

NWCT Newsletter

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ADVANCED TRAINING AT NWCT!

Portland is full of talented young actors, and NWCT is the place they come to train; from Kid's Co. and Teens NW to KidsPro NW and Interns NW, professional training is a big part of NWCT. In the 2008-09 season, these advanced students will participate in seasonal tours, specialized workshops, theater excursions, advanced classes, professional seminars, Second Stage showcase productions, and much more!

Many of these students will also be appearing "Summer Nights!" NWCT's advanced musical theater intensive. (A rehearsal from "Summer Nights!" Session A, pictured to the left.) Performances are August 15-17, Fri.-Sat. 7 p.m. and Sat.-Sun. 2 p.m. [Click here](#) for tickets. NWCT is delighted to offer advanced instruction and experiential learning to these motivated students.

NEXT STOP— THE GREAT WHITE WAY!

NWCT is pleased to announce that after months of auditions, callbacks, and innumerable trips to New York, former NWCT student and current "Summer Nights!" instructor Sam Rogers has been cast in the much-anticipated Broadway revival of *West Side Story*! Sam will take a year off from Julliard where he studies ballet to join his fellow Jets on stage in one of the most beloved musicals ever written. Give our regards to Broadway, Sam! We couldn't be prouder!

REMINDER: PTA MIXER AUG. 13

Join us for our Parent Theater Association Martini Mixer on Wednesday, August 13 from 6-8 p.m. at NWCT! Theater parents will come together for some drinks, get to know each other, and discuss PTA projects in the 2008-09 season. Want to attend? RSVP to melody@nwcts.org.



SUBSCRIBE TODAY!

Tickets are going fast for NWCT's 2008-09 season of plays. This season has something for everyone, including favorites like *The Wizard of Oz*, *Goodnight Moon*, and *The Hobbit*, and brand-new adaptations of *Hansel and Gretel* and *Alice in Wonderland*! Become a [subscriber today](#) for the best seats, lost ticket insurance, free ticket exchanges and discounts!

NWCT SUMMER CLASSES

Wondering what to do with those last weeks of summer? Spend them at NWCT! There's still room in camps like "Backstage Bistro," "War of the Words," "To Be or Not To Be," "Costume Design" and "Musical Biography." [Click here](#) to download a registration form now!

AUGUST CALENDAR

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| 13 | PTA mixer |
| 9, 23 | Playlab performances |
| 15-17 | "Summer Nights!" |

FUN REUNION, FOND MEMORIES

Thanks to all who participated in the Kids Company NW 15-year reunion in July! It was wonderful to see so many faces, relive memories, and the performance on Sunday was not to be forgotten. Thank you to all the Kid's Co. performers and families, for being such a wonderful part of NWCT's history.

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