

**Lloyd Harbor School
7 School Lane
Huntington, New York 11743
November 25, 2014**

Dear Parents and Students:

It's that time of year again! The **Lloyd Harbor Theatre Arts Club** will present *Disney's Aladdin* on March 25 and 26, 2015

Sixth graders interested in participating in the production should attend a review of the script and audition songs on Tuesday, December 9, from 3:15-5:30. Dance auditions will be held on December 9th as well, so attendance at this meeting is very important!

Please see the attached list of songs to learn PRIOR to the first meeting on December 9th

Vocal auditions will be held on Thursday, December 11, 3:15-5:30

Acting auditions will be on Tuesday, December 16, 3:15-5:30

Final Auditions/ First Full Cast Rehearsal will be on Thursday, December 18,
3:15-5:30

Please bring a recent picture of yourself to the vocal audition. DO NOT submit the picture to your teacher OR bring it to the main office. *Bring it with you to auditions.* Include your name and your teacher's name on the back of your picture so it can be returned to you when casting is complete.

Accepting a main part in the play requires 3-4 days per week rehearsal commitment. If you already have a busy after-school activity schedule, I recommend you join a singing and dancing ensemble, as you will typically have only two rehearsals per week.

A Commitment Contract, presented at auditions will state:

- Three absences allowed. If you are absent, it is your responsibility to check with a fellow cast member before the next rehearsal to find out what you missed. If you are a lead, ask your counterpart to stand in for you.
- No absences will be allowed March 9-March 26

Three stage crew members will be selected from each 6th grade, based upon teacher recommendation, considering the student's level of cooperation, reliability and a desire to learn backstage mechanics of theatre. Stage crew commitment runs from March 16-March 26

Please understand, if your child is selected for a major speaking part, he/she is expected to meet the time commitment involved.

Finally, the participation fee of \$50.00, payable to "LHSPTG Lloyd Harbor Theatre Arts Club," helps to defray costs of the production and must be paid following the posting of the cast. Please send the participation fee and your signed permission slip to the main office in an envelope addressed to: "LHSPTG Lloyd Harbor Theatre Arts Club." Include your child's name and teacher. You will also need to give your teacher your transportation slip for each day you attend.

We look forward to bringing Disney's Aladdin to life on our Lloyd Harbor stage.

Sincerely,

Christopher Mckee, Director

Please detach this permission slip and have your child bring it to the first meeting on December 9. DO NOT hand it to your teacher, bring it with you to rehearsal.

My Child _____ has my permission to participate in Lloyd Harbor Theater Arts production of *Aladdin*. He/She will attend the general meeting on December 9th and the auditions on December 11, December 16 and December 18. He/She will submit a photo at the vocal audition.

Parent's Signature

Telephone Number

Audition Song List

Below is a list of songs for you to learn **PRIOR** to auditions. This means that you will have to spend time at home learning the words, and listening to the songs over and over again, the same way you do with the songs on your Ipod! You should choose **ONE** song from the list and stick with that song. The song that you choose should be the one that you are most comfortable singing. We will review all of the songs on this list on December 9 at the first meeting, but you should come in with a strong knowledge of the songs already. Good luck and Happy Singing!

All of the songs that are listed below can be found on www.Youtube.com.
***Please note that the web addresses begin with <https://> (NOT <http://>)

Boys/Girls- **"Friend Like Me"**. Type this link directly into your web browser.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aCShzRGD_MI

Boys/Girls- **"Arabian Nights"** Type this link directly into your web browser

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=60kGmtARU6A>

Girls- **"Beyond These Palace Walls"** Type this link directly into your web browser

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zU1OnvsCm3o>