

**Summer 2024 Opportunities at Blue Water Theatre Company**  
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### **Openings for Teaching Artists**

Class registrations close 4 weeks prior to the start date or when filled (whichever comes first). Classes that do not meet the minimum enrollment requirements will be canceled. Rate of pay for Teaching Artists = \$650-\$850 (DOE) for week-long full day classes and \$300-\$450 for week-long half day classes.



#### **Lakeside Shakespeare: The Tempest Adventure**

Embark on a captivating journey into Shakespeare's magical world with "Lakeside Shakespeare: The Tempest Adventure." Tailored for 6th to 8th graders, this immersive class invites participants to explore the enchanting play through interactive activities, discussions, and hands-on exercises. Set against a scenic lakeside backdrop, it's a week of creativity, collaboration, and Shakespearean discovery.

6th - 8th grade  
June 10 - 14 (full day) 9am - 3:30pm  
Max: 25 participants  
Opening: Teaching Artist



#### **Epic Story Forge: Creating Original Work**

Picture this: We'll work together like a team of wizards, turning every idea into a magical discovery. Forget about scripts – we're the ones writing the show! And get this, we'll mix it all up on a special "horizontal plane" where everything in theatre comes together like a giant puzzle. It's not just about words; it's about the awesome dance of movement, sound, and emotion.

By the end of our adventure, you'll not only have made cool stories but also gained superpowers in confidence, teamwork, and thinking like a storyteller. This isn't your regular workshop; it's a journey where we create our own theatrical magic together!

3rd - 8th grade  
June 17 - 21 (full day) 9am - 3:30pm  
Max: 25 participants  
Opening: Teaching Artist



### **Maker's Workshop: Jukebox! The Musical**

In just one week, campers will dive into the exciting world of musical theater and learn the art of crafting their very own jukebox musical. From selecting hit songs to weaving a captivating storyline, young performers will collaborate, dance, and sing their way to an original, show-stopping performance. It's a week of imagination, music, and theatrical magic – where every camper becomes a star!

3rd - 8th grade

July 8-12, (morning) 9:00 am - 12:30 pm

Max: 25 participants

Opening: Teaching Artist



### **Improv Unleashed!**

Ditch the scripts and dive headfirst into the wild world of improv! Expect pulse-pounding games, lightning-fast thinking, and non-stop laughs. This isn't just a class; it's a comedy revolution where spontaneity rules, and every participant becomes a fearless improv warrior. If you're ready to break the mold and redefine what's possible on stage, "Improv Unleashed" is the place to be this summer! Let the unscripted adventure begin!

6th - 8th grade

July 15-19, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Max: 20 participants

Opening: Teaching Artist

9th-12th grade

July 15-19, 1:00-4:00 pm

Max: 20 participants

Opening: Teaching Artist



### ***A Year with Frog and Toad KIDS***

See the full version at Children's Theatre Company this spring and then dive into an exploration of this classic tale at Blue Water over the summer! *A Year with Frog and Toad KIDS* is adapted from the three-time-Tony-nominated Broadway hit based on Arnold Lobel's well-loved books. Part vaudeville, part make-believe, and all charm, *A Year with Frog and Toad KIDS* tells the story of a friendship that endures throughout the seasons.

This whimsical show follows two great friends – the cheerful, popular Frog, and the rather grumpy Toad – through four fun-filled seasons. Waking from hibernation, Frog and Toad plant gardens, swim, rake leaves, go sledding and learn life lessons along the way. Throughout the year, two best friends celebrate and rejoice in the differences that make them unique and special.

3rd - 8th grade

July 22 - 26 (full day) 9:00 am - 3:30 pm

Performances July 27 at 7:00 pm & July 28 at 2:00 pm

Max: 35 participants

Opening: Choreographer (up to \$400 DOE)

### **Openings for Production Staff**

#### ***Grease: School Edition***

Who: students entering 6th-12th grade

When: Auditions May 20-21, 6:00-9:00 pm and by video; Callbacks on May 23, 7:00-9:00 pm

Rehearsals 6:00-9:00 pm, M-TH and 9:00 am - noon on SA beginning May 28

Tech rehearsals: 5:00-9:30 pm July 8-11

Performances: 7:00 pm on July 12, 13,  
2:00 pm on July 13, 14, 20 & 21

Strike: follows matinee performance on July 21

Openings: Director, Music Director & Stage Manager (up to \$2,000 each DOE)

Choreographer (up to \$1,600 DOE)

Set Design, Lighting Design & Costume Design (\$500 each)

***Disney's High School Musical JR***

Disney Channel's smash hit movie musical comes to life this summer on the Blue Water stage.

Who: students entering 3rd-8th grade (REGISTRATION CLOSED = 40 students enrolled)

When: July 29-31, August 1-2, 5-9, & 12-14; 9:00 am - 3:00 pm  
August 15 from 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Performances: August 15-17 & 22-24 at 7:00 pm and August 18 & 25 at 2:00 pm

Openings: Director & Stage Manager (up to \$2000 each DOE)  
Choreographer (up to \$1,600 DOE)  
Costumer (\$500)  
Lighting Designer (\$500)