Youth Theatre of Central Arkansas

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Dear Youth Theatre Actor,

The Youth Theatre of Central Arkansas is pleased to announce the dates for this summer's program! Mark your calendars for June 9 through July 11. Ruthann Curry Browne will again direct our summer program assisted by UCA Theatre students.

There will be two separate groups. The junior group will consist of students entering grades 3-6 and will meet Monday through Friday, from 9:00 am to noon. The senior group will be comprised of students entering grades 7-12 and will meet Monday through Friday from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm. Parents of students entering the 7th grade may elect to have their child participate in the junior group, if desired.

On the first day of class, Ms. Ruthann will discuss the plays, the rehearsal schedule and other pertinent information. Parents are welcome to attend the first day to have any questions answered. Students will stay the entire length of the session but parents may leave after the question/answer period.

Each group will audition for their respective plays at their respective meeting times. All participants will be cast regardless of experience. Both age groups will then immediately begin rehearsals on their plays to be presented July 10 and 11 at 7:00 pm in the Bridges/Larson Theatre of the Snow Fine Arts Center. All students are encouraged to participate even if acting is not the primary interest. Students may work backstage in a number of capacities including stage managing, light board operators, props, or other technical areas. Because both groups will immediately audition and begin rehearsals, only those students who can attend all rehearsals and performances are encouraged to register. The plays will be tailored to the talents of the cast and are sure to be challenging to the performers and entertaining for the audience as well.

Registration is now underway. Fees are \$275 per student if paid on or before June 2, 2014. Fees for any student registering between June 3 and June 9 are \$300. Due to the nature of our rehearsal process, students may not participate after June 9. Please see the registration form for refund and cancellation policies.

If you need additional information, please call me at 501-450-5092 or email LizP@uca.edu. The above information is also available on UCA Theatre's web site. Log on to www.uca.edu/theatre and click on the Youth Theatre link. Feel free to share this information with anyone who might be interested in the Youth Theatre!

We look forward to creating with you this summer! See you in June!

Sincerely,

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Liz Parker Youth Theatre Coordinator