

# Reach for the Stars

“Creative Adventures” Youth Day Camp



## Our Mission

Our youth camp is aimed at young people who want the opportunity to work with entertainment industry professionals in a fun, supportive and structured environment. Our goal is to make the creative arts exciting, interactive and full of adventure. To that end, our classes are geared towards maximum participation by each student. The emphasis is on “doing” rather than “watching”. The culmination of the camp is the **KIDVID Fest and Cabaret on Saturday, August 6th.**

It’s an exciting, adventurous way to explore the worlds of film and theatre, in a “no pressure” atmosphere led by expert industry professionals.



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Since 1993, our teachers, professional actors and directors have worked with thousands of children across the US and Canada. Here’s what’s been said about our Acting Workshops...

“I enjoyed every part...I reached and found my inner self. It’s made me really want to be an actress when I grow up.”

*(Devon, Campton NH)*

“Stage Combat was fun and exciting. It was cool to see the adult actors have sword fights on stage and the next day we’re doing it!”

*(Wes, Medfield, MA)*



“Camp ruled! I’m going to miss you guys. I loved rehearsing the Kid Camp show with the kids and Main Stage with all of the professional actors. I get to see what my life is going to be like when I’m a professional actress!”

*(Riley, Thornton, NH)*



“I liked it all! They told us that there were no wrong answers and we were free to use our imaginations and do whatever we want. “

*(Taylor, New Paltz, NY)*

“When I am a pro ski racer/actor/newscaster I’ll get to use everything I learned here. I loved stage combat, stage fencing, acting, the shows..but my favorite part was having to show fear on stage--because that’s not me--but I acted it and got a lot of satisfaction out of doing something new!”

*(Luke, Campton, NH)*



“I loved every class and every teacher. I want to be an actor when I grow up and loved my roles in the shows and learning my lines!”

*(Sarah, Campton, NH)*

“I loved sword fighting and acting classes. This was so much fun!”

*(Michael, Waterville Valley, NH)*

“The best part was learning more about acting. It’s a really cool thing to do and not boring at all!”

*(Noah, Cambridge, MA)*



*The NY TIMES and BOSTON GLOBE Featured  
NH Governor’s Special Commendation Awarded*

## Theatre Under The Stars



Reach for the Stars  
**CREATIVE ADVENTURES**  
Youth Day Camp

In Waterville Valley, NH

July 25th - August 5th,  
M, T, Th, F 8am-12pm

KIDVID Fest & Cabaret, Sat Aug. 6th

Open to ages 5 to 18



## WE BRING THE WORLD TO NEW HAMPSHIRE!

Created by an award-winning professional with 20 years experience in all aspects of the entertainment industry, our innovative "experiential learning" camps are like no other in New Hampshire. Participants are mentored by artisans in touch with cutting-edge practices in their fields. Your kids get HANDS ON experience in creating their own films and musicals, guided by experienced working professionals

"The learning comes through the doing" as campers gain confidence, listening skills, team building, pride of accomplishment, collaboration, artistic achievement as well as mentors and friends they'll remember for the rest of their lives.

### WE TAKE YOUR CHILDREN ON A CREATIVE ADVENTURE!



### EXCITING NEWS!

### Award-winning composer works with kids on her NEW MUSICAL!!

An exciting addition to this year's camp is the **once-in-a-lifetime** chance to work with an award-winning tv and theatre composer and star in her newest musical!

The culmination of the camp is the **KIDVID FEST** and **CABARET** on Saturday Aug. 6th, when campers take to the stage alongside professional actors to perform in the Final Night Gala and screen their short movies.

**This ain't your Momma's Shakespeare!**

## 2016 CREATIVE ADVENTURES

### ★ Youth Day Camp ★

**TUTS Main Stage at Gazebo Hill**  
(Behind Ice Arena in Town Square, Waterville Valley, NH)  
8am-12pm Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.  
July 25th — Aug. 5th

### ★ KIDVID FEST & CABARET on Sat. evening, Aug. 6th ★

#### **WK 1: Filmmaking & On-Camera Acting**

Working as a production crew, kids will learn every facet of filmmaking from pre-production to production through to editing. Under the guidance of an experienced filmmaker and other mentors, kids will script, shoot, direct, produce, perform and edit short video creations to be shown at KIDVID FEST on Sat. Aug. 6th.

#### **WK 2: Musical Theatre - Acting, Composing,**

#### **Writing, Song Interpretation, Dance & Directing**

Kids will get the **once-in-a-lifetime** chance to work with an **award-winning composer** of theatrical and television musicals on their **newest piece**. Guided by mentors from dance, acting and singing, they will then perform pieces from this world premiere musical in the **KID CABARET** on Sat. Aug 6th.

**Cost:** (non-refundable) \$375 per student  
(Paid in full at registration)  
Age Range: 5-18

(\*Those receiving full scholarships must pay a \$25 Registration fee\*)

Camp is a 2 week commitment broken into 2 modules. Participating in only 1 module is not recommended, but on a "per case" basis, certain exceptions can be made for a camper to only participate in 1 module. **(Please call 603 726 0098 to discuss)**. All campers in the Musical Theatre Module are expected to perform in the KID CABARET on Sat Aug. 6th.

*No child will be turned away regardless of their inability to pay*

#### **Camp fills up fast!**

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**Deadline:**  
July 1st!

## 2016 CREATIVE ADVENTURES DAY CAMP

### REGISTRATION ★

Please detach, fill in and send to us at the address below  
**Deadline is July 1st**

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Age(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent work ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Release:

I indemnify and hold harmless PLAYAH Theatre Group and any of their subsidiaries and staff in perpetuity. I understand that my child's safety will be the camp's first concern but that my child undertakes these camps at their own risk.

Signed (Parent or Legal Guardian):

Print name here: \_\_\_\_\_

Any allergies, health problems or special medications we should know about? (If yes, describe, if not please write "N/A"):

A non-refundable check for \$375 (\$25 off if paid by **May 1st** or have more than one camper in a family) must accompany registration.

**Checks payable to: PLAYAH Theatre Group**

#### **TWO WAYS TO REGISTER:**

1.) Leave registration form and check at Waterville Valley Recreation Department front desk

**Or**

2.) Mail to: Theatre Under the Stars  
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Thank you and we look forward to a great summer!

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