

# valley youth theatre

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMITMENT FORM

**I enthusiastically agree to all of the following during my tenure on Valley Youth Theatre's Board of Directors:**

- ◆ Serve as an ambassador to the Organization and promote its mission: To inspire young people to be the best they can be through a wide variety of performing arts opportunities.
- ◆ Serve for a 3-year term, renewable for additional 3-year term(s) upon approval of the Board.
- ◆ Consistently attend and actively participate in all Board meetings. If I miss more than two meetings in one fiscal year, I may be asked to resign. (Board meetings occur on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of every month, starting 5:30 P.M.)
- ◆ Keep Board matters confidential and not to discuss them with non-Board members.
- ◆ Read and study Board materials, including but not limited to the minutes and financials, sent in advance regarding key actions the Board is expected to take at the next meeting.
- ◆ Attend and actively participate in the annual Board retreat and fill out my Board Evaluation Form.
- ◆ Attend one performance of at least five of the six productions each season, preferably Opening Night. Attend four of the Artistic Director's Circle receptions held prior to the Opening Night performance or invite a potential new donor or potential new board member.
- ◆ Attend at least one audition, company meeting, or rehearsal per year.
- ◆ Participate in the VYTAL Affair and at least one other fundraising event per year.
- ◆ Actively participate in at least one committee and attend the annual board retreat.
- ◆ Actively promote season productions.
- ◆ Identify and help recruit at least one viable Board candidate annually. If, at the end of my three year term, I decide to retire or if resign my position prior to the end of my term, I will identify and help recruit my replacement.
- ◆ Raise a minimum of \$5,000 a year (Give or Get).
- ◆ Pay \$500.00 annually in Board dues within the first quarter of the fiscal year (beginning July 1). Board dues will be prorated by quarter for new Board members joining after the beginning of the fiscal year. Board dues provide each Director with 4 tickets to each show.

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Name (please print)

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Date

Signature \_\_\_\_\_