

BENHUR Sets & Tech Class

Learn the art of set design, painting, building, make-up, special effects, lighting and sound by participating in all the behind-the-scenes artistry that goes into an STP show!

Ages 15+

Tuesdays 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm June 4 through July 23

Plus some Thursdays when we will join the building team to build the platforms and sets on stage and paint the stage itself. These dates will be coordinated with STP builders and cast as needed.

Registration Fee: \$25 due with registration form

Tuition: \$75 due on or before June 4, 2019

Description: We will join the cast for devotions, prayers, script read-throughs and worship, then move to the art room or cafe to discuss the visual elements of the show and how we can best bring the director's vision to life. We'll practice *faux* painting techniques such as stone walls, creating depth with one point perspective and shading, creating backdrops that set the actors up for iconic moments. We'll look at other sets, brainstorm together, sketch, make scale drawings, and models and make a presentation to the director. We'll take the director's input and revise our plans and present again. When we land on a final design, we'll make a plan for producing all the pieces and work together to execute the plan. This may involve building with wood and foam boards, covering with fabric and paintings, and sometimes watching YouTube videos until we figure out how to build things! Lots of problem solving and team work will be practiced! We may be outside splatter-painting one night and inside brainstorming at the white-board the next. Be prepared to get your hands dirty, get paint on your clothes, and get creative!

Expert Volunteers will join us occasionally to teach building techniques, make-up special effects, lighting, and sound. You may find yourself operating spotlights or running sound or doing make-up or hair in the show, if you are inspired!

We will watch the dress rehearsal together on July 24, then discuss how our design worked and what we learned.

Sets & Tech Class Registration Form

6:00 pm to 10:00 pm Tuesday evenings June 4 through July 23

Student Name: _____

Age _____ DOB ____/____/____

Email address: _____ Phone: _____

Parents Names (if under 18): _____

Parent Signature (if under 18) _____ Date _____

Registration \$25 due upon registration.

Tuition \$75 due by June 4, 2019

Office Use Only:

Received: Check # _____ Cash _____ Online _____

I understand that there are some risks involved in this activity, such as using a drill, climbing a ladder, using staple guns and hot glue guns, etc., and I agree to follow safety protocol as directed.

Participant Signature: _____