

Theatre for Young People



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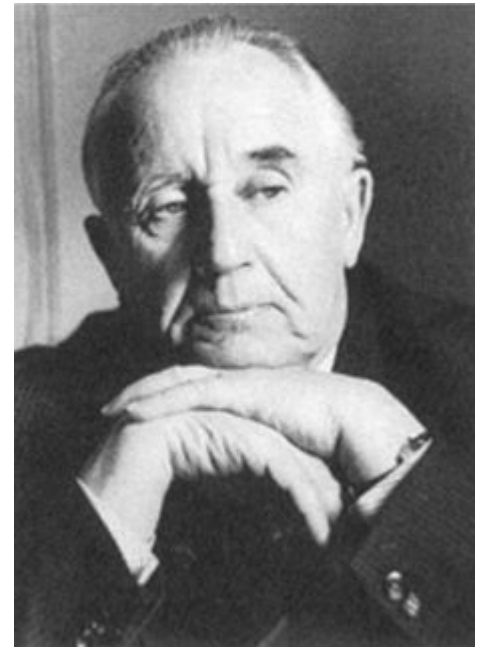
Theater History

Saratov Theatre for Young People was founded in 4 October 1918 by Y.P. Kiselev. He was intended for kids. The fairy tale “blue bird” was played on the opening day. The theater bears the name of Kiselev, People's Artist of the USSR.



Y.P. Kiselev

Since 1930 the theater is called Theatre for Young People. During World War II was disbanded. In the summer of 1943, Y.P. Kiselev arrived in Saratov and associated his whole future life with this theater. The first successes of the Saratov Theatre for Young People headed by Y.P. Kiselev did not keep them waiting.



Already in 1945, at the end of the All-Russian Theater Review for Children, the Saratov Theater for Young People's Rights was noted as one of the best children's theaters in the country. Later, in 1952, Y.P. Kiselev was awarded the USSR State Prize.



Theater today

Today, the Saratov Academic Theater of the Young Spectator. Y.P. Kiselev - winner of numerous awards in the field of theatrical art. In 1998, the Saratov Theatre for Young People Kiselev was given the honorary title “academic”. Saratov Theater for Young People repeatedly became a participant of international festivals and toured abroad in the USA, Poland, Lithuania, Bulgaria, Italy, Germany, France, Japan and other countries.

Today honored artists of Russia work in the theater:
V.A.Stroganova, E.V.Vovnenko and others.

Currently, the theater has performed more than 40 performances, and every year the audience sees up to 10 premieres, among them productions of both modern playwrights and works of Russian and foreign classics. Every year more than 150 thousand spectators visit the Kiselev Theater.