

# TNT 2017 at Cherokee Civic Theatre

## What You need to know about TNT 2017

### TNT PHILOSOPHY

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!" & we truly emphasize this 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
March 20 <sup>th</sup>	Forms available: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="http://www.cherokeetheatre.net/TntMain.php">http://www.cherokeetheatre.net/TntMain.php</a></li><li>• <a href="mailto:tnt@cherokeetheatre.net">tnt@cherokeetheatre.net</a></li><li>• CCT Box Office (when open) 157 West 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Rusk Texas 75785</li></ul>	
April 1st-14 <sup>th</sup>	"CCT Members Only" Early Registration	\$45*/**
April 15 <sup>th</sup> -30 <sup>th</sup>	Early Registration	\$50*/**
May 1st-31st	General Registration	\$55*/**
May 15 <sup>th</sup>	Scholarship applications due	
May 25 <sup>th</sup>	Scholarship recipients notified	
June 1 <sup>st</sup> -21 <sup>st</sup>	Late Registration	\$65
June 21 <sup>st</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Last day of Registration with free official camp t-shirt</li><li>• Last day for registration refunds</li></ul>	
June 22 <sup>nd</sup> - July 14 <sup>th</sup>	Final Registration (if spaces available)	\$75
July 17 <sup>th</sup>	First Day of TNT Camp (if spaces available)	\$85

\*=\$5 Sibling discounts available

\*\*=Camper guaranteed camp T-shirt

### TNT Daytime Troupes (Grades 1-8)

Directors this year are: Phyllis Johnson (Grades 1-2) & Sheilah O'Heaney (Grades 3-4)  
Mornings from 9am-1pm  
Rachel Marquez (Grades 5-6) & Moira Debbs (Grades 7-8)  
Afternoons from 1pm – 5pm.

### 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.
- **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, 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. Parents will be notified of this need by the first day of TNT.

### 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.

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- 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.

### ATTENDANCE

Each TNT troupe will produce their own one act play at the **Grand Finale Showcases on Saturday, July 29<sup>th</sup>** so Campers **MUST** be able to attend **every weekday and Saturday the 29<sup>th</sup>**. 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 or at the Showcase performances.

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 2017. Showcase times are expected to be:

10:30 am – Grades 1-2                      \*2:30 pm – Grades 5-6                      \*7:00 pm – TNT PM  
1:00 pm – Grades 3-4                      \*4:00 pm – Grades 7-8

### SCHOLARSHIPS

A limited number of scholarships to cover the registration fees are available for TNT Daytime. For more information, please visit [www.cherokeetheatre.net](http://www.cherokeetheatre.net), contact [tnt@cherokeetheatre.net](mailto:tnt@cherokeetheatre.net) or call CCT for a TNT Scholarships overview sheet.

### REGISTRATION

- All TNT registrations are first-come, first-served and space is limited. Phone registrations are not possible. Campers registered by June 21<sup>st</sup> 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 completed packets will be registered before incomplete ones.
- 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<sup>th</sup> Street in Rusk**. Sorry, originals are required so we’re not able to accept registrations or payments by email.
- Campers will be contacted by phone or e-mail to confirm enrollment. Please contact TNT as soon as possible to cancel a registration. Fees are non-refundable after **June 21, 2017**.

### UNDERWRITING

The low registration cost of TNT 2017 is possible due to the generosity of our Underwriters:

\*Carol Dillard                                      \*Bill & Sandy Sherman  
\*Kelley & Judy Garner                      \*O’Heaney, Debbs, & O’Debbs  
\***YOUR NAME HERE?**

*(That’s right - you too can be a TNT Underwriter! Donations of \$50 (name in program), \$100 (name on t-shirts) and \$200 (BIG name on program) are all gratefully appreciated. For information on becoming an underwriter (donations can be tax-deductible), please contact TNT at 903/683-2131 or [tnt@cherokeetheatre.net](mailto:tnt@cherokeetheatre.net).)*

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## ENROLLMENT

## Grades 7-8

*Please complete a separate enrollment & release form for each child you are registering*

Thank you for your interest in **TNT – Thespians ‘N Training** – at Cherokee Civic Theatre. Please complete the **FOUR REQUIRED** registration forms – Enrollment, Camper Pledge, CheckIn/Out Release and Medical Release (2 pages) - and return them to Cherokee Civic Theatre with the appropriate registration fee. All registrations are first come, first served and space is limited. **All completed forms must be received before registration can be processed.** Registration fees are non-refundable after **June 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017.**

**CAMPER NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  MALE  FEMALE

**TNT ALUM?**  2008  2009  2010  2011  2012  2013  2014  2015  2016

**AGE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **BIRTH DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ENTERING GRADE** \_\_\_\_\_ **IN FALL 2017**

**T-SHIRT SIZE** (circle) *Youth* XS S M L *Adult:* S M L XL

**Do you wish to purchase an additional t-shirt for \$10?**  YES  NO

**CCT MEMBER’S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT/GUARDIAN:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_ **CITY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**STATE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-MAIL** \_\_\_\_\_

**LOCAL PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **CELL PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**EMERGENCY NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**RELATIONSHIP TO CAMPER:** \_\_\_\_\_

## **RELEASE FORM**

While we will take every precaution to supervise and protect your child from accidents and injuries during the Thespians‘N Training sessions, we must have your signature, which demonstrates and recognizes the following:

I, \_\_\_\_\_, am the parent or legal guardian of the following  
(Print name of parent/legal guardian)

child: \_\_\_\_\_ I understand that my signature on this form releases the  
(Print name of child)

sponsoring organization and/or hosts (CCT and the TNT directors) from any liability should an accident or injury occur to my child during the TNT camp. I do further understand and agree that I, as the parent or legal guardian, will accept full responsibility for my child as listed above, should such an accident or injury occur during the workshop. I further authorize the TNT personnel or CCT representative present to contact medical services should I not be available.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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## CAMPER PARTICIPATION PLEDGE: Grades 7-8

At TNT, we want every participant to have an enjoyable learning experience so here are a few guidelines to which both parents and campers need to agree. Parents, please read this over **with** your camper and discuss what it means so everyone understands. Failure to follow these guidelines can lead to immediate dismissal from TNT Camp. Both parent AND camper must sign the Pledge.

As a Thespian ‘N Training, I PLEDGE to:

1. Respect the fact that everyone brings different experiences and ideas to the theatre and this is what makes it such an exciting art form. Therefore, I will respect the opinions of my fellow campers and keep unnecessary negativity to myself.
2. Recognize that being supportive of the entire theatrical team and the show in production is more important than being “a star.” This also means I will accept whatever role I’m assigned and give it all my best.
3. Understand that *all* aspects of theatre – onstage, backstage, and offstage – are important to the success of both the TNT camp and the Showcase performances so I shall participate willingly in all camp activities.
4. Follow the rules, guidelines and decisions of the TNT program and the TNT Staff during TNT camp.
5. Take care of the buildings and equipment of Cherokee Civic Theatre because it belongs to our entire community theatre family, not just TNT Campers.
6. Follow all safety guidelines regarding tools and construction and to not use any tool without an adult training and/or supervising me.
7. Recognize that, for my safety and well being, areas of the Cherokee Civic Theatre building will be deemed off-limits without TNT Staff supervision so I will stay where I’m allowed to go and have a buddy at all times.
8. Leave alone items that belong to other campers or CCT unless given permission to use them. This includes, but is not limited to: costumes, props, equipment, personal property, money, food and beverages.
9. Participate in the TNT activities without creating disturbances or disruptions that prevent any other TNT Campers from learning or from enjoying their time at TNT – in particular, PDA (public displays of affection) and IPE (intrusive personal electronics). To this end, I shall keep my body to myself and keep my toys (including but not limited to video/music players, hand-held games, cell phones) at home or in the CCT Office during camp hours.
10. Acknowledge that disrespect for this pledge and/or any person, property or productions connected with TNT and CCT will result in my being dismissed from TNT camp to make space for a person who really wants to participate.

As a Thespian ‘N Training, I PLEDGE to always remember: ***“It’s All Good!”***

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Camper’s Name

Signature

Date

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Parent’s Name

Signature

Date

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## CHECK IN/OUT RELEASE: Grades 7-8

The following person/people have my permission to drop off and/or pick up my child:

TROUPE: \_\_\_\_\_  
Staff use only

\_\_\_\_\_

(Print Child's Name)

during TNT 2017 Camp. I have included **my own name** on the list. I understand that I, or one of these persons, will **personally** need to check-in and check-out my child each day. I understand that TNT Staff may ask any person unknown to them to show proof of identity before releasing my child to them and that TNT Staff has the right to refuse to release my child to anyone not named on this list. I also agree not to drop off campers more than 15 minutes before their TNT camp begins.

NAME	RELATIONSHIP	PHONE NUMBER

I acknowledge that I am aware of TNT's late pick-up policy with its \$10 fee that will be assessed for any pick-up more than 15 minutes after the end of camp and will abide by it.

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

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**MEDICAL/PERMISSION AND RELEASE FORM**

(To be completed and notarized *before* camp)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

In case of Emergency Notify: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Family Physician \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance \_\_\_\_\_ Policy # \_\_\_\_\_

Policy Holders Name \_\_\_\_\_ Group #: \_\_\_\_\_

**PAST MEDICAL HISTORY**

(Please check those appropriate and attach a sheet if further information is necessary)

Asthma \_\_\_ Sinusitis \_\_\_ Bronchitis \_\_\_ Kidney Trouble \_\_\_ Neuralgia \_\_\_\_\_

Diabetes \_\_\_ Dizziness \_\_\_ Stomach Upset \_\_\_ Heart Trouble \_\_\_ Hay Fever \_\_\_\_\_

Hyperglycemia \_\_\_ Hypoglycemia \_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

List any physical restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous operations or serious illness: \_\_\_\_\_

Childhood Diseases: Chicken Pox \_\_\_ Measles \_\_\_ Mumps \_\_\_ Whooping Cough \_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Are immunizations, including tetanus, current: \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

Any health issues we should be aware of? \_\_\_\_\_

**ALLERGIES**

(List all known types as specifically as possible and attach a sheet if further information is necessary)

NO KNOWN ALLERGIES

Food \_\_\_\_\_

Drug (Name) \_\_\_\_\_

Insect stings/bites: \_\_\_\_\_

Plants: \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**MEDICATIONS**

NOT CURRENTLY USING ANY MEDICATIONS

Any current prescriptions (List): \_\_\_\_\_

Any current over-the-counter medications (List): \_\_\_\_\_

TNT Staff has my permission to administer the following OTC medications if needed:

Tylenol Yes  No  Ibuprophen Yes  No  Tums/Roloids Yes  No

Benadryl Oral Yes  No  Benadryl Topical Yes  No  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  Yes

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**STATEMENT OF CONSENT**

*THIS FORM MUST BE NOTARIZED FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS!*

In the event of an emergency or non-emergency situation requiring medical treatment, I:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Print name of **parent/legal guardian**)

hereby grant permission for any and all medical and/or dental attention to be ministered to my child:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Print name of **child**)

in the event of an accidental injury or illness, until such time as I can be contacted. This permission includes but is not limited to, the administration of first aid, the use of an ambulance, and the administration of anesthesia and/or surgery, under the recommendation of qualified medical personnel.

My permission is granted for **Cherokee Civic Theatre volunteers, directors and/or producers** to obtain necessary medical attention in case of sickness or injury for my child. I, the undersigned, do hereby release, and forever discharge all sponsors, underwriters and Cherokee Civic Theatre from any and all claims, demands, actions or cause of action, past, present, or future arising out of any damage or injury while participating in the event. I understand that this permission will be rescinded upon written notification to Cherokee Civic Theatre and that this document will be destroyed upon the close of the TNT 2017 program.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**NOTARIZATION:**

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date) (Month) (Year)

\_\_\_\_\_ personally appeared  
(Name)

before me in \_\_\_\_\_ County, State of \_\_\_\_\_, and,  
in my presence, signed this medical release form.

Name of Notary Official: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_