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Would it surprise you to know that the story of Rapunzel happened in France? Well it didn't really, but our story takes you on a frivolous frolic through the French countryside. The Ogres garden in the Mushroom patch, while the Corn and Potato spies report back to Madame Gothel. Frenchy and his intense friends, the Wood Elves, do their best to help Rapunzel escape the grasp of Madame Gothel. The lost Prince, Rapunzel's parents, and her friends the Unicorns try to help. Just when you think it's safe to cross the bridge a Troll and Three Billy Goats Gruff get in the way. It doesn't help that the Three Bears (or is it four) confuse Rapunzel with Goldilocks and chase her through the forest. Add to that the Gremlins trying to play tricks on everyone and you have chaos! Well, it's not that bad because the Pixies foil the Gremlins plans most of the time. In short, Rapunzel and all the rest of the characters tell a silly tale of personal triumph and friendship.

All registrations must be made through the Office of Continuing Education!

Office of Continuing Education
1 University Plaza
Platteville, WI 53818-3099

608.342.1314
888.281.9472 (toll free)

• Follow all instructions on the registration web site.
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Conceived and Written by Michael McGill
Music and Lyrics by Michael McGill

July 13 - 18, 2015
with performances on
Friday, July 17 @ 7:30 PM
Saturday, July 18 @ 11:00 AM

Please note the following:
• This is a day camp. No overnight accommodations are available.
• Children will receive a rehearsal schedule based upon the part in which they are cast at Monday’s audition. Generally, rehearsals are every day between 8:00 AM and 12:30 PM, with a break from 10-10:30 AM.
• On Friday, July 17, everyone needs to be at the CFA at 3:00 PM for a dress rehearsal.
• Dinner will be provided for registered children prior to the Friday evening performance.
• Registration cost is $85.00 per child
• Registrations will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis beginning at 9:00 AM on 4/15/2014. Registration must be via the online web site or by phone. No walk-up registrations will be accepted. Thanks!

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