

Office of the Mayor

CITY OF  ROANOKE

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Young Audiences- Arts for Learning- Virginia is celebrating 60 years of operation, first bringing arts-in-education programs to Virginia in 1955;

WHEREAS, Young Audiences of Virginia is the leading provider of high-quality arts-in-education programming throughout the state;

WHEREAS, Young Audiences of Virginia offers a variety of arts performances and workshops grounded in core curriculum, residencies for children of all ages, and professional development in arts-integration techniques that improve students' literacy skills, motivation to read, and ability to learn;

WHEREAS, Young Audiences artists implement programs utilizing visual arts, dance, theatre, music, and storytelling into social studies, language arts, science, math, and multicultural curricula, all aligned with the Virginia Standards of Learning;

WHEREAS, Young Audiences of Virginia has served students in the City of Roanoke for decades and currently maintains an office at Center in the Square; and

WHEREAS, March 15-21, 2015, is celebrated as National Young Audiences- Arts for Learning- week across the country.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, David A. Bowers, Mayor of the City of Roanoke, Virginia, do hereby proclaim March 15 – 21, 2015 throughout this great six-time All-America City, as

YOUNG AUDIENCES OF VIRGINIA 60TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION WEEK.

Given under our hands and the Seal of the City of Roanoke this fifteenth day of March in the year of two thousand and fifteen.

ATTEST:



Stephanie M. Moon Reynolds
City Clerk



David A. Bowers
Mayor

