

Bainbridge Performing Arts 2010-2011 Season

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Now Registering BPA Theatre School Fall Classes for 1st – 8th Grades
1st – 4th grade class begins September 14 for *Monster, Monster, Monster!*
5th – 8th grade class begins September 21 for *The Haunting at Black Rock*

BPA Theatre School is now accepting class registrations for 1st – 8th grade students. Fall offerings include *Monster, Monster, Monster!* for 1st – 4th grades beginning on September 14, and *The Haunting at Black Rock* for 5th – 8th grades beginning on September 21.

A monster of a comedy, *Monster! Monster! Monster!* is an hysterical story of a gang of monsters searching for a new future when they find themselves unable to scare even the tiniest mouse. What does a werewolf do when he isn't scary anymore? What becomes of a witch that people laugh at rather than run from? How does a ghost go haunting when no one cares? Find out in this comical production class for 1st – 4th grades.

The Haunting at Black Rock is a “dark” Gothic horror story. Something strange is happening in the town of Black Rock. Children are disappearing one by one; no one has seen the sun for months; it won't stop raining; and there is something sinister hiding in the shadows...watching....and waiting. Join us for this “dark” tale of a small town tormented by creatures with a taste for human blood. This original production class for 5th – 8th grades includes special-effects makeup, lighting, and projected live animation, and it promises many chilling surprises.

Both productions are written and directed by BPA Artistic Director Steven Fogell. All classes and performances will be at Bainbridge Performing Arts, 200 Madison Avenue North, Bainbridge Island. The 1st – 4th grade production class will meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays, September 14 to November 2, from 4:00 – 5:45 p.m. A final performance is set for Tuesday, November 2 at 5:00 p.m. Tuition for the class is \$245. The 5th – 8th grade production class will meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays, September 21 to November 12 from 4:00 – 6:00 p.m. Final performances are scheduled for Thursday and Friday, November 11 and 12 at 7:00 p.m. Tuition for the class is \$325. Scholarships are available.

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All BPA Theatre School classes will use the magic of live theatre to focus on building confidence, improving group skills, and instilling a love of the arts. For more information about classes or scholarships, contact Steven Fogell at 206.842.1163 or sfogell@bainbridgeperformingarts.org. Additional information is also available online at www.bainbridgeperformingarts.org.

BPA is supported, in part, by the **Bainbridge Island Arts & Humanities Council** and the **City of Bainbridge Island**.

Find out more about BPA at www.bainbridgeperformingarts.org. Check online for the latest on theatre and symphony auditions, complete theatre school and adult class offerings, performance listings, tickets, cast lists, video promos, posters, press, and more. Click on “Join Mailing List” to receive electronic performance announcements and behind-the-scenes news.

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