

Welcome to the **Coronado Classroom**
Presented by *The Friends of the Coronado Foundation*



The Coronado Classroom

Mission: To enrich the lives of students, educators, and lifelong learners by providing opportunities of extraordinary experiences at the Coronado Theatre

The Coronado Classroom presents vibrant programs in an informal, interactive format; showcasing a wide range and broad spectrum of disciplines, and programs that are enjoyable and inspiring.

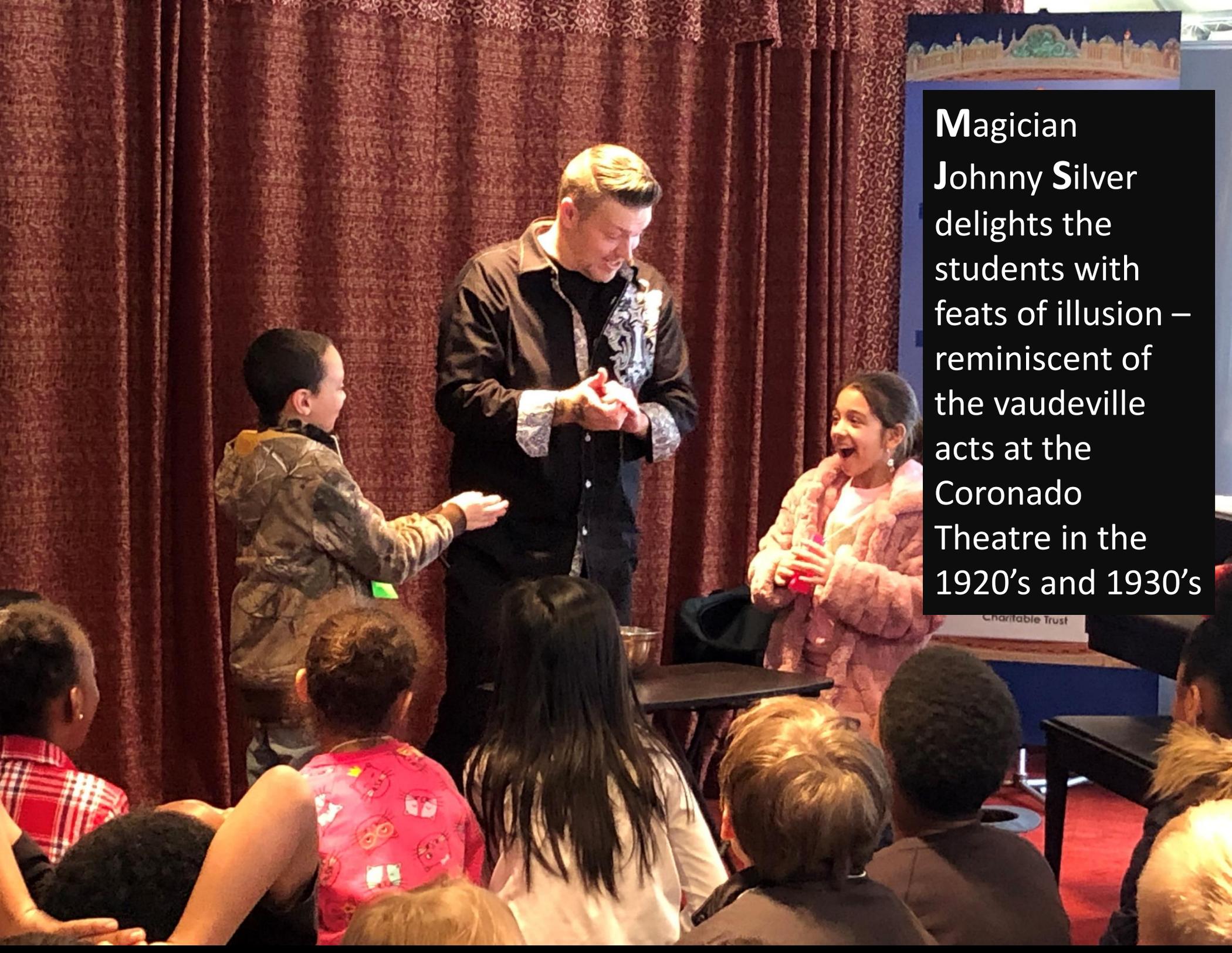
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About The Coronado Theatre *sparks the imaginations of students* across our region with one of the most unique experiences offered for school children.

The Coronado Classroom experience is provided at NO COST to the students or schools including a transportation stipend

- Sessions are in small groups of 50 students each
- Each session will last 1 ½ hours
- The experience begins in the Coronado Classroom with a live presentation by a surprise guest. Presentations are thoughtfully selected and developed to engage students through a multidisciplinary approach
- The experience continues as students explore the beautiful spaces and the stage of the Coronado Theatre





Magician
Johnny **S**ilver
delights the
students with
feats of illusion –
reminiscent of
the vaudeville
acts at the
Coronado
Theatre in the
1920's and 1930's

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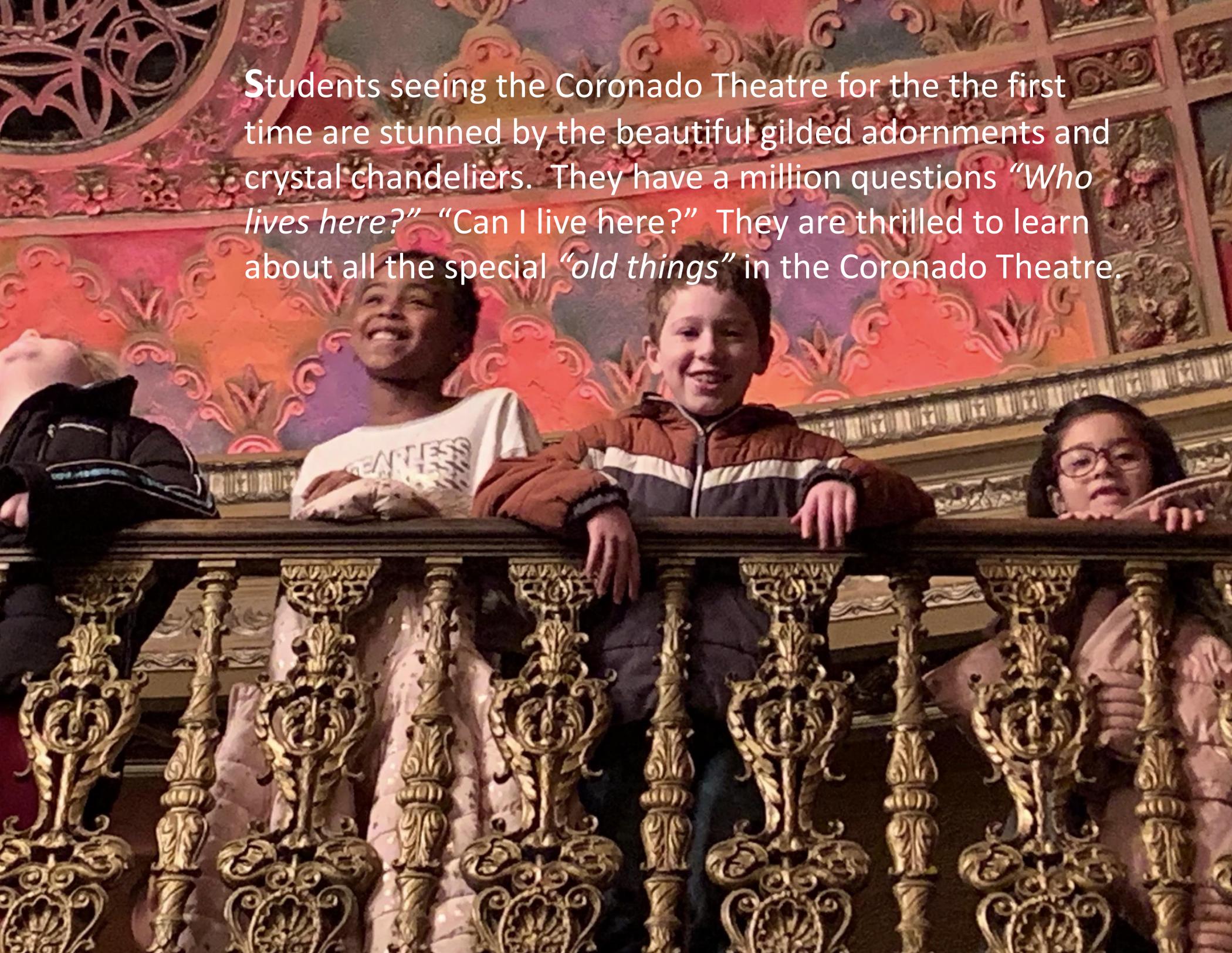


Artists' Ensemble's artistic director Richard Raether presents the history and story of the beloved **Nutcracker Ballet** to *RPS students*. Impromptu reenactments delighted the students and their teachers.





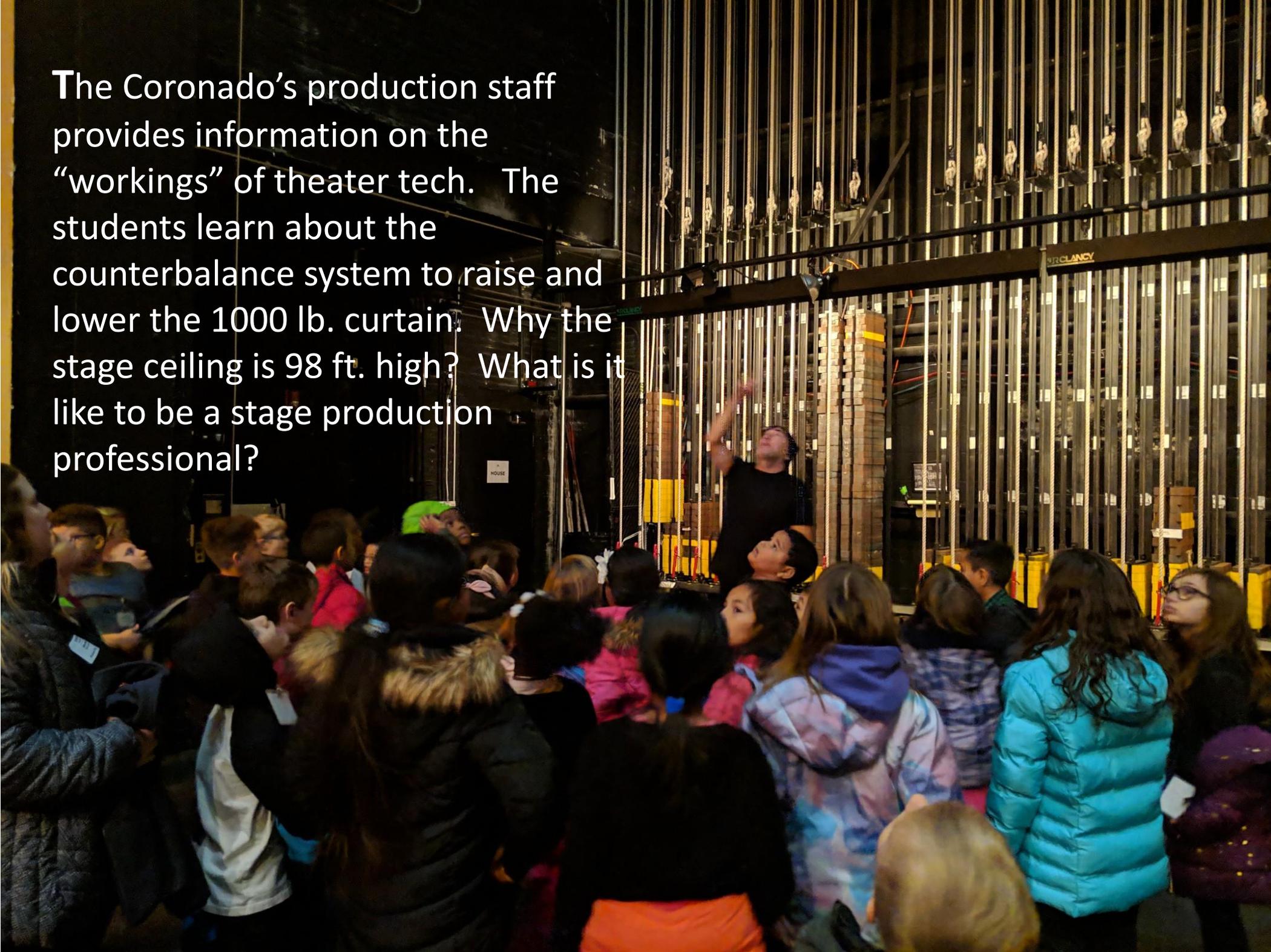
Students seeing the Coronado Theatre for the the first time are stunned by the beautiful gilded adornments and crystal chandeliers. They have a million questions “*Who lives here?*” “*Can I live here?*” They are thrilled to learn about all the special “*old things*” in the Coronado Theatre.



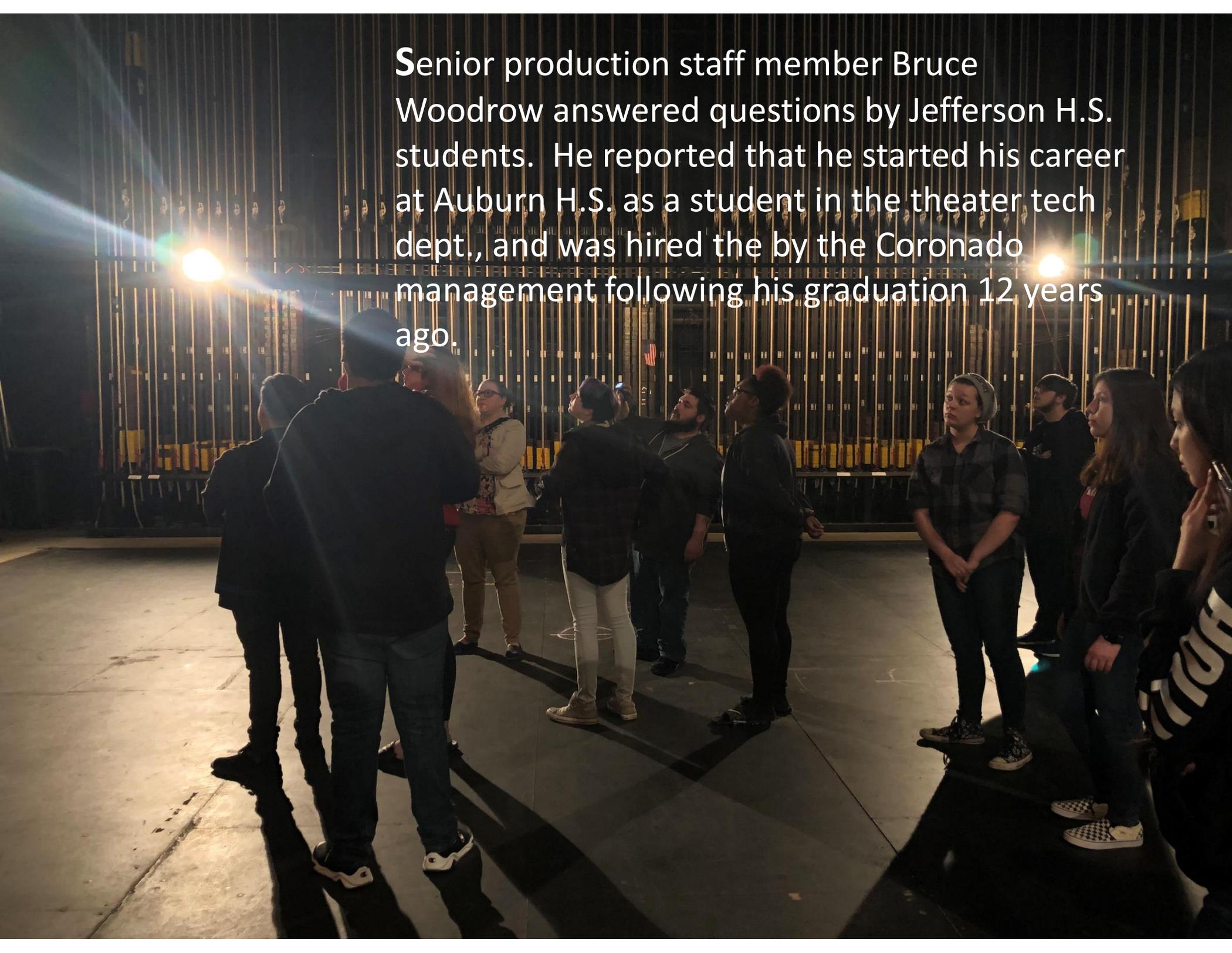
The twinkling starry lit sky of the Coronado is a wonderland filled with beauty and charm igniting the imaginations of young minds.



The Coronado's production staff provides information on the "workings" of theater tech. The students learn about the counterbalance system to raise and lower the 1000 lb. curtain. Why the stage ceiling is 98 ft. high? What is it like to be a stage production professional?



Senior production staff member Bruce Woodrow answered questions by Jefferson H.S. students. He reported that he started his career at Auburn H.S. as a student in the theater tech dept., and was hired the by the Coronado management following his graduation 12 years ago.



The “Classroom” experience was developed exclusively by the Friends of the Coronado. A one-of-a-kind experience - information provided by the League of Historic Theaters reports this extraordinarily high-quality educational experience for students is unique to any other historic theater.



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“... the trip to the Coronado (Classroom) by the 3rd graders was priceless. Several kids told their teachers they wanted to work there someday:) Many of them wore their best clothes because they knew this trip was very, very special.”

RPS Education Specialist - Darcy Hill

Impact Report - The Coronado Classroom project Was launched in the fall of 2019 and has hosted over 600 students. In 2020 we expect to host over 2,000 students.







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