





## Enroll Now!

-  Pick up an application at APA Reception HBHS (P3) back parking lot.
-  Go to the APA website, and click on "APA Kids & APA Jr.!" to download forms: [www.hbapa.org](http://www.hbapa.org)
-  Call HB Adult School Community Education: (714) 901-8106, x4405, for information.
-  Mail to HB Adult School/ Marina Campus, c/o Lynn, 15871 Springdale Lane, Huntington Beach, CA 92649



For the sixth summer, *APA Kids!* & *APA Jr!* return by popular demand with a varied selection of offerings in arts education for children entering grades 1-8 in the fall 2010.

This summer program is a partnership of **The Academy of Performing Arts** (magnet school located at HBHS) and the **HB Adult School Community Education Department** (fee-based classes) of the Huntington Beach Union HS District.



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July 12<sup>th</sup> – July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010

Monday-Friday, 8:45a – 12:30p



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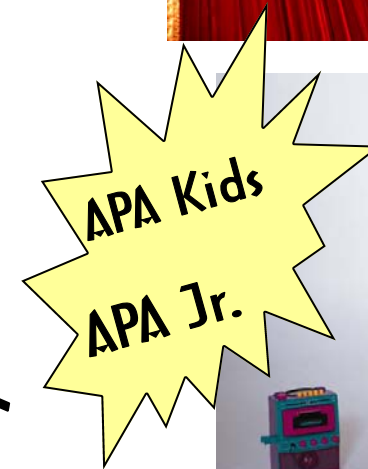
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## APA Kids! & APA Jr. Mission

## APA Kids! APA Jr. Daily Program

## APA Kids! APA Jr. Faculty & Staff

Children will participate in a program of arts education designed for each age group to enhance self-esteem, build bridges among diverse groups, and broaden their creative skills. They will experience the arts through active participation in instructional activities conducted at the newly renovated visual and performing arts facility at HBHS, culminating in a variety performance and mini art show.

### Calendar

Open Registration:	4/12 – 6/4/10 (mail/fax)
Refunds:	No Refunds after 6/4/10
In-person Registration:	Sat. 5/1, 10:00a-12:00n HBHS / Library, upstairs, Building "B"
Late Registration:	6/5 – 7/12/10 (if space)
Schedule:	M-F, 7/12-7/23/10 8:45a-12:30p
Extended Morning Fun:	Same dates as Program 8:00-8:45a, Theatre Lobby Classroom T2-T3
Variety Arts Show:	Friday 7/23/10, 11:00a HBHS/APA Historic Theatre
Fees:	\$250, sibling \$200 If after 6/4, \$275 Extended A.M. \$35

Children will meet each morning in the Theatre promptly at 8:45a for attendance and bulletins. Students will attend four classes each morning including dance, creative dramatics, vocal music, and arts/crafts.

Classes will be 55 minutes each. Children will be grouped according to ages in these classes (1st-2nd grades, 3rd-4th grades, 5th-6th, and 7th-8th) with the goal of 15-20 in each class.

**Dance** focuses on movement, coordination, and listening skills. Emphasis is on vocabulary, rhythm/meter, forms of locomotion, basic dance steps and turns through body awareness and self-expression.

**Vocal Music** encompasses age appropriate work on musical theater vocal styles. Songs and dance movements will be taught to popular Broadway hits.

**Art** (Drawing and Painting for Kids). Express yourself and have fun! Students will be introduced to a variety of art materials and approaches to creating art. Landscape, figure, animals, cartoons and other subject matter will be explored.

**Creative Dramatics** will focus on creating character, using voice and movement to express oneself, and "acting" as appropriate to the age group.

During the last three days, children will prepare for the **Variety Arts Show** to be presented on the final day, Friday, July 23rd, at 11:00a in the Theatre and Lobby.

**APA Kids! /APA Jr.!** recruits very successful, experienced teachers and performers to instruct our children in the arts or assist with the program and teachers. Many are from the regular Academy for the Performing Arts staff or are Academy graduates.

### Diane Makas, Director, Academy for the Performing Arts (APA) & APA Summer Programs

Diane holds an MA in Administration and a BFA in Dance. For 14 years, she has been the Artistic Director and dance instructor for APA and is a lead founder of *Jr. APA!* and *APA Kids!*. Diane has choreographed numerous award-winning productions for APA; for Park Playhouse, Albany, NY; and for OC High School of the Arts.

**Carrie Hacker, Vocal Music** Carrie has been teaching dance and musical theater throughout Orange County for over thirteen years. She holds a Bachelors degree in Theater from UC Irvine and serves as a master teacher and assistant choreographer for APA.

**Matt Harward, Arts—Drawing & Painting** Matt earned his Fine Arts degree at CSULB and trained at the American Animation Institute in Hollywood. He currently teaches Art 1-3, Commercial Art, and Entertainment Art at HBHS. Matt shows his own art in various group shows in the OC and LA areas and also teaches ceramics and watercolor for HB Adult School.

**Christy Hernandez, Dance** Christy holds a B.A. degree in Dance and Creative Arts and has been performing and teaching dance professionally for over 20 years. A specialist in tap dance, she developed a standard of semi-professional work with the Collision Tap Ensemble since she came to the APA in 2004. Christy currently teaches all ages and all levels of dance at APA, OCDC, CCC and D4J.

**Robert Rotenberry, Creative Dramatics** Robert has been a theatre educator for 26 years, with 14 years at APA. He has taught for APA Kids, Jr. APA, and various other theatre programs. An actor himself, he holds a BFA and a Masters in Theatre and has directed over 250 plays.