

Musical Theatre Workshop 2010



June 20 - July 1, 2010

Join Annie, Daddy Warbucks and that lovable dog, Sandy, in New York City in the midst of the Depression. Life is rough for the orphans under the strict hand of Miss Hannigan, but Annie's life is about to change thanks to billionaire Oliver Warbucks. When Annie shares the dream of finding her parents and the secret of the half locket she has treasured for so long, he sets his own feelings aside and orders an exhaustive search for Annie's parents!

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Book by THOMAS MEEHAN
Music by CHARLES STROUSE
Lyrics by MARTIN CHARNIN

Meet the Staff

DIRECTOR/CHOREOGRAPHER Robyn Starks Holcomb

Ms. Robyn has spent 20 years on professional and amateur stages as an actor, director, dancer, choreographer and musician. In her ninth year at the Dance Gallery, the Broadway program has grown from five students to 75! She also teaches ballet, tap, adaptive movement and an adult version of *So You Think You Can Dance!* Ms. Robyn teaches literally thousands of students across the state each year as a professional artist educator, music teacher and guest clinician for workshops, inservices and college courses.

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR Shannon Siemens

Ms. Shannon has had a love for Broadway musicals from a very young age. She has taught ballet, tap and jazz on and off for the past 25 years in Arizona, Ohio and most recently at the Dance Gallery in Sioux Falls. Now a resident of Colorado, we are thrilled to have her back for this project! Ms. Shannon's love and talent lie in working with the very young dancers and building up their talent and confidence.

MUSIC DIRECTOR Elizabeth Gould

Mrs. Gould teaches 6-12 vocal music in Harrisburg. She adds to the program staff 24 years experience in choral conducting, voice and piano lessons, festivals, variety shows, musicals and much, much more. In her spare time, Mrs. Gould... wait... there is no spare time.

Annie Jr. Musical Theatre Workshop Registration Form

Cast Member's Name: _____ Grade Completed: _____

Parent's Names: _____ Phone: _____

Street, City, ST, Zip: _____

Important Medical Info/Additional Contact #: _____

\$55 Deposit Due Now - Payment Plan (see brochure for details): 4 payments 3 2 1 (full)

*Sign below and return to Dance Gallery with deposit to reserve your space! If received by mail, Dance Gallery will call and confirm your enrollment.

I, the undersigned, under consideration of being permitted to participate in the course of instruction and exhibition involving dance exercise do hereby release and forever discharge Dance Gallery of SD, LLC, it's owner, staff, instructor-in-charge and/or assistants, other participants in instruction or exhibition and all the aforementioned parties from all manner of actions, courses of action, demands or claims to which I (or my child) hereinafter become entitled relating to or because of an injury or damages that may result from or be incidental to my participation therein. This release is given for the purpose of inducing the studio to allow me (or my child) to participate in dance exercise classes and activities.

SIGNED (over 18 yrs.) _____ DATE: _____

Please make checks payable to Dance Gallery.

Dance Gallery's Musical Theatre Workshop



Cast of *Alice in Wonderland, Jr.*
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Back by popular demand, this summer marks our 3rd annual two week Musical Theatre Workshop resulting in performances at the Historic Orpheum Theatre in Sioux Falls.

While building a show, students will be exposed to the disciplines of musical theatre: auditioning, singing, acting, blocking, choreography, community building, theatre terminology and performance skills.

The workshop is open to two age groups. Remember, attendance at all rehearsals will be necessary to successfully develop an entire musical in nine days!

Grace Wehrspann as *Mad Hatter*
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FULL WORKSHOP Grades 6-12

Students finishing grades 6-12 are welcome to participate in the full workshop. (Age exceptions by invitation only.) This group will rehearse full time for the ten days and be responsible for the entire show. This group will also have the opportunity to audition for each of the principal roles. Reserve your spot in the cast now!

COST: \$235

NEW! PAYMENT OPTIONS:

\$55 deposit due with registration, then apply the choice that works for you!

- 4 payments (beginning in March) of \$45
- 3 payments (beginning in April) of \$60
- 2 payments (beginning in May) of \$90
- 1 payment (due by workshop) of \$180

INCLUDES: over 65 hours on instruction by a professional staff, cast t-shirts, light snacks, provided lunch on performance day and a fantastic experience!

SCHEDULE:

Sunday, June 20 Auditions, Casting, Read
1:00 - 6:00 PM

Monday thru Thursday, June 21 - 24
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Sunday, June 27
1:00 - 6:00 PM

Monday thru Wednesday, June 28 - 30
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Thursday, July 1 ORPHEUM THEATRE
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

4:00 PM MATINEE PERFORMANCE
7:00 PM EVENING PERFORMANCE

An hour long lunch break will be provided each day for rest and nourishment. Students will be asked to bring a sack lunch and will be given a "home" room for relaxation during that time. Lunch is provided for the final day at the Orpheum Theatre.

HALF WORKSHOP Grades 2-5

Students finishing grades 2-5 are invited to participate in the half workshop. (Age exceptions by invitation only.) This group will rehearse part time for eight days to learn their roles in three to four scenes of the musical. Songs will include: *Hard-Knock Life*, *Little Girls*, *NYC*, *You're Never Fully Dressed Without a Smile* and *Tomorrow Reprise*.

Space for the half workshop will be LIMITED.

COST: \$135

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

\$55 deposit due with registration, then choose

- 2 payments of \$40
- 1 payment (due by workshop) of \$80

INCLUDES: over 30 hours on instruction by a professional staff, cast t-shirts, light snacks, provided lunch on performance day and a fun opportunity to perform!

SCHEDULE:

Monday thru Thursday, June 21 - 24
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Monday thru Wednesday, June 28 - 30
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Thursday, July 1 ORPHEUM THEATRE
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

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