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Education & Outreach



We hope this finds you healthy and enjoying the warm weather!

This Spring, COVID-19 brought changes to almost every facet of our lives. As we look forward to a future when we can reopen our theatres and programs, this pandemic has given us the gift of finding new and exciting ways to engage our community. In this edition of our quarterly newsletter, we share one of those new ways—our Marquee Awards Senior Celebration. We also give you a preview of the 2020-2021 Passport to Learning Series and wrap up the 2019-2020 Season.





MISSION

CAPA's Education & Outreach programs enrich the lives of central Ohio residents by providing free and low-cost creative experiences that are varied, diverse, and accessible. We believe everyone in our community deserves to experience the transformative power of the arts and our many community collaborations enable us to fulfill that belief.

Click the apple to learn about CAPA education!

2020 CAPA MARQUEE SENIOR CELEBRATION

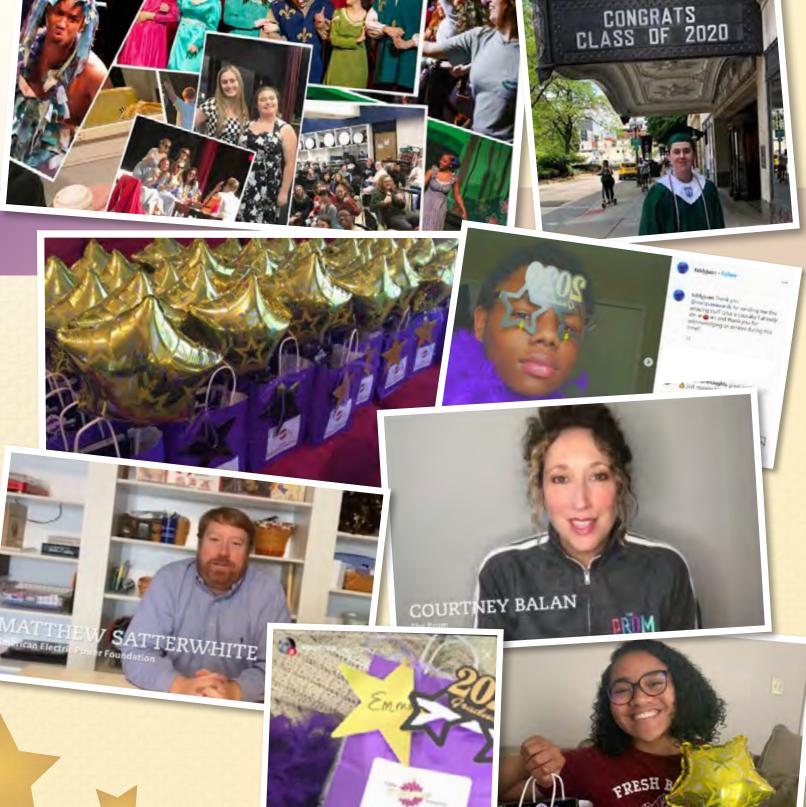


On May 18, the CAPA Marquee Awards Powered by AEP Foundation hosted a Senior Celebration on our web site from 17 of our 19 schools participated in the event that highlighted performance, design, technical theatre, student orchestra, and management.

The celebration featured photos and videos, messages from the schools' directors, interviews with seniors, some and Facebook page. 79 seniors surprise VIP shout-outs from the Broadway community and local Columbus celebrities, and a very special virtual musical performance of "On My Way" from the musical VIOLET.

As part of the evening's celebration, we delivered celebratory swag bags to the home of each participating senior, and changed the marquee of the Ohio Theatre to congratulate the class of 2020.







Click on the logo to watch the Senior Celebration.

Announcing the 2020-2021 Passport to Learning Series



On April 7, we announced the 2020-2021 Passport to Learning Series—which is our 10th season producing student matinee performances! Due to it's overwhelming popularity, we are expanding the series and increasing our offerings of high school, middle school, and STEAM-based shows.

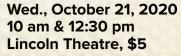
Despite the challenges that COVID-19 presents, we are committed to providing student matinee

performances and educational opportunities during the upcoming school year and are exploring all the ways we can safely do this. We are working with teachers and families to create resources and educational arts experiences that will best serve their needs during these times. Tickets for the series will go on sale August 3, and we will update you on any changes in the coming months.



The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane

Edward Tulane was the most exceptional toy in Abilene's room. He was adored, and he was happy. But then, one day, he was lost. Based on Newbery-winner Kate DiCamillo's beloved book, this is a story of finding friendship, finding yourself, and eventually finding your way back home.









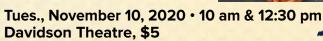






Doktor Kaboom and the Wheel of Science

Doktor Kaboom is having trouble picking his favorite science demonstrations, so he's bringing them all! Doktor Kaboom has built a great big spinning wheel and wherever the wheel stops, that's what's next! Will we turn a water bottle into a rocket or catapult bananas across the stage? Electrocute a pickle or create artificial gravity? Who knows? No two shows will be the same. So, step right up, and let's spin that wheel!











Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol

For 40 years, CAPA has kicked off central Ohio's holiday season with its presentation of this fully staged musical. Featuring a cast of 23 performers, live musicians, and Broadway-style scenery and costumes, Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol captures the warmth and goodwill of the holiday season.

Mon., November 30, 2020 • 10 am
Ohio Theatre, \$5













The Mayhem Poets

Having been dubbed "an amazing ride" by *The New York Times*, the Mayhem Poets have been described as "The Simpsons meets Malcolm X at a Notorious B.I.G. concert." These virtuosos seamlessly blend raw elements of hip hop, theatre, improv, and stand-up comedy to tell gutwrenching truths that leave audiences forever changed.



Fri., January 29, 2021 • 10 am & 12:30 pm Davidson Theatre, \$5











At long last, Baby Bird emerges from her shell and expects to be greeted by her mother's song. But her mother is not there. With the help of Dog, Cat, and Hen, Baby Bird sets out in search of Mother Bird in this colorful musical adventure based on P.D. Eastman's whimsical and well-loved picture book.

Wed., February 17, 2021 • 10 am & 12:30 pm Lincoln Theatre, \$5











Full STEAM Ahead with Mister C Vol. 2—The World in Motion

Back by popular demand, Mister C returns with Volume 2 to help audiences find more exciting and engaging ways to explore STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) in our everyday lives. Students and teachers will be amazed with this fun and educational performance as Mister C uses humor, media, and the engineering design process to make the ordinary extraordinary!

Fri., March 5, 2021 • 10 am & 12:30 pm Davidson Theatre, Riffe Center, \$5











The Princess and the Pea

Princess is introduced to the King and Queen's court just in time to vie for the prince. But her arrival in a rainstorm leaves the Queen to doubt her worthiness as a match for her son. This retelling of the beloved Hans Christian Andersen tale of acceptance and love will prove that staying true to who you are is the key to true happiness.



Wed., April 14, 2021 • 10 am & 12:30 pm Lincoln Theatre, \$5



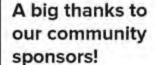










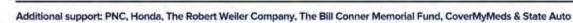










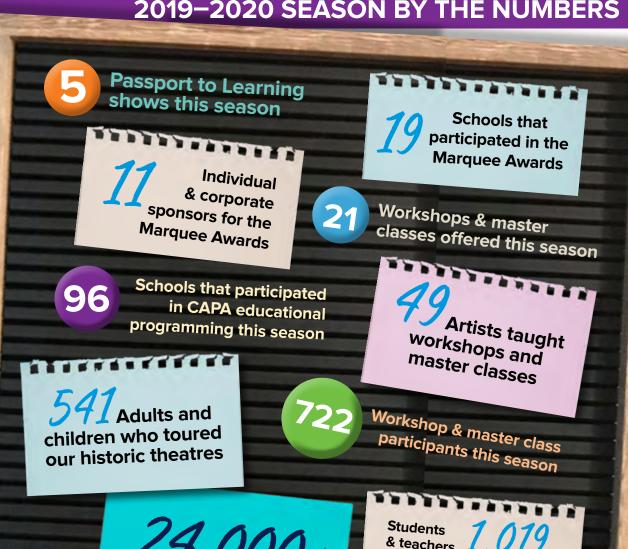




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We bring the world of learning to our stages!

2019-2020 SEASON BY THE NUMBERS



Community members that participated in the **CAPA Education &** Outreach programs

Ticket and transportation subsidies awarded this season thanks to our generous donors and sponsors

& teachers awarded subsidized tickets through Broadway for Kids APPLAUSE program

Free & subsidized tickets awarded this season





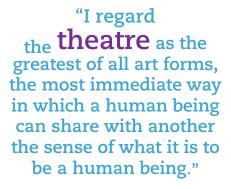
For CAPA's 50th Anniversary in 2019 we established an Education Endowment Fund to ensure our Education programs will be fully funded for future generations of our community. We are proud to report this Education Endowment Fund is now at \$114,800.

If you are interested in making a gift to this important fund, please contact Barbara Markus at 614.469.1045.









—Oscar Wilde

All of CAPA's Education and Outreach programs are 100% funded by donations. You can be a part of this magic. **Donate today!**



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