

Dear Friends and Supporters of Theatrikos,

Thanks to you and your generous support, Theatrikos has really been on the move lately. The response to our most recent productions has been overwhelmingly positive; we see lots of new faces during First Friday Artwalk; you turned out in force to see the local teens of the PEACE Project perform; parents are stopping in to register their children for our TheatriKIDS summer programs; and we've got lots of great talent showing up to audition and work behind the scenes. Thank you for your active participation in our many activities!

The board of directors is committed to being even more active in our fundraising efforts and now I turn to you to ask for additional support.

Theatrikos is certainly feeling the squeeze of the current economic climate. Ticket sales to our performances only make up half of our operating budget. We must find the rest through grants, corporate support, and individual gifts from generous people like you.

So what makes Theatrikos special and worthy of your donation?

We are THE organization that involves the whole community in creating art:

We produce six Mainstage shows per year bringing in local talent to direct, act, design sets, lights, sound, and costumes.

We give local teens the chance to explore timely and relevant topics through the PEACE (Prevention Education And Creative Expression) Project, a joint effort between Theatrikos and Northland Family Help Center.

TheatriKIDS is our year-round program for children aged 7-to-17 which gives children the opportunity to explore the magic of theatre. The experience of encouraging play and creativity, memorizing lines and stage movements, and performing in front of an audience helps children to become more confident and creative-regardless of whether they decide to continue performing.

Theatrikos Theatre Company reaches beyond the audience and out into the community to give us all the opportunity to use art as a means to explore our relationship to each other and our responsibility to our community.

With your support, we will all continue to speak loudly about the importance of art in our community.

Your support sends the message that it doesn't matter how difficult times are-we believe in art and we're willing to support it with our pocketbooks.

Can we count on your support today? All donations, big or small, matter to us and help us to continue bringing you all the performances and projects on which you count.

On behalf of the staff, board, and volunteers of Theatrikos Theatre Company, I want to thank you for believing that art is important and for supporting us with your generous donation.

Best regards,

Becky Daggett, President
Theatrikos Board of Directors

P.S. To make a donation, call Gary at (928) 774-1662 or mail your check to Theatrikos, 11 W. Cherry Ave., Flagstaff, AZ 86001.