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Disney

**Aladdin** JR. ©Disney



**Theater Works**

10580 N. 83<sup>rd</sup> Dr, Peoria AZ 85345

**SEPT 25<sup>TH</sup>**  
**@ 11AM**

**SEPT 26<sup>TH</sup>**  
**@ 7PM**

**SEPT 27<sup>TH</sup>**  
**@ 3PM**

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## EMPOWERED'S SPOTLIGHT CIRCLE

**SUPPORT  
ACCESSIBLE ARTS  
AND JOIN**

### Encore Supporters

Fund accessible workshops and trainings for artists with disabilities, building essential skills needed for success in the arts.

**\$10  
per mo.**

**\$25  
per mo.**

### Barrier Breakers Club

Support accommodations and resources for autonomous practice (e.g. specialized scripts, guided rehearsal tracks and videos, private lessons and customized supports).

### Curtain Raisers Club

Support crucial artistic elements like set and costume creation along with technical theatrical specialists for professional-quality productions.

**\$50  
per mo.**

**\$100  
per mo.**

### Spotlight Supporters

Fund essential production permissions and requirements, such as licensing and royalty fees, writer's fees, logo acquisitions, insurance and so much more.

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## A message from the Artistic Director

“Salaam, worthy friends!” ✨ Welcome to the 2025-2026 season at Empowered Theater & Arts! We begin with the magical story of Disney’s Aladdin Jr.! 🧞♂️

This tale reminds us that what truly matters isn't what's on the outside, but what's on the inside that counts.

Just like the streets of Agrabah, our stage is a place for everyone, no matter where you come from or what you look like. 🥰

We believe in a world where we don't judge people on their appearance or status, but on the richness of their character and the goodness of their spirit. It's about seeing the "diamond in the rough" in each person.

So, get ready to be taken on a journey filled with adventure, laughter, and a whole lot of heart! 🌟

**- LaRiche Lamar**  
**CEO & Artistic Director**

## Messages from the Artists at Empowered!

“Thank you for coming to our show of Aladdin. Please help Aladdin to win the hand of a beautiful princess. Let us share a whole new world. Enjoy the show.” - **Eric Nunn**

Thank You for coming and supporting ETA! it means the world to me to be able to keep being a performing artist. The support from all of you really helps! - **Leah Mapstead**

**Special Thanks to Team Theater Works** for supporting inclusive artists, making us feel and look absolutely wonderful and prioritizing accessibility in the arts. - **ETA Board** “We artists are always in awe of the sets you create and are so thankful that you allow us to be a part of your community.” - **Breanna Gollihur**

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## Show Sponsors

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## Aladdin Cast

*(In Order of Appearance)*

**Genie** ..... **Taylor Ray**  
Jewelry Shop Owner ..... Christine Armstrong  
Apple Vendor ..... Christina Blair  
Fortune Teller & Snake Charmer ..... Cheryl Portnoy  
**Jafar** ..... **Paul Costantini**  
**Iago** ..... **Sydney Kramer**  
**Aladdin** ..... **Eric Nunn**  
Abu/Omar ..... Rebecca Jansen  
Babkak ..... Yahya Lufti  
Kassim/Cave of Wonders ..... Nathan Batchelor  
Amira ..... Sydney Licht  
Isir ..... Jessie Lefco  
Manal ..... Breanna Gollihur  
Prince Abdullah/Spooky Voice ..... Chris Champlin  
**Jasmine** ..... **Leah Mapstead**  
Rajah The Tiger ..... Sean Cox  
**Sultan** ..... **Justin Beyda**  
Razoul ..... Rick Goldman  
Guard ..... Tres Franklin

# Stay tuned for our upcoming season!



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## Directing Team

LaRiche Lamar - Director

Thomas Strawser - Music Director

Jean Ray - Stage Manager

## Performance Assistants

Elise Taylor

Desiree McCreary

Dorothy Johnson - Line Review Assistant

Vicki Campbell

## Costumes

Sandi Jansen - Designer

Terri Myers - Chair

Charlcye Beyda

Dorothy Johnson

Eric Nunn

Julie Rayan

Rita Blair





## Sets

### Theater Works at Peoria

#### Lisa Costantini - Chair

Joe Costantini - Builder

Rich Costantini - Builder

Becky Anderson

Breanna Gollihur

Dana McCreary

Derek "the Viking" Savells

Ed Morabito

Jeff Wolcott

Lily Ziegler

Melissa Gochis

Paul Costantini

Sandi Jansen

Vicki Campbell

Wendy Wiese

## Props

### Lisa Costantini - Chair

Quinn Barker - Engineer

Becky Anderson

Breanna Gollihur

Christine Armstrong

Dana McCreary

Dominique McCreary

Joe Costantini

Leah Mapstead

Melissa Gochis

Paul Costantini

Richard Costantini

Sandi Jansen

Sydney Kramer

Terri Myers

Vicki Campbell