

MARTIN CITY MELODRAMA

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“LOTS OF LAUGHS, WITHOUT THE STINK OF ART”—Charles Ludlam

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THE MARTIN CITY MELODRAMA & VAUDEVILLE COMPANY PRESENTS OUR 22nd YEAR OF KOMEDY KIDSTITUTE© COMEDY AND PERFORMING CAMPS!

WHO: The Martin City Melodrama & Vaudeville Company presents its 22nd year of **KOMEDY KIDSTITUTE© COMEDY AND PERFORMING CAMPS:**

KOMEDY FOR KIDS! (c): is for students entering grades K-12.

Kids will learn how to: tell the funniest joke, slapstick basics, goofy pantomime, off the top-of-your-head improvisation, the classic triple spit take, throw a cream pie, novelty songs, wacky choreography, and perform in an **ORIGINAL FULLY STAGED VAUDEVILLE PRODUCTION** for family and friends! Taught by Martin City Melodrama professionals and performed on the Martin City Stage! Starting June 5th thru June 9th and June 12th thru June 16th. Final show Saturday June 17th, 2017.

CALLING ALL COMEDIENNES! (c): is for girls entering 7-12 grades.

This week-long acting camp is **DESIGNED EXCLUSIVELY FOR GIRLS..** Workshops include scene study and monologues from silly to serious appropriate for the young female actress. Taught by dynamic female theatre professionals with over 30 years of expertise. This camp will take place from July 17th to July 21st. Showcase will be presented on July 21st, 2017.

KOMEDY FOR KIDDIES! (c): is for children 4-8 years of age. This is for the youngest comedians, learning beginning comedy skills, silly songs, and basic stage movement taught by Martin City Comedy & theatre professionals. This camp will run from July 24th to July 28th, 2017. Showcase will be presented on July 28th, 2017.

WHAT: **KOMEDY FOR KIDS ©:** is for students entering grades K-12.

This 2-week comedy camp culminates in an original fully staged vaudeville production performed by student actors for family and friends! The students themselves will design, construct, and produce the production!

CALLING ALL COMEDIENNES! (c): is for female actresses from 6-12th Grade. A showcase will be presented on Friday July 21st, 2017.

KOMEDY FOR KIDDIES! (c): is for children 4-8 years of age. A showcase these youngest comedians will be on July 28th, 2017.

COST:

KOMEDY FOR KIDS(c):

\$325.00 ENROLLMENT FEE DUE BY June 1st, 2017.

9A.M.-4:30 P.M. Monday-Friday June 5th through June 16th, 2017

FINAL SHOW ON JUNE 17, 2017!

CALLING ALL COMEDIENNES!(c):

\$99.00 ENROLLMENT FEE DUE BY July 12th, 2017

9A.M-NOON Monday-Friday July 17th through July 21st, 2017

SHOWCASE ON JULY 21, 2017!

KOMEDY FOR KIDDIES!(c):

\$99.00 ENROLLMENT FEE DUE BY July 20th, 2017

9A.M-NOON Monday-Friday July 24th through July 28th, 2017

SHOWCASE ON JULY 28, 2017!

ALL STUDENTS MUST PROVIDE ONE NEW WHITE T-SHIRT FOR COSTUME! STUDENT ALSO PROVIDES THEIR OWN SNACKS AND LUNCH! KOOL-AID WILL BE PROVIDED FOR CAMPERS!

For inclusion of Special Needs Students, please call or email our artistic director at the contacts listed above.

WHERE:

Martin City Melodrama has obtained a brand new **FOREVER HOME**. The generosity of the Brancato Family and an anonymous donor Martin City Melodrama will now be **PERMANENTLY** located at 702 Blue Ridge Blvd. This new theatre building is only five minutes away from Martin City, five minutes away from Highway 71 North and South, and at the far South edge of KCMO.
