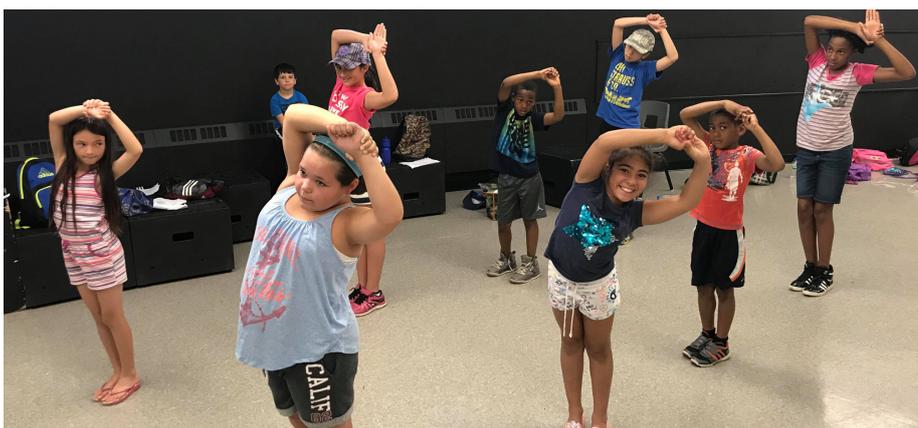


THE PLAYBILL

WEEKLY CAMP NEWSLETTER



Overture with the Arts' (OWTA) Youth Musical Theatre Summer Program had a very exciting second week! We've already jumped into and began rehearsing our original script for our end of summer show, which will be a compilation of some of our favourite musical songs and stories. This week we worked on "Under the Sea" from The Little Mermaid – you really don't want to miss out on what we have in store for you. Luckily, the weather cooled down and now we can have lunch outside in the fresh air! Definitely another successful week!





CAMP HIGHLIGHTS

LIFE IS THE BUBBLES!



We're getting really good at improv games. It's amazing to see all of our campers participating and so involved in the program. There's nothing like witnessing young talent! Campers have worked on emoting and expressing this week, and are quick to transition between emotions and apply it to the scene. They're so good, they inspire the staff to jump in and be a part of the story! Shoutout to Sahana and Zion for working together as a stage mother/daughter duo and already memorizing their lines for the show. Next week, we begin rehearsing the scenes, but don't worry; everyone will have a copy of the script to practice at home.

Oh? What's that I hear? Are those...Harmonies? That's right, they are! We learned "Under the Sea" this week and we brought out the harmonies! Not only that, but warm-ups have gotten more complex. Campers have improved their diction and rhythm, and have already memorized all of the lyrics to a second song. All this progress is music to our ears!

Folks, we have some really superb dancers over here. Campers are so quick to memorize their blocking and moves, we've decided to add another dance to the show! Brace yourself to witness a sleek hip-hop mash-up. Special shoutout to Malcolm for leading his group and doing a great job remembering all the moves so well! It's only been two weeks and we have nearly three full dances learned!

We've only just scratched the surface, and talent just keeps bubbling through more and more every day! This show is going to be incredible!

CAMPER OF THE WEEK

The *Camper of the Week* for Week 2 is Hu!

Hu has incredible improv skills and can come up with a story on the spot. He excels at delivering funny one-liners and puts everyone in a good mood with his hilarious sense of humour. He is polite, involved, and creative! Thanks for being an awesome camper! Go, Hu!!!

Each week, we draw a name out of a hat to select the *Camper of the week*. Stay tuned for next week's amazing camper!

SUMMER BREEZE MUSIC SERIES

Every Friday until August 10 we're showcasing local artists! Come support our Camp Director, Tricia Fitz, on Friday, July 13 at OWTA's 2nd Summer Breeze concert at Starbucks in Chapters Pointe-Claire! The show begins at 7:00pm and is free to attend.

www.owta.org/summer-breeze/