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THE MARCIA P. HOFFMAN PERFORMING ARTS INSTITUTE AT RUTH ECKERD HALL ANNOUNCES WINTER/SPRING CLASSES FOR 2010

STUDENTS ARE INVITED TO COLOR THEIR NEW YEAR WITH DANCE, DRAMA, MUSIC & SONG!

December 28, 2009, Clearwater, FL – The Marcia P. Hoffman Performing Arts Institute at Ruth Eckerd Hall has announced its Winter/Spring Program. Classes begin January 11 for children, teens and adults (age 15 months and up). Enrollment has begun.

The Exploratory Division offers a wide variety of classes for all ages, ranging from classes such as Kids Make Music (age 15 months to 3 years) to Disney Fun!, Tiny Dancer: Ballet/Tap Combo, Dramarama!, Improv Sketch Comedy, and Adult Tap. This winter a new class is also being offered, Once Upon A Rainbow, for children ages 3 to 5 years old. No experience is necessary and auditions are not required. These 10-week classes offer opportunities to discover talents and have fun experiencing the arts.

The Preparatory Division offers classes for the serious student (ages 7-19) who has prior experience and wishes to pursue the arts as a career or through further study. Dance for the Stage, jazz and tap classes are offered as well as drama, choir, musical theater and instrumental jazz. Auditions may be required for these classes.

All Marcia P. Hoffman Performing Arts Institute instructors are professionals in their fields with years of instruction and/or performance experience in music, theater, movement and dance.

For further information and a full schedule of classes, please log onto hoffmanperformingarts.org or call 727.712.2706 to speak with a Registrar.

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