

# 7<sup>TH</sup> STREET KIDS

## 2021 Musical Theatre Workshops

### TERMS OF PARTICIPATION

Thank you for choosing to participate in the 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids Summer 2021 Musical Theatre workshops. This “Terms of Participation” should be read and reviewed in its entirety. Please make sure you and your child agree to all of the following conditions in order to participate in a 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids workshop.

#### PARENTAL CONSENT

Your rights, as a parent or guardian, and your child’s safety while participating in 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids workshops, are important to us. Therefore, all registration forms for 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids workshops must be completed and submitted by a parent or legal guardian. There are no exceptions to this requirement.

You will also be required to give your consent for your child to participate in a 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids 2021 workshop. If you do not provide your consent on the registration form, your child will not be allowed to participate in the 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids workshop.

By providing your consent, you give permission for 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids to collect needed personal information about you and your child (please read Privacy Policy posted on our website), and you give permission for your child to participate in the 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids 2021 musical theatre workshops to be held at the 7<sup>th</sup> Street Theatre in Hoquiam. We will also use online services including a Private Facebook Group to communicate updates throughout the summer, email and phone communications, and possibly Zoom for meetings with Kids and parents, and other activities.

#### PARTICIPANT CONDUCT

**Be Respectful.** Show respect at all times to the Directors and other Kids in the workshop.

**Be Courteous.** Use good manners and polite words. Impolite voices, yelling and rude or bad words are not appropriate in 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids. If you have a problem that you cannot solve peacefully, talk to a Director for help finding a solution. The adults are there to help.

**Be Responsible.** Arrive at the theatre for your workshop on time, bring your materials and be prepared.

**Listen and Follow Instructions.** During workshop sessions and rehearsals you will get instructions from the Directors. It’s important to listen and follow their instructions. Listen and support your fellow actors when it is their turn to talk or perform.

**Follow the Guidelines.** Now that you know the rules, it’s your responsibility to remember and follow them. You will receive a reminder if you are getting close to breaking a rule and then it is expected that

you will change your behavior. Your parents will be called in to help resolve any further inappropriate behavior.

**Photos and Video Recordings Are Not Allowed.** Never take a picture, video or audio recording during your 7<sup>th</sup> St Kids workshop. Taking pictures or recording any part of a workshop is strictly prohibited.

**Social Media.** Ask your parents if you can follow 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids on Facebook and Instagram. We will post pictures and recordings there from time to time during the workshops. You can share our posts; just don't post anything that is not an official 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids post from your workshop.

**Be Cooperative.** It takes cooperation from everyone to have a GREAT TIME.

## ATTENDANCE POLICY

Participation in 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids workshops is a commitment. **Attendance is expected - no absences - barring illness.** If you must be absent or are sick, notify the workshop contact immediately. At the start of the workshop, you will be given an attendance schedule, and you will be given the contact information to use when you must be absent. Absolutely **NO absences may occur during the final week, or during the final two (2) weeks for lead characters as identified by the Directors, barring illness.**

**Kids are expected to arrive and be ready to participate by the posted start times.** Three (3) unexcused tardy arrivals and/or early departures will result in having a strike, as described below.

## 3 STRIKE POLICY & REMOVAL FROM WORKSHOP

7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids uses a Three Strike Policy for participants with discipline problems, which can lead to removal from the workshop. The first strike will result in a warning. The second strike will result in parent notification. The third strike will result in being dismissed from the workshop, and tuition will not be refunded.

7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids also reserves the right to remove any participant from the workshop without notice for violating these "Terms of Participation."

## COVID-19 PROTOCOLS AND POLICIES

You are responsible for following the 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids COVID-19 Protocols and Policies for 2021. Please review the protocols and policies posted on the 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids website. If you fail to follow the protocols and policies, including mask wearing and social distancing, you will be subject to discipline and possible removal from the program.

The 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids organization is working hard to minimize the risk of COVID-19 exposure during rehearsals. However, it is important to note that we cannot guarantee that an exposure to COVID-19 won't occur during rehearsals. We will be doing health screenings, cleaning and sanitizing, and changing some of our policies to make sure the risk is as low as possible, but there is always a chance of exposure.

If you are uncomfortable with any of the COVID-19 protocols, including mask wearing, or believe your child may not be able to follow the health and safety guidelines, please do not have your child audition this year. Thank you for understanding.

## PAYMENTS AND REFUND POLICY

**Payment Due Date.** The tuition for each workshop is due on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the workshop. If payment is not received by the due date, your registration will be automatically cancelled and your child will not be allowed to participate in the workshop. **Payment may be made using the “Pay Tuition” link on the 7<sup>th</sup> Street Kids website, or by sending a check or money order to: Mary Nelson, Treasurer, 7<sup>th</sup> St Kids, PO Box 368, Montesano, WA 98563** *(please note this is not the regular 7<sup>th</sup> St Kids address; this address is only being used to expedite processing payments sent by mail).*

**Cancellations and Refunds.** Workshops are limited in size, so if you need to cancel your registration, please let us know as soon as possible so your Kid’s spot can be filled. **All cancellation requests should be emailed to: Kids7thSt@hotmail.com.** Cancellation requests received prior to the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the workshop will receive a full refund. **There will be no refunds for cancellation requests received after the first day of the workshop.**

**Scholarships.** A limited number of scholarships are available. **Scholarship Application forms are available on our website, and applications must be received before the workshop begins.** We will invoice you the amount of tuition not covered by the scholarship, which will be due upon receipt of invoice or no later than the first day of rehearsals, whichever is later.

## CONTACT US IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS

If you have any questions or concerns about these “Terms of Participation,” please email us at: **Kids7thSt@hotmail.com.** Include your email address, and phone #, so we can contact you as quickly as possible to answer your questions.