# Job Opening: Production Stagehand/Technician

## Chapin Rainbow Stage, Heckscher Park, Huntington. NY 11743

Great summer job for High School Senior or College Student with major in Theatre Arts, Dance or Music with an interest in Technical Theatre, Audio & Lighting Design, Performing Arts and Arts Management. **Employment includes evenings & weekends.** 

### Job Description

Town of Huntington & Huntington Arts Council seeks Production Stagehands/Technicians for the annual Huntington Summer Arts Festival (HSAF), Heckscher Park, Huntington, NY. The festival schedule includes both regional ensembles & dance companies, as well as touring artists of national and global reputation. Performances include Americana/Folk & roots music, jazz, classical & world music, big band, choral, Dance, Broadway style productions, Rock & tribute shows. Stagehand will work on and have opportunity to learn & absorb skills in all phases of on-stage production, including lighting and sound for live concert, dance and theatrical presentations. Successful candidate will be hired as a seasonal employee by Town of Huntington within Dept. of Parks & Recreation.

#### Responsibilities:

- 1. Work as team member of Chapin Rainbow Stage Technical Staff for Summer Arts Festival.
- 2. Assist with stage set-up, load-in, running crew for performance, and load-out as required.
- 3. Assist with audio & lighting on stage & Front of House as required
- 4. Other tasks and duties as assigned.

### **Oualifications:**

Candidates must be over 17 years-of-age; should have experience in stage/drama productions; be familiar with basic theater terminology; and have the physical capabilities to handle the demands of backstage work (i.e., lifting 50 lbs).

Hourly Wage rate - \$ 15- \$20 per hour.

Huntington Arts Council & Town of Huntington are Equal Opportunity Employers.

Submit Resume with three references to:
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