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April 13, 2012
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WALNUT STREET THEATRE
Spring 2012

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CAREER DEVELOPMENT
Our commitment to the finest training and development for our students continues after the final day of classes. The Theatre School at Walnut Street Theatre provides the following additional opportunities:

AUCTION/EMC POINTS Students enrolled in the School Street Theatre Company's Mainstage productions. This is an opportunity for students to earn points in the Equity Membership Candidate Program.

SCHOOL SHOWCASES offer opportunities for performance, growth and experience in front of a live audience.

CAREER COUNSELING The Education Office will assist in resume and photo preparation, referrals and career consultations.

PLACEMENT Students are frequently placed in audition and performance opportunities through the Education Office. Referrals are made to professional theatres, community theatres and casting directors throughout the tri-state area.

TICKET POLICY Students enjoy great discounts to Walnut Street Theatre productions, use your Walnut Street Theatre student I.D. card to receive 2 day-of tickets for \$20 each!

INVENT PASSIONS
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EXPLORE DREAMS
FEEL ADVENTURE
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BELIEVE ENVISION
DESIRE NURTURE
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DYNAMIC POWER
IMAGINE ASPIRE

DISCOVER YOUR TALENT

DEVELOP YOUR POTENTIAL

MASTER YOUR DREAMS



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Classes for Adults

SPRING SEMESTER
JANUARY 28 - APRIL 13

Classes for Kids & Teens

SATURDAY CLASSES
BEGIN JANUARY 28

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CREATE

LAUGH

ACT

SING

PERFORM



DISCOVERY DIVISION

For the beginning actor

Hitting the Boards: Introduction to Acting

Monday: 6:30-8:30 (10 sessions)	Heather Krause	\$250
Wednesday: 6:00-8:00 (10 sessions)	TJ Sokso	\$250
Saturday 1:05-3:05 (10 sessions)	Noah Herman	\$250

Always wanted to act? Now's your chance! Through theatre games, improvisation, acting exercises and beginning scene work, you will gain confidence and an enriched understanding of the craft. Learn the vocabulary and techniques every actor must know.

Give My Regards to Broadway: Musical Theatre

Monday 6:00-8:00 (10 sessions)	Amanda Snarski	\$250
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This course combines singing and acting techniques to teach students how to "act through a song." Students will sing group and solo numbers from popular musicals, explore acting techniques for creating a rich full character onstage and learn effective strategies for performing in musicals. Come have fun in a class where anything goes!

NEW NIGHT More Than Just a Pretty Face: Acting for the Camera

Friday 6:00-8:00 (10 sessions)	Jerrell Henderson	\$250
Saturday 9:30-11:30 (10 sessions)	Drucie McDaniel	\$250

Are you a natural? Introduce yourself to acting before the camera in an environment of support and relaxation. Demystify the medium and explore techniques to create a strong foundation for professional work and further study.

Come Play With Us: Improvisation

Monday 6:30-8:30 (10 sessions)	Sharon Geller	\$250
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Sense of humor welcome, but not required! Learn how to think on your feet, take risks and build confidence, while having a lot of fun. This class is great for actors as well as non-professionals.

Freeing the Natural Voice: Voice and Speech

Thursday 6:30-8:30 (10 sessions)	Heather Krause	\$250
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Use your voice to express yourself. Speak with clarity and without regional or foreign accents. Actors and business professionals in all fields will benefit from increased vocal power and confidence.

DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

For the developing actor

NEW CLASS Monday Night Live!: Sketch Comedy Acting

Monday 6:30-8:30 (10 sessions)	Leah Walton	\$250
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Ever wanted to create and perform in the kinds of comedy sketches you see on *Saturday Night Live*? This brand new class combines the solid foundation of acting in comedy along with your own imagination to create new characters and situations to write and perform original comedy sketches. The class will include your chance to perform a comedy showcase of brand new material here at the Walnut for friends and family!

Technique and Scene Study: Intermediate Acting

Monday 6:00-8:00 (10 sessions)	David Stradley	\$250
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Learn and discover the proper approach to scene work and character development by using what the playwright has given you on the page. Continue your self discovery as an artist while you build your ability and vocabulary for further advanced study. Students will delve into one full-length scene throughout the semester utilizing theatre exercises, coaching from the instructor, readings and discussions to bring the scene to life.

NEW CLASS The Business of the Business: Auditioning for Musical Theatre

Tuesday: 6:00-8:30	Michael Borton	\$250
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Discovery Level (8 sessions)

Tuesday 6:30-9:00	Kate Galvin	\$250
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Intermediate/Advanced Level (8 sessions)

Acting with confidence! From selecting appropriate material for songs and monologues to developing professional headshots and resumes you'll learn the business of the business. Available at two levels for the professional looking for career insight to the beginner looking to feel more at ease with auditioning. The class will culminate with an end of session showcase for local theatre professionals and features guest instructors throughout the course.

NEW CLASS Dance Call!: Learning Dance Combinations to Book the Show

Monday: 6:30-8:30 (10 sessions)	Ellie Mooney	\$250
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Ever wanted to practice those dance calls that end every musical theatre audition? Here is your chance. Learn a new dance combination every week and get the confidence you need to book the show. Through a variety of exercises and real world experience this fast paced, fun and demanding class will have you walking into your next audition prepared to let your talent shine through!

MASTERS DIVISION

For the serious actor By audition only

Beyond the Basics: Advanced Acting Intensive

Thursday 6:30-9:00 (10 sessions)	José M. Avilés	\$300
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This class is designed for the serious student. This intense scene-study course focuses on making strong choices toward obtaining an objective, taking risks and living in the moment through rigorous and exhilarating personal coaching.

Sing Out!: Advanced Musical Theatre

Tuesday 6:30-8:30 (10 sessions)	Heidi Hayes	\$250
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Join other experienced students in exploring Musical Theatre. Learn how to define your character's traits and intentions while maintaining excellent singing technique. Practice the skills you have acquired in Beginning and Intermediate Music Theatre class to engage fully in the craft of acting through a song.

ACT NOW
TO SAVE UP TO \$60 PER CLASS!

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

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\$20 HOLDS YOUR SPOT

CLASSES START JANUARY 28!

4 WAYS TO SAVE!	SAVE \$10	Early Registration by January 6
	SAVE \$20	2010-2011 Returning WST Theatre School Student
	SAVE \$20	2011-2012 Walnut Street Theatre Subscriber
	SAVE \$10	Bring a Buddy Discount (good for siblings, too!)

All payments are final; tuition is non-refundable. Class offerings are subject to change pending enrollment. Payment must be made in full by January 28. A non-refundable deposit of \$20 is required to hold a space in the course of your choice. A late fee of \$20 applies after January 28.

You may charge by phone with American Express, Visa, MasterCard or Discover, or arrange to send a check.

Discovery Division

For the beginning young actor

Students are placed in skill-matched groups through a fun evaluation on the first class day.

Creative Performance: Kids Acting for Ages 5-7

Saturday 9:00-10:30 (10 sessions)	Luraine Armandt	\$200
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Young students will be introduced to theatrical concepts including character development, play production and performance by exploring various theatre games, art projects and songs in this fun, exciting class.

The Art of Play: Youth Acting for Ages 8-11

Saturday 10:35-12:05 (10 sessions)	Ashley Kerns	\$200
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This fun course teaches the basics of acting utilizing vocal/physical training, theatre games and improvisation. Students acquire improved communication skills and self-confidence for performance.

Creative Expression: Teen Acting for Ages 12-17

Saturday 9:00-10:30 (10 sessions)	Ashley Kerns	\$200
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Through vocal and physical training, improvisation and scene study, teens develop new self-confidence and better communication skills. Explore your innate talent for creative expression while having fun.

Broadway Baby: Musical Theatre for Ages 8-11

Saturday 9:00-10:30 (10 sessions)	Caroline Leipf	\$200
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Express yourself through dance and song! Experience musical theatre through ensemble singing, movement, acting exercises and solo work.

Song and Dance: Musical Theatre for Ages 12-17

Saturday 10:35-12:05 (10 sessions)	Caroline Leipf	\$200
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Commercial Kid: Acting for the Camera for Ages 7-11

Saturday 11:35-1:05 (10 sessions)	Langston Darby	\$200
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Have fun while learning to act for the camera. Learn audition techniques for film and TV and how to relax when working in front of a camera.

Teen Camera: Acting for the Camera for Ages 12-17

Saturday 1:30-3:00 (10 sessions)	Langston Darby	\$200
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Have fun while learning to act for the camera. Learn audition techniques for film and TV and how to relax when working in front of a camera.

NEW CLASS Saturday Afternoon Live!: Sketch Comedy Writing for Kids Ages 10-17

Saturday 3:15-4:45 (10 Sessions)	TJ Sokso	\$200
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If you love *So Random* and *ICarly* now is your chance to create the kind of comedy by kids for kids in the same format as *Saturday Night Live*! Using improv and theatre games you will be part of a team to create your own original show with the chance to perform in a comedy showcase for friends and family here at the Walnut.

Save the Date for
CAMP Walnut 2012
JULY 9 - AUGUST 5
Registration begins February 1.

Development Division

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Broadway Baby: Musical Theatre for Ages 8-11

Saturday 9:00-10:30 (10 sessions)	Matt Mastronardi	\$200
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Song and Dance: Musical Theatre for Ages 12-17

Saturday 10:35-12:05 (10 sessions)	Matt Mastronardi	\$200
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Intermediate Acting: Audition and Acting Technique for Ages 12-17

Saturday 1:00-3:00 (10 sessions)	Jerrell Henderson	\$250
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Not quite sure how to handle yourself at an audition? Wondering how to prepare for a new role? Teens learn advanced techniques to develop their skills in this intermediate level class. Vocal and physical skill-building exercises are incorporated into each class. Significant emphasis is put on audition technique and individual preparation and practice.

Masters Division

For the serious young actor By audition only

The Young Actor: Advanced Acting for Ages 12-18

Saturday 9:00-11:00 (10 sessions)	Leah Walton	\$250
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Step into a new level of performance preparation and skill. Intensive scene study for the serious young actor. Improvisation, vocal and physical training is ongoing.

Broadway Bound: Advanced Musical Theatre for Ages 12-18

Saturday 11:05-1:05 (10 sessions)	Amanda Snarski	\$250
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Discover your musical abilities. Express yourself through dance and song. Experience musical theatre through an end-of-semester scene showcase. This course is for the serious young musical theatre performer with an emphasis on solo performance.

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