



2024-25 Arts In Education

The Southern Door Community Auditorium is thrilled to announce a BRAND NEW Arts in Education Series available to students in grades 4K-8 attending all private, public and home schools in Door County, Kewaunee County and beyond!

The Arts in Education Series will provide field trip opportunities to:

- 1. Build Connections and Improve Education:** These programs will provide opportunities for educators to connect classroom lessons to live performing arts experiences and help students make connections to various curriculum areas in new and exciting ways.
- 2. Provide Balance in Our Schools:** While core academic content areas remain the focus in schools, we can ensure that our children's exposure to music, theater and similarly creative endeavors are still present by making arts a priority through this extended learning option.
- 3. Increase Learning Engagement:** 7-8 hour school days for 5 days a week can make school a bit redundant for our kids. That's why it's important to shake things up with fun and exciting ways for our kids to learn and retain information. Live performances are an effective way to do just that.

Thank you for making the Arts in Education Series a part of your school year!

Reserve Your Seats Today!

1. List the total number of seats needed for each performance. *Total number of seats should include everyone attending (students, teachers, aides, chaperones, etc.)*
2. All tickets cost **\$5.00** each. For every 15 tickets purchased, you will receive one additional free ticket. (Ex: If you order 80 tickets, five tickets will be at no charge). Initial confirmation of your order will be sent out once the order is received.
3. An order acknowledgement will be sent out 4 weeks before the performance. At this time, final order increases and other slight adjustments may be made, and a final invoice will be generated. Payment is due upon receipt of the invoice. Orders cannot be adjusted after the invoice is issued.
4. Refunds are issued only if a performance is canceled or if your school is closed by an administrator on the day of the show. *No refunds will be given for unused seats the day of the performance.*
5. Reservations are processed in the order in which they are received.

Submit Your Order!

Email your order form to cvandertie@sdsd.k12.wi.us

For more information regarding the Arts in Education Series, please call 920-676-1920.

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MISTER C Live Vol. 1 Air is Everywhere

November 14, 2024

Bring your class to experience hair-raising science, toe-tapping music and mind-blowing media! Join Mister C, the creator/host of the regional Emmy-nominated show, "Full STEAM Ahead, for an amazing day of learning exploring all things air! Mister C is no stranger to finding exciting and engaging ways to explore STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) in our everyday lives. Liquid Nitrogen, t-shirt cannons, toilet paper and ping pong ball launchers plus much much more in this STEAM powered show! Mister C is a 20+ year educator whose sole mission is to transform how everyone feels and thinks about learning. Students and teachers will be amazed with this fun and educational series as Mister C uses humor, media and the engineering design process to make the ordinary EXTRAordinary!

Recommended for Grades 3-6



Curriculum Connections: Critical Thinking, STEAM, Engineering Design Process

Recommended for Grades 4K-8



Buckets N Boards February 13, 2025

Buckets N Boards is a hilarious and high-energy show chock-full of amazing percussion, ridiculous songs, spectacular tap dancing, inventive instrumentation and an incredible variety of musical talents! Matthew Levingston and Gareth Sever have hand crafted a fresh and unique clean comedy experience for people of all ages to enjoy! The show was born from their shared passion for music, comedy, and rhythm, but it truly comes to life through the nonstop hilarious interaction between these two AND their audience. Buckets N Boards has been featured twice with the Kansas City Symphony and is currently heading into their 14th Award Winning season in Branson, MO!

Curriculum Connections: Music, SEL, Themes of Joy, Kindness, and Optimism

Recommended for Grades 4K-3

The Stinky Cheese Man & Other Fairly Stupid Tales April 11, 2025

Based on the book by Jon Scieszka and Lane Smith. Poor Jack. He's got to use his wits to save himself from the terrible Giant, but a host of familiar fairytale characters keep messing up his plans—and then there's that annoying Stinky Cheese Man! The Stinky Cheese Man and Other Fairly Stupid Tales deconstructs the tradition of the fairy tale. Characters slide in and out of tales; Cinderella rebuffs Rumpelstiltskin, and Goldilocks meets the Three Elephants. Nothing is quite the same as you remember it.

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Curriculum Connections: Reading, Writing, Language Arts, Vocabulary, Story Telling

Mayhem Poets

April 28, 2025

Let's go see a poetry show." That is a sentence rarely proclaimed and usually responded to with cringes and excuses. The Mayhem Poets are on a mission to change that. Having been dubbed "an amazing ride" by the New York Times, this mind-boggling performance has been described as "The Simpsons meets Malcolm X at a Notorious B.I.G. concert". These theatre trained, comedically gifted, lyrical virtuosos seamlessly blend raw elements of hip hop, theatre, improv and stand up comedy to tell gut wrenching truths that leave audiences forever changed. The Mayhem Poets' unique approach to spoken word has landed them feature spots on the Today Show after winning first place and a grant for 100k in the Microsoft Idea Wins Challenge in 2006. Since then they've been touring internationally and spreading their mission to reshape society's view of poetry.

Recommended for Grades 4-8



Curriculum Connections: Creative Writing, Poetry, Literary Devices, Language

Recommended for Grades 4K-3

Alice in Wonderland

May 7, 2025

Embark on a whimsical journey down the rabbit hole with Lewis Carroll and Alice Liddell as your guides! Together, they invite you to explore a topsy-turvy world where nothing is quite as it seems. From the White Rabbit to the Cheshire Cat to the Queen of Hearts, you'll encounter the eccentric inhabitants of Wonderland in a journey that's sure to delight and enchant audiences of all ages. Don't be late for this important date!

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Curriculum Connections: Classic Literature, Adaptations, Language Arts, Cause and Effect, Self Reliance

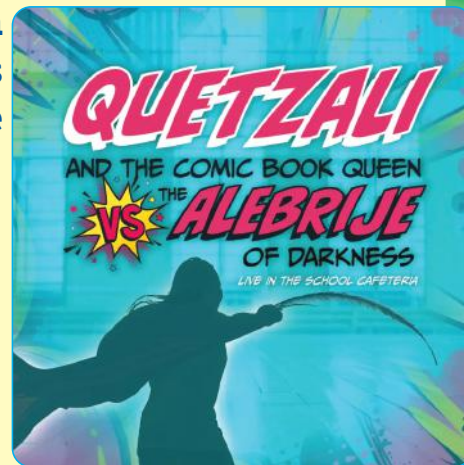
Quetzali and the Comic Book Queen vs. The Alebrije of Darkness:

Live in the School Cafeteria

May 7, 2025

Embark on a thrilling superhero saga in this World Premiere show! Lali Marquez is just a normal teenager – until a mysterious Quetzal feather sprouts from her arm, cueing the start of her epic superhero journey. Teamed up with her comic-loving BFF Nicki, they're on a mission to uncover ancient Aztec secrets and take down the baddies invading their school. Infused with humor, heroism, and heartfelt moments, Quetzali and the Comic Book Queen vs. The Alebrije of Darkness: Live in the School Cafeteria promises an unforgettable theatrical experience you won't want to miss. Join us for this celebration of friendship, family, and finding the (super)power within yourself.

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Recommended for Grades 4-8

Pronunciation Key: Quetzali [Ket-Zali] Alebrije [a-luh-bree-hay]

Curriculum Connections: Friendship, Aztec Mythology, Latino Culture & Heritage, Self-Confidence

ARTS IN EDUCATION ORDER FORM

| Performances | Date | Time | # Seats | Time | # Seats |
|---|---------------|------|---------|------|---------|
| MISTER C Live Vol. 1 Air is Everywhere <i>(Grades 3-6)</i> | Thurs, Nov 14 | 10am | | 1pm | |
| Buckets N Boards <i>(Grades 4K-8)</i> | Thurs, Feb 13 | 10am | | 1pm | |
| The Stinky Cheese Man & Other Fairly Stupid Tales <i>(Grades 4K-3)</i> | Fri, Apr 11 | 10am | | 1pm | |
| The Mayhem Poets <i>(Grades 4-8)</i> | Mon, Apr 28 | 10am | | 1pm | |
| Alice in Wonderland <i>(Grades 4K-3)</i> | Wed, May 7 | 10am | | | |
| Quetzali and the Comic Book Queen vs. The Alebrije of Darkness: Live in the School Cafeteria <i>(Grades 4-8)</i> | Wed, May 7 | | | 1pm | |

Tickets: \$5.00

Contact Information

Teacher Name (First and Last) _____ Grade Level _____

Phone () _____ Email Address _____

School Information

School Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone () _____ Principal Name _____

Principal Signature _____

Accessibility Needs

Please indicate the NUMBER in your group requiring these services: _____

Which show/time? _____

_____ Wheelchair - accessible seating

_____ Special emotional needs accommodation (seating near exit)

_____ Other (specify): _____

Tickets and Seating

No printed tickets are issued for the Arts in Education Series.

Ushers will seat your group according to the seating chart completed by SDCA staff.

Seating is determined by a number of factors including date of registration, special needs, and grade level. It is our priority to keep groups together; however, this may not always be possible. Should it be necessary for your group to be split, you will be reunited prior to dismissal from the building.

Arrivals, Running Times and Dismissal

Please arrive no earlier than 30 minutes and no later than 10 minutes prior to the event. ** All daytime performances are approximately 60 minutes in length.* When scheduling buses, please take into account the added time necessary for dismissal from the theatre and getting your students loaded on the buses.