Performing Arts Venues

Actors Theatre of Louisville
- **Age Range:** 7-21
- **Discipline:** Theatre & Musical Theatre
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - This instructional video is inspired by our annual production of Dracula. In it, we will provide instructions and tips for making stage-quality fake blood at home, using standard kitchen items.
  - This video is inspired by our production of ‘Are You There?’, part of the 44th Humana Festival of New American Plays. Part of that production centered on two scientists who had lost communication with the Mars rover, “Oppy.” Our props team fully designed and built a rover, that was able to move about the stage independently (remote controlled). In this video, two members of our props team will discuss the design and build process, as well as the trial and error that went into creating such a unique piece.

Commonwealth Theatre Center
- **Age Range:** 3-6
- **Discipline:** Theatre and Musical Theatre
• **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - Construction Site - a School Readiness Adventure
    - There’s a lot to do on the construction site: fix a sign, count the bricks, and sort some mixed up materials. Luckily, there’s a new construction crew ready to help: YOU! Enter the world of pretend to become characters and act out a story together.

Commonwealth Theatre Center
• **Age Range:** 5-9
• **Discipline:** Ethnic Theatre and Musical Theatre
• **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - La Cucarachita Martina - a Movement for Stories experience
    - This beloved tale of a beautiful cockroach and her husband, the mouse, invites participants to play all of the parts and leaves them with an important message about how to respond when things seem sad. Students are also introduced to Spanish vocabulary throughout the story.

Guru Vandana Academy
• **Age Range:** 5-21
• **Discipline:** Dance, Theatre and Musical Theatre
• **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - A series of videos that invite you into the world of Indian dance and storytelling. These captivating choreographies will be complete with description and background so you can experience and learn about an ancient Indian dance from the comfort of your own home!
Flamenco Louisville

- **Age Range:** 5-21
- **Discipline:** Dance Ethnic Music- Instrumental
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - Join us for a multi-media trip to Andalucia, the southern region of Spain known for Moorish architecture, olive groves, horses, sherry, wine and FLAMENCO. You'll experience the sights and sounds of Seville, Jerez, Cadiz and Granada with performances of the music, singing and dance associated with those cities that make up the "Cradle of Flamenco."
    - Be transported across the ocean for immersion in a new culture, enjoying authentic performances of flamenco along the way. Learn how to participate with rhythmic hand claps (palmas), Spanish words of encouragement (jaleos), movement of the hands and arms (braceo) and stomping your feet (zapateado). A teacher guide is available for preparation or follow up.

Jewish Community Center

- **Age Range:** 3-10
- **Discipline:** Theatre and Musical Theatre
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - CenterStage's Acting Out presents an original, commissioned play about teamwork and the power of giving in "Room at the Table". This story retells two popular Jewish folktales in a modern way and engages our young audience members along the way!
  - The town of Moodyville is preparing for a New Year’s Feast. Joseph and his family are celebrating his bar mitzvah! But
not everything is going to plan… Moodyville has run out of food, and Joseph has run out of friends! Will you help our heroes fix their feast, find their friends, and celebrate the New Year?

Kentucky Opera Association

- **Age Range:** 3-8
- **Discipline:** Music - Vocal (Choral, Opera)
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - Read together and sing together! This musical storytelling program fosters literacy in and through the arts. Opera Time gives students skills in broadening and contextualizing vocabulary, creating original stories, identifying character and motive, and selecting words that supply richness and meaning. Join our teaching artist in this session of singing, read-aloud story time, movement, and story/character exploration using one of our favorite children’s books.

Kentucky Shakespeare, Inc.

- **Age Range:** 4-21
- **Discipline:** Theatre and Musical Theatre
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - Kentucky Shakespeare is delighted to offer a digital performance of our 2-Actor HAMLET for young audiences. The production toured in person to schools during the school year and to the Louisville Free Public Library system with our annual Shakespeare in the Libraries tour. We’re now offering it here, digitally, for our Cultural Pass families for the first time! Shakespeare’s most famous play follows Prince Hamlet as he returns home to discover “something’s rotten in the state of Denmark.” Our fun and fast-paced two-
actor production for young audiences highlights self-worth, relationship dynamics, the consequences of acting on vengeance, and finding help in times of isolation or vulnerability. We also include a link to an accompanying guide with specific pre and post-performance activities.

Looking for Lilith Theatre Company
- **Age Range:** 5-21
- **Discipline:** Theatre and Musical Theatre
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - This summer is the 100th Anniversary of the 19th Amendment giving women the right to vote!! Did you know that Louisville women worked alongside national leaders like Ida B. Wells and Susan B Anthony to help get women the right to vote? Did you know the suffragists used both performing and visual arts in their movement for change? Join Looking for Lilith Theatre Company as we engage in the art forms of the movement to learn about our local suffragists.

The Louisville Academy of Music
- **Age Range:** 5-21
- **Discipline:** Music- Instrumental, Vocal (Choral/Opera)
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - **COMPOSE YOURSELF!**
    - We will be talking about what a composer does and how kids can compose too! We will have an accessible composition activity (using non-traditional notation) for kids to complete and share with us. 5 submissions will be performed and recorded by LAM faculty!
  - We will have videos from our composition faculty as well as links to outside learning resources.
The Louisville Ballet
- **Age Range:** 0-12
- **Discipline:** Dance
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - Louisville Ballet's virtual Cultural Pass Program welcomes you to the world of dance from the comfort of your home! Follow along with instructors from Louisville Ballet and The Louisville Ballet School as you explore different dance and craft activities.

The Louisville Ballet School
- **Age Range:** 3 mo-12 yr
- **Discipline:** Dance
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - Virtual creative movement and dance activities for ages 3 months-12 years old.

The Louisville Chorus
- **Age Range:** 3-21
- **Discipline:** Music- Vocal (Choral, Opera)
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - LOUISVILLE CHORUS—SINGING For AMERICA
    - A Video incorporating—
    - * An LC Video documentary primarily related to "Fanfare for the 4th—Musical Visions of America", the event the students will not get to witness in person this season.
    - * Notes from the Music Director about the Power of Music and a typical season of programming and heavily varied music
The power and value of "singing" as expressed by a few singers in the Chorus
* Then leading to the "Fanfare for the 4th" documentary—a taste and exact sampling of what the students would have experienced "live".

**The Louisville Civic Orchestra**
- **Age Range:** 3-21
- **Discipline:** Music - Instrumental
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - A tour through the orchestra, showcasing different instrument sections, and interviews with musicians. As a bonus, a live recording of one of our past concerts.

**Louisville Youth Choir**
- **Age Range:** 5-18
- **Discipline:** Music - Instrumental and Vocal (Choral/Opera)
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - Louisville Youth Choir is offering two options:
    - **OPTION 1:** LYC is excited for you to explore different MUSICAL STYLES with our LYC teaching artist, Margareth Miguel.
    - **OPTION 2:** LYC is excited for you to explore A SONG IS BORN created by LYC's Artistic/Executive Director, Terri Foster.

**Louisville Youth Orchestra**
- **Age Range:** 8-13
- **Discipline:** Music - Instrumental
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
Mr. Doug Elmore, Music Director of the Louisville Youth Orchestra, and a group of the young instrumentalists from the Symphony Orchestra, the flagship ensemble of the LYO, will lead elementary and middle school aged students through a series of listening experiences and virtual conversations among the performers about the elements of music: melody, harmony, rhythm; and how these elements are combined to create music. The video experience will include solo performances, improvisations, and a “virtual ensemble”, where the individual performances will be edited into a group piece, overcoming the distances between them. The musicians will also talk about their similarities and differences, and how the art of music-making brings people together, celebrates both their differences and their similarities, and challenges us as to people to aspire to a stronger sense of community.

Sacred Heart School for the Arts
- **Age Range:** 4-13
- **Discipline:** Dance, Visual Arts, Puppetry
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - SHSA will have three activity options to choose from that will allow students to choose which discipline they are most interested in: a Visual Art Project, A Puppet Show and A New Dance to learn. Students do not have to complete all three activities.

Squallis Puppeteers
- **Age Range:** 0-12
- **Discipline:** Theatre and Musical Theatre, Puppetry
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
"Tale of a Tricky Fox" is a tabletop puppet show based on a book by Jim Aylesworth and is performed by Nora Christensen. Learn and laugh along with this trickster tale featuring animal and human hand puppets and plenty of hijinks and life lessons. If you like this story, try reading the book- what is similar and what is different from the puppet show? You can read a book and turn it into a puppet show too, give it a try with what you have at home. This recording includes short pre and post show information, total running time about 28 minutes. Please email any comments, suggestions or reviews so we can hear back from our audience at squallispuppeteers@gmail.com.

Squallis Puppeteers
- **Age Range:** 0-12
- **Discipline:** Music- Instrumental Puppetry
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - "Ferdinand the Bull" is a recording of a Live performance featuring Sara Callaway from Louisville Academy of Music and Shawn Hennessey of Squallis Puppeteers. This performance is based on the book by Munro Leaf with music composed by Alan Ridout. Sara narrates the story and plays the violin while Shawn performs the suitcase-sized, table-top puppet show. If you like this story, try reading the book- what is similar and what is different from the puppet show? You can read books and turn them into puppet shows too, give it a try with what you have at home. Total running time is about 15 minutes. Please email any comments, suggestions or reviews so we can hear back from our audience at squallispuppeteers@gmail.com.
Stage One Family Theater

- **Age Range:** 2-8
- **Discipline:** Theatre and Musical Theatre
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - This storybook program takes children’s favorite books and brings them to life in a way that’s as unique and exciting as the stories themselves. At these events, caregivers and little ones sit on the floor around the performers for a truly immersive theatre experience. Not only do viewers become part of the action, they’re also encouraged to help tell the story through music, interaction, and LOTS of imagination!

Teatro Tercera Llamada

- **Age Range:** 3-10
- **Discipline:** Theatre and Musical Theatre
- **Cultural Pass Offerings:**
  - "La Cucarachita Martina" adapted by Carlos-Manuel is a Spanish folktale that has been passed on from generations in Latinx households. The story is about a little cockroach who meets a little mouse, create a friendship over their love of books and reading. The story takes multiple twist and turns which keeps children riveted to their seats to find out what happens at the end.
  - This adaptation emphasis on values like friendship, sacrifice, inner beauty versus outer beauty, budgeting, kindness, reading and writing.
  - The play is bilingual, but don't worry, if something is said in Spanish, it is repeated again in English. No need for subtitles.
  - Teatro Tercera Llamada brings bilingual children's theatre every summer at many of Louisville's Free Public Libraries.
  - Parents will delight in the story as well. The book is available at the Louisville Free Public Library.