

**Advancedshop Registration 2019 for kids ages 11-16**

With the guidance of experienced choreographer, Abby Bender, kids will deeply explore the craft of making dance. While working toward one collaborative group piece for the show, each participant will be encouraged to develop their individual voice as an artist through experimentation, teamwork and creativity. Participants cooperatively generate nearly all the material for their dance. Abby aims to instill a love for making and performing dance regardless of technical proficiency or experience. She emphasizes decisiveness and the benefits of working hard, playing hard and ignoring the critic inside of us so we can free up our imaginations. No dance experience is required but Advancedshop is quite challenging (and FUN!) Advancedshop is for ages 11-16. Older teens who wish to join, please contact Abby for permission.

Forms and fees are due in advance of the workshop. Please mail your check made out to Abby Bender (not to Built on Stilts) to Abby at PO Box 158, Oak Bluffs, MA 02557 in the amount of \$130/child and submit this form via email to Abby at shakes9999@yahoo.com or snail mail. Thank you!

**Contact Abby Bender 508-717-2887 • shakes9999@yahoo.com** with any questions or concerns.

Child's First and Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Gender Identity: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Kid's cell phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's cell #s: \_\_\_\_\_

Kids and parents E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Participants must attend all workshop, rehearsal, and performance dates and times to take part.**

**Workshop:** Monday, July 29<sup>th</sup> - Friday August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 12-2pm (5 days) outside at The West Tisbury School near the basketball court, by the parking lot across from main entrance. Rain date/s may be added if needed.

**Tech rehearsal:** Tuesday, August 6<sup>th</sup>, 12:30-2pm at the Union Chapel in Oak Bluffs

**Performances & Dress rehearsals:** Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup>. 4pm dress rehearsals both dates with a dinner break around 5:30-6 and call at 7pm for 8pm shows. Doors open at 7:30pm

By having your child participate in B.O.S., you agree to the following terms:

You will not hold B.O.S., The Martha's Vineyard Preservation Trust, nor any Built on Stilts staff liable for any injury, theft or lost property incurred at the workshop or performance premises.

Advancedshop participants will attend all the times and performance times scheduled for them.

No saving of seats for the performances by participants or families of participants allowed whatsoever. No videotaping or photography during performances. No food or drink allowed in the venue by order of the MV Preservation Trust.

Your \$130 registration payment is non-refundable if you opt out of the workshop or performance at any time after you've registered.

PARENTS NAME \_\_\_\_\_

(Please print)

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_