

THE PIED PIPER

Dear Parents and Guardians,

The audition for the Missoula Children's Theatre production of "THE PIED PIPER" will be held **Monday, February 1, 3:45 pm at Middleton High School**. There are roles for students Kindergarten through Grade 12. Approximately 50-60 local students will be cast to appear in the show with the MCT Tour Actor/Director. **There is no guarantee that everyone who auditions will be cast in the play.** Students wishing to audition must arrive by the scheduled starting time and stay for the entire two-hour session. The first rehearsal begins approximately 15-30 minutes after the audition.

This is a group audition - **no advance preparation is necessary**, but a smile ☺ never hurts. Students should just be ready to come and have a good time!

Rehearsals will be conducted every day from 3:45 to 5:45 pm and 6:15 to 8:15 pm at the High School. **Although not all cast members will be needed at every session, those auditioning must have a clear schedule for the entire week and if selected, be able to attend all rehearsals required for their role.** A detailed rehearsal schedule will be distributed at the conclusion of the audition. Cast members scheduled for the full 4 hours of rehearsal will be asked to bring a sack lunch, dinner or snack for the 1/2 hour break.

The performances will be held on **Saturday February 6 at 3 pm and 5:30 pm**, and will be presented at the **Middleton-Cross Plains Area Performing Arts Center**, at MHS. The students in the cast will be called for dress rehearsal before the performance that day. All those cast must be available for **all** scheduled performances.

The Missoula Children's Theatre is a non-profit organization based in Missoula, Montana. This coming year more than 65,000 cast members across the globe will take to the stage to the delight and applause of their families, friends, community, neighbors and teachers! The residency in Middleton is made possible by the Friends of the Performing Arts Center.

Permission Slip

(Please return to your school contact on or before Friday Jan. 29 -- see reverse side)

My student, _____, grade _____, school _____ has permission to attend the audition for "THE PIED PIPER" from **3:45 pm to 5:45 pm February 1 at the High School**. I understand that, if chosen for the play, my student may need to attend rehearsal from 3:45 -8:15 pm Monday through Friday. They will also need to be available for the dress rehearsal and performances on Saturday Feb.6. I understand that students will not be excused from rehearsals or performances for practices, appointments, etc., but must keep the week completely free for this residency.

Parent or Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Contact info: Address _____

Phone _____ Alternate phone _____

At the Middleton Performing Arts Center
Saturday, February 6, 3 pm and 5:30 pm

Starring: YOUR CHILDREN!! (See reverse)

Group auditions for approximately 65 parts and 4 Assistant Directors,
All grades, K-12
To be held at MHS on Monday February 1 at 3:45pm
Enter at PAC doors

RETURN FORM ON BACK BY FRIDAY January 29 to:

Elm Lawn: Ms. Poulette

Northside: Mrs. Coughlin

Sauk Trail: Mr. Becker

Sunset Ridge: Mrs. Hong

Glacier Creek MS: Ms. Nelson-Bergman

West Middleton: Ms. Boedell

Park: Ms. Blakely

Kromrey MS: Ms. Sinclair

MHS: Mrs. Sharpe