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VIRTUAL

21ST ANNUAL

HIGH SCHOOL THEATRE WORKSHOP DAY

Saturday, January 23rd, 2021

9:00am-2:00pm EST

STUDENT INFORMATION PACKET

Welcome to BTE's **VIRTUAL** High School Theatre Workshop Day. In this packet you will find everything you need to register and prepare for an amazing day of theatre.

REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.BTE.THEATRESCHOOL.ORG

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STUFF YOU NEED TO KNOW:

- Workshops will be held **virtually on ZOOM (FIVE Zoom links in total.)**
- **A current, functioning email is IMPERATIVE.** Please make sure you share an email (**non-school email**) you check regularly. (If you do not receive your confirmation email, check your spam folder)
- Workshops have limited enrollment. If you want certain workshops, don't wait to register!
- Once registered, you will receive a confirmation email that will provide you with the next steps in the process.
- Workshops will be delegated through breakout rooms. **Please make sure your Zoom account name and the name you registered with match.**
- You'll be e-mailed a copy of your schedule closer to the day of the event. **Please provide a non-school e-mail address.**
- Please wear clothing that allows for free movement. No flip-flops, skirts, ultra-tight pants, or super baggy pants.
- **Make sure to have access to a strong and reliable internet connection.** BTE will not be held responsible for internet, Zoom account, or technical issues the day of the event.
- Zoom classes will require students to have their screens on during the zoom workshops. This is to promote strong engagement with the instructor.
- You will be provided with 15 minutes breaks between each session and zoom link. Please use this time to have snacks, bathroom breaks, or attend to technical issues.

IMPORTANT DATES:

- **December 21st:** Registration Opens
- **January 14th:** Registration Closes
- **January 16th:** Last Day for Refunds
- **January 19th:** Receive Zoom Links for Event

REGISTRATION FEE: \$20

- 3 Workshops on **ZOOM**
- Online Payment
 - If your school pays your registration fee please ask your teacher for the code to register without pay.
 - Refunds can only be issued (less a \$1 processing fee) up to a week before the event. No refunds will be issued after January 16th

EVENT LOGISTICS

(ALL ZOOM LINKS WILL BE PROVIDED ONCE ATTENDEES REGISTER)

- **WELCOME ZOOM MEETING**
 - 9:00am-9:30am EST
 - **FIRST ZOOM SESSION**
 - 10:00am-10:45am EST
 - **SECOND ZOOM SESSION**
 - 11:00AM-11:45am EST
 - **THIRD ZOOM SESSION**
 - 12:00-12:45pm EST
 - **BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY VIRTUAL PLAY PRESENTATION AND TALK BACK**
 - 1:00-1:45pm EST
- The Welcome ZOOM Meeting will open at 9:00am EST.
 - When you click the appropriate link for each session, please wait to be permitted into the Zoom call. (There will be FIVE Zoom links shared with you that will be labeled accordingly)
 - You will not be provided with any information the day of the event. All pertinent information will be shared leading up to the event via email.
 - Workshops take place in Zoom links provided as we near the event. Each attendee will get the same zoom links as all other attendees and once they have entered the link, they will be divided into their designated break out rooms for their chosen classes. ***Please make sure your Zoom account name matches your registration name.***

WORKSHOP DESCRIPTIONS

Acting: Zoom and Screen Discover the differences and the talents necessary to make your performance successful on Zoom and the Big Screen.

Acting: Actor's Warm Up Learn the techniques professionals use to prepare before a performance.

Acting: Monologue Work Dive into the complexity of monologues to give your moment in the sun that added shine!

Acting: Open Scene Work Explore your acting range with this 'back to the basics' offering in performance styles.

Audition Technique Get that leg up in the audition room by learning the "dos and don'ts" actors know and live by.

Character Creation Dive into the process behind a fully realized and developed character.

Costume: Toga Draping Who knew there were this many ways to wear a toga? Have fun seeing what style best fits you!

Dance: Musical Theatre Styles Basic footwork and cool moves are the name of the game in this steadfast workshop offering!

Dance: Acting the Dance Learn how to give your dance routine the extra depth that goes along with dance storytelling.

Discovering Dialect: Cockney "Ello, Guv'na!" Take this class to get a handle on one of the funnest English dialects to master!

Discovering Dialect: Irish "Ye, Boy!" You'll feel like you're from this beautiful island after this workshop!

Discovering Dialect: Southern "Howdy, Partner!" Rustle up your acting chops and conquer this dialect favorite.

Musical Theatre: Acting the Song Add dimension to your singing by exploring your acting choices. *Sheet Music to be provided once registered.*

Script Analysis Dive deep into a script where subtext and choices are just a couple aspects of a piece.

Stage Makeup: Wounds Create amazing bruises, scars, & wounds. *Supplies list to be provided. Students will need to provide the supplies easily found in home.*

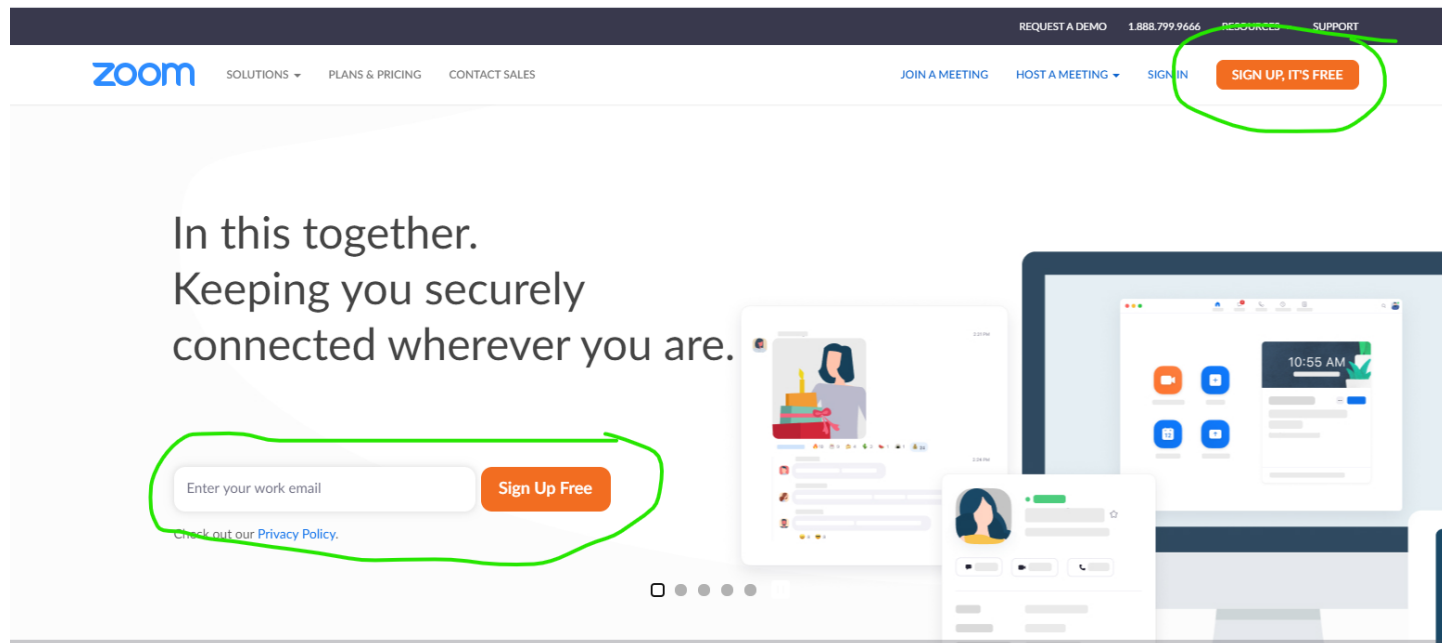
Technical Theatre: Lighting Hues and Cues! Get the basics in stage lighting.

HELPFUL ZOOM INFORMATION

Please read this information carefully. Following this information will help make sure your Zoom experience with us is as smooth as possible. Failure to follow these instructions will result in inability to access our Zoom links.

A non-school email is important to receive all necessary information for the event. (including the zoom links!) Make sure you provide a non-school email for BTE to communicate with you, your teachers, and your parents leading up to the event. School emails often hinder communication due to firewalls.

All participants (students, teachers, others) will need a Zoom account to be able to join the call. If they do not have one, they can easily make a free one by going to <https://zoom.us/> and clicking either sign up button:



It will prompt for a birthdate. They need to be 16 or older to sign up for their own free account. **Below 16 years old should work with their parents to sign up for an account.**

If they already have a Zoom account from their district, it will work just fine.