

Hungry Minds Needed When Brain Candy Live! Plays the Palace November 28

Adam Savage, editor-in-chief of <u>Tested.com</u> and former co-host of the Emmy-nominated Discovery series "MythBusters," and Michael Stevens, creator of award-winning YouTube Channel "Vsauce," have joined forces to create Brain Candy Live!, a one-of-a-kind, interactive, hands-on, minds-on theatrical experience. They're master explainers, bringing along their crazy toys, incredible tools, and mind-blowing demonstrations for a celebration of curiosity that literally has audiences shouting "more" after their favorites. Audiences are engaged and enthusiastic test subjects and participants as they spend two hours laughing, learning, and exploring during a theatrical experience like no other.

CAPA presents Brain Candy Live! at the Palace Theatre (34 W. Broad St.) on Tuesday, November 28, at 7:30 pm. Tickets are \$35-\$153 at the CAPA Ticket Center (39 E. State St.), all Ticketmaster outlets, and <u>www.ticketmaster.com</u>. To purchase tickets by phone, please call (614) 469-0939 or (800) 745-3000.

About Adam Savage

One of the most highly regarded and watched series on the Discovery Channel, "MythBusters" ran for 14 earth-shattering years. Co-executive produced and co-hosted by Savage, the show mixed scientific method with problem solving, gleeful curiosity, and plain old-fashioned ingenuity to confirm or bust myths, popular misconceptions, and creating its own signature style of explosive experimentation. Today, in addition to creating content for his website <u>Tested.com</u>, Savage has become a proponent for making, working with the White House to encourage kids and adults alike to get their hands dirty. He's also a regular at conventions across the country, where his elaborate and handmade costumes (such as Totoro at New York Comic Con) attract much attention ... and hugs.

About Michael Stevens

Michaels' passion for learning, science, and making curiosity contagious led him to create "Vsauce" in 2010. The YouTube channel captures attention with fun questions like, "What Color Is a Mirror?" "Can You Count Past Infinity?" and "Why Are Things Creepy?" Now reaching a collective 17 million subscribers with video views in excess of 2 billion, "Vsauce" has grown into one of the largest educational networks on the web. Last year, it received the Webby for Best Science and Education Network.

www.braincandylive.com

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Adam Savage, one of television's most-loved personalities, has joined forces with Michael Stevens, one of YouTube's biggest stars, to bring you a celebration of curiosity that's an interactive, hands-on, minds-on, theatrical experience like no other. With their crazy toys, incredible tools, and mind-blowing demonstrations, Brain Candy Live! is like a two-hour play date with Walt Disney, Willy Wonka, and Albert Einstein. Tickets are \$35-\$153 at the CAPA Ticket Center (39 E. State St.), all Ticketmaster outlets, and www.ticketmaster.com. To purchase tickets by phone, please call (614) 469-0939 or (800) 745-3000. www.capa.com

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About Michael Weber

Adam Savage, Michael Stevens and director Michael Weber are the brains behind Brain Candy. Widely respected for his innovation, problem-solving and storytelling abilities, Scientific American Magazine wrote, "Michael Weber is a walking Swiss Army Knife." He has worked with a veritable "Who's Who" of writers, directors and performers including Daren Aronofsky, Christian Bale, Don Cheadle, Wes Craven, Mos Def, Robert DeNiro, Tom Hanks, Hugh Jackman, David Mamet, Errol Morris, Jack Nicholson, Christopher Nolan, Edward Norton, Julia Roberts, Aaron Sorkin, Martin Scorsese, George Wolfe and Robert Zemeckis. Weber's work can be seen in dozens of plays and feature films including Forest Gump, Angels in America, The Parent Trap, The Illusionist, Top Dog Underdog, The Prestige, A Year of Magical Thinking and Ocean's 13. Recent projects include a zero-gravity show to be performed on the International Space Station, an interactive candy store that allows kids to make a gumball travel over 250 miles an hour before they chew it and a magic show for the blind that takes place entirely in the dark.

About MagicSpace Entertainment

Brain Candy Live! is produced by MagicSpace Entertainment. The company is headed by Lee D. Marshall, Joe Marsh, John Ballard, Steve Boulay and Bruce Granath and has been producing and presenting national tours, Broadway shows, concerts and museum exhibits worldwide for over 30 years. Consistently one of the top promoters in North America, MagicSpace Entertainment typically produces and presents more than 250 events in 75 cities per year. They have offices in Park City and Salt Lake City, UT. www.magicspace.net

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About CAPA

Owner/operator of downtown Columbus' magnificent historic theatres (Ohio Theatre, Palace Theatre, Southern Theatre) and manager of the Riffe Center Theatre Complex, Lincoln Theatre, Drexel Theatre, Jeanne B. McCoy Community Center for the Arts (New Albany, OH), and the Shubert Theater (New Haven, CT), CAPA is a non-profit, award-winning presenter of national and international performing arts and entertainment. For more information, visit <u>www.capa.com</u>.

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