

# THROUGH THE DECADES



**SOUTH LYON OFF-OFF BROADWAY PLAYERS**  
**STARRING SUMMER ENRICHMENT MID-HIGH STUDENTS**

**FRIDAY, JULY 31ST, 2026**

**@ 7:00 P.M.**

**CENTENNIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL CAFETORIUM**

# ORDER OF EVENTS

THE ATTIC

(9th Graders)

50s & 60s

(Group A)

THE ATTIC AGAIN

(9th Graders)

70s & 80s

(Group B)

SIGN LANGUAGE

MUSIC

--- 10 Minute Intermission ---

THE ATTIC AGAIN AGAIN

(9th Graders)

90s & 00s

(Group C)

THE ATTIC: END

(9th Graders)

SIGN LANGUAGE

DANCE

# PROGRAM STAFF

**Program Consultant:** Jenny Cort

**Program Director:** Marcie Kryka

**Deputy Director:** Abigail Smathers

Zac Desentz

Andie Iovan

Carter Ponsock

Cooper Schultz

Elliot Steger

Charlotte Thomas



## HIGH SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS

Jake Bledsoe

Emory Daniel

Anna Iovan

Madison Iovan

Simone Kaur

Aaron Perfetto

Grayson Rodriguez

Casey Williams



# GRANDPARENTS' ATTIC: PRESENT DAY

Luke.....Owen Steger  
Eric.....Lennon Whitley  
Tina.....Callie McShane  
Ben Machesky.....Jake Bledsoe



WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY  
ABIGAIL SMATHERS



## 50s & 60s

Norman Jones.....Logan Breslawski  
Braklania.....Ari Cevallos  
Janet ("Jack") Jones.....Ally Eckoff  
Joey Jones / Scientist.....Sam Gaddigopula  
Alice Jones / Scientist / Interviewer.....Danika Lowell  
Buzz Aldrin / Bert the Turtle.....Drew Lowell  
Neil Armstrong / Bert the Turtle.....David Mattison  
Jennifer (Receptionist).....Kelly Mattison  
"Jorge".....Levi Pryor



### WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY

CARTER PONSOCK

ABIGAIL SMATHERS

CHARLOTTE THOMAS

VOLUNTEERS: CASEY WILLIAMS



## WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY

ZAC DESENTZ

COOPER SCHULTZ

VOLUNTEERS: JAKE BLEDSOE, MADISON IOVAN



## 70s & 80s

Al Pacino.....Ethan Zupin  
MJ Impersonator.....Harini Pasupuletti  
David Bowie.....Annie Williams  
Ms. Pac-Man.....Hope Major  
Patricia.....Tanya Singh  
Stevie Nicks.....Penelope Baker  
Richard Nixon.....Owen Steger  
Darth Vader.....Jake Bledsoe  
Howard Wexler.....Madison Iovan



# AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE

## "The Goonies R Good Enough"

by Cyndi Lauper



***Directed by:***  
*Abigail Smathers*

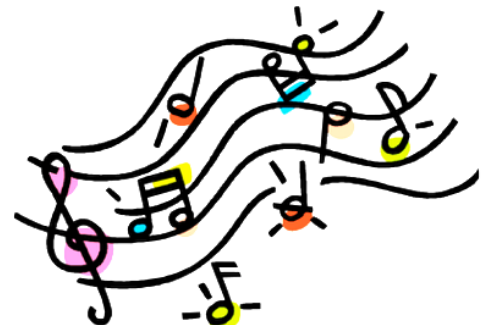
# CHORAL SONG

## "Africa"

by Toto

***Directed by:***

*Andie Iovan*  
*Elliot Steger*



# TEN MINUTE INTERMISSION

## 90s & 00s

Dean / Kurt Cobain / Ad Rock.....Brendan Kearns  
Sam / Dancer / Pokémon Kid.....Alison Murbach  
Rose / Pantene Girl / Dancer.....Callie McShane  
Old Lady Smith / Dancer / Anakin.....Via Addy  
Steve Jobs / Obi Wan / Mike D.....Lennon Whitley  
Pantene Girl 2 / Crystal Pepsi / Yoda.....Anna Bratten  
Pantene Voiceover / Palpatine.....Anna Iovan  
Pokémon Announcer.....Casey Williams  
Dave Grohl / Count Dooku.....Jake Bledsoe  
Krist Novoselic.....Madison Iovan



### WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY

ANDIE IOVAN  
ELLIOT STEGER

VOLUNTEERS: ANNA IOVAN, AARON PERFETTO



# AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE

"Change the World"  
by Eric Clapton

***Directed by:***  
*Abigail Smathers*



# CHOREOGRAPHED DANCE

Decade Celebration Medley  
from *Various Artists*



***Directed by:***  
*Zac Desentz*  
*Charlotte Thomas*

# JOIN US FOR TRICKY TRAY

# THANK YOU TO OUR AMAZING STAFF FOR ALL THEIR YEARS INVOLVED IN THE PROGRAM

Jenny Cort

*38 years*

Cooper Schultz

*17 years*

Zac Desentz

*5 years*

Abigail Smathers

*18 years*

Andie Iovan

*6 years*

Elliot Steger

*9 years*

Marcie Kryka

*29 years*

Charlotte Thomas

*9 years*

Carter Ponsock

*15 years*



# PROGRAM HISTORY

South Lyon Summer Enrichment is a non-profit organization that was founded by Debbie Little in 1988, and was originally modeled as a summer study group to keep young minds sharp between school years. It soon became one of South Lyon Area Youth Assistance's offered programs.

The program quickly evolved into a theatre-based day camp that emphasizes team building, fosters self-confidence, and creates a fun and nurturing environment in which students are encouraged to be themselves, applauded for their confidence, and given space to grow as people.

The students engage in a number of activities throughout the summer, including cardiovascular exercise, sign language, singing, dancing, and performing a stage production at the end of the summer to showcase everything they've learned.

We also take part in community outreach whenever possible, including private performances for the South Lyon Center For Active Adults. We welcome donations from local businesses and credit their contributions in our playbill at the end of the summer.

Many of our staff have been involved in the program since they were children. Summer Enrichment has played a significant role in our lives, and there is no greater reward than being able to give that back to a new generation of kids.

# SPONSORS & SPECIAL THANKS

South Lyon Community Schools

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Doreen Brant

Sue Collins-Schroeder

Debbie Little

Becky Hall

Jennifer & Jeff Steger

Colleen & Andy Jeruzal

Amy & Steve Ponsock

Pamela Cline

Maureen & Jeff Smathers

Quick Silver Marketing Solutions

Aubree's Pizzeria

South Lyon Dairy Queen

Summer Enrichment Families



# IN LOVING MEMORY

Ethan Ponsock



Ethan dedicated his time to Summer Enrichment every year from 2010 to 2025, beginning as a student, transitioning to a high school volunteer, and ultimately mentoring as a staff member. He loved teaching theater and American Sign Language songs, multiple of which he went above and beyond to learn outside the program framework. His warmth and outgoing personality made students gravitate towards him, building and cultivating a level of rapport not often seen.

Ethan's passing left a void in our Enrichment family, a monumental testament to his legacy of kindness and compassion. In coming years, a memorial will be established to acknowledge program participants who show promising qualities that honor and embody Ethan's heart. He is so very missed.

Please speak up and speak out for mental health awareness.

# SAVE THE DATE

## SUMMER ENRICHMENT 2027

### STARTING DATE

Monday, June 28th, 2027



### PERFORMANCES

Thursday, August 5th, 2027

Friday, August 6th, 2027



*Registration Opens April 19th, 2027*

<http://slsummerenrichment.org>

# SOUTH LYON AREA YOUTH ASSISTANCE SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

## TRICKY TRAY FUNDRAISER



**THURSDAY 7/30 & FRIDAY 7/31**  
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE SHOW

A CHANCE TO WIN DONATED PRIZES

