

# MISSOULA CHILDREN'S THEATRE

A PRODUCTION OF MCT, INC.

Iowa-Grant School District is pleased to announce our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual summer theater production of Aladdin! Missoula Children's Theatre production of Aladdin will be in residency at the Iowa-Grant Elementary Middle School from July 24 through July 29, 2017.

The Missoula Children's Theatre presents Aladdin, an original adaptation of the classic fairy tale! For Aladdin it's not easy to find a magic lamp but it's even harder to get a date! It's a swirling sandstorm of famous Arabian Tales from Ali Baba to Scheherazade, and even Sinbad the Sailor, as Aladdin journeys to find a magic lamp in a Cave of (not-so-great) Wonders. Along his way Aladdin seeks answers and advice from wise Genies, a powerful Sultan, and his own Mother to find a way to meet the Princess. However, even with the lamp in hand, Aladdin will have to learn that it takes more than a wish to make a good impression. Full of memorable characters, from lost Penguins to talking Palm Trees, this is an adventure worthy of 1001 laughs.

Students entering 1st grade in the fall of 2017 through 12th grade, are encouraged to audition. **Only those students who register in advance will be allowed to audition!** No advance preparation is necessary. Assistant Directors will also be cast to aid in rehearsals throughout the week and to take on essential backstage responsibilities.

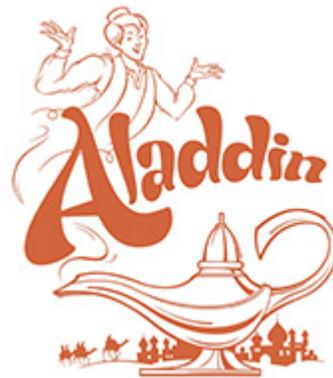
The Missoula Children's Theatre touring productions are complete with costumes, scenery, props and makeup. MCT Tour Actor/Directors will conduct rehearsals from 8 am to 12:30 pm each day for the remainder of the week.

Aladdin will be presented on Friday July 28 at 7:00 pm and Saturday July 29, at 11:00 a.m. at the school. The Missoula Children's Theatre residency is brought to you by the generous grants given to the Iowa-Grant Theatre Club by the Iowa-Grant Education Foundation, Tickets to the shows are \$5 and available at the school the week of the show.

There is a modest charge of \$25.00 per student for this weeklong camp of fun, rehearsals and performances. There will also be an opportunity to participate in extra workshops throughout the week. Please make checks out to Iowa-Grant Theatre Club.

If you are interested in signing your child up for this amazing experience please join us for the registration night on **February 22<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 in the library at IGEMS**. We will open the doors at 6:00 but registration is limited to the first 60 children. Due to age restrictions we can take 16 students' ages 6 or 7, 31 students' ages 8-12, and 13 students' ages 13-18. It will be on a first come first serve basis. There will be no early registration. You must sign up in person on February 22<sup>th</sup>. Before you commit, **remember that your child will need to be available for the entire week of rehearsals (8:00-12:30 on July 24-28<sup>th</sup>) and the performances (7:30 on the 28<sup>th</sup> and 11:00 on the 29<sup>th</sup>).** **Attendance is mandatory and missing will result in them losing their role.** We are looking forward to a wonderful summer of fun, excitement and drama in the cave of wonders!

We look forward to working with you and your child. If you have any questions please direct them to Tricia Sander at [tsander@igs.k12.wi.us](mailto:tsander@igs.k12.wi.us) or Jennifer Rogstad at [jrogstad@igs.k12.wi.us](mailto:jrogstad@igs.k12.wi.us)



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