

# **AiDa | Academy of Imagination & Dramatic Arts**

## **2022/23 Calendar, Description and Registration Fees of Kids and Adult Classes, Seasonal Kids Camps, Acting Workshops, Community Partnerships, Initiatives: Youth Mentor Leaders & Guest Spotlight featuring local Artists in our Community Giving Back!**

*(See AiDa's Code of Conduct and Expectations for students and volunteers)*

\*Winner 2022-2023 Canadian Business Review Silver Award for maintaining a consistent 4.8+ GOOGLE RATING! AiDa maintains a 5 STAR GOOGLE RATING THANKS to our amazing AiDa Community! 😊😊😊

\*\*\*All classes, workshop and camps are instructed by Kaime Sherman award-winning artist, author, mentor, Acting, Speaking, Creativity and Life Coach, Owner and Founder of AiDa.

**KIDS: Drama Tuesdays, Saturday: Dramarama and Pure Drama are introductions to basic acting, creative theatre games, storytelling, improvisation, monologues, scent study, speech, voice, acting styles, movement +. Classes run all school year.**

### **FALL/WINTER 2022/23 Session AFTERSCHOOL DRAMA TUESDAYS:**

13 Classes For ages 6-12 Time 4:30PM-6PM Registration Fee: \$229 (includes HST)

October 18, 25, November 1,8,15, 22, 29, December 6, 13, 20 (NO CLASSES Dec 27, Jan.3) January 10, 17, 24, 2023.

### **WINTER/SPRING 2023 Session AFTERSCHOOL DRAMA TUESDAYS:**

13 Classes For ages 6-12 (Grades 1-7) Time 4PM-6PM Registration Fee: \$229 (includes HST)

February 28, March 7 (NO CLASS March 14) March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 18, 25, May 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30.

### **FALL/WINTER 2022/23 Session DRAMA SATURDAYS: TWO SATURDAY CLASSES! 😊**

NEW DRAMARAMA for ages 4-5 yrs. (JK/SK) Time 10:30am-11:45am Fee: \$199 (includes HST)

PURE DRAMA for ages 6-12 yrs. (Grades 1-7) Time 12:30pm-2:30pm, Fee: \$249 (incl. HST)

13 Classes offered:

October 22, 29, November 5, 12, 19, 26, December 3, 10, 17 (NO CLASSES Dec. 24 and 31<sup>st</sup>) January 7, 14, 21 and 28<sup>th</sup>.

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13 Classes offered:

February 25, March 4, 11, 25 (**NO Class March 18 due to March Camp**)

April 1, 15, 22, 29 (**NO Class April 8**) May 6, 13, 20, 27<sup>th</sup> and June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**MARCH BREAK DRAMA NATURE ART CAMP 2023**

An immersive interactive experience with drama games and activities, storytelling, arts and crafts, (*weather permitting*) outdoor activities. For kids currently in SK to Grade 7. Fills quickly. Reserve spot!

**Monday, March 13-Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup>** (limited space, max 25 students)

Time: 9am-3:30pm Registration Fee: \$250 (includes HST) Extended care offered at additional cost from 8:30am-4pm.

Also available by the Day: Fee \$50 (includes HST) per day

**\*NEW ADULT ACTING & ART OF COMMUNICATING WORKSHOP**

**SPRING SESSION 2023 Ages 18+ THURSDAYS!**

An introduction to basic acting and exploration of voice, movement, speech, storytelling, relationship building+. Students will build confidence through creative expression of improvisation and also become more effective communicators through Dramatic Arts skill building and strategies.

**7 WEEK WORKSHOP SERIES: April 20, 27, May 4, 11, 18, 25 and June 1<sup>st</sup>. TIME: 6:30pm-8:30pm**

Registration Fee: \$250 (includes HST)

**AiDa YOUTH INITIATIVE MENTOR LEADER TRAINING SESSION FOR SUMMER CAMP 2023!**

Saturday, June 24<sup>th</sup> Attendance is required for all Mentor Leaders for Summer Camp

Time: 1pm-2:30pm TRAINING SESSION FOR EXPECTATIONS AND SKILL BUILDING: NO COST.

**APPLY NOW! YEAR ROUND Youth Initiative MENTOR LEADERS offers opportunities available for secondary students ages 14+ (Grades 9 to 12) to earn community service credit while assisting with all our classes and camps. \*\*\*POST SECONDARY STUDENTS ENHANCE THEIR CV's or resumes!**

**\*JR MENTOR LEADERS** are for students **age 13 (Grade 8)**. This position bridges the gap between camper and full Mentor Leader. Students attend all classes and camps at half price as they learn skills.

**Expectations of Mentor Leaders and Mentor Leaders in Training: TO BE A ROLE MODEL!**

Mentor Leaders are expected to have a positive attitude, enthusiasm, passion for the arts, like working with kids, be able to mediate conflict resolution, encourage team play, cooperation, kindness, empathy, inclusion, use age appropriate language, demonstrate a commitment in attendance, participation and have a desire to make a difference as an AiDa Community builder and TEAM player. **APPLY NOW!** 😊😊😊

### **AiDa's Multi-Award-winning DRAMA NATURE ART SUMMER CAMP 2023 (SIX WEEKS OF CAMP FUN!)**

Since 2015, AiDa has been delivering innovative, mission-driven arts education and this year we celebrate our 7<sup>th</sup> **Summer Drama Nature Art Summer Camp! JOIN US! REGISTER NOW!**

\*Winner Hamilton Spectator Reader's Choice Awards: GOLD AWARD BEST SUMMER CAMP 2020, PLATINUM AWARD BEST CHILDREN'S ENTERTAINMENT AND KIDS ACTIVITIES, TOP TEN BEST 2016-2022 ART SCHOOL/INSTRUCTOR, KIDS ENTERTAINMENT, KIDS CAMPS, KIDS ACTIVITIES, LIFE COACH!

Time: 9am-3:30pm COST \$250 (includes HST) \*Closed Monday Canada Day Cost is \$200 includes HST. FOR KIDS GOING INTO SK/GRADE ONE (SEPT. 2023) TO GRADE 7!

*(Extended care offered at additional cost 8:30am-4pm)* BOOK EARLY AS WE FILL UP FAST+WAITING LIST! MAXIMUM 25 CAMPERS! DAYS FILLED WITH DRAMA GAMES, IMPROVISATION, NATURE HIKES, SCAVENGER HUNTS, ARTS AND CRAFTS, GUEST ARTISTS, AIDA FRIENDSHIP AWARDS/AIDA'S GOT TALENT, TEAM CHALLENGES, WATER PLAY, PLAYGROUND, and OUTDOOR PAINTING+!!!

**Week One:** *(Closed Canada Day Holiday Monday)* Tuesday, July 4-Friday, July 7th

**Week Two:** Monday, July 10-Friday, July 14<sup>th</sup>

**Week Three:** Monday, July 17-Friday, July 21<sup>st</sup>

**Week Four:** Monday, July 24-Friday, July 28<sup>th</sup>

**Week Five:** Monday, August 14-Friday, August 18th

**Week Six:** Monday, August 21-Friday, August 25th

### **SPOTLIGHTING LOCAL ARTISTS with AiDa's GUEST ARTIST INITIATIVE!**

Invitation to feature local Artists of all mediums in a Q&A as our Guest, perhaps share a performance or art activity. Got an hour to make a difference? Inspire a new generation of artists by sharing your story and passion. Booking Guest spots for March and Summer Camp. **APPLY NOW! Contact Kaime Sherman.**

**AiDa is a community partner and community builder!** Connect with our AiDa Community Facebook Page!

**Offering:** CUSTOMIZABLE ACTING, ART OF COMMUNICATING AND CREATIVITY WORKSHOPS for all ages designed for the student, professional to entrepreneurs or continuing education. We have worked with HWDSB, Mohawk College Continuing Education, McMaster University, Hamilton Boys & Girls Club, Hamilton Business Centre, Hamilton Arts Council, Hamilton Public Library, and Ontario Culture Days+++ **BOOKING 2023 NOW!!!**