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**BROADWAY CENTER CONSERVATORY STUDENTS PRESENT
THREE PERFORMANCES OF CLASSIC MUSICAL
THE MUSIC MAN JR. JULY 30 AND 31**

Tacoma, Wash. – There’s trouble right here in the City of Destiny, with three student performances of [The Music Man JR](#) on July 30 and 31! Bring the entire family to Theatre on the Square to see local student actors in an uplifting production of this classic musical. Performances are on Saturday, July 30 at 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. and Sunday, July 31 at 2 p.m. [Tickets are on sale now for \\$8](#) (children under 5 free).

Performed by a group of 35 local young actors ages 8 to 18, this production marks the culmination of three weeks of enthusiastic rehearsals and preparation.

“We are proud of the hard work our students have put into this lively show,” said Katie Lappier, Associate Director of Education. “This musical is a heartwarming classic about the power of love and second chances.”

Synopsis:

Based on Meredith Wilson's six-time-Tony-Award-winning musical comedy, [The Music Man JR.](#) features some of musical theatre’s most iconic songs and a story filled with wit, warmth and good old-fashioned romance. [The Music Man JR.](#) is family entertainment at its best – a bold, brassy show that will have the whole town atwitter!

Master showman Harold Hill is in town and he’s got “seventy-six trombones” in tow. Can upright, uptight Marian, the town librarian, resist his powerful allure? The story follows fast-talking traveling salesman, Harold Hill, as he cons the people of River City, Iowa, into buying instruments and uniforms for a boys' band he vows to organize. The catch? He doesn't know a trombone from a treble clef. His plans to skip town with the cash are foiled when he falls for Marian, whose belief in Harold’s power just might help him succeed in the end in spite of himself.

The [Broadway Center Conservatory](#) summer musical program provides the opportunity for local youth to learn lines, songs, blocking, choreography, and even to build and decorate set and prop pieces. Attending a summer camp performance is a great way to introduce children to the theater, while supporting local youth.

Tickets for [The Music Man JR.](#) are on sale now. Regular tickets are \$8 and tickets for children under 5 are free. To purchase tickets call the Broadway Center Box Office at 253.591.5894, toll-free 1.800.291.7593, visit the Broadway Center website at www.BroadwayCenter.org, or in person at 901 Broadway in Tacoma's Theater District.

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