What You need to know about TNT 2025 Daytime Camps

TNT PHILOSPHY:

TNT's goals are not only to enhance stage skills but also the cooperation, creativity & goal-setting that any theatrical production requires. Our motto is "It's All Good!" which we truly emphasize because we believe everyone has something to contribute to create a great show. The TNT Camper Pledge embodies this philosophy so we follow it closely & expect our campers to do the same. If they can't honor the Pledge, they will be asked to go home. Sorry, no refunds are given to campers who go home.

DATE	TNT REGISTRATION SCHEDULE	FEE MEMBERS	NON MEMBERS
		ONLY	
March 24 - April 5	"CCT Members Only" Early Registration	\$50*/**	NA
April 6 -18	Early Registration	\$50*/**	\$60*/**
April 19 - May 16	General Registration	\$60*/**	\$70*/**
May 10th	Scholarship applications due		
May 12th	Scholarship recipients notified		
May 17 - June 10	Late Registration	\$70	\$85
May 25	 Last day of Registration with free official camp t-shirt Last day for registration refunds 		
June 11-15	Final Registration (if spaces available)	\$85	\$95
June 16th	First Day of TNT Camp (if spaces available)	\$90	\$100

^{*=\$5} Sibling discounts available

TNT Daytime Troupes (Grades 1-8)

TNT 2024 will run June 16 -27 with the Grand Finale Showcase on Saturday, June 28th

Mornings from 9am-1pm Grades 1- 4

Afternoons from 1pm – 5pm Grades 5 - 8)

***Disclaimer: Campers may be moved to other troupes via discretion of TNT administration in order to accommodate as needed

WHAT TO EXPECT:

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- Campers will audition, rehearse, study lines, make props/sets/costumes (according to their age ability), do crafts, and play games.
- Campers will probably come home tuckered out, paint splattered and with several new friends. They may need help studying their lines or items from their closet for their onstage costume. We try not to incur any unnecessary expenses for our campers.
- Campers may not be dropped off earlier than 15 minutes before the start of their TNT session and must be picked up within 15 minutes of the end of their TNT session. A **\$10** fee per occurrence will be assessed if this policy is violated.

WHAT TO BRING

• Each camper needs to **bring a snack & beverage** for the daily break. Morning campers may want to bring a lunch since the camp runs until 1:00pm.

^{**=}Camper guaranteed camp T-shirt

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- Clothes should be "work clothes" that allow movement & can get dirty (creating is messy business). Please wear an official TNT camp t-shirt as often as possible.
- Shoes must have closed toes (NO sandals or flipflops) that allow running/jumping.
- Please keep all purses, backpacks, cellphones, personal electronics and other non-essential items at home. CCT has an office phone if calls need to be made.
- If a troupe will be wearing stage make-up, each camper is responsible for providing his/her own mascara and/or eyeliner for health reasons. Parents will be notified of this need by the first day of TNT.

ATTENDANCE

Each TNT troupe will produce their own one act play at the **Grand Finale Showcases on Saturday**, **June 28th** so Campers **MUST** be able to **attend every weekday and Saturday the 28th**. Because of the time constraints regarding rehearsals for the showcase performances, TNT reserves the right not to accept registrations from those who have conflicts that will prevent daily attendance at Camp and/or at their Showcase performances.

GRAND FINALE SHOWCASE

Family & friends are all welcome to attend any & all of the Showcases. "Admission" is non-perishable foods or personal toiletry items which are donated to the Good Samaritan. Performance times and ability to video record the presentations will be confirmed by the first day of TNT 2022. Showcase times to be schedule.

SCHOLARSHIPS

A limited number of scholarships to cover the registration fees are available for TNT Daytime. For more information, please visit www.cherokeetheatre.net or contact tnt@cherokeetheatre.net for TNT Scholarships Guidelines.

REGISTRATION

- All TNT registrations are first-come, first-served and space is limited.
- Online and telephone registrations are not possible.
- Campers registered by May 25th will receive a free official TNT t-shirt.
- To register, please submit an information packet with all forms and the appropriate fee by cash, check, money order or credit card. A notarized medical release/health form is required.
- Registration forms must be fully completed and all fees paid for a camper to be considered registered so only completed packets will be processed and registered.
- Registration packets can be sent to CCT at **PO Box 377**, **Rusk Texas 75785** or delivered to the Theater Box Office at **157 West 5**th **Street in Rusk**.
- Campers will be contacted by telephone or e-mail to confirm enrollment. Please contact TNT as soon as possible to cancel a registration. Fees are non-refundable after **May 25**^{th.}

UNDERWRITING

The low registration cost of TNT 2025 is possible due to the generosity of our Underwriters... And **YOU** can be one of them!

That's right - **you too** can be a **TNT Underwriter**! Individuals, organizations and companies are all welcome as TNT Underwriters. Donations of \$50 (name in program), \$100 (name on programs & t-shirts) and \$200 (BIG name on program & t-shirts) are all *gratefully* appreciated. For information on

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becoming an underwriter (donations can be tax-deductible), please contact **TNT at 903/683-2131** or tnt@cherokeetheatre.net.)