



PARENT NEWSLETTER #5 RECAPPING WEEK 5 & LOOKING FORWARD TO WEEK 6

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Our 2025 “Page to Stage” program is off to an SPOOKTACULAR start! Monday and Tuesday of this week, all campers participated in “auditions” and “callbacks” for our shows. Each camper gave it their all and showed off their singing, dancing, and acting skills! Casts were announced at the end of the day Tuesday. Of course, there were some tears (of disappointment AND joy) and, by Wednesday, campers got the opportunity to really dig into the script; it is INCREDIBLE how much they have accomplished in just a few short days! We are seeing entire ensemble numbers being blocked, sung, danced--these kids are remarkable and hard-working. Thanks for trusting your camper to us this summer...and thanks for your partnership in ensuring that every camper understands how important they are to these ensemble shows!

Some highlights from this week:

- Eating lunch en masse at the dining hall
- Exploring the “tunnels” to keep out of the rain
- Visits to the Greek Theatre
- Improv games and icebreakers
- ZOMBIES character analyses!
- ADDAMS already singing in 4 part harmony!
- BEETLEJUICE opening scene! WOW!

We would like to challenge you to ask your camper the following questions at home:

- What did you learn about theatre today?
- What did you learn about yourself?



We have had quite a few campers exhibit extraordinary hospitality, involvement, and gusto this week; our campers and staff are truly cultivating a sense of camaraderie this summer!

These campers are proving to be good students, good performers, good people. Going above and beyond in helping others feel welcome exemplifies exactly what CTS stands for.

Congratulations to the following campers this week:

Blake J, Bennett B, Connor M, Paige K, Iris R, Olive A, Daniella B, Clara G, Lilly B, Reese R, Lindsay R, Lee B, Roman S, Simran M, Lucy M, Layla M, Shea M....
...and a special shout out to our campers of the week: Jane L & Juliette PR!

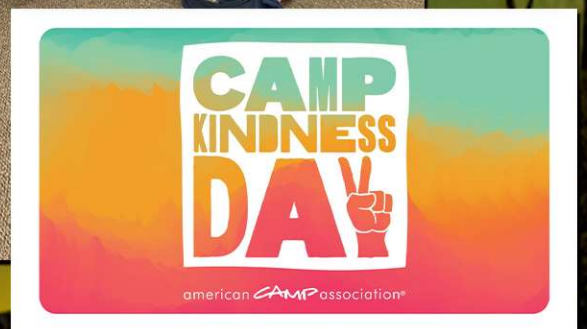
Thanks for your excellence and kindness, friends!
See the next page for a few photos from our time together this week!



WEEK 5!



**SO MANY WONDERFUL MEMORIES WERE
MADE THIS WEEK!
FOR MORE PICTURES, VISIT THE BUNK1 APP!
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SENIOR DIVISION EVENING

A new tradition:

Senior Division campers are invited to the Senior Cabin (on campus) for a spooktacular evening of fun!

Bonfire and ghost stories, anyone?

We will meet at our usual drop off location at the Greek Theatre (380 Lone Pine) and shuttle over to the Senior Cabin for an unforgettable evening!

**FRIDAY JULY 25
8:30PM - 11:00PM**

This event is only for our Senior Division campers (entering grades 9-12).

Sorry, Junior Division campers - you will get your turn someday!

LOOKING AHEAD

WEEKS 6-8 : "PAGE TO STAGE!"

JULY 21 - JULY 25
JULY 28 - AUGUST 1
AUGUST 3 - AUGUST 8

Full-length pieces from American Musical Theatre canon;
final shows performances!

This year:



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**WEEKS 6 AND 7 WILL BE FULL OF REHEARSALS FOR
OUR FINAL SHOWS AND GENERAL CAMP FUN!
WE HAVE BEEN BUSY DIVING INTO OUR SCRIPTS AND
LEARNING ALL THE SCENES, SONGS, AND DANCES!**

DIRECTOR'S NOTES

Exploring the themes and ideas in the wonderful stories of "ZOMBIES THE MUSICAL," "THE ADDAMS FAMILY," and "BEETLEJUICE," coupled with our "AND...SCENE!" themes, we will all have the opportunity to ponder on a few things this summer.

With ZOMBIES, we will explore friendship and belonging, particularly highlighting the importance of acceptance and inclusion.

With ADDAMS FAMILY, we will showcase what it means to embrace change. We will explore trust, fear, & forgiveness, ultimately finding strength with each other.

With BEETLEJUICE, we will explore the reality of struggling with identity, making the most of life, and finding joy in even the most unconventional of circumstances.

We hope you are continuing your journey with us for the entire 8 weeks of programming. We have so many exciting things in store!

We guarantee this summer will be an experience that you and your child will treasure for a long time to come.

To quote Beetlejuice:



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A SUMMER SPOOKTACULAR!

CELEBRATING THE 109TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE GREEK THEATRE
AND THE 83RD SEASON OF CRANBROOK THEATRE SCHOOL!

ZOMBIES THE MUSICAL

FINAL SHOWS "PAGE TO STAGE"

TUESDAY AUGUST 5 @ 7PM

Zombies 7:00-7:30
Addams Family 7:45-8:45
Beetlejuice 9:00-10:00

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 6 @ 7PM

Beetlejuice 7:00-8:00
Addams Family 8:15-9:15
Zombies 9:30-10:00

RAIN DATE:

THURSDAY AUGUST 7 @ 7PM

The Addams Family
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BEETLEJUICE

The Musical. The Musical. The Musical.

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FREE ADMISSION**

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