

Great Big Theatre Company / Summer Theatre Camps / Since 1994 !



CAMP SCHEDULE 2024 / Ages: 6 to 14

July 8-12 / July 15-19 / July 22-26 / Jul 29-Aug 2 / Aug 6-9 / Aug 12-16 / Aug 19-23:

Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30 am-4:30 pm / Registration: \$ 345 per week / Early registration: Until Dec 31: \$ 280 wk / Until Mar 31: \$ 315 wk

Jul 2-5 & Aug 6-9: Hours: Tue-Fri 8:30 am-4:30 pm / Registration: \$ 276 per week / Early registration: Until Dec 31: \$ 225 wk / Until Mar 31: \$ 252 wk

Extended hours available (\$ 8.00 hr / per child / per day) / 2nd, 3rd and other additional weeks for the same camper available at 20 % off

Check our Web site at www.gbtc.com for registration / schedules / information on multiple-week discounts

W H E R E ?

Brampton: Augsburg Lutheran Church, 224 Mill St. S.

Brantford (except Jul 2-5): Harmony United Church, 268 Marlborough St.

Burlington: St John's Anglican Church, 2464 Dundas St.

Georgetown: Knox Presbyterian Church, 116 Main St. S.

Hamilton / Dundas: St. Paul's United Church, 29 Park St. W.

Hamilton / Stoney Creek: Wesley United Church, Hwy 8 & Fruitland Rd

Markham: Markham Baptist Church, 110 Church St.

Mississauga/ Erindale: Erindale Presbyterian Church, 1560 Dundas St.W.

Mississauga / Lorne Park: St Stephen's-on-the-Hill Church, 998 Indian Rd.

Oakville / South St John's United Church, 262 Randall St.

St. Catharines: Oakridge School, 1 Marsdale Dr.

Toronto / Etobicoke: Richview United Church, 149 Wellesworth Dr.

Toronto / Scarborough East: Melville Presbyterian, 70 Old Kingston Rd.

Waterloo: Emmanuel United Church, 22 Bridgeport Rd

Brantford (Jul 2-5): Grace Anglican Church, 4 Pearl St.

Cambridge: Cambridge Community Church, 73 Pollock Ave.

Guelph: St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 161 Norfolk St.

Hamilton / Mountain: Emmanuel United Church, 871 Upper Ottawa St.

London: Colborne St United Church, 711 Colborne St.

Mississauga / Erin Mills: Erin Mills United Church, 3010 The Collegeway

Oakville / North: Faith Baptist Church, 1415 Trafalgar Rd.

Richmond Hill: Richmond Hill United Church, 10201 Yonge St.

Toronto / Centre: College St United Church, 452 College St.

Toronto / North York: Lansing United Church, 49 Bogert Ave.

Toronto / The Beaches: Woodbine Heights Baptist, 1171 Woodbine Ave

Whitby: St Matthew the Evangelist School, 60 Willowbrook Dr.

W H E N ?

	July 2-5 (4 days)	July 8-12	July 15-19	July 22-26	Jul 29- Aug 2	Aug 6-9 (4 days)	Aug 12-16	Aug 19-23
Brampton	✓	✓						
Brantford	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Burlington	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Cambridge	✓		✓					
Georgetown				✓	✓			
Guelph	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
HAMILTON / Dundas	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
HAMILTON / Mountain	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
HAMILTON / Stoney Creek						✓		
LONDON	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Markham		✓	✓					
MISSISSAUGA / Erin Mills	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
MISSISSAUGA / Erindale					✓	✓	✓	
MISSISSAUGA / Lorne Park	✓	✓	✓	✓				
OAKVILLE / North			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
OAKVILLE / South	✓	✓						
Richmond Hill	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
St. Catharines			✓		✓			
TORONTO / Centre		✓			✓			
TORONTO / Etobicoke	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
TORONTO / North York	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
TORONTO / Scarborough East	✓	✓						
TORONTO / The Beaches	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Waterloo	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Whitby	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

*all dates & locations are subject to change



REGISTRATION FORM / 2024

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Please fill out the following: (if more than one camper is registering, supply this information for each):

Name of camper: _____ M / F _____
Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY) _____ Parent(s)/ Guardian(s): _____
Camps registered for: _____
2) Location _____ Date _____ 1) Location _____ Date _____
4) Location _____ Date _____ 3) Location _____ Date _____
6) Location _____ Date _____ 5) Location _____ Date _____
7) Location _____ Date _____
Address: _____
City _____ Postal Code _____
Telephone #: eve.: _____ day: _____ cell: _____
Ontario Health Card # (OHIP) _____
Emergency contact (name & tel. no): _____
Theatre experience, if any: _____
GBTC camps / classes previously attended: _____
e-mail address: _____ alternate e-mail address: _____
Allergies / Medical conditions, if any (attach separate page if required): _____

T-shirt size (camp t-shirt is included with registration): _____ kids S _____ M _____ L _____ adult S _____ M _____ L _____

Help send a kid to camp ! Check here if you would like to add a contribution to the GBTC Camp Fund _____

Contribution amount: \$ 2 _____ \$ 5 _____ \$ 10 _____ \$ 25 _____ \$ 50 _____ Select your own: _____

Tax receipts issued for all contributions \$ 25 & over

Extended hours (if required) Days _____ Times _____

Total extended hours cost (@ \$8.00 per hr/ per camper / per day) _____

Payment Options (select one): Cheque/Money Order _____ Cash _____ Credit Card: Visa _____ Mastercard _____

For credit card payments only: Card # _____ Expiry Date _____ CVV _____

Name on card (please print) _____ Signature _____

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Refund policy: Refunds must be requested at least three weeks before the start of camp. Refund amounts are as follows: Until May 15: full refund, less \$ 50 (per registration) processing; Until three weeks before camp: 50% refund. After this date: no refund. Please include payment for extended hours with your registration. Extended hrs are not refundable after Tue of the week preceding the camp. Extended hrs supervision may be limited to 1 supervisor per location.

Camps are nut-free; please take this into account when preparing lunches & snacks.

Our company maintains a defined and enforced safety policy and places a high priority on child safety and welfare. Each camp will have at least one counselor trained in CPR and first aid procedures. Registration confirmations & camp information will be sent by e-mail wherever possible.

Over 2000 campers attend our camps each summer ! Please register early to reserve the dates and locations of your choice.

Mail this registration form and the attached participant release form (signed)

along with your cheque at least two weeks in advance of camp session.

Cheques may be made payable to: **Great Big Theatre Company**

Mail to: **Great Big Theatre Company, 4 Thistle Lane, Dundas ON L9H 6G1**

Tel.: 1 (866) 864-4282 (toll-free)

e-mail: onstage@gbtc.com

Web: www.gbtc.com

Fax: 905-628-2016

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theatre for young people / for the GTA & Southwestern Ontario



4 Thistle Lane, Dundas ON L9H 6G1

REGISTRATION: PARTICIPANT RELEASE FORM & INFORMATION:

Please complete, sign and return this form in advance of the camp start date, either via e-mail to the address shown below, by mail to the address above, or via fax to 905 628 2016. This form must be signed and submitted to Great Big Theatre Company (GBTC) before this registration can be processed and confirmed

If you have any concerns with respect to your child's camp experience, please ensure that you notify our head office on our toll-free number at 1-866-864-4282, or at 905 628-9747, as early in the camp week as possible, so as to ensure that any issues can be promptly and effectively resolved.

I desire that the child named above participate in the GBTC Camps and all their activities, unless I advise the director otherwise in writing. I agree that, having taken the precautions that, in your discretion, are deemed advisable, the company and its staff will not be held responsible for any sickness or accident to my child. If for any reason my child requires medical attention beyond that furnished by the company, I agree to be responsible for any expense incurred. I covenant and agree to indemnify Great Big Children's Theatre, its employees, directors and staff and save them harmless from and with respect to all suits, actions and prosecutions by reason of any activity carried out by my child, whether on or off the premises at which the camps are held. I authorize GBTC to administer first aid to my child and to secure medical care for my child in an emergency as deemed appropriate by the attending physician(s). I understand that GBTC is not responsible for loss of personal articles, or damage of or wear to such articles, that may occur while attending the program.

I consent to the use of the likeness (including still photos and videos) of my child in connection with the camp programs and related institutional promotional purposes throughout the world and without any compensation. I expressly release GBTC, its officers, directors, agents, employees, licensees and assigns from and against any and all claims for invasion of privacy, defamation, infringement of copyright or any other cause of action that may arise out of such use. I hereby irrevocably release GBTC from any and all claims for libel and invasion of privacy in connection with the foregoing.

I agree that GBTC and its representatives are permitted to send me occasional e-mails with respect to schedule and location changes; class and camp scheduling reminders and notifications; notifications re new programs, discounts and special promotions; audition opportunities; participation in upcoming productions; early registration discounts; and the like.

I certify that the information provided in this registration form is, to my knowledge, true and complete. I have read and understood the above waiver and consent and confirm that I am the parent or legal guardian of the child mentioned herein who is a minor. I confirm that I have the complete custody, care and control of the minor and have the legal authority to agree to this consent and waiver on behalf of the minor and that the consent of no other person or entity is required.

Please include payment for extended hours with your registration. Extended hrs are not refundable after Tue of the week preceding the camp. Extended hrs supervision may be limited to one supervisor per location. Please ensure that campers are picked up at scheduled times. Where a camper is not picked up at the end of booked extended hours (or after 5:00 pm, if no extended hours have been reserved), a \$ 30.00 surcharge will apply.

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About e-mail & SMS: E-mail providers (Hotmail, Gmail, etc.) send a large percentage of all e-mails to Spam and Junk mail folders. We often need to communicate with parents with respect to performance arrangements, open classroom dates, changes to schedule and location, etc. By preference we send these communications via e-mail. Please be aware that these will often go to Spam and Junk mail folders. In order to be sure of receiving communications from us, you will need to check these folders regularly, and also mark received e-mails from us as Non-Spam when you find them there. Alternatively, you can add gbtc.com to your Safe Senders list, if your provider allows for this. Because of the unreliability of e-mail, we will also, at times, use SMS text messaging to communicate information about schedule and location changes, etc.

In compliance with Canadian anti-spam legislation, there is an Unsubscribe option included with every e-mail we send to you. You can Unsubscribe from our e-mails at any time. Please note the following, however: we do not have the ability to unsubscribe you selectively, and only for particular types of e-mails. The Unsubscribe option is global and permanent. Also: we do not have the capacity, in general, to verify whether or not your e-mail address is Unsubscribed or not. Nor do we have the capacity to re-add your address once it has been Unsubscribed. As a consequence of the above, if you unsubscribe from our e-mails before the start of the program for which you are registered, or during it (as you can do by clicking Unsubscribe on any e-mails from us), you will NOT receive important e-mails we may need to send thereafter regarding student attendance or requirements, procedures, final performances, or last-minute changes to schedules, times or locations. We do try insofar as we can to reach everyone by phone where such changes are required, but we cannot guarantee that we will be able to reach all participants.

Refund policy: Refunds must be requested at least three weeks before the start of camp. Refund amounts are as follows: For summer camps: Until May 15: full refund, less \$ 50 (per registration) processing; Until three weeks before camp: 50% refund. After this date: no refund. For March Break camps: Until Jan 8: 50% refund. After this date: no refund. In the case of sessions that have been cancelled due to insufficient registration or public health concerns:

- Registrations that have been paid using credit card, cash, cheque or e-mail transfer will be eligible for full refund
- Registrations that have been paid using pre-existing credit on the family's account will be refunded to the family's credit balance to use for future camps / classes (valid for up to two years).

Change of location: It may occasionally happen that an originally scheduled camp location becomes unavailable to us for unforeseeable reasons; in these cases, we may need to reschedule the camp at an alternate location in the vicinity. We make every effort to notify parents as far in advance as possible when a change of this kind occurs; please note, however, that we do not provide refunds based on the occurrence of a location change except in cases where the replacement location is more than fifteen minutes distant (driving time) from the originally scheduled location. Please note also: we send notifications regarding location change by e-mail and follow up where time allows via phone calls. If notification regarding a location change is e-mailed, and no response is received within 30 days, we will assume that the change of location is acceptable to you; no refunds will be issued in this case.

Confirmation: A confirmation e-mail will be sent to the e-mail address you have provided on the completion of the registration process. A receipt (suitable for income-tax purposes) will follow in a separate e-mail. Please ensure that you retain this receipt. Please verify also that you have received the confirmation e-mail and receipt. If you do not have a receipt in your inbox, it may be that either (a) the registration was not successfully completed; (b) our e-mails are going to your spam or junk mail folders, in which case you will need to add e-mails from gbtc.com to your safe senders list; or (c) the e-mail address you entered on your registration form was incorrect and needs to be verified. Further details and a reminder e-mail will be sent to your e-mail address the week preceding the camp. If you have questions regarding your registration at any time, please call us on our toll-free number at 1-866-864-4282, or at 905-628-9747 or e-mail onstage@gbtc.com

Extended hours / dropoff & pickup:

Extended hour payments: extended hours payments are not refundable after Tuesday of the week preceding the camp. Extended hours should be reserved and paid for as early as possible, so as to ensure that we will be able to accommodate your requested times. Note that extended hours charges only apply to drop off before 8:15am and pick-up after 4:45pm. Extended hours supervision may be limited to one supervisor per location. The extended hours program is not intended as an extension of the structured activities of the camp program; it is intended to provide safe supervision for the convenience of parents whose schedules cannot be accommodated through the normal camp dropoff and pickup hours

Please ensure that camp participants are picked up at scheduled times. For dropoff: at many locations, for security reasons, doors to the facility may be locked after the beginning of the allocated time. For pickup: where a participant is not picked up at the end of booked extended hours (or after 5:00 pm, if no extended hours have been reserved), a \$ 30.00 surcharge will apply.

Activities, Content & Inclusion:

Outdoor activities may in some cases take place at a park or similar area of green space within a short walking distance of the facility at which the program takes place; camp participants will be supervised while there, and while in transit there and back,

GBTC staff and administration will make their best effort to accommodate participants with a wide variety of needs and backgrounds. GBTC reserves the right to request withdrawal of a participant from the program, at the company's own discretion, where it is judged that the needs of the particular participant cannot be accommodated without unacceptable disruption to the camp. Refunds will be issued in these cases for days not attended.

Please ensure that we are notified well in advance where medical and other related conditions might present an issue with respect to GBTC's ability to accommodate a particular participant. We strongly recommend speaking to us by phone at time of registration to discuss your child's particular concerns, if this is the case, so as to assure that our staff, and any needed resources, are available and prepared.

With respect to camp content and agenda; we work to ensure that our camps provide a safe, welcoming and inclusive space for children of all backgrounds, free from expressions of violence, hatred or aggression. At times, during both improvisational games / exercises and script-based activities, children may be generating their own ideas for characters and scenes. It is important, we believe, to allow children the space for imagination while also ensuring that their creative expressions are appropriate, and respectful of others.

Access, Performances, Photos & Videos:

Please note also that at most of our locations, entrances and exits may generally be locked while the camp is in progress for reasons of security. If you need to reach the staff onsite or arrange pickup or dropoff during normal camp hours, please call our office at 1 866 864 4282 and we will contact the location.

The end-of-week performance (which parents, friends, relatives, etc. are invited to attend) will take place Friday afternoon, at 3:30 pm. Note that this may vary slightly from week to week; if there is a large group, the presentation might be scheduled to begin earlier, or might end later. Please verify this start time with camp staff on site in advance.

Photos or videos may not be taken in GBTC camp / class settings, including outdoors, except by authorized GBTC administration and staff, as indicated in the terms of the GBTC photo release included in our registration waivers. An exception will be made for photos / videos of an individual child only, if these are taken by a parent, guardian or member of the immediate family.

For final performances of camp groups and classes: those in attendance are permitted to take photos and / or videos of the performance, and of participants in it, solely for their own use and for distribution to immediate family and friends. Those videos are not to be posted publicly on web pages or social media unless prior approval is obtained from all those included in the photo / video, or their parents / guardians.

Covid-19 policy: You can review our Covid-19 policy on our Web site, at <https://www.gbtc.com/gbtc-covid-policy.php>

Privacy Policy: You can review our privacy policy on our Web site, at <https://www.gbtc.com/gbtc-privacy-policy.php>

Accessibility Policy: You can review our accessibility customer service policy on our Web site: at <https://www.gbtc.com/gbtc-accessibility-policy.php>

Information & Communication Standards Policy: Review on our Web site, at <https://www.gbtc.com/gbtc-infocomm-policy.php>

We can so send copies of these policies to you via mail or email, on request

Parent / Guardian's Signature: _____ **Please print name:** _____
Full name of participant (s) (camper or student) _____ **Date (MM/DD/YYYY)** _____

The above participant's release form must be signed and submitted to Great Big Theatre Company at the address shown below before this registration can be processed and confirmed.