GUIDELINES AND EXPECTATIONS FOR
FREDONIA MIDDLE SCHOOL CAST MEMBERS OF "FINDING NEMO JR."

1. Students are expected to attend every rehearsal they are called for unless the absence is noted on the audition information sheet and/or cleared with Mr. Wendell before the rehearsal. If a student is sick and cannot make rehearsal, a parent must contact Mr. Wendell by phone (716-679-1581 ext. 1455) or e-mail (bwendell@fcsd.wnyric.org). Students who have more than **2** unexcused absences may be dismissed from the production. **Barring an emergency, students must be present for all final dress rehearsals and performances or they cannot be in the production.**

2. Students must remain academically eligible to participate. If a student is academically ineligible, they will not be able to participate in rehearsals and may be dismissed from the production. It is important that school work comes first.

3. Students are expected to behave appropriately during rehearsals. This means that they are in the auditorium or surrounding hallways and not wandering in the school. They must be quiet when they are offstage. All Middle School rules apply to rehearsals as well. Failure to comply with these rules will result in a discussion with Mrs. Polhamus or Mr. Szafranek as well as parent contact. Repeat offenses will result in dismissal from the production.

4. Students must take care of any costumes or props they may have. They must bring them to rehearsals and they may not touch costumes or props that belong to other cast members.

5. Students are expected to learn lines (when applicable) and songs as quickly as possible. They are expected to practice their lines, songs, and dances outside of rehearsal and should seek help from Mr. Wendell or other adult staff members if they are having difficulty.

6. Students will make sure that they have rides to and from rehearsal from a parent. If someone besides a parent is picking up the student, the parent must send a note with the student to Mr. Wendell.

It is a privilege to be in the cast. Wandering the halls, being noisy during rehearsals, teasing others, and general behavior that interferes with the production will not be tolerated.

PARENTS/GUARDIANS AND STUDENTS MUST SIGN AND RETURN THE FOLLOWING PAGE AT AUDITIONS OR THEY WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR A ROLE IN THE PRODUCTION.

FINDING NEMO JR. STUDENT CONTRACT

This sheet must be completed and brought TO AUDITIONS or the student will not be able to audition. Any questions, please contact Mr. Wendell.

I have read and will abide by the guidelines and expectations for cast members of FINDING NEMO JR. I understand that failure to comply with these guidelines may result in dismissal from the production. Please print legibly.

Student Name _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Phone # _____

Parent/Guardian E-mail Address _____

Parents/Guardians:

Look for information in early October about ways parents can be involved in the production. Examples include set construction, set painting, costumes & props, hair & makeup, ticket sales, lobby decoration, buffet, cast & crew party, flower sales and more! We will need people willing to coordinate certain areas as well as helpers in each area. An e-mail with much more information and sign-ups will be coming in early October.