



2009-10 Season



JANUARY 2010 NEWSLETTER

Casting for Spring Productions

Congratulations to all my students for their terrific auditions! 61 students auditioned for the spring productions! There is a rehearsal schedule attached for those cast in *The Magic Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle* and the cast of *The Princess and the Pea* were e-mailed their schedule.

Parent Meetings

Now that the auditions are complete, we may begin the process of putting together two fun and exciting shows. The process begins with an understanding of what the production will require from both the student and the parent. Communication is everything for successful shows, therefore we schedule parent meetings which parents attend with their children. The meetings will be conducted by our new board of directors. Students will have regular class prior to and immediately following the meeting times. **Please make every attempt to attend these very important meetings!** New Drama I parents do not need to attend.

The Magic Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle Monday, Feb. 1 from 7:00-8:00pm, parents are asked to meet in our classroom to discuss requirements for the spring musical. Students will still have class from 6:00-7:00pm. There will be no further rehearsal after the meeting.

The Princess and the Pea Tuesday, February 2 from 5:30-6:15pm. Cast I and II will attend at the same time. Note: Cast I will still rehearse prior to the meeting from 4:30-5:30 and Cast II will rehearse immediately after the meeting from 6:15 until 7:30pm.

Drama I students

Please make sure I have your e-mail address to receive the latest information. Remember to turn in your policy sheets ASAP. The Wednesday students will perform on May 19 at 7:30pm and Friday students will perform on Tuesday, May 18 at 7:00pm.

Welcome to our new board members

We welcome our new board members. Janet White has been associated with our group as a costumer, secretary and in many other roles over 20 years! Jon Ashworth and Ben Anello have been our lighting and sound engineers for the last 10 years and have served on several other boards. Darlene Garcia has a wealth of financial experience which will help the development and planning for the future of NMYA.

Please remember to...

- call me at 821-8055 or e-mail me at youngactors@msn.com when your child is sick and cannot attend class.
- call me on my cell at 362-0136 if your child is running late to class.
- check for regular updates at our website at nmyoungactors.org.
- When paying tuition in cash, please put it in an envelope and label what and who the payment is for. Please don't hand in loose cash unless in an envelope.

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