

# Performing Arts



## Upcoming Performances

### Big Deal Highlights At Twilight

#### Young Performers Concert

Saturday, June 26 at 7:30 pm

Big Deal Productions is excited to present the first-ever presentation of Big Deal Highlights at Twilight! Join us for an evening of song, with some of the area's most talented young performers for this cabaret style performance. The show will be held at the Dan Schimmel Pavilion at Willow Stream Park on Saturday, June 26, and will celebrate musical highlights from many of our most beloved children's theater and teen productions. Featuring performances from some of Big Deal's incredible past and current participants, this show is certain to be a musical blast for the whole community!

Tickets are available for only \$6 per person, and will be available for purchase at [bigdealproductions.org](http://bigdealproductions.org) starting on June 4. Outdoor seating will be arranged in a socially distant manner, with seating assigned by household "pods." Household pod seating will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis; so, please purchase your tickets early to reserve a spot close to the pavilion. Specific details on household pods and outdoor seating will be available when tickets go on sale in May. Ticket sales for this event will close at 12 pm on Friday, June 25. For more information, contact Lindsay Grandt at 847.850.2132 or [lindsay@bgparks.org](mailto:lindsay@bgparks.org).

### Big Deal Summer Cabaret

#### Music In The Moonlight: Best Of Broadway

July 16 and 17 at 7:30 pm

Willow Stream Park

Join us for an evening of song at the Big Deal Summer Cabaret: Music in the Moonlight! This unique musical production, starring some of the area's most talented adult and teen performers, will be a treat for the whole family. Featuring many of your favorite songs from Broadway and beyond, this cabaret style show is not to be missed. Performances will be at the Dan Schimmel Pavilion at Willow Stream Park on Friday, July 16 and Saturday, July 17 at 7:30 pm. If necessary, a rain date performance is scheduled for the evening of Sunday, July 18 at 6:30 pm.

Tickets are available for only \$12 per person (plus a 95¢ service fee), and are available for purchase at [bigdealproductions.org](http://bigdealproductions.org). Seating for the concert will be general admission at the large, outdoor park venue. Grab a lawn chair or picnic blanket, and settle in for an fantastic evening of entertainment. Concessions will be available for purchase. The concert will go on unless weather conditions make it unsafe to do so. Please plan accordingly. For more information, contact Lindsay Grandt at 847.850.2132 or [lindsay@bgparks.org](mailto:lindsay@bgparks.org).

### BG Singers Concert

August 27 and 28 at 7:30 pm

Willow Stream Park

Directed by Linda Rosen

Choreography and Assistant Direction by Charla Silver

Join the BG Singers for a fantastic evening of music under the stars! The choir will celebrate some of their most beloved hits from past performances. Performances will be held at the Dan Schimmel Pavilion at Willow Stream Park on Friday, August 27 and Saturday, August 28 at 7:30 pm.

General Admission tickets are available for only \$12 per adult or \$5 per child ages 10 and under (plus a 95¢ convenience fee). Tickets will be available for purchase at [bigdealproductions.org](http://bigdealproductions.org) starting on July 29. If necessary, rain date performance is scheduled for Sunday, August 29 at 6:30 pm. Grab a lawn chair or picnic blanket, and settle in for a delightful evening of musical entertainment. Concessions will be available for purchase. For more information, contact Lindsay Grandt at 847.850.2132 or [lindsay@bgparks.org](mailto:lindsay@bgparks.org).

## Acting Academy

### Act Out Together

This unique class will focus on scene study and character development. Together, with the instructor, students will be assigned roles, read through a script, develop characters, and focus on the building the acting tool box. There will be a virtual showcase of these scenes for parents and friends during the last 15 minutes of your last class. For more information, contact Jessi Hersman at 847.850.2152 or [jessi@bgparks.org](mailto:jessi@bgparks.org).

| Code      | Age          | Day   | Date              | Time           | R/NR Fee  |
|-----------|--------------|-------|-------------------|----------------|-----------|
| 169923-16 | 5 - 7 years  | Tue   | June 15 - July 20 | 3:15 - 4 pm    | \$40/\$50 |
| 169923-15 | 7 - 13 years | Tu, W | June 15 - July 20 | 4:45 - 5:45 pm | \$54/\$67 |
| 169923-14 | 7 - 13 years | Wed   | June 16 - July 21 | 4 - 5 pm       | \$54/\$67 |

Instructor: Staff

NEW

Location: Online

### Outside Theatre Adventure

This class has all the theatre games, activities and characters you love, but we are taking it outside! Join us for this unique experience that will leave your actor with new theatre skills and confidence through play. Some areas explored will be improvisation, ensemble building and character development. For more information, contact Jessi Hersman at 847.850.2152 or [jessi@bgparks.org](mailto:jessi@bgparks.org).

| Code      | Age         | Day | Date            | Time            | R/NR Fee   |
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| 160840-01 | 4 - 6 years | Tue | June 15 - Aug 3 | 4 - 4:45 pm     | \$80/\$100 |
| 160840-03 | 4 - 6 years | Sat | June 19 - Aug 7 | 9:30 - 10:15 am | \$80/\$100 |
| 160840-04 | 7 - 9 years | Wed | June 16 - Aug 4 | 4:45 - 5:30 pm  | \$80/\$100 |
| 160840-05 | 7 - 9 years | Sat | June 19 - Aug 7 | 10:15 - 11 am   | \$80/\$100 |

Instructor: Staff

Location: Community Arts Center

## Buddies Programming

### Buddies Acting

This in-person offered, buddies-style, inclusive class is new; and, Big Deal Productions could not be more excited! This experience focuses on incorporating social aspects of creating a brand new show that is written and performed by the group. The course will explore areas such as creative storytelling, acting techniques, directing and improvisation at a more advanced level. The final class will feature a small performance. This class is recommended for participants who have participated in buddies programs before, or who are older. To register, or for more information, please contact Jessi Hersman at 847.850.2152 or [jessi@bgparks.org](mailto:jessi@bgparks.org).

Age: 10 years and up

| Code              | Day | Date             | Time             | R/NR Fee  |
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| 169924-03         | Tue | June 1 - July 20 | 5 - 5:45 pm      | \$56/\$67 |
| Instructor: Staff |     |                  | Location: Online |           |



## Private Instruction

### Piano & Flute Lessons

The Buffalo Grove Park District is offering virtual piano and flute lessons, under the direction of Mrs. Nanci Karlin, on a variety of days and times. No prior instruction is required. Piano lessons are open to students in kindergarten and up; flute lessons are open to students in 4th grade and up. Students will need to have an instrument to practice at home between lessons. Students will also need to purchase their own instruction books and music, typically less than \$25. Please contact Lindsay Grandt at [lindsay@bgparks.org](mailto:lindsay@bgparks.org) for pricing information, or to reserve the next available lesson.

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For questions and registration forms please visit the Alcott Center or go online at [bgbricks.org](http://bgbricks.org).  
Information can be found on the Friends of the Parks Foundation page.