

2023/2024 student matinees

Parker Arts offers educators the opportunity to enrich their curriculum with live performing arts productions.

Our student matinee series allows for low-cost admission to national touring productions that integrate into your existing curriculum.

Most student matinees include study guides and post-show talk-backs with the actors, directors and technical staff to further student educational experience at Parker Arts.

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Student group tickets are \$10 each.

One complimentary chaperone ticket is available for every ten student tickets purchased, up to ten chaperones per group.

Student group orders must be submitted online at: parkerarts.org/school-group-matinees/.

Student group orders will receive confirmation by way of email invoice from the Parker Arts Box Office that is due 30 days prior to the performance.



Busing Scholarships are available for qualifying schools. For more information, call 303.805.3364.



PACE Center

20000 Pikes Peak Avenue | Parker, CO 80138

The Schoolhouse

19650 E. Mainstreet | Parker, CO 80138

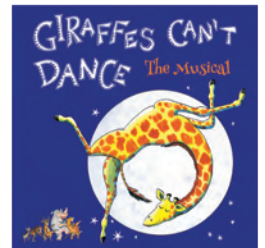


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**OCT
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Giraffes Can't Dance The Musical

OCT 9 | 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. | PACE Center



All the animals in the jungle know their own special dance, but Gerald the Giraffe can't seem to move without a clumsy step. But with the help of a wise cricket, he finds his own song, and dances to the beat of his own drum! In this stage adaptation of the beloved children's book, with puppets, African rhythm, and lots of dancing, Gerald learns that his differences are what make him special. Based on the book *Giraffes Can't Dance*.

Grade Level: Pre-K-2

Run Time: 60 minutes

Curriculum: Language Arts and Literature, Creativity, Social Emotional Learning, Relationships and Family, Music and Performing Arts.

**NOV
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Pete the Cat's Big Hollywood Adventure

NOV 1 | 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. | PACE Center



Lights! Camera! Action! When Pete the Cat and his buddy Callie sneak into the Hollywood Studios, they get lost in the world of the movies. Join Pete, Callie, Ethel the Apatosaurus, and Robo-Pete in this rockin' new musical adventure that features several fun-filled *Pete the Cat* books including *Cavecat Pete*, *Pete the Cat and the Treasure Map*, and *The Cool Cat Boogie*.

Grade Level: Pre-K-3

Run Time: 60 minutes

Curriculum: Language Arts and Literature, Communication, Relationships and Family, Music and Performing Arts.



School of Rock

FEB 2 & 9 | 10:00 a.m. | PACE Center



Rock got no reason, rock got no rhyme...You better get me to school on time! Join us for Andrew Lloyd Webber's School of Rock, based on the hit movie which follows Dewey Finn, a failed, wannabe rock star who decides to earn an extra bit of cash by posing as a substitute teacher at a prestigious prep school. There he turns a class of straight-A pupils into a guitar-shredding, bass-slapping, mind-blowing rock band. But can he get them to the Battle of the Bands without their parents and the school's headmistress finding out?

Grade Level: All Grades *Mild Adult Themes

Run Time: 120 minutes

Curriculum: Social Emotional Learning, Moral Ethical Emphasis, Social Studies, Film and Cinema, Language Arts, Music and Performing Arts.



LOOK OUT! SCIENCE IS COMING!

Doktor Kaboom! Look Out! Science is Coming!

MAR 27 | 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. | PACE Center



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The original Doktor Kaboom! show in which the good Doktor takes his audience on an educational tour of the modern scientific method, using humor and comedy while demonstrating spectacular applications of the physical sciences. Doktor Kaboom performs a series of increasingly spectacular, and often successful, demonstrations of the physical sciences, with a focus on the scientific method. The performance includes an homage to Mister Wizard, a tabletop catapult, illusions of the mind, and chemical reactions.

Topics covered include: safety; pressure and force; simple machines; velocity; application of science to everyday life; the scientific method (hypothesis and experimentation); multiple experimentation; constant discovery of new information and data; definitions: chemical reactions, exothermic, external and chemical formula; mass; air pressure and demonstration vs. experimentation.

Grade Level: 3-8

Run Time: 60 minutes

Curriculum: Science (Embedded Inquiry, Technology and Engineering) Physical Science (Matter, Energy, Motion, Forces of Nature), STEAM, Health, Social Emotional Learning, and Performing Arts.



Call for seating availability:

303.805.6800

Reserve your student group order online :

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Charlotte's Web

APR 12 | 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.
PACE Center



Charlotte's Web is based on E.B. White's loving story of the friendship between a pig named Wilbur and a little gray spider named Charlotte. Wilbur has a problem: how to avoid winding up as pork chops! Charlotte, a fine writer and true friend, hits on a plan to fool Farmer Zuckerman. She will create a "miracle." Spinning the words "Some Pig" in her web, Charlotte weaves a solution which not only makes Wilbur a prize pig but also ensures his place on the farm forever. This treasured tale, featuring madcap and endearing farm animals, explores bravery, selfless love and the true meaning of friendship.

Grade Level: Pre K-5

Run Time: 60 minutes

Curriculum: Language Arts and Literature, Communication, Relationships and Family, Music and Performing Arts.



Miss Nelson is Missing

Written By: Jeffrey Hatcher

APR 24 & 25 | 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. | PACE Center

APR 26 | 10:00 a.m. only | PACE Center

JUN 4 | 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. | PACE Center

(Remount for summer programs!)



Miss Nelson can't control her crazy classroom because she's just too nice. But when she disappears, her replacement is the hard-as-nails, detention-loving, recess-canceling, homework- overloading substitute teacher Viola Swamp! With the Big Test approaching, the kids suddenly realize how much they miss Miss Nelson and they'll do anything – including hiring a private eye – to solve the mystery of her disappearance and bring her back.

Grade Level: K-5

Run Time: 65 minutes

Curriculum: Literature and Language Arts , Math, Emotional and Social Learning, Teamwork and Expression, and Performing Arts.

FOR OLDER AUDIENCES

Eyewitness to History: A Holocaust Survivor Speaks

NOV 8 | 10:00 a.m. | PACE Center



Students in 6th-12th grades will have the unique and profound opportunity to learn more about the Holocaust via recorded, first-hand testimonies from local Holocaust survivor Jack Adler. Led by an onsite educator from the Mizel Museum, students will engage in discussion and reflection to deepen their understanding of the Holocaust and consider the dangerous impact of hate on humanity as they make connections between the past and today.

Grade Level: 6-12

Run Time: 90 minutes

Curriculum: World History, Social Studies, Economics, Human Behavior and Antisemitism.