical Theatre performance at Davidson Fine Arts. She is practicing professional actress and a member of Actors Equity.

CHERONDA HARRIS—Tech 1 and Acting 1

Ms. Harris is a product of the Augusta Players youth programming and is now seen regularly on the Augusta Players, Fort Gordon and Le Chat Noir stages. Currently an educator in Richmond County, she will be assisted in Tech I by Trish Kilpatrick.

RICHARD JUSTICE—Acting 3 & 4

Mr. Justice is no stranger to The Augusta Players having performed and directed with them since 1978. He has also performed and directed with many theatres in Augusta and Georgia and has been recognized by The Augusta Chronicle and Augusta Magazine for his contributions to local theatre.

KEITH MANASCO—Acting 1

Mr. Manasco is a veteran performer in the Augusta area, having performed with Augusta Players, YART, Le Chat Noir and various projects throughout the city. He currently is the General Music educator at C T Walker Magnet School.

TAMMY WESTAFER—Dance

A former principal dancer with the Augusta Ballet, Ms Westafer is currently on faculty at Davidson Fine Arts School and serves as the Educational Outreach Coordinator for Dance Augusta.

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THE AUGUSTA PLAYERS

2013 SUMMER THEATRE CAMP



TWO FUN SESSIONS

SESSION 1—June 17-June 28
Wesley United Methodist
Church, Evans, GA

SESSION 2—July 8-July 19
Church of the Good Shepherd
Walton Way

CALL 706-826-4707 FOR
MORE INFORMATION OR TO
REGISTER BY PHONE



CAMP INFO

Join in the fun at the Augusta Players Summer Theatre Camp! Each camp is a two-week program for children ages 6 to 14. Two sessions are available: Session 1, Monday, June 17--Friday, June 28 at Wesley United Methodist Church in Evans, GA and Session 2, Monday, July 8--Friday, July 19 at The Church of the Good Shepherd on Walton Way. There will be a Thursday evening showcase of learned skills and a Friday morning Talent Show at the end of each session. A camp tshirt is included in the fee.

FEES

Each session, you pay only **\$275** for the entire two weeks! A Master Class is available for an additional fee for those who qualify.

LEVELS

- LEVEL 1—Rising 1st –3rd grade**
- LEVEL 2—Rising 4th—6th grade**
- LEVEL 3—Rising 7th—High School**
- LEVEL 4—Master Class**

CAMP HOURS

All sessions begin at 9:30 am and end at 2:30 pm, Monday – Friday only. Campers will need to bring a sack lunch and a snack if needed.

Children learn as they play. Most importantly, in play, children learn how to learn.

—0. Fred Donaldson

WHAT THEY LEARN

Through song, dance and games all students will be introduced to the excitement of drama and the fun of putting together and performing a musical scene. The students will develop their expressive abilities while learning about acting, voice, and movement in age-level appropriate activities. They will also have experience with make-up, making props and set pieces, creativity/improvisational games, and stage choreography. Special emphasis will be placed on singing and dancing.

Putting all of these skills together they will rehearse and present a showcase of what they have learned. This showcase will take place on the second Thursday evening at 6:00 pm.

The final Friday morning of each session, there will be an auditioned Talent Show. Campers will choose their performance piece, with the assistance of a camp counselor, which they will then perform for their peers.

MASTER CLASS (New this year!)

This level is for rising 7th to high school campers who have had previous stage experience. LEVEL 3 campers may include an additional \$50 fee with their \$275, along with a resume of past experience. Our faculty will review the resumes and your camper will know on the first day of camp if he or she has been selected for Master Class. Master Classers will take a **field trip to the Imperial Theatre** where they will take a **tour** guided by **professional Technical Director, Tim Campbell**. Each student will have help to **prepare a monologue and song** which they will present at the showcase on Thursday night. **Heather Davidson** will lead the First Session and **Richard Justice** will lead the Second Session. Master Class Campers will receive this additional training which will not be offered to the other campers as well as a resume brush up and audition tactics. Special speakers will be brought in from time to time for an up-close look at the professional theatrical world. More opportunities are in the works for this class, so take advantage of the professionals we have on board.

SUMMER CAMP 2013 REGISTRATION FORM

Please use a separate form for each camper

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Student's Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

DOB _____ Rising School Grade: _____

Parent's Name _____

Best Phone _____

2nd Phone _____

Email _____

PLEASE SELECT:

SESSION 1	SESSION 2	
_____	_____	LEVEL 1
_____	_____	LEVEL 2
_____	_____	LEVEL 3
_____	_____	Master Class add-on*

*requires \$50 fee in addition to the \$275 camp fee

T-Shirt Size (Please circle one):

YS YM YL Adult S Adult M Adult L Adult XL

Enclosed is my check in the amount of

\$_____ (payable to The Augusta Players)

OR charge my credit card \$_____

CARD # _____

EXP DATE: _____ CVV: _____

SIGNATURE: _____