Barter Theatre in Abingdon, VA is looking for the following position:

Scenic Carpenter

The Scenic Carpenter is responsible for the safe construction, installation, and removal of scenery as directed by the Technical Director, Assistant Technical Director, and Shop Foreman. This employee will work as part of a team of carpenters to construct the scenery in an accurate manner in accordance with working drawings and designer plates. This is full-time, non-exempt position making \$15/hr. Contract dates are January 29 – December 15, 2024. Housing and benefits included.

Essential Functions and Skills:

- Build and rig scenery safely, efficiently, and accurately
- · Attend all strike and load-in calls
- Job will require heavy lifting (50+ lbs.), ladder and grid work, and possible long hours
- Ability to read and interpret working drawings
- Demonstrated knowledge of stage carpentry and the basic aspects of stage rigging
- Knowledge and proficiency of all common hand and power tools
- The ability to work both as part of a team and independently
- A self-motivator with the ability to motivate others
- Clear and concise communication
- Welding skills, metal fabrication, familiarity with AutoCad, and experience with CNC machines are a plus
- The ability, or willingness to learn, to drive large vehicles
- Other duties as assigned

Required Education/Experience:

Minimum of one year experience in scenic construction and run crew work in a performing arts environment.

Please send resume, relevant portfolio if available, and references to Brandon Jones, Technical Director, at bjones@bartertheatre.com.