

SEASON XLII THE LAKE BRADDOCK THEATRE 2014 - 2015

WHY SHOULD EVERY ADVANCED THEATRE ARTS STUDENT TAKE 9TH GRADE THEATRE ARTS I?

- WHY *NOT* TAKE A CLASS IN YOUR FRESHMAN YEAR FOR WHICH YOU HAVE ALREADY LEARNED HALF THE CURRICULUM, GOTTEN A GOOD GRADE, AND ACTUALLY ENJOYED?
- GUARANTEE YOURSELF TWO TO THREE DAYS A WEEK OF FUN, CHALLENGES, ENTERTAINMENT *WHILE* STILL MEETING ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS OF LEARNING STUFF AND GETTING A GRADE.
 - BE PART OF ONE THE AREA'S TOP THEATRE PROGRAMS AS EVIDENCED BY:
 - VIRGINIA HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE COMPETITIONS:**
 - 6 - TIME PATRIOT CHAMPION (LEADS THE CONFERENCE)
 - 11 - TIME ADVANCED TO THE REGION COMPETITION (LEADS THE CONFERENCE)
 - 9 - TIME DISTRICT OUTSTANDING PERFORMER WINNER (LEADS THE CONFERENCE)
 - CAPPIES:**
 - 75 TOTAL NOMINATIONS (9TH IN CAPPIES HISTORY) INCLUDING 4 BEST PLAY NOMINATIONS
 - 20 TOTAL CAPPIE AWARDS (5TH) INCLUDING THE FIRST SCHOOL EVER TO WIN BEST PLAY.
- STUDENTS WHO TAKE THEATRE ARTS II ARE ELIGIBLE TO JOIN THE INTERNATIONAL THESPIAN SOCIETY – AN INTERNATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY FOR THEATRE STUDENTS.
 - STUDENTS IN THEATRE ARTS II, III AND IV ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THREE MAINSTAGE SHOWS AND SIX COMPETITIVE ONE-ACTS IN WHICH NON-THEATRE STUDENTS CANNOT PERFORM – INCLUDING THREE PERFORMANCES IN WASHINGTON DC: TWO TIMES AT THE FOLGER SHAKESPEARE LIBRARY AND ONCE AT THE SHAKESPEARE THEATRE'S HARMAN HALL.
- THEN THERE'S THIS:

Course	Critical Reading	Mathematics	Writing
Acting or Play Production	540	532	530
Music Performance	529	538	521
Music: Study or Appreciation	533	536	524
Drama: Study or Appreciation	518	514	510
No Arts Coursework	473	497	462

2010 Mean SAT Scores

Course	Critical Reading	Mathematics	Writing
Acting or Play Production	537	531	528
Music Performance	527	537	519
Music: Study or Appreciation	532	536	523
Drama: Study or Appreciation	514	512	506
No Arts Coursework	469	493	457

2011 Mean SAT Scores

Course	Critical Reading	Mathematics	Writing
Acting or Play Production	535	532	526
Music Performance	525	538	517
Music: Study or Appreciation	530	536	521
Drama: Study or Appreciation	511	511	504
No Arts Coursework	469	495	458

2012 Mean SAT Scores

Source: 2010, 2011, and 2012 College-Bound Seniors Total Group Profile Report, College Board

BOTTOM LINE: DON'T WAIT UNTIL YOUR JUNIOR YEAR TO DO WHAT YOU LOVE – YOU CAN DO IT NEXT YEAR! DON'T GET TALKED OUT OF IT, YOU ARE ALLOWED TO HAVE FUN!!! TALK TO YOUR PARENTS - HAVE THEM EMAIL OR CALL MR. MIRABAL (r.l.mirabal@fcps.edu OR 703-426-1070)!