

Amherst Community Theater *presents*



We're so happy to host **Missoula Children's Theatre** for another year of fabulous fun—AT LAST!

MCT (www.mctinc.org) comes to town with two directors, the sets, the costumes, and bundles of energy and enthusiasm to put

on a show in only one week!

Auditions are very entertaining

and non-threatening. In general, there are

spaces available for 60 cast members. In recent years everyone who auditioned was cast, but there have been years when over 100 children have auditioned for only 60 spaces. We anticipate that we may have a larger audition pool again this year, so please be aware—**some auditioners may not be cast**. If your child is cast, you can expect a full and **very** fun week, capped off with two performances in the ARMS Auditorium on Saturday.



Who: Students in Kindergarten – grade 12

When & Where: Week of April 4th – April 9th

Auditions @ Amherst Regional Middle School cafeteria

Rehearsals @ Amherst Regional Middle School

Performances @ Amherst Regional Middle School Auditorium

(all locations pending approval of Amherst Regional Schools—we'll keep this info updated!)

Auditions: Open large group audition... no signup or prior registration is necessary... just come and **be ready to begin at 4:15 sharp on Monday April 4th at Amherst Middle School cafeteria. Those auditioning should arrive at 4:00 and plan to stay for the full two hours.** Parents do not need to stay, but should return by 5:30. These are fun and non-threatening auditions where everyone auditions together. No preparation is needed—but a smile always helps! ☺

Rehearsals: The first rehearsal (older students only) begins approximately 30 minutes after the audition. Older students should bring a bag supper to eat between the audition and rehearsal in the event that they are cast.

Rehearsals will run from 4:00 - 6:00 and 6:30 - 8:30 Monday – Friday @ ARMS, unless otherwise noted.

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. **Older cast members with major roles are usually scheduled for all sessions and should bring a bag dinner each day.** Children in grades K-1 rehearse Wednesday through Friday afternoons.

PERFORMANCES - Saturday, April 9th: Amherst Regional Middle School

Cast will be called at 12:00 noon to prepare for 1:30 show

Afternoon: TWO Performances at 1:30 and 4:00 PM

Registration: \$55, (siblings \$30) payable at the audition by cash or check

(payable to **Town of Amherst**) • *(fee waived if you qualify for free lunch/\$10 if you qualify for reduced lunch)*

Tickets: At the door only • Adults \$8, Students \$5

Questions? call: Betsy or David Mullins 256-1386