24 COOR PLAY FESTIVALS What is it?

The 24 Hour Play Festival is a production where auditions, script writing, rehearsals, and performances all happen within 24 hours! Scripts will be written & directed by members of the Company Theatre class, with technical designs by members of the Technical Theatre II class. Each script will be about 10 minutes.

Auditions will be held Friday, February 21 starting at 4 pm in the drama room (by the band room). Auditions are only open to <u>high school students</u>. Prepare a 45- second to one-minute monologue OR a story from your life around the same length of time. The audition panel will consist of Company students & Mrs. Pitner. Shortly after auditions you will find out which playwright/director team you've been paired with. This is a **no cut show!** All who audition will be involved in some way!

Actors will report back to the PAC on Saturday morning at 9 am. You will stay all day – rehearsing, finding costumes, and getting ready to perform that night! <u>You will get a lunch break</u> so either bring a sack lunch or money for food if you plan to go out. See the schedule online for more!

Lunch and dinner will not be provided. Students will get a lunch break on Saturday and can either bring a lunch and eat on campus or they can go pick up something from home or somewhere close. Dinner will need to be brought (sack lunch), as we will be eating during dress rehearsals at 5 pm.

Want to come see it?!

Performances are Saturday at 7 pm in the PAC

Tickets are \$5 at the door. <u>All proceeds go towards our students competing at nationals</u> this summer!!

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SCHEDULE

Friday February 21

Auditions – 4 pm in the PAC. Bring your permission slip! Sign up for an audition time on Mrs. Pitner's door before the event!

Cast lists posted by 8 pm

Playwrights - go home and write scripts. Due to Pitner's email by 1am.

Saturday February 22

8:00am: Directors & Designers – get scripts & begin blocking/designing

Actors - report to PAC at 9:30 am

9:30-9:45: Introductory meeting/welcome

9:45-10:00: Get scripts & begin rehearsal

10:00-4:45: Rehearsals (look for tech rehearsal/lunch information below)

Lunch Schedule	Tech Rehearsal Schedule	Tech Tidbits
Teams 3 & 4 @ 11:30-12:30	Team 1 @ 12 pm	Directors can ask for <u>up to</u> 5 lighting/sound cues Can only use set/props pieces available on campus Costumes can be pulled from storage or brought in by actors. If from storage, must be machine washable.
Teams 5 & 6 @ 12:30-1:30	Team 2 @ 12:40 pm	
Teams 1 & 2 @ 1:30-2:30	Team 3 @ 1:20 pm	
	Team 4 @ 2 pm	
	Team 5 @ 2:40 pm	
	Team 6 @ 3:20 pm	

Dress Rehearsal @ 4:00 – We will go in order of show with tech cues. Order will be decided by 3:45 pm by Pitner. Eat dinner when your group is not onstage ☺

Show @ 7 pm in the PAC!!

<u>Keep in Mind:</u>

- Bring snacks & water! LOTS of water! Ond wear comfy clothes. You will be there all day!
- Throughout the day post on your social media to help generate buzz for the event!

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Permission Slip

Student Name: _____

Parents: sign to agree to the following:

- My student can participate in the 24 Hour Play Festival
- I understand that lunch/dinner will not be provided
- I have looked at and agree to the schedule provided

Student Meal Options – Check One

□ My student will be eating on campus & bringing a sack lunch

□ My student has my permission to leave campus to get food, either by going home, walking to a nearby restaurant, or driving to a nearby restaurant.

Parent Name:
Parent Signature:
Parent Phone Number:
Comments/Things Mrs. Pitner should know: