# **Ross Griffin**

# MD/Director/Educator/Actor

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### **Professional Theatre**

Dreamland Drive-InMusic Director/CaptainDollywood Entertainment, TNDollywood's A Christmas CarolMusic Director/CaptainDollywood Entertainment, TN

Lite the NiteMusic DirectorMatt Davenport/TNPickup PatrolMusic DirectorMatt Davenport/TNCeltic Fyre/Entwined/London RocksShow Captain/Vocal SwingBusch Gardens/VA

# **Educational/Community Theatre**

Annie KidsMusic DirectorWhite Plains PAC/NYGrease Jr.Music DirectorSandbox Theatre/NY

You Can't Trust the MaleDirectorSusquehanna University/PAMurder Most Fouled UpDirectorSouth Western High School/PA

# **Teaching Experience**

The Cumberland County Playhouse / Crossville, TN May 2016-December 2019

**Teaching Artist, All Levels** 

- Taught Acting & Musical Theatre Classes for students ages four to eighteen
- Educated students in various acting techniques including Stanislavski & Laban
- Accompanied students on piano in the classroom and on the stage

#### **Summer Camp Educator**

- Developed and taught week-long intensives for Summer Performing Arts Camp
- Rehearsed & accompanied several classes and full group numbers live on stage

Port Chester School District / Port Chester, NY

April 2021-Present

#### **Substitute Teacher & Leave Replacement**

- Executed lesson plans left by middle school teachers in classrooms of 5-30 students
- Cooperated with multiple high school co-teachers to execute lesson plans
- Worked with ELL students of varying skill levels on English comprehension
- Background checked & fingerprinted to work in public schools

# Private Educator

2015 to Present

- Long-term piano & voice lessons for private students
- As-needed acting/monologue coaching for auditions and gigs

# **Relevant Experience/Education**

# Susquehanna University - B.A. Theatre Performance, Music minor

10 years in the regional circuit of professional theatre including musicals, plays, cabarets, & more Proficient in music theory, reading sheet music, and performing live (piano, guitar, trumpet, mandolin)

Acting – Dr. Doug Powers; Dr. Anna Andes

Voice – Tenor. Jeffrey Fahnestock

Dance – Musical Theatre, Jazz, Tap. John Dietrich