

# PIXAR



**SOUTH LYON SUMMER PLAYERS**

STARRING SUMMER ENRICHMENT ELEMENTARY STUDENTS

**THURSDAY, JULY 31ST, 2025**

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

**CENTENNIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL CAFETORIUM**

# ORDER OF EVENTS

A BUG'S LIFE

Blue Class

RATA-TWO-ILLE

Salmon Class

FINDING NEMO

Purple Class

INSIDE OUT

Green Class

-10 Minute Intermission-

MUSIC #1

MUSIC #2

SIGN LANGUAGE #1

SIGN LANGUAGE #2

DANCE #1

DANCE #2

# PROGRAM STAFF

**Consultant:** Jenny Cort

**Director:** Marcie Kryka

**Staff Lead:** Ben Machesky

**Deputy Director:** Abigail Smathers

Joey Abate

Zac Desentz

Andie Iovan

Carter Ponsock

Cooper Schultz

Elliot Steger

Charlotte Thomas



# HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE VOLUNTEERS

Kavi Ananth

Joe Balog

Ryan Haygood

Shruthika Seerangan

Maxx Sharrard

Lexi Walker

# A BUG'S LIFE

## The Blue Class

Heimlich (Caterpillar).....Shourya Rudra Atmakuri  
Francis (Ladybug).....Evan DeBono  
Gypsy (Butterfly).....Quinn Dorman  
Hopper.....Zeke Wistinghausen  
Princess Atta.....Paisley Speirs  
Rosie (Spider).....Vada Smith  
Manny (Mantis).....Ryker Mrozek  
Flik (Ant).....Casey Williams  
Grasshopper.....Lexi Walker  
Slim (Stick Bug).....Evan Iovan  
Ant.....Ryker Zamora



### **VOLUNTEERS:**

Evan Iovan  
Lexi Walker  
Casey Williams  
Ryker Zamora

WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY  
ABIGAIL SMATHERS  
CHARLOTTE THOMAS



## WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY

JOEY ABATE

CARTER PONSOCK



## RATA-TWO-ILLE

### The Salmon Class

|                   |                |
|-------------------|----------------|
| Remy.....         | Amelia Cipolla |
| Gnocchi.....      | Juliana Morris |
| Delivery Man..... | Ishaan Nukala  |
| Linguine.....     | Vihaan Peddi   |
| Gordon Rams.....  | Will Sekuloski |
| Rigatoni.....     | Evelyn Dorman  |
| Ravioli.....      | Adalyn Forney  |
| Macaroni.....     | Kelly Mattison |
| Fettuccine.....   | Aaron Perfetto |
| Tortellini.....   | Owen Steger    |
| Rotini.....       | Annie Williams |



### **VOLUNTEERS:**

Kelly Mattison  
Aaron Perfetto  
Owen Steger  
Annie Williams

# FINDING NEMO

## The Purple Class

Marlin.....Liam Mrozek  
Dory.....Izzy Lingaur  
Nemo.....Ja'Laya Park  
Bruce.....Mason Lowell  
Crush/Squirt.....Donnie Reed  
Peach.....Destinee Taylor  
Gill.....Evelyn Breslawski  
Dentist.....Grayson Rodriguez  
Darla.....Anna Iovan  
Tad/Nigel.....Shruthika Seerangan



### **VOLUNTEERS:**

Kavi Ananth  
Ella Iovan  
Grayson Rodriguez  
Shruthika Seerangan

### WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY

ZAC DESENTZ  
ELLIOT STEGER



WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY  
ANDIE IOVAN  
COOPER SCHULTZ



## INSIDE OUT

### The Green Class

Britney.....Sahana Atmakuri  
Ms. Teacherson.....Claire Belanger  
Joy.....Anna Bratten  
Disgust.....Ellasyn Forney  
Sadness.....Avery Logan  
Fear.....Drew Lowell  
Anger.....David Mattison  
Craig.....Sam Gaddigopula  
Danny.....Jake Bledsoe  
Mom.....Tanya Singh  
Dad.....Ryan Haygood  
Students.....Amelia Allen, Hash Gummadi



### **VOLUNTEERS:**

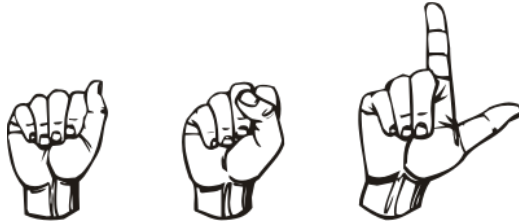
Amelia Allen  
Jake Bledsoe  
Hash Gummadi  
Ryan Haygood  
Tanya Singh

# AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE

*(Blue & Salmon Classes)*

## "Remember Me (Lullaby)"

from Pixar's *Coco*



***Directed by:***  
*Charlotte Thomas*

# CHORAL SONG

*(Blue & Salmon Classes)*

## "The Time of Your Life"

from Pixar's *A Bug's Life*

***Directed by:***

*Andie Iovan*

*Carter Ponsock*

*Elliot Steger*



# CHOREOGRAPHED DANCE

*(Blue & Salmon Classes)*

## "Better When I'm Dancing"

from *The Peanuts Movie*



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

# AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE

*(Purple & Green Classes)*

"Lava"

from Pixar's *Lava*



***Directed by:***  
*Charlotte Thomas*

# CHORAL SONG

*(Purple & Green Classes)*

"Life is a Highway"

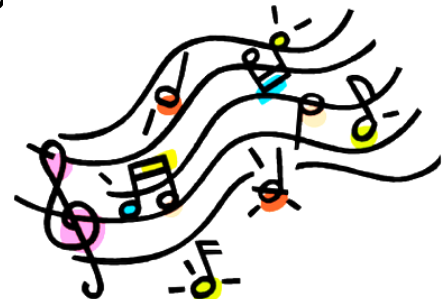
by Rascal Flatts

***Directed by:***

*Andie Iovan*

*Carter Ponsock*

*Elliot Steger*



# CHOREOGRAPHED DANCE

*(Purple & Green Classes)*

"Zero to Hero"

from *Hercules*



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

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

Jenny Cort

*37 years*

Andie Iovan

*4 years*

Marcie Kryka

*28 years*

Carter Ponsock

*14 years*

Ben Machesky

*13 years*

Cooper Schultz

*16 years*

Abigail Smathers

*17 years*

Elliot Steger

*8 years*

Joey Abate

*10 years*

Charlotte Thomas

*7 years*

Zac Desentz

*4 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

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Katherine Machesky

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# SAVE THE DATE

## SUMMER ENRICHMENT 2026

### STARTING DATE

Monday, June 22nd, 2026



### PERFORMANCES

Thursday, July 30th, 2026

Friday, July 31st, 2026



*Registration Opens April 13th, 2026*

<http://slsummerenrichment.org>

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