



Tom Sawyer: an original musical Summary

Join The Children's Theatre as it musically explores the mighty Mississippi River in the 1800s – as seen through the eyes of Samuel Clemens and the one and only Tom Sawyer. Seems as though good old Sam (Mark Twain) spent a couple of years right here in Cincinnati. He learned first hand the opportunities for mischief along a great river, which he presents to a couple of his creative troublemakers named Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn!

Tom starts off his adventures as he tricks his friends into whitewashing a fence for him (a job he absolutely hates to do!) Tom and Huck decide to bury a dead cat and discover Muff Potter, Doc Robinson and River Joe in a creepy cemetery one dark night. It's there that they also catch wind of a hidden treasure in McDougal's Cave and witness a heinous crime involving these men. They are afraid they might be next! Tom, Huck and Becky Thatcher search for the treasure, and afterwards, Tom and Huck head for Jackson Island to hide their find. Tom and Huck's family come searching for them but give up and sadly begin planning their funerals. Tears of anguish turn to tears of joy when they reappear during the service with their exciting revelation!

From Tom's devilish double-crossing pranks, to the surprise discoveries in the cemetery and cave, to pirates along the river, *Tom Sawyer: an original musical* presents Tom and his friends in the midst of their amazing lives along the river. Bring your imagination and be part of the adventure!