



## **THE SPOTLIGHTERS**

The Spotlighters is the support guild for the YouTheatre program. It is comprised mostly of parents, grandparents and students of YouTheatre and perhaps a few others who feel strongly about supporting the growth of children's theatre.

The primary role of Spotlighters is to support the staff and students of YouTheatre in a variety of ways, whether assisting with productions, ushering at YouTheatre performances, selling concessions, hosting cast parties, publicizing events, taking photos of classes and shows, preparing "care packages" and plaques for recent graduates, etc.

Spotlighters originated in the Fall of 1994 and operates as a component/committee of The Vagabond School of the Drama, Inc. Membership is open to any person interested in the promotion of YouTheatre and the work of the Spotlighters. Dues are collected annually in September. Active individual members join for \$10.00 and are further willing to volunteer their time and talents to Spotlighters projects. Sponsors pay a \$100 fee which will be used to sponsor a Spring Festival Booth. Associate members pay \$50.00 and are not asked to volunteer. Only Active Members are allowed to vote for the nominated board at the one general membership meeting held in September/October.

Most importantly, Spotlighters serve as "ambassadors to the community." They tell friends and community members about the program, encouraging them to come to productions.