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## **Kids Who Care Presents Musical Production of “A Christmas Carol”**

*Show Runs December 15 - 23 at the Scott Theatre*

Fort Worth, TX - November 6, 2007 – Kids Who Care, a non-profit international musical theatre company based in Fort Worth, Texas, presents a musical version of Charles Dickens’ *A Christmas Carol* this holiday season. The show runs December 15 through December 23 at the Scott Theatre, with evening, matinee and school-day performances.

An inspiring tale of hope and redemption, *A Christmas Carol* tells the story of Ebenezer Scrooge and his magical journey from a bah-humbug miser to a loving and generous man. In this version presented by Kids Who Care, adapted by Preston Lane and Jonathan Moscone and originally premiered at the Dallas Theater Center, the story starts with a child, features an elaborately designed set and includes a cast full of talented youth and adult actors from the Dallas/Fort Worth area.

“Join Kids Who Care, Tiny Tim, Scrooge, the Crachits and Christmas past, present and future, who will ‘haunt your houses pleasantly’ for this delightful, musical version of a timeless holiday classic” said Deborah Jung, founding and executive director of Kids Who Care. “It’s the perfect way to celebrate the true meaning of Christmas with your family this year.”

The show runs December 15 through December 23 at the Scott Theatre, 1300 Gendy St. in Fort Worth’s Cultural District. Specific show dates and times are as follows:

- Saturday, December 15 – 2:00 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
- Sunday, December 16 – 2:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, December 19 – 7:30 p.m.
- Thursday, December 20 – 7:30 p.m.
- Friday, December 21 – 7:30 p.m., WinterBall after the show
- Saturday, December 22 – 2:00 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
- Sunday, December 23 – 2:00 p.m.

Tickets are \$12 to \$18, or \$10 each for groups of 10 or more. For Friday and Saturday evening shows (Dec 15, 21 and 22) tickets are \$15 for ages 15 and under and \$18 for ages 16+. For weekend matinees and the Wednesday and Thursday evening shows, tickets are \$12 for ages 15 and under and \$16 for ages 16+. For all shows December 15-23, tickets are \$10 each for groups of 10 or more. Please call about special school-day group prices.

Tickets for the Friday evening, December 21 performance include admittance to the WinterBall after the show. Kids Who Care’s Annual WinterBall is a kid-friendly after-the-show holiday party. The WinterBall will include music, dancing, refreshments and a chance to meet the cast.

A special preview performance of *A Christmas Carol* will be presented on Friday, December 14 as part of the Second Annual Producers' Night, a gala evening benefiting Kids Who Care and chaired by Molly Ogden. Tickets for Producers' Night are \$500 for groups of 12 or \$75 for individual tickets. The gala evening begins at 6 p.m. and includes food, refreshments, a preview performance of *A Christmas Carol* and desserts.

For more information or to purchase tickets, please call 817.737.5437 or visit [www.kidswhocare.org](http://www.kidswhocare.org).

### **About Kids Who Care**

Kids Who Care is a non-profit international theatre company based in Fort Worth, Texas that seeks to produce confident, caring and creative kids through leadership training, musical theatre education and performance. The organization began in 1987 under the direction of Deborah Jung, moved to The Scott Theatre in Fort Worth's Cultural District in 1989 and has evolved into the non-profit Kids Who Care corporation it is today. Kids Who Care offers professional musical theatre classes, summer musical theatre camps, international cultural exchanges, a touring Resident Company, public performances and more. The Resident Company has performed Off-Broadway at the Lamb's Theatre, at both Disney's, at The Kennedy Center, at 30,000 feet for the Make A Wish Foundation and at many other locations across the U.S. and overseas. The core values of the organization include: excellence in artistic development, artistic integrity of kids, leadership roles for kids, financial and cultural diversity and ensemble production. For more information, please visit [www.kidswhocare.org](http://www.kidswhocare.org).

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