

# Wyatt Rogers (14)

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Born and raised in Nashville, Wyatt sang before he could talk. He struggled with speech—his grandfather called him Gerald McBoing-Boing and his older sister who is his best friend served as his interpreter. At the age of five, Wyatt was asked by a local children's musical theater director, Sondra Morton (Act Too Players) if he wanted to join his older sister in the musical production of *Grease*. To his parents' surprise, he said yes.



Wyatt received his first standing ovation after singing his solo as Doody, and became hooked. Performing on stage was the magic pill in helping Wyatt overcome his language processing disorder.

His first professional show was at age 8 as Little Clyde in ***Bonnie & Clyde***, Boiler Room Theater, Jaimeson Hall.

The following year he was cast as the Mayor of Munchkin Land with Diana Degarmo as Dorothy in the ***Wizard of Oz***, produced by StudioTenn and performed at Schermerhorn Symphony.

At age 10, Wyatt was cast as Michael in the **National Broadway Tour of *Elf the Musical*** produced by

NETworks Production Team. Wyatt was re-cast in **Elf** the following year and performed at Madison Square Garden for the final 3 weeks of December 2017.

In the fall of 2017, Wyatt had the wonderful opportunity to perform at home at the Tennessee Performing Arts Center (TPAC) for the 2 week run of another new Musical based on Dan Fogelberg's music called **Part of the Plan**. He was cast as young Sean and for the first time was able to not only sing, but play his guitar on stage.

Wyatt was voted best young actor, Broadway World Regional in 2017 for his role as young Sean in **Part of the Plan**.

In January of 2018, Director Sam Scalamoni cast Wyatt as John, the older brother of young Lon Chaney, in the reading of a new musical currently in development, **1000 Faces**, based on Lon Chaney's life. This was rehearsed and workshopped for 3 weeks in New York City, then performed at Skyline Theater in New Jersey.

It was in April of 2018 that Wyatt's Dad noticed an ad in the Next Door App of a local boys band, [Next Door Boys](#), looking for a lead singer. The chemistry with the band was instantaneous and Wyatt has loved singing, performing, and creating with them ever since.

Wyatt loves to support local children's theater and participates in productions of local non-profit children's theater, The Theater Bug, as well as Act Too Players.



Wyatt continues to train with national and local instructors on his vocal, acting and guitar performance. These mentors include, **Ron Browning**, Kim Franca, Ryan Greenawalt, Trapper Felides, Cathy Trein, Bridget Berger, Cori Anne Laemmel, Matt Logan, Mary Wickliffe, Josh Dutoit & Chad Chapin.

Wyatt Rogers is fourteen years old.