

**IT'S ALMOST TIME –
FOR YOUNG TALENTS TO SHINE
– AT THE BCPA!**



For the second summer in a row, the Bloomington Center for the Performing Arts will offer over 60 local children the opportunity to perform with the acclaimed Missoula Children's Theatre in "RED RIDING HOOD"...**August 4 – 8.**

The Show: Red Riding Hood is not so little anymore, and her pre-teen pals try to stay on the straight and narrow as they embark on a journey through the forest. Their encounters include the Big Bad Wolf, who isn't so bad after all; a pack of menacing young wolves; and of course the story wouldn't be complete without the Three Little Pigs! With the help of her family, Red finds her Grandma and a whole lot more.

When: Rehearsals will be during the day, Monday August 4 through Friday, August 8. The performance will be Friday, August 8 at 7:00 p.m.

Note: The final rehearsal schedule will be distributed at Monday's rehearsal.

Auditions: Open auditions for children ages 6 to 18 will be held on Monday August 4 from 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. Children cast will have their first rehearsal from approximately 11:30 am – 1:30 p.m. that day.

Note: Enter the BCPA on the east side through the Ticket Office entrance.

Who: Roles are available for up to 60 area children

<u>Ages</u>	<u># of roles</u>
Entering 1 st grade – age 7	18
Ages 8 – 12	23
Ages 13 – 18	19
Assistant directors (ages 12 – 18)	4

Where: All activities will be held in the Bloomington Center for the Performing Arts, 600 N. East Street, Bloomington. Parking is available behind the BCPA in our parking lot on the north side of Locust Street.

What children should bring: Just their sense of fun and creativity. Missoula's trained actors enjoy working with children and make auditions fun. Children should just be prepared to move around, sing a song and speak from the stage.

Other information:

- A \$15.00 activity fee will be charged to each child cast to help cover production expenses.
- Tickets for the public performance Friday, August 8 are on sale now at the ticket office, 309-434-2777. Price: \$18.50 for adults and \$12.50 for children
- For more information regarding auditions, contact Brandy Maloney at 309-434-2787.