

# WELCOME TO THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF THEATRE!

How does a production like this come to life? Where does the magic start?

In order to present a fully-staged production, we started planning almost a year in advance! Last August, our director sat down with our other Theatre Arts teacher Mr. Carpenter, and discussed possible routines for "The Magic of Disney." The decision to present Disney material was a natural--Mr. Carpenter had worked at Disney World, and Miss Burrows is a "Disney nut" who has been to Disneyland four times and Disney World five times, and has a vast collection of Disney videos and memorabilia. (We hope you enjoy their selections.)

"Alice Through the Looking Glass" is another delightful topic for young performers--lots of interesting characters to interpret! We hope you'll enjoy all the special people from the story, and recognize some of your favorite characters. All the costume designs were based on the original Lewis Carroll drawings, and have been reproduced as faithfully as possible. Over 1,000 hangers went into the base structures of the Jabberwocky, the chess characters, giant flowers, Tweedledee and Tweedledum, Humpty Dumpty, the Aladdin camels, and other "strange and wonderful" objects!

Once the characters and routines were selected, Miss Burrows made one of several trips to the Amish fabric store, Zinck's, in northern Ohio. Armed with a vast pile of costume sketches, she spent several days selecting fabrics and trims. (Because this was a very "character-specific" show, costumes couldn't be ordered from a generic costume catalog--each one had to be made for the performer interpreting the specific character.) With her mini-van loaded and stuffed full, she returned to the Studios, where she and Mr. Carpenter spent several evenings cutting out her custom-designed original patterns. Over the months, costumes emerged from one of her three industrial-strength sewing machines. (You'll see over 350 costumes parade on stage today). Over 1500 hours of sewing and over 200 hours of painting was involved, and several more trips to the fabric stores.

In January, she made cassette tapes for every cast member, so that everyone could practice routines at home. In some cases, video-tapes of class rehearsals helped performers see how they were progressing. As the months passed, publicity pictures were taken, and posters with photographs were made of each performer, and taken to schools and posted. Other photographs were taken to local newspapers, so that the general public could be included in the fun.

A team of volunteer parents was assembled to help backstage, at the box office, and at the reception after each performance. Except for the Studio dress rehearsal and last night's dress rehearsal, there were no other "extra" rehearsals for this production-<u>all</u> work was accomplished during class! We are very proud of the accomplishments of our cast-we know you will applaud them most enthusiastically! Thanks so much for coming and helping us to celebrate a third-of-a-century of performing arts <u>fun</u>! Be sure to join us at the reception and meet the cast! Here's to many more rewarding years to come!

(Please--no flash photography or videotaping!)

# "THE MAGIC OF DISNEY" and "ALICE THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS"

The 33rd Annual Production of Youtheatre and Worthington Civic Ballet (Dedicated to the memory of Emily Scowden)

# "BE OUR GUEST" - from "Beauty and the Beast"

The Senior Company (both performances)

Waiter: Abbey Alden; Belle: Jessica Alden; Luminere: Shane Carpenter Waitresses: Katie Ball, Carrie Barker, Jennifer Brill, Lindsey Bleimes, Becky Browell, Megan Edwards, Deborah Heyse, Angela Kiser, Lindsey Pond, Cassandra Tate, Stephanie Williams

## "CRUELLA DEVILLE" - from "101 Dalmations" (Both Performances)

Puppies: Monica Davis, Tylar Drum, Melissa George, Melissa Gilliland, Tiffany Hall, Lauren Sommer, Craig Sommer, Grayson Summers, Kathryn Summers,

Derek Sifferlin, Emily Scheibeck Cruella Deville: Megan Edwards

### "PUTTIN' ON THE RITZ"

2:00 Performance: The Senior Company

7:00 Performance: Alyssa Keller, Danielle Igo, Kennerly Sayre, Lindsey Wiggers

## "BACK TO THE OLD ROUTINE" (Stool Dance)

2:00 Performance: Alyssa Keller, Danielle Igo, Kennerly Sayre, Lindsey Wiggers 7:00 Performance: Monica Davis, Tylar Drum, Melissa George, Melissa Gilliland, Tiffany Hall, Lauren Sommer, Craig Sommer, Grayson Summers, Kathryn Summers, Derek Sifferlin, Emily Scheibeck

# "ALICE THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS"

#### ALICE BIRTHDAY

Alice:

Kirstin Jenkins

White Rabbit: Vanessa Shrontz

Alice's Friends:

Sarah Brigham, Sarah Ho, Eva Hudgins

Alice's Reflections: Ashley Bleimes, Amanda McCash, Tiffany McCash, Debra Williams

#### GARDEN OF LIVE FLOWERS

Christina Conklin, Miranda Hayes, Ann Nicholson, Erica Nims, Sara Rampersaud, Elizabeth Strauch, Marjorie Vardell

#### THE MAD HATTER'S UN-BIRTHDAY TEA PARTY

Mad Hatter: Andrew McCabe Cheshire Cat: Ashley McCabe March Hare: Taylor Fox Alice: Casey Miller White Rabbit: Christina Cody Max Posival Dormouse:

## TWEEDLEDEE and TWEEDLEDUM recite "The Jabberwocky"

Tweedledee: Sarah Timm Tweedledum: Eric Timm Boy Knight: Jake Doodan

Jabberwocky: Christina Conklin, Miranda Hayes, Kirstin Jenkins, Ann Nicholson,

Erica Nims, Sara Rampersaud, Elizabeth Strauch, Marjorie Vardell

GARDEN OF ROYAL RED ROSES

2:00 Performance: Hillary Bletz, Jackie Boden, Jessica Boden, Amanda Chucta, Constance Davis, Grace Dorman, Erica Evans, Lily Hohman, Ashley Keinzle, Laura Lee, Hailee Miller, Theresa Moore, Kristin Nooks, Ashley Perez, Alison Rohal, Meghan Smith, Whitney Stover, Jazman Tyree, Megan Wylly

7:00 Performance: Caitlin Davis, Monica Davis, Kimberlee George,

Melissa Gilliland, Tiffany Hall, Sarah McKean, Lauren Sommer, Lisa Tickel Yellow Butterflies (both performances): Anna Chilcote, Sarah Douglas, Anna Gentile, Jennifer Keinzle, Alyssa Keller, Brianna Lombardi, Megan McCabe, Amanda McCash, Tiffany McCash, Eva Miller, Zackiah Weatherington, Lindsey Wiggers

## CATERPILLAR and BUTTERFLIES MEET ALICE

Caterpillar: Taylor Fox Alice: Kirstin Jenkins

2:00 Butterflies (bright lime green): Ashley Carr, Marybeth Chilcote, Erin Clark,

Anastasia Hesse, Lauren Heironimus, Courtney Montello, Tina Montello, Anita Mudan

7:00 Butterflies (bright purple and lime green): Cara Bowers, Jennifer Hennessy, Megan McGinty, Carmen Perry, Hillary Taylor, Janelle Vagnier

# ALICE MEETS HUMPTY DUMPTY

Alice: Casey Miller Humpty Dumpty: Tatum Howell

THE RED QUEEN'S GAMES

Court Jesters: Ashley Bleimes, Sarah Brigham, Sara Ho, Eva Hudgins, Debra Williams

White Rabbit: Vanessa Shrontz

Court Ladies & Gentlemen: Shane Carpenter with Katie Ball, Carrie Barker,

Lindsey Bleimes, Jennifer Brill, Becky Browell, Megan Edwards, Stephanie Williams Cards: Anna Chilcote, Sarah Douglas, Jennifer Keinzle, Alyssa Keller, Brianna Lombardi, Megan McCabe, Amanda McCash, Tiffany McCash, Megan McGinty, Eva Miller,

Zackiah Weatherington, Lindsey Wiggers

Chess Game: Casey Epps, Courtney Henry, Kaitlin Lloyd, Arika Lycan, Max Posival, Kari Sexton, Eric Timm, Sarah Timm

#### THE CARD'S ARGUMENT

Alice: Casey Miller Red Queen: Jayme Richards Red King: Matt Reis

Knave of Hearts: Eric Timm

Cards: Abbey Alden, Jessica Alden, Kate Pentak

#### ADVICE FROM THE CHESHIRE CAT

Alice: Casey Miller

Cheshire Cat: Ashley McCabe

ALICE'S TRIAL: WHO STOLE THE TARTS?

Jury (2:00 Performance): Grace Borders, Kelsey Corcoran, Katie Funk, Claire Gainer, Joe Gonzalez, Vince Gonzalez, Courtney Henry, Samantha Jayasinghi, Jaime Moore, Alex Thomas

Jury (7:00 Performance): Natalie Clager, Michael Colflesh, Adam Emery, Tina Montello, Kiera O'Rourke, Joshua Richardson

# "THE MAGIC OF DISNEY"

STRAUSS WALTZ "Music of the Spheres"

(Dedicated to Duard Farquhar, director of the Capitol City Ballet and teacher of our director, Miss Burrows)

Junior Company: Ashley Bleimes, Sarah Brigham, Sarah Ho, Eva Hudgins, Vanessa Shrontz, Debra Williams

Senior Company: Shane Carpenter with Katie Bell, Carrie Barker, Lindsey Bleimes, Jennifer Brill, Becky Browell, Megan Edwards, Stephanie Williams

"ONCE UPON A DREAM" from "Sleeping Beauty"

2:00 Performance: Ashley Carr, Marybeth Chilcote, Erin Clark, Anastasia Hesse,
Lauren Heironimus, Courtney Montello, Tina Montello, Anita Mudan

7:00 Performance: Cara Bowers, Megan McGinty, Jennifer Hennessy, Carmen Perry, Hillary Taylor, Janelle Vagnier

"BIBBITY BOBBITY BOO!" from "Cinderella" and Ruby Fairies from "Sleeping Beauty"

2:00 Performance: Tara Benninger, Jackie Boden, Jessica Boden, Amanda Chucta, Emily Kennedy, Laura Lee, Theresa Moore, Megan Nafziger, Nora Posival, Meghan Smith, Shelly O'Rourke, Audrey Sutton, Megan Wylly

7:00 Performance: Aimee Clark, Keanna Daniels, Kirstin Drum, Tylar Drum, Sarah Flynn, LeRoyce Kelly, Jazmin Perry, Chelsea Robinson, Emily Scheibeck, Renae Vagnier

"BRUBECK SUITE"

(Dedicated to Dave Brubeck a dear personal friend, and a great inspiration to our Jazz North Dance Company.)

Danced by the Senior Company

"EVERYBODY WANTS TO BE A CAT" from "The Aristocats"

Danced by the Junior Company (2:00 Performance Only)

"CHIM-CHIM-CHER-EE" from "Mary Poppins"

Danced by the Junior Company (7:00 Performance Only) (Shane Carpenter as "Bert")

"WE ARE SIAMESE" from "The Aristocats" (7:00 Performance Only)
Brittney Paul, Whittney Paul

"WHY SHOULD I WORRY? from "Oliver and Company" (7:00 Performance Only)

Casey Epps, Tiffany Epps, Miranda Hayes, Courtney Henry, Arika Lycan, Erica Nims,

Sara Rampersaud

"AMAZING GRACE"

(Dedicated to our director's husband, Bob Albright)
Danced by the Senior Company

# "HEIGH, HO!" from "Snow White" (7:00 Performance Only)

Snow White: Casey Epps

Doc: Adam Emery Grumpy: Marybeth Chilcote
Happy: Tina Montello Bashful: Natalie Clager
Sleepy: Joshua Richardson Dopey: Kiera O'Rourke

Sneezy: Michael Colflesh

## TAP QUARTET (7:00 Performance Only)

Megan Edwards, Deborah Heyse, Angela Kiser, Cassandra Tate

## "CIRCLE OF LIFE" from "The Lion King" (7:00 Performance Only)

Tatum Howell, Jill Slarfpin, Beth Stoner, Debra Williams, Stephanie Williams

## "HAKUNA MATATA" from "The Lion King" & "MIGHTY KING" (2:00 Performance Only)

Abby Alden, Jessica Alden, Grace Borders, Christina Cody, Kelsey Corcoran,
Jake Doodan, Katie Funk, Claire Gainer, Joe Gonzalez, Vince Gonzalez,
Courtney Henry, Tatum Howell, Samantha Jayasinghi, Casey Miller, Jaime Moore,
Kate Pentak, Alex Thomas

7:00 Performance ("Mighty King" only)

Casey Epps, Courtney Henry, Kaitlin Lloyd, Max Posival, Kari Sexton, Eric Timm, Sarah Timm

## "DRACULA" (2:00 Performance Only)

Danced by Senior Company

## "UNDER THE SEA" from "Little Mermaid" (2:00 Performance Only)

Sea Creatures: Taylor Fox, Andrew McCabe, Ashley McCabe, Jayme Richards, Matt Reis

### "COLORS OF THE WIND" from "Pocohontas"

2:00 Performance: Courtney Johnson, Alyssa Keller, Megan McCabe, Lindsey Pond, Ali Simon

7:00 Performance: Jennifer Moorehead, Kristin Mueller, Johanna Taylor, Jessica Wiggers, Debra Williams

## "BUSINESS OF LOVE" (Faculty Duet) (Both Performances)

Shane Carpenter, Stephanie Williams

### "PRINCE ALI" & "FRIEND LIKE ME" from "Aladdin"

(Dedicated to Dick Frank of Dick Frank Originals Costume Shop. The camel costumes are also dedicated to him. Thanks for the inspiration!)

Genie: Matt Wells

Aladdin: Max Posival (2:00 Performance) Eric Timm (7:00 Performance)

Camels: Taylor Fox, Ashley McCabe, Jayme Richards

2:00 Performance: Christina Conklin, Casey Epps, Tiffany Epps, Miranda Hayes, Courtney Henry, Kirstin Jenkins, Kaitlin Lloyd, Erica Lycan, Anne Nicholson, Erica Nims, Max Posival, Sara Rampersaud, Kari Sexton, Elizabeth Strauch, Sara Timm, Marjorie Vardell

7:00 Performance: Ashley Carr, Anna Chilcote, Marybeth Chilcote, Erin Clark, Sara Douglas, Anna Gentile, Lauren Heironimus, Anastasia Hesse, Jennifer Keinzle, Alyssa Keller, Brianna Lombardi, Megan McCabe, Amanda McCash, Tiffany McCash, Eva Miller, Zackiah Weatherington, Lindsey Wiggers NEW YORK EXPORT: OPUS JAZZ

(Dedicated to Gus and Peg Giordano. Gus is director/choreographer of the "Giordano Jazz Dance Chicago." One of our former students, Chris Kerber, was his lead dancer for several years. Gus is also one of Miss Burrows' very influential teachers. She has taken students to the International Jazz Dance Congress and the Jazz Workshops in Chicago for over 20 years.)

This final piece is performed by the Senior Company (Both Performances)

**GRAND FINALE** 

(Dedicated to Rosemary Hite, performing arts newspaper critic and enthusiastic supporter of our efforts)

Full Cast: "It's a Small World After All!"

Reception will be held after the performance in the cafeteria.

## SPECIAL CREDITS AND THANKS:

Stage Manager: Jim Scowden

(This performance is dedicated to Mr. Scowden's late wife, Emily Scowden. We thank

her for her dedication to the arts, and a life filled with service to others)

Studio Manager: Linda Johnston

Property Master: Steve Thomas constructed the platform, boxes, and folding screens

Cake decorated by Mrs. Posival

Sewing Assistance: Mrs. Shrontz, Mrs. Tickel, Mrs. Epps, Mrs. Wiggers, Shane Carpenter,

Mrs. Hudgins, Mrs. Timm Typing Assistance: Eilene Reece

Props Repaired by: Furniture Physicans

Backstage Assistant: Miss Burrows & Matt Wells

Class Demonstrators: Ashley Bleimes, Lindsey Bleimes, Megan Edwards, Jennifer Kienzle,

Vanessa Shrontz

Faculty: Director, choregrapher, costumer designer - Barbara Burrows

Children's jazz and ballet - Stephanie Williams Children's ballet, jazz and tap - Shane Carpenter

All costumes designed and constructed by our director, Barbara Burrows, with the exception of catalog-purchased costumes for the little red roses of our youngest ballet classes. These were ordered from Costume Gallery.

SUMMER CLASSES WILL BE HELD--0

"ALICE THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS" and "THE MAGIC OF DISNEY"

Saturday, June 8th at 7:00 p.m. Thomas Worthington High School 200 aV. Dublin Granville Road

"ALICE THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS" and "THE MAGIC OF DISNEY"

Saturday, June 8th at 2:00 p.m. Thomas Worthington High School 300 W. Dublin Granville Road

Adults \$5.00 Children/Seniors \$3.00

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