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### Original Texas Musical *Deep in the Heart* Returns

*Kids Who Care Kicks Off Tour on January 24 at Grapevine's Palace Theatre*

FORT WORTH, TX -- January 10, 2008 – Kids Who Care, a non-profit international musical theatre company based in Fort Worth, announced today that its original Texas musical, *Deep in the Heart*, has returned. In addition to *Earth and Soul*, touring since September 2007, Kids Who Care's Resident Company will tour *Deep in the Heart* January through May 2008. The *Deep in the Heart* tour will kick off on January 24, 2008 with performances at Grapevine's Palace Theatre.

*Deep in the Heart* is an original musical production that celebrates our Lone Star state and its multi-cultural history. Legend, fact, truth and tall tale come to life as five children lost in their history books discover Texas and what it means to be a Texan (whether native-born or the got-here-as-quick-as-they-could variety). It's a show for the whole family, filled with singing, dancing and the big spirit of Texas.

"We're thrilled to bring *Deep in the Heart* back to the stage," said Deborah Jung, founder and executive director of Kids Who Care. "We received an overwhelming response last year to this incredible show, from both adult and youth audiences who were inspired by the true Texas heritage brought to life by our talented young performers."

The Kids Who Care Resident Company is an audition company of children ranging in age from six to 18. The Resident Company performs locally, nationally and internationally each year, September through May. Past performance venues include Off-Broadway at the Lamb's Theatre, both Disney's, The Kennedy Center and at 30,000 feet aboard an airplane for the Make A Wish Foundation.

The January 24 performances will be at 9:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. at the Palace Theatre, located at 300 Main Street in Grapevine, Texas. Tickets are priced from \$5 to \$15. Call for special pricing for large school groups. For more information or to purchase tickets, visit [www.GrapevineTexasUSA.com](http://www.GrapevineTexasUSA.com) or call 817.410.3585.

#### **About Kids Who Care**

Kids Who Care is a non-profit international theatre company based in Fort Worth, Texas that seeks to produce confident, caring and creative kids through leadership training, musical theatre education and performance. The organization began with a pilot in the summer of 1987 under the direction of Deborah Jung, moved to The Scott Theatre in Fort Worth's Cultural District in 1989 and has evolved into the non-profit Kids Who Care corporation it is today. Kids Who Care offers professional musical theatre classes, summer musical theatre

camps, international cultural exchanges, a touring Resident Company, public performances and more. The core values of the organization include: excellence in artistic development, artistic integrity of kids, leadership roles for kids, financial and cultural diversity and ensemble production. For more information, please visit [www.kidswhocare.org](http://www.kidswhocare.org).

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