



Valley Youth Theater

PHOENIX, ARIZONA



Sennheiser's Digital 6000 ensures best sound performance on stage

“What they do at VYT is outstanding, and they deserve technology that matches that excellence. With the Digital 6000, they easily have the best RF setup of any youth theater in the country.”

Jack Karlen
Clearwing Systems
Integration

Valley Youth Theater (VYT) belongs to the premier youth theaters in the country. They've touched the lives of thousands of young actors along the way, including future and past Academy Award nominees, Broadway actors, and professional recording artists.

From his earliest days with VYT, the theater's Artistic Director Bobb Cooper recognized that a key part of elevating the company's work was providing technology befitting their vision. One of VYT's alumni is Jack Karlen of Clearwing Systems Integration who participated in VYT productions as a teenager and has stayed involved with the theater as an adult volunteer. He pointed out that some of Cooper's wireless transmitters would soon fall out of FCC compliance due to the

600 MHz band transition. “I happened to be glancing at some of the gear in their rack and gave Bobb a heads-up that they would need to address these compliance issues,” he says. This was the reason to update the system.

Cooper and Karlen saw an opportunity to design a new wireless system for VYT that would meet the theater's needs for years to come. After briefly reviewing a range of wireless options, they quickly decided on Sennheiser's Digital 6000 wire-