

OCTA Past

In 1953, the OCTA was formed with sixteen theatres. For over 65 years, OCTA has provided support to community theatres through workshops, the annual regional OCTAFests, which showcase community theatre productions, and our three-day conference.

We have member theatres in eight Ohio state regions including member theatres from adjacent states including Indiana, Kentucky, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia.






OCTA is also partnered with the national organization, the Association of America Community Theaters (AACT). Our theatres have appeared in state, national, and international competitions.



Contact Us

It is easy for your theatre to join and get all the benefits for only \$75 annual dues (free trials may be available). Go to our contacts listed below!

-  OCTA: Ohio Community Theatre Association
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BECOME A MEMBER

OHIO COMMUNITY THEATRE ASSOCIATION



PERKS INSIDE

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Additional OCTA Perks



Not Interested in Conference?
There's so much more!

- **Guide/ Responder Evaluations** allowing seasoned and beginner directors to work with experienced adjudicators to build their shows

- **Scholarships/ Grants**

Individual as well as theatre grants are made available throughout the year to OCTA members



- **Resource Services**

We have a script library, as well as connections to other theatres props, costumes, and set

- **CueLines/ Social Media Coverage**

take advantage of our social outreach! Members are posted regularly



Conference

Here are all perks related to conference

Regional Conferences

Regional excerpt festivals where the winners are selected to showcase at the State Conference.

State Conference

Three-day conference over Labor Day weekend with workshops, excerpts, and social activities. Every even-year excerpts are selected to represent Ohio at the Regional AACT Festival.

Junior Conferences

Statewide excerpt festival for children ages 18 and younger. Awards are presented and the top two excerpts are invited to showcase their productions at the OCTA State Conference.

Technical Competitions

Every year various competitions are rewarded at the State Conference. Forms are available on the website and include: costumes, set, newsletters, websites, brochures, and tech.



OCTA FUTURE

Does it include you? Let us support you!

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