



SOCIAL NARRATIVE: GOING TO LIFELINE THEATRE

Welcome to Lifeline Theatre!
We look forward to having you
attend *Bunny's Book Club*
on February 1st.

MAINSTAGE

KIDSERIES

Bunny's Book Club
A world premiere based on the book by ANNIE SILVESTRO
Illustrated by TATJANA MAI-WYSS

Adapted by ALY RENEE AMIDEI
Directed by ANTHONY KAYER

JANUARY 11 - FEBRUARY 16, 2020
SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS AT 11:00 AM & 1:00 PM
TICKETS: Child: \$15 | Adult: \$20 (Group discounts available)

STORIES COME ALIVE! FUN & GAMES FOR KIDS OF ALL AGES
Interactive storytelling sessions plus on-stage post-theatre games
Saturdays & Sundays at noon during the run. Only \$5 per child!

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Open Captioned Performances: Saturday, 11:00 AM & 1:00 PM
 sensory friendly performances: Saturday, 11:00 AM

LIFELINE THEATRE

I am going to Lifeline Theatre to see a play.



GOING TO THE THEATRE

My family will drive, take a bus, or take a train to the theatre. If we drive to the theatre, my family might park our car in a parking lot and the Lifeline van will drive us to the theatre.



RAMP

When I arrive at Lifeline Theatre, my family and I will walk up a ramp and enter the building.



LOBBY

When I go into the theatre, I will be in the lobby. The lobby may be crowded and noisy. If I don't like the crowd, I can go to the quiet area.



GETTING TICKETS

My family and I will go to the box office to get our tickets to the play.



BATHROOMS

The bathrooms are in the lobby. I can use the bathroom at any time.



USHERS

When it is time to go into the theatre, I will give my ticket to an usher and they will tell me where my seat is.



SEATS

I will go up steps to my seat.
The seats in the theatre have
blankets on them that I can use if I
get cold.



STAGE

The play will happen on the stage. I will wait with my family in my seat until the show starts. If I need to leave the theatre, I can go out the way I came, but I can't go past the yellow line.



USHER SPEECH

I will know the play is starting when the usher talks onstage.



SCENERY

When I come into the theatre I will see a backdrop that looks like the woods with trees. There will be a large chair on the left side of the stage and a park banch on the right. There will also be flat bushes.



SCENERY (cont.)

The characters will visit different locations: Bunny's Burrow, the Park and the Library. The scenery will change when the characters go to the library: book shelves will appear, a banner that says Library will drop down and the bench will turn into a desk.



BUNNY/RACCOON

Bunny is a very nice rabbit that lives in her Burrow and values her friendships. She leaves her burrow to go on an adventure and discovers the Librarian reading a story. Raccoon is a street smart scavenger animal who loves garbage and snacks. She helps the animals learn to read.



MOLE, BEAR, & PORCUPINE

Mole, Bear and Porcupine are all friends of Bunny. Mole loves to dig and likes scary stories. Bear loves to eat and likes to read cookbooks. Porcupine is a professional napper and likes to learn about balloons and boats.



LIBRARIAN

The Librarian loves books and to read stories. She is very kind and explains the rules of the Library.



CHARACTER/AUDIENCE INTERACTION

In the play the characters will sometimes talk directly to me. I can respond in whatever way I am comfortable responding. Sometimes the characters will ask me to repeat after them and I can if I want to, but I don't have to do that.



PROPS

The actors will use lots of props to help us follow the story, like books, vegetable plates, snacks, etc.



VOM USE

During the play the actors will sometimes exit through the audience as if they are entering the library through the book drop door. I can use my imagination as the animals act out going through the book drop.



SOUND & MUSIC

I will here different sounds that remind me when we are outside like birds chirping, rain and wind. When the animals act out the stories the Librarian is reading, I will hear sounds of pirates, a canon, and clapping. I can clap too at the end of the stories the Librarian reads.



LIGHTS

The lights will sometimes change colors during the play if we are inside the library or outside in the park. There will be a pretend canon blast and all of the lights will turn red for a moment. When Bunny sneaks into the library the stage will be very dark and I will see security lasers that Bunny will have to dodge.



BOWING

After the play is over the actors will bow and I can clap my hands.



AUTOGRAPHS

After the play, I will leave the theatre and go into the lobby. The actors will be in the lobby and I can meet them if I want and have them autograph my program.



THANK YOU FOR COMING
TO LIFELINE THEATRE

We hope to see you again!