

## THE CAST

### **JOCKS**

COACH BOLTON...LUCIA MCCURDY-MOSS
TROY BOLTON...ENZO KENNEDY
CHAD DANFORTH...RICHARD GLAMAN
ZEKE BAYLOR...FINN POTTS PHILIPSEN
JAMES...LILAH CHRISTIANSON
JOCK...ISAAC NEISULER
JOCK...JASON KANG

### **CHEERLEADERS**

CHEERLEADER, CATHY...JOSEPHINE MANGELSEN
CHEERLEADER, CYNDRA...ELODIE SWAIN
CHEERLEADER, MS.TENNY...SIENNA HANDFELT
CHEERLEADER, SUSAN...BAYJE FELDER
CHEERLEADER...ELLA MAKI
CHEERLEADER...JANA RUVKUN

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### **BRAINIACS**

GABRIELLA MONTEZ...ALYSSON B SOLTERO
TAYLOR MCKESSIE...SAMANTHA BECKER
MARTHA COX...ARIA KIM
KRATNOFF...OLIVIA HENDRICKS

#### **THESPIANS**

MS.DARBUS...CHRISTINA LE
SHARPAY EVANS...SADIE RUBESCH
RYAN EVANS...CONOR CRAGGAN
KELSI NIELSEN...LUCIANA COLELLO

### **SKATERS**

JACK SCOTT...ROWAN K BLACKSHER
DRUM MAJOR...AURORA SPARKS
DAPHNE NEISULER
LILA HAGEN
ALICE GRIFFIN-WESSEL
AMELIA LIND
MIA GARCIA

### A NOTE FROM THE ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

If you are reading this...that means we are performing High School Musical! This was not a sure thing. I know we always say "the show must go on," but I think we've all learned that that adage is no match for a worldwide pandemic. On the road to get HSM to the stage, in front of an audience, we've faced every challenge, save locusts, it seems. Just when we thought we were in the clear, that we had survived or made adjustments for all of the issues COVID could throw our way, Snowpocalypse '21 hit and we had to cancel all of our technical rehearsals and the opening of the show.

But here we are and our new adage is...celebrate every victory! Celebrate the resilience of young artists, both on stage and on the production team, who refuse to let obstacles stand in the way of self expression. Celebrate that we are here in a room together with these talented performers, telling a story about being true to ourselves while also being accepting of each others' differences. Celebrate that the kids telling the story exemplify the message in the story, that we are literally "All In This Together," which they have demonstrated over and over in their actions toward each other through a creative process that was equal parts unrelenting struggle and unabashed joy.

I have worked with over a hundred youth theatre casts, in various roles, throughout my career. Each one is unique, but this is an ensemble I will never forget. This cast didn't simply "act like they wanted to be here." With each new obstacle, the adults would turn to each other and ask how these kids could still seem so dang happy? They oozed positivity through every twist and turn, and they kept their production team inspired even when we were wondering if we could actually go forward.

I find youth theatre to be miraculous in general, but this production is a little extra. Whichever performance you see, you will be watching them create magic before your very eyes. While most casts are a consistent group of people who rehearse and perform together over and over, this cast has fluctuated in size and shape on a daily basis. In each performance, someone will be performing a role that they were never expecting to perform, which they may have taken on last month, or last night.

We have watched this ensemble adjust, and readjust, and then adjust again, to deal with whatever next challenge is presented. So watch them work their magic, while singing, dancing and acting at the same time, and then, celebrate!

Kathleen Edwards Artistic Director

## PRODUCTION TEAM

DIRECTOR / MUSIC DIRECTOR	Franki <b>e Curry</b> - Edwards
CHOREOGRAPHER	KRYSTLE ALAN
PRODUCTION STAGE MANAGER	JAXEN CALEB HEDBERG
STAGE MANAGER	silas gobat
PRODUCTION ASSISTANT	RAE WILLIAMS
PRODUCTION ASSISTANT	ALEX MCDUFFIE
PRODUCTION ASSISTANT	FAYE HOSTETTER
SOUND OPERATOR	ROBERT TURNER
CARPENTER	MICHAEL MCDUFFIE
COSTUMER	JOAN GLAMAN
COSTUME ASSISTANT	GRET CHEN HANDFELT
PROPMASTERS	TIM AND CARRIE POSEY
SET PAINTERSDIANE KENNISH, TO	NY CURRY, KERRY COLELLO

#### HILLINERS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Managing Director - Jaxen Caleb Hedberg

#### HILLINERS VISION:

To be the preeminent youth theater organization in South King County delivering high quality live musical theatre to our audiences.

#### HILLINERS MISSION:

To preserve and advance the performing arts in the lives of the students in our community.

To involve young people in the performing arts in order to produce higher levels of achievement and life awareness.

To achieve these goals while maintaining a reasonable cost structure for both our performers and our audiences.

The Hi-Liners and our volunteers are dedicated to that end.



SAMANTHA BECKER
11TH GRADE
MOUNT RAINIER HIGH SCHOOL



ROWAN BLACKSHER
9TH GRADE
KENT LABORATORY ACADEMY



LILAH CHRISTIANSON 11TH GRADE SOUTH SEATTLE COLLEGE



LUCIANA COLELLO
10TH GRADE
MOUNT RAINIER HIGH SCHOOL



CONOR CRAGGAN 8TH GRADE ST.FRANCIS OF ASSISI



BAYJE FELDER
9TH GRADE
MOUNT RAINIER HIGH SCHOOL



MIA GARCIA 6TH GRADE ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL



RICHARD GLAMAN 12TH GRADE BELLARMINE PREP



ALICE GRIFFIN-WESSEL 8TH GRADE MADISON MIDDLE SCHOOL



LILA HAGEN
7TH GRADE
BYU INDEPENDENT STUDY



SIENNA HANDFELT 9TH GRADE LIBERTY HIGH SCHOOL



OLIVIA HENDRICKS 11TH GRADE SOUTH SEATTLE



JASON KANG 8TH GRADE SUMMIT TRAIL MIDDLE SCHOOL



ENZO KENNEDY 8TH GRADE HOLY ROSARY SCHOOL



ARIA KIM 8TH GRADE HOLY ROSARY SCHOOL



CHRISTINA LE 10TH GRADE MOUNT RAINIER HIGH SCHOOL



AMELIA LIND 8TH GRADE SUMMIT ATLAS



ELLA MAKI 6TH GRADE SYLVESTER MIDDLE SCHOOL



JOSEPHINE MANGELSEN
7TH GRADE
MADISON MIDDLE SCHOOL



LUCIA MCCURDY-MOSS 9TH GRADE HOLY NAMES ACADEMY



DAPHNE NEISULER
6TH GRADE
MADISON MIDDLE SCHOOL



ISAAC NEISULER 8TH GRADE MADISON MIDDLE SCHOOL



FINN POTTS PHILIPSEN
7TH GRADE
GLACIER MIDDLE SCHOOL



SADIE RUBESCH 8TH GRADE DENNY INTERNATIONAL M.S.



JANA RUVKUN 10TH GRADE WEST SEATTLE HIGH SCHOOL



ALYSSON SOLTERO
7TH GRADE
SHOWALTER MIDDLE SCHOOL



AURORA SPARKS

5TH GRADE

ARBOR HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY



ELODIE SWAIN 10TH GRADE MOUNT RAINIER HIGH SCHOOL



IAN THOMAS 8TH GRADE SYLVESTER MIDDLE SCHOOL



RAE WILLIAMS 10TH GRADE KENNEDY CATHOLIC

# THANK YOU TO OUR HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL SHOW SPONSOR







ARIA, WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOUR PERFORMANCE.

YOU HAVE GROWN SO MUCH AND CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU "POP, LOCK, AND JAM" THROUGH LIFE.

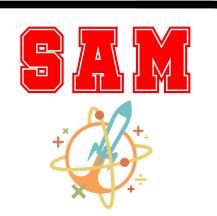
LOVE, MOM, DAD, JACOB, AND JULIETTE



"Here and now, it's time for celebration You finally figured out, That all your dreams have no limitations."

We're so proud of you, baby girl.

Mom, Dad, and Mason



MICKEY ROONEY SAYS "LEAVE 'EM LAUGHING" - GRANDPA

6000 LUCK ISAAC! - LOVE, THE HANOUSEKS

DUBINKSY SAYS "BREAK A LEG!"

ISAAC, YOU SHINE AS BRIGHTLY AS THE SUN! YOU LIGHT UP THE STAGE! CONGRATULATIONS! - LOVE, THE MONGES

GET YOUR HEAD IN THE GAME - MOM, DAD, DAPHNE, MIMBY, LOUIE, KONA









Aurora - Just remember, everyone loves a good jazz square! Oh, and don't stare at the sun.

Love,

Mom, Dad and Addie



Cheering you on once again as you continue to put in the hard work with such a kind heart.



We love you!

Mom & Dad

Griffin & Asher





We can't wait to see you "Bop to the Top" as Sharpay! We are so proud of you! Love, your family







No one plays a middle-aged man like you!

Your performance is a slam dunk!

We are proud of you and we love you.

Love, Mom and Dad



lan—We love how much you've enjoyed preparing for HSM.

May this be the first show of many.

We love you!

Mom, Dad, Grandma & Grandpa.

JANA - DON'T FORGET TO OPTIMIZE!

WE LOVE YOU SO MUCH - HAVE FUN!!

Mom, Dad, Mia, Griffey, Cleo, Chip, and Ruffles



## LUCIANA



We love you, Lu!



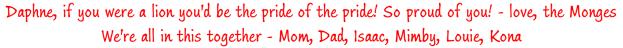
Your Family



We are so excited to see you in this performance! We know your dedication and commitment to your craft matters so much and it shows. Please know your family supports you always! We love you so much!

Love. Mommy & Daddy

Hamlet says "The play's the thing . . . " - Grandpa Goodluck Daphne! - love, the Hanouseks Olive Piper says "You go, girl!"





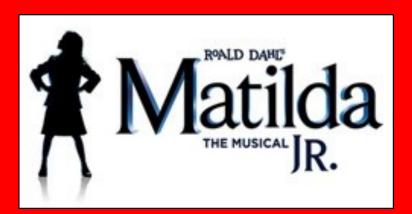
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## **UPCOMING CLASSES**

Footlights	Ages 4-6  Children will practice active listening, following directions, and taking turns, BUT DON'T TELL THEM. They'll think we're just playing games, singing songs, and making up stories.
Imagination Station	Ages 6-8  Foundation skills of observation, mimicry, maintaining focus, and cueing are practiced in theatre games, stories and songs. Our studio is the place to learn short scenes and songs for performance on our final day!
Musical Theatre Playhouse	Ages 9-11  The Playhouse is a place to learn to make the physical and vocal choices necessary to create a character. Students will work on the fundamental theatrical skills of vocal projection, making character choices, creating stage pictures, and collaborating with other actors.
Improvisation	Ages 12+  Learn to think on your feet, be creative on demand and finally get the respect you deserve for being the class clown!
Ballet Warm-Up	Ages 9+  This dance class is intended for beginning to intermediate level students interested in improving their dance skills and technique with a musical theatre focus.
Dance for Musical Theatre	Ages 9+  This dance class is intended for beginning to intermediate level students interested in improving their dance skills and technique with a musical theatre focus.
Tap Your Talent	Ages 9+  This dance class is intended for beginning to intermediate level students interested in improving their dance skills and technique with a musical theatre focus.

For more information and to register for classes, go to Hi-liners.org



Providing hands-on learning and challenging academics tailored to match the needs of each student. We nurture Early Learning through Middle School students within strong Christian educational components to build character and confidence.



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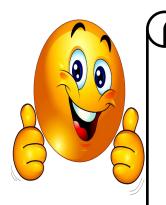


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