

Oddfellows Playhouse Fall Programming for ages 1 to 20 begins September 12, 2026

Registration is now open for Fall Programming at Oddfellows Playhouse Youth Theater, offering classes in theater and circus for students of all ages!

MIDDLETOWN, CT, UNITED STATES, August 21, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Registration is now open for Fall Classes at Oddfellows Playhouse Youth Theater, located at 128 Washington Street in Middletown! Beginning September 12, classes in theater and [circus](#) will be offered for toddlers to 20 year olds. Teenagers are invited to audition for our fall mainstage productions.



Photo by Samantha Perrelli of the 2026 Oddfellows Junior Repertory Company production of Charlotte's Web.

For our youngest Oddfellows, Saturday Classes feature Acrobabies (ages 15 months - under 3 years with caregiver; 9:15 - 9:55 am); Faerie Tale Theater (ages 3 - 6, 10 -10:55 am); Circrobatics (ages 3 - 6, 11 - 11:55 am); and Circrobalance (ages 5 - 8, noon - 1 pm). Classes start September 12 and continue through a Share Day on November 21 (10 weeks total - no classes October 10). All Saturday classes are taught by Meg Berritta.

After-School classes for ages 6 - 14 begin September 14 and will run for ten weeks this fall, culminating in a "Share Week" November 16 - 19. Most classes run 4:30 -5:30 pm.

Stage I classes for ages 6 - 8 include: Contortion and Flexibility (open to ages 6 - 11); Circus I; 3...2...1...BLAST OFF! (an Outer Space Adventure); and Intro to Shakespeare (Bard for Beginners).

Stage II classes for ages 9 - 11 include: Contortion and Flexibility (open to ages 6 - 11); Circus II+ (open to ages 9 - 14); Musical Theater (open to ages 9 - 14); and Punches & Pratfalls.

Stage III classes for ages 12 - 14 include: Movement for Actors; Circus II+ (open to ages 9 - 14);

Musical Theater (open to ages 9 - 14); and Complete Actor.

Middletown Public School students may complement their class experience with Oddbridge, an extended day program which provides transport from Middletown schools to the Playhouse, a snack, and supervised arts activities, games and homework help before classes start. This year Oddbridge will run Monday through Thursday, September 14 - November 19, and will resume for a Special Mini Production Intensive Monday - Thursday, November 30 - December 18. The Oddbridge program provides special programs and activities on early dismissal days.

Teen Repertory Company (ages 14 - 20) will hold auditions for Orestes 2.0 on September 8 and 9, 6 - 9 pm. Orestes 2.0 is a bold, contemporary reimagining of the ancient Greek tragedy, exploring family, revenge, justice, and the fallout of violence. Teens are asked to pre-register for one of the two audition evenings, to arrive on time, and plan to stay for the entire time. Everyone who auditions and commits to the rehearsal and production schedule will be cast in the show. Regular rehearsals will be Mondays and Thursdays, 6 - 9 pm beginning September 14. Performances will be November 12 - 14 and November 20 - 21.

Teen Circus (ages 12 - 20) will hold auditions for its Fall Mainstage Production on September 15 and 16, 6 - 9 pm. No previous circus experience is required, and everyone who auditions and commits to the rehearsal and production schedule will be cast in the show. The production will bring together acrobatics, juggling, contortion, unicycling, object manipulation and other circus disciplines in an original ensemble performance this winter!

For more details on times, tuition and class descriptions, please go to www.oddfellows.org. If you have specific questions, email info@oddfellows.org or call (860) 347-6143. Scholarships and Financial Aid are available for all programs. It is Oddfellows Playhouse policy that the arts should be available to every young person regardless of ability to pay - no one is turned away for lack of funds.

Oddfellows Playhouse, founded in 1975, is Connecticut's oldest and largest [performing arts](#) program for young people. Oddfellows programs are made possible with support from the Middletown Commission on the Arts; Connecticut Office of the Arts/DECD; City of Middletown; The Fund for Greater Hartford; American Savings Foundation; State of Connecticut Judicial Branch (Youth Violence Prevention); Middletown Youth Services Bureau; Community Foundation of Middlesex County; Liberty Bank Foundation; Middletown Health Department; Maximilian E. & Marion O. Hoffman Foundation; Middlesex United Way; George & Grace Long Foundation; and many generous individual donors.

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