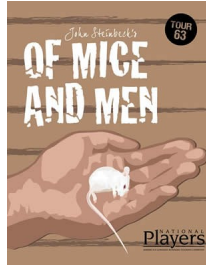


PLAYWRITING WORKSHOP

OF MICE AND MEN

October 20, 2011
Sayre Theatre
12:00 Noon
The National Players

From the author of *The Grapes of Wrath*, *Of Mice and Men* marks another National Players classic tale. In this tragic and endearing story, we follow the mismatched friendship of George Milton and Lennie Small, two displaced migrant ranch workers in Depression-Era California. Small George has big dreams and tiny frame, while the large but simple Lennie seeks the comfort of everyday little pleasures. Just as George's dreams seem within reach, his compassion is tested through Lennie's mistakes. What makes true men and what makes true friends?



Curriculum Connections: Drama
 Literature, Communication; Language Arts

Grades: 7-12

October 20, 2011
Sayre Theatre
Playwriting Workshop
9:30 AM

Extend the experience for your students and make it a day at the theatre with the National Players on October 20. Attend a pre-show workshop, **Power-Play**, which will provide students with an introduction to the actors, get them excited about the show and put them in touch with their creativity. This interactive playwriting workshop introduces the basics of dramatic structure in which students write monologues and short scenes that are then brought to life by the National Players actors.

Curriculum Connections: Language Arts, Drama, Literature, Writing

Grades 7-12

Paper Bag Players

December 9, 2011
Keystone Theatre
9:30 AM & 12:30 PM



Whoop-Dee-Doo, the new show by the Paper Bag Players is all about friends: a new friend in *New Puppy*, old friends in *Day on the Lake*, and friends that compete in *Delicious*. From the tiny paper bag sea monster to the game show called Whoop-Dee-Doo, to a little boy named Boom, this show will surprise and delight you.

Curriculum Connections:
 Language, Communication Skills, Literature-Based Musical

Grades: Pre K - 4th

Beanie and the Bamboozling Book Machine

November 10, 2011
Keystone Theatre
9:30 AM & 12:30 PM
Winding River Players

Beanie Boren, a science wiz who is not keen on reading, has designed a book reading machine for the science fair. It combines a computer, a mini video cam and a contraption of his own design to enable one to read three books at once. Unfortunately, the machine is neither user friendly nor bug free. When Beanie turns it on, out pop the



witches from three famous stories each set to wreak havoc! Beanie must get them back into the books with help from the

good guys in the same stories.

Curriculum Connections: Literature-based, Communication/Language Arts, Drama

Grades: 1-6

Doktor Kaboom

February 1, 2012
Keystone Theatre
9:30AM
February 2, 2012
12:30 PM

Join Mowgli, Baloo, King Louie and the gang as they swing their way through madcap adventures and thwart



the ferocious tiger, Shere Khan. Specially adapted from the beloved film, this musical includes all your favorite Disney tunes, like "The Bare Necessities," and "I Wan'na Be Like You." The Jungle Book Kids is sure to be a crowd-pleaser for audiences of all ages.

Curriculum Connections:
 Literature-based Musical, Relationships

Grades: PreK- 6 **\$3 ticket**

April 23 2012
Keystone Theatre
9:30 AM & 12:30 PM

Scientific logic usually doesn't have much use for words like magic or wonder. But Doktor Kaboom knows the value of these unscientific terms. Join him for a sidesplitting journey of increasingly spectacular, and often successful, experiments and demonstrations that will keep you riveted with interest and rolling with laughter. **Doktor Kaboom!** is an amazing educational tour of the modern scientific method, using humor



and comedy while demonstrating spectacular applications of the physical sciences.

Curriculum Connections: Science, Math,, Theatre

Grades: K- 6 (suitable for all ages)

The BCRAC believes that the arts are an essential form of communication, a powerful means of expression, and an integral part of all of our lives. Partnerships among the arts community, private industry, schools, and the community-at-large are critical for lifelong learning.

General Admission \$5

Special school group rates for 10 or more:

**\$5 per student/chaperone
Teachers Attend Free**

Make It A Day Tour & Workshop \$5 additional

Special Rate for Jungle Book \$4

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Study Guides are available for most shows upon request.

To order tickets or reserve seats for any of these wonderful shows call:

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Canton, PA

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