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**CLASSIC CHILDREN'S STORY *THE UGLY DUCKLING*
COMES TO LIFE AT METROPOLIS IN NEW BILINGUAL MUSICAL**

Arlington Heights, Ill., February 19, 2018 – Chicago Kids Company brings popular children's tale *The Ugly Duckling* to life in a new bilingual musical at Metropolis Performing Arts Centre April 3-13, 2018.

The Ugly Duckling is an updated musical version of the classic tale about belonging. The story follows Sophia, a new duckling at Lucky Ducky School who isn't quite the same as the other little ducks. Chicago Kids Company's new bilingual musical is great fun for both English and Spanish speakers--there's no need to be fluent in both to enjoy this tale about accepting the wonderful ways in which we're all one-of-a-kind. *Recommended for grades PreK-3.*

The Ugly Duckling runs April 3 through April 13, 2018. Specific dates and times are listed below. Tickets are \$14 for adults and \$12 for children 12 and under, and can be purchased online at MetropolisArts.com or by calling the Box Office at 847.577.2121.

More about Stories in Action!

The Ugly Duckling is part of Metropolis' Stories in Action! series – educational productions designed to feed the minds and imaginations of young audiences and bring families together through the performing arts. Watch for other upcoming Stories in Action! productions including *Hood* (May 3-5, 2018), and *Cinderella* (July 16-21, 2018).

By **booking a group** through our Group Sales department, you'll save over 15% on tickets, we'll waive the ticket handling fee, and you'll receive half price tickets for group chaperones. To discuss the needs of your group, contact Group Sales at 847.577.5982 x228 or e-mail groups@metropolisarts.com.

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Metropolis is located in the heart of Chicago's northwest suburbs in downtown Arlington Heights at the intersection of Campbell and Vail Avenue (111 West Campbell Street). Street parking is available. Free parking is available in the public garage behind the theatre. For more information about Metropolis and list of upcoming performances, go to MetropolisArts.com or call the Box Office at 847.577.2121.

Metropolis Performing Arts Centre provides professional entertainment and arts education, enriching our community.

Tuesday, April 3, 2018	10:00 AM	Monday, April 9, 2018	10:00 AM
Wednesday, April 4, 2018	10:00 AM	Tuesday, April 10, 2018	10:00 AM
Thursday, April 5, 2018	10:00 AM	Wednesday, April 11, 2018	10:00 AM
Friday, April 6, 2018	9:45 AM	Thursday, April 12, 2018	10:00 AM
Friday, April 6, 2018	11:30 AM	Friday, April 13, 2018	9:45 AM
Saturday, April 7, 2018	11:00 AM	Friday, April 13, 2018	11:30 AM

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