

# Peter Pan -- Lost Boys Costume Handout

Lost boys came to Neverland because they fell out of their prams, or were mislaid by their nannies. They have effectively gone “back to nature”. They live among the plants and animals, and have begun to look like them. Younger lost boys look more like plants, and the longer they have been in Neverland, the more they look like animals.

The Costume Fee for Lost Boys is \$15 and it is due on or before April 17. Late costume fees will be \$20. Please pay your costume fee at the information table during regular Saturday rehearsal times. If you are a lost boy and an Indian, your ensemble costume fee is \$40.

Lost Boys are responsible for constructing their own costumes with embellishments provided by MYART. Virtually all of a Lost Boy costume can be bought in Thrift stores or found in your closet, the Lost Boy effect is achieved by sewing or gluing leaves and fur to the basic costume.

It is very important that there be **NO POCKETS** in a Lost Boy costume. Peter Pan tries to recruit Wendy to be their mother and to sew pockets on them. The effect of the lines will be spoiled if any Lost Boy has visible pockets.

Lost Boy colors are soft and dusty blues, browns, tans, greens, burgundy or gray. They should be raggedy, and layered. Costume pieces will be:

**Shirts** – long sleeved solid color tee shirts (no patterns or logos) or long sleeved shirts with collars which may be solid or plaids in the Lost Boy colors. **NO POCKETS!**

**Vests** – Optional, made of fur or felt in solid Lost Boy colors. An easy fur vest can be made by tying two pieces of fake fur together with leather strips at the shoulders and sides. Lost Boys may also wear leather or fur pouches tied to their waists.

**Pants** – raggedy, with holes and **NO POCKETS**

**Hats** – provided by MYART, trimmed with leaves and fur. All hair must be covered by hats.

**Shoes** – Ragged dark tennis shoes or moccasins, socks are optional, but if worn must be a Lost Boy color. No white socks.

MYART is providing hats and (silk) leaves and plant material and (fake) fur to be sewn or glued on the hats, shirts, vests and pants. You can add additional touches like fur ears or tails or small animals to enhance the effect.

**Costume check for Lost Boys will be March 27** during regular group rehearsal times.

Embellishments (hats, leaves and fur) will be issued to each cast member once their costume fee has been paid.