

# DreamWrights

## Youth & Family Theatre

### Block Ticket Sponsorship Program

Implemented in 2007 and nominated as a finalist with the 2009 Non-profit Innovations Awards, our Block Ticket Sponsorship Program supports underserved population groups with exposure to the theatre arts, thereby supporting the cultural growth of the local community. This program connects these groups with local sponsoring businesses who provide them with blocks of 20 tickets to see a performance. This creates a partnership with the sponsoring organization and DreamWrights while giving members of the community the opportunity to experience and appreciate live theatre – a cultural program they otherwise might not have access to.

The Block Ticket Sponsor program greatly increases the number of underserved youth and families who enter our doors by removing the financial burden. Having once experienced theatre from the audience perspective, it is hoped that many will be inspired to return for camps and classes or participation in performances where they can gain greater self confidence. The resulting growth, creativity and responsibility are immeasurable. Providing the youth of our community with a healthy form of entertainment that challenges them to think creatively, learn about lives different than their own, and relate as a group has a broad and lasting impact.

This funding not only helps these service groups, it also supports our core mission of *fostering and inspiring growth, creativity, responsibility and an appreciation for live theatre in people of all ages and cultures through an educational theatre arts program.*

#### Block Ticket Recipient Groups:

*ESL students & teacher: Dallastown Area School District (yearly)*  
*Bell Socialization families*  
*Big Brothers, Big Sisters*  
*Children's Home of York (2)*  
*Down Syndrome group*  
*Head Start- York City (2)*  
*Logos Academy Students*  
*Penn-Mar Organization*  
*Victim's Assistance Center—Blossom Program (2)*  
*York City School's 21<sup>st</sup> Century Program*  
*York City School's 7th graders*  
*YAEDC- Delphia House residents*

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**Block Ticket Sponsorship:**  
**A donation of \$200 provides**  
**a group of 20 with tickets and concessions!**  
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