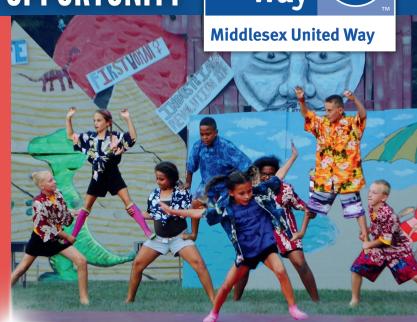


CELEBRATING YOUTH OPPORTUNITY



Oddfellows Playhouse Youth Theater is celebrating its 50th season in 2024-2025! Founded on the principles of inclusivity and creativity, Oddfellows offers a wide range of programs for children and teens. It is a place where kids can freely express themselves and feel accepted.

The continued partnership with Middlesex United Way ensures that every child, regardless of their financial background, can participate in programs like the Children's Circus, a renowned day camp model that has inspired similar initiatives nationwide.



LEADING THE WAY

"WHAT MAKES ME WANT TO **COME IN EVERY DAY IS JUST** FEELING LIKE, IN A LITTLE WAY, WE'RE MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN THIS COMMUNITY AND **AFFECTING KIDS' LIVES AND FAMILIES' LIVES..."**

Dic Wheeler

Executive Artistic Director Oddfellows Playhouse Youth Theater







Nearly 200 children took part in the 36th Annual Children's Circus of Middletown this year. It featured a spectacular 100-minute performance with over 1,000 in the audience. The beloved camp provides children with the opportunity to learn acrobatics, juggling, clowning, and more! It is focused on Middletown residents, offers a sliding-scale fee, and provides free breakfast and lunch for all enrolled children.

Scan QR Code to learn more and see additional photos.