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Award-winning Hunterdon Academy of the Arts has campus locations in Flemington (NJ) and Lebanon (NJ). Founded in 1981, we are the largest performing arts school in Hunterdon, serving students of all ages and levels of ability. The school is particularly well known for its high-quality Music lessons and classes, but has more recently added Acting instruction to its services.



### **SPRING REFERRAL CONTEST** Win a FREE Breville Juice Fountain Cold XL!

### **\$345 VALUE!** DRAWING ON 6/30

- Cold Spin Technology
- 3.5" XL Wide Chute Feed
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### **Rules of the Contest:**

Your Referral must be a new family, who has never attended our school. • Referral credits do not apply to the members of the same family. • Referral credits cannot be applied retroactively. This means that the ReferrED Family must identify the referral source at first inquiry. • For each referral, both you and your friend will receive a \$25 Referral Reward check from us. • Both you and your friend will enter the raffle. • For each family you refer, you will receive an additional Raffle entry, increasing your chance to win.

### For More Details Visit: www.HunterdonAcademyOfTheArts/Referrals



### THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF HUNTERDON ACADEMY OF THE ARTS

## **Meet HAA's Fabulous Interns!**



Our intern Zack (on the far left) with our face painting artist Katie Engberg, CEO Valentina Jotovic, Assistant Manager Samantha Melisi, and Acting Instructor Susan Lento during our fun St. Patrick's Day celebration on March 16 at HAA Flemington.

Have you ever wondered how HAA hallway decorations sometimes seem to appear and disappear overnight? Or how all the sound equipment and cookies magically appear for our recitals? Maybe you noticed that our chalk wall in Flemington is suddenly clean and you have room to add some new chalk art to it? Well, our hard-working administrative staff makes it all happen with lots of planning and valuable help from HAA's fabulous group of high school interns.

I am very proud to say that HAA offers paid internships to its students and graduates! Why is that important? Well, if you are able to work in a field you love, in an environment you are comfortable with, it makes all the difference in the world and I am glad we can be that place for many of our students and graduates. When it's time to get your first job, the process can feel overwhelming and intimidating. However, since our interns play instruments themselves, they are familiar with our operation, they are passionate about what we stand for and feel at home in our space. For many of them, the interview and training they go through is the very first professional experience they have. We teach them how to be responsible, professional and organized in a loving and supportive way.

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Now don't get me wrong, we are kind but demanding. Our interns work hard and learn a lot! They help us with simple data entry and paperwork, they take attendance, learn how to assemble and operate PA systems, microphones, lights and curtains, they decorate facilities, interact with students, and even jump in to answer phones and man the front desk when needed. We post signs around our facilities periodically when we need new interns, so if you are interested in joining our team, feel free to apply at that time.

And next time you walk through our hallway and see one of our interns hanging decorations, restocking our coffee station, or taking out trash, give them a thumbs up and say hi. They do what they do so that your experience at HAA can be more fun, more colorful and more pleasant. And I think they enjoy working here a lot more than they would someplace else--at least that's what I hear from them and from their parents. Good job, HAA Interns! We appreciate your many contributions to our school!



Valentina Jotovic, C.E.O., Hunterdon Academy of the Arts



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## **THANK YOU FOR YOUR REFERRALS!**

A BIG THANK YOU to several individuals, for referring their friends to Hunterdon Academy of the Arts! It's wonderful to have such strong supporters who spread the word about HAA in the Hunterdon community! We'd like to give a special shout out to Tara Harrison, Matilda Serrao, Glenn Wasserman, Erin Palma, Patricia Oliveira, Susannah Arnold, Emily Solimine, and Michael Smolinsky.

## THIS MONTH AT HAA **APRIL 2019**

4/5 Friday | 7:15pm-8:15pm Jam Session @ Flemington

4/12 Friday | 7:15pm-8:15pm Acting Out @ Flemington

# **FUN EVENTS IN MARCH**

Congrats to our Acting students on their fabulous performances in March! Acting 101 performed "Jackie and the Potato Stalk" and Acting 201 "Sideways Stories From Wayside School!" Visit our Facebook page to see the full album!





Addi Fowler Graham Arnold Safwa Ozair **Conrad Geiger Elizabeth Miller** Adrianna Faller Anjola Olawoye Charlie Newbury Hannah Varughese Michael Lenert Reid Becker Emily Gouse Patrick Palma **Emily Sutton** Dennis Tian Annalie Brice William Coey Charlotte Byne

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**Owen Swart** 

We also had a TON of fun during our St. Patrick's Day Fun Event on March 16! From face painting and our green selfie station, through awesome prize-winners on our "Wheel of Fortune", all the way to an impressive performance by our Rock+ band it was a FUN FUN FUN day, filled with laughter, positive energy and, of course, green cookies and chocolate coins. Oh my, should we do it again next year? We think YEAH!



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