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STAGES

SUMMER CAMP

AUGUST 24TH @ 7:00PM AUGUST 25TH @ 11:00AM & 7:00PM AUGUST 26TH @ 7:00PM

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A MESSAGE FROM OUR ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

WELCOME TO SUMMER CAMP! I AM THRILLED TO WELCOME YOU TO OUR BELOVED THEATRE FOR YET ANOTHER FABULOUS PRODUCTION THAT WAS PUT TOGETHER IN JUST UNDER THREE WEEKS. THESE KIDS ARE AMAZING!

THIS IS THE FIRST SUMMER IN A LONG TIME THAT I HAVE NOT BEEN DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN CAMP. IT HAS BEEN A JOY TO RETURN IN THE FINAL WEEK TO SEE THAT THIS TALENTED TEAM HAS KEPT CAMP RUNNING LIKE A WELL OILED MACHINE ALL WHILE ENCOURAGING FUN, FRIENDSHIP AND SELF-CONFIDENCE! THANK YOU TO EVERYONE INVOLVED.



ENJOY!



DON'T FORGET TO BUY YOUR 50/50 TICKETS BEFORE THE SHOW! THE WINNER WILL BE DRAWN AFTER THE PERFORMANCE. PROCEEDS GO TOWARDS TECHNICAL UPGRADES AT THE THEATRE.



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A MESSAGE FROM OUR SHOW DIRECTOR

WELCOME TO OUR STAGES SUMMER PRODUCTION OF THE MOST EPIC BIRTHDAY PARTY EVER!

I AM THRILLED TO BE STEPPING IN AS DIRECTOR FOR THIS PRODUCTION. I WAS WARMLY WELCOMED BY PERFORMERS, STAFF AND FAMILIES, AND I THANK YOU FOR HAVING MEI HAVING DIRECTED MANY SHOWS FOR CHILDREN OF ALL AGES THROUGHOUT MY CAREER, I FELT VERY CONFIDENT IN MY OWN ABILITY TO GET THIS SHOW TO STAGE IN ONLY TWELVE DAYS. NOTHING PREPARED ME FOR THE LEVEL OF TALENT, AMBITION, AND TEAMWORK THAT I WAS WALKING INTO. OVER THE PAST FEW WEEKS I HAVE BEEN BLOWN AWAY BY THIS GROUP OF YOUNG PERFORMERS, AS WELL AS THE DEDICATION FROM FELLOW STAFF. DIRECTING THOSE WHO ARE WILLING AND READY TO LEARN AND BE A PART OF A TEAM HELPS ME TO BRING MAGIC TO THE STAGE—AND YOU WILL NOTICE THIS CAMARADERIE AS YOU WATCH OUR SHOW!

WHEN DIRECTING CHILDREN AND YOUTH, I HAVE ALWAYS FOUND THAT THE PROCESS IS JUST AS IMPORTANT AND THE PRODUCT. WHILE WE ALWAYS STRIVE FOR A BRILLIANT SHOW, THE STEPS CAST AND CREW TAKE IN TEACHING AND LEARNING DURING REHEARSALS ARE WHAT BUILD BETTER PERFORMERS AND TEAMMATES. OUR SUMMER PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS WORKED DILIGENTLY ON TIMING, STAGING, LINE DELIVERY, CHOREOGRAPHY AND VOCAL WORK. I HAD THE PLEASURE OF SEEING CAST BONDS BE BUILT AND ARTISTIC SELF-CONFIDENCE GROW IN EACH CAMPER. THIS OFFSTAGE EXPERIENCE FOR THE PERFORMERS BENEFITS THE AUDIENCE WITH A TRUE ENSEMBLE SHOW EXPERIENCE DURING THE ONSTAGE PERFORMANCES. EVERY CAST MEMBER IS ATTENDING A TRUE FRIEND'S BIRTHDAY PARTY, AND GOING THROUGH THE EMOTIONS OF WHAT HAPPENS WHEN THEY ALL HAVE TO RELY ON EACH OTHER WHEN FACED WITH CHALLENGES.

THE MOST EPIC BIRTHDAY PARTY EVER'S TITLE TELLS YOU IT'S GOING TO BE A FUN SHOW. IT IS FUN! AT ITS HEART, THIS PLAY IS A NOSTALGIC AND HEARTWARMING EXPLORATION OF WHAT MAKES A BIRTHDAY PARTY TRULY EPIC. IT TAPS INTO THE UNIVERSAL EXPERIENCE OF CHILDHOOD WONDER. THE MAGIC OF FRIENDSHIP. AND THE THRILL OF UNEXPECTED ADVENTURES. KEEPING THESE THEMES IN MIND AS YOU WATCH OUR SHOW WILL TRANSPORT YOU FROM EVERYDAY LIFE INTO SOMETHING MUCH MORE FANTASTICAL!

WHEN YOU AREN'T CAPTIVATED BY OUR PERFORMERS PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE DECOR COSTUMES AND PROPS FOR THIS SHOW NOT A SINGLE OPPORTUNITY FOR CREATIVE EXPRESSION ON STAGE WAS WASTED. IMAGINATION WAS ONE OF OUR GREATEST ASSETS BOTH ON STAGE AND BEHIND THE SCENES. OUR PRODUCTION TEAM HAS TAKEN A TYPICAL BACKYARD BACKDROP AND INFUSED IT WITH THE WONDER AND POSSIBILITY THAT CHILDREN FIND IN THE MOST ORDINARY OF MOMENTS THE AUDIENCE WILL NOTICE ALL OF THE WAYS THAT COMMON HOUSEHOLD. BACKYARD AND PARTY ELEMENTS ARE TRANSFORMED ON THE STAGE. FUELLING THE CHILDHOOD FANTASY

NOW I INVITE YOU TO SIT BACK AND ENJOY THIS COMEDIC. DRAMATIC AND HEARTWARMING TALE OF WHAT MAY TRULY BE THE MOST EPIC BIRTHDAY PARTY EVER!

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SETTING

A BACKYARD BIRTHDAY PARTY.

SYNOPSIS

SKYLER IS ABOUT TO TURN 12, AND SHE'S PLANNED THE BIGGEST CELEBRATION OF THE YEAR. BUT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE PARTY, SOMETHING MYSTERIOUS HAPPENS - ALL THE ADULTS SUDDENLY VANISH! TRAPPED IN THE BACKYARD, THE KIDS REALIZE THEY MUST CREATE A BRAND NEW SOCIETY. HOWEVER WHEN THEY ELECT SKYLER'S OLDER BROTHER, CHARLIE, AS THEIR RULER, THINGS REALLY BEGIN TO SPIN OUT OF CONTROL. EVENTUALLY THE KIDS LEARN A BIG LESSON IN RESPONSIBILITY, WHILE SKYLER AND CHARLIE DEVELOP A GREATER RESPECT FOR ONE ANOTHER.





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MUSICAL NUMBERS

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THE WORST BIRTHDAY PARTY EVER	
CHARLANDIA	ALL
GAIL (PART 1)	GAIL.
GAIL (PART 1)IT'S OUR OWN (PART 1)	THE TROUPES
IT'S OUR OWN (PART 2)	
T'S OUR OWN (PART 3)	THE TROUPES, QUINN, ELI, JO & FELIX
WOLF (PART 1)	WOLF
MY TREEHOUSE	
WHATEVER CHARLIE WANTS	CHARLANDIANS
GAIL (PART 2)	GAIL
PRE-CHARLIE DAYS	FOLK SINGERS
WOLF (PART 2)	WOLF
.CHARLANDIA (REPRISE)	ALL
GAIL (PART 3)	GAIL
BE BRAVE (PART 1)	JOY, LUCKY, CAMEO, REESE
BE BRAVE (PART 2)	ALL
BE BRAVE (PART 3)	CHARLIE
THE MOST EPIC BIRTHDAY PARTY EVER	ALL

CAMP SONG: "FOR GOOD" FROM THE MUSICAL WICKED. MUSIC AND LYRICS BY STEPHEN SCHWARTZ CAMP DANCE: "WHEN CAN I SEE YOU AGAIN" BY OWL CITY. WRITTEN AND PRODUCED BY ADAM YOUNG, WITH ADDITIONAL WRITING FROM MATT THIESSEN AND BRIAN LEE.



THE MOST EPIC BIRTHDAY PARTY EVER! CAST



SKYLER PAIGE A.



LILY Adalyn B.



TOBY Layne B.



CHORUS Namika C.



CHORUS Taejohn C.



PIM ISLA C.



CHORUS JULIAN C.



KURT ALEXIS C.



EMERY Isabella C.



NARRATOR 3 EMMETT C.



FELIX CLAIRE D.



WOLF COLLIN E.



CHARLANDIAN: QUINN CARISSA E.



NARRATOR 2 ZOEY F.



LUCKY Kaitlyn G.



CHORUS AVA G.



LOGAN Preston G.



CHORUS MICHAEL G.



KAI Elena G.



NARRATOR 1 EMMETT H.



ELI Ruby L.



PHOENIX Rhyder M.



CHORUS & CHARLIE & SKYLER'S MOM DYLAN R.



NARRATOR 4 Lauren R.



GAIL ELSIE R.



CHORUS Harper S.



CAMEO ALLIE S.



CHORUS LEAH S.



REESE EMILY S.



JOY Mya S.



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CHORUS CARTER W.



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SUMMER CAMP TEAM



DIRECTOR: HEATHER CARD

HEATHER IS VERY EXCITED TO BE JOINING THE STAGES ARTISTIC TEAM THIS SUMMER! SHE STARTED HER THEATRICAL CAREER ON STAGE, AND THEN COMBINED HER LOVE OF TEACHING WITH PERFORMING, BECOMING A CHOREOGRAPHER AND DIRECTOR FOR THE CANADIAN CHILDREN'S THEATRE COMPANY. SHE THEN OPENED SHINING STARS PERFORMING ARTS AND ACTED AS OWNER/DIRECTOR UNTIL MOVING TO TILLSONBURG, ON, WHERE SHE NOW LIVES, TEACHING GRADES 7/8. DANCE AND DRAMA.



STAGE MANAGER: SYLVIE WEIR

SYLVIE HAS THOROUGHLY ENJOYED THIS YEAR'S SUMMER CAMP. THIS IS HER THIRD TIME STAGE MANAGING A STAGES PRODUCTION, AFTER MANY YEARS ON STAGE IN HER OWN CHILDHOOD. SUPPORTING CHILDREN IN FINDING A COMMUNITY WHERE THEY CAN FLOURISH HAS BECOME ONE OF HER GREATEST PASSIONS



MUSIC DIRECTOR: CHLOE WEIR

CHLOE GREW UP IN EMBRO, AND CONTINUES TO GROW HER CRAFT LOCALLY. SEE HER IN GUYS AND DOLLS WITH KWMP IN SEPTEMBER, AND THE LAST RESORT WITH THISTLE THEATRE IN NOVEMBER. RECENTLY, SHE OPENED A PRIVATE TEACHING STUDIO IN EMBRO. @CHLOEWEIRVOCALSTUDIO ON FACEBOOK.



CHOREOGRAPHER: PIPPA VANBEEK-PATERSON

PIPPA HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN THE YOUTH THEATRE HERE AT THEATRE WOODSTOCK, SINCE HER FIRST SUMMER CAMP BACK IN 2012. SHE IS SO HONORED TO BE BACK THIS TIME AS A PART OF THE ARTISTIC TEAM! ALTHOUGH SHE HAS BEEN COMING UP WITH DANCES HER WHOLE LIFE, THIS IS HER FIRST TIME OFFICIALLY CHOREOGRAPHING A MUSICAL SHE IS GOING INTO HER SECOND YEAR OF THE MUSIC THEATRE PERFORMANCE PROGRAM AT SHERIDAN COLLEGE. OUTSIDE OF MUSICAL THEATRE SHE ENJOYS READING, VIDEO GAMES, CRAFTING AND GOING FOR WALKS. SHE IS SO PROUD OF ALL THE HARD WORK THE CAMPERS HAVE PUT IN OVER THE PAST COUPLE WEEKS. BREAK A LEG EVERYONE!





PRODUCER: CHRISTEL MCLEAN

THIS IS CHRISTEL'S FIRST TIME PRODUCING A STAGES SUMMER CAMP SHOW! SHE BELIEVES THIS PROGRAM IS SO MUCH MORE THAN YOUR AVERAGE DAY CAMP AND HAS ENJOYED GETTING TO KNOW ALL THE CAMPERS AND HELPING TO MAKE SURE THEY GET TO PUT ON AN AMAZING SHOW. ENJOY THE SHOW!



CAMP COORDINATOR: CORINNE MARRAY

CORINNE IS THRILLED TO BE CAMP COORDINATOR FOR THIS YEAR'S SUMMER PRODUCTION AS SUMMER CAMP HOLDS A VERY SPECIAL PLACE IN HER HEART. HAVING BEEN ENGAGED IN THE THEATRE'S YOUTH PROGRAMS (CAST AND STAGES) FROM THE AGE OF 7, SHE'S CONSISTENTLY TAKEN PART IN THE ANNUAL SUMMER CAMPS. WITH A DIVERSE HISTORY OF POSITIONS ALL AROUND THE THEATRE INCLUDING HER CONTRIBUTIONS AS A CHOREOGRAPHER, CORINNE'S PASSION FOR THE ARTS IS UNDENIABLE. IN THE FALL SHE WILL CONTINUE TO PURSUE HER UNIVERSITY EDUCATION, FOCUSING ON FIELDS THAT EMPOWER HER TO SUPPORT VULNERABLE INDIVIDUALS. ESPECIALLY YOUTH.



COUNSELLOR: ROBIN GALLIOTT

ROBIN IS A GRADE 12 STUDENT AT COLLEGE AVENUE SECONDARY SCHOOL, AND HAS BEEN A PROUD MEMBER OF THE THEATRE WOODSTOCK FAMILY FOR MANY YEARS. SHE HAS BEEN PERFORMING ONSTAGE FOR AS LONG AS SHE CAN REMEMBER, BEING APART OF STAGES' SENIOR CO.; HOWEVER, IN THE PAST YEAR SHE HAS GROWN FOND OF WORKING BACKSTAGE, ASSISTING WITH WILLY WONKA KIDS, DEAR EDWINA JR., THE RAINBOW FISH, AS WELL AS GUYS AND DOLLS: CONCERT VERSION.



COUNSELLOR: TRINITY HILSDEN

TRINITY IS A FIRST-TIME COUNSELLOR THIS YEAR WHO HAS ABSOLUTELY LOVED WORKING WITH THE KIDS! SHE PERFORMED IN LAST YEAR'S SUMMER CAMP SHOW WILLY WONKA, AND HAS WANTED TO BE A CAMP COUNSELLOR EVER SINCE SO THAT SHE COULD GUARANTEE THE CAMPERS HAVE AN AWESOME 3 WEEKS AT CAMP. SHE HOPES YOU ENJOY THE SHOW!



COUNSELLOR: BAILEY HURST

THIS IS BAILEY'S FIRST SHOW WITH STAGES, HOWEVER THE STAGE IS A LONG TIME FRIEND OF HERS. SHE DANCED AND ASSISTED CLASSES FOR 8 YEARS WITH FOOTPRINTS DANCE CENTRE AND GRADUATED THIS PAST JUNE! NOW SHE IS HEADING OFF TO BROCK UNIVERSITY IN THE FALL FOR A DEGREE IN CHILD AND YOUTH STUDIES WHERE SHE WILL CONTINUE DANCING AND WORKING TOWARDS BECOMING A HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER! SHE HAS HAD SO MUCH FUN GETTING TO KNOW ALL THE KIDS AND TRYING SOMETHING NEW! BEST OF LUCK TO ALL!



COUNSELLOR: JADE WASSINK

JADE IS PLAYING COUNSELLOR, LIGHTING OPERATOR AND SYLVIE'S MINION IN THE MOST EPIC BIRTHDAY PARTY EVER. HE IS INCREDIBLY EXCITED TO BE DOING THIS SHOW AND BEING ABLE TO HELP ALL OF THESE AMAZING KIDDOS GROW THEIR LOVE OF THEATRE..

THANK YOU!

STAGES IS RUN BY VOLUNTEERS WHO ARE INTEGRAL TO OUR SUCCESS YEAR AFTER YEAR. IF YOU HAD ANY PART, NO MATTER HOW SMALL, IN THIS PRODUCTION, THANK YOU! GET IN TOUCH IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE A PART OF UPCOMING SHOWS. VOLUNTEER HOURS ARE GIVEN TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.

SUMMER CAMP VOLUNTEERS

PRODUCTION PRODUCER_____CHRISTEL MCLEAN COSTUME LEAD MELANIE CARTER COSTUME LEAD......MARIA ST LAURENT HEADSHOTS......ALEC BISH VIDEOGRAPHY.....TJ MEDIA SERVICES LOBBY DISPLAY.....CORINNE MARRAY. CHRISTEL MCLEAN & GRACE LOCKE USHERS......SARAH ALLEN. MARY CAMPBELL. MELANIE CARTER. BETH DICKERT. KARIMA DU TOIT. SHERRY EVANS. DONNA FAIRLEY, AMANDA FLEMING, LAUREL GILLESPIE, DON HASTIE, KAREN KLEIN LOCKE. PHYL MCCRUM. AMY MOORE. CADENCE WATERS & EMIL WIJNKER THANK YOU TO OUR HAIR AND MAKEUP

PROPS & SET

SET CONSTRUCTION.......BRANDON'S
BEAUTIFUL BUILDS (BRANDON ROUGHAN),
MYLO DUNBAR, CORINNE MARRAY & CHRISTEL
MCLEAN
SET PAINTING......CHRISTEL MCLEAN
PROPS.......CHRISTEL MCLEAN
& MARIA ST LAURENT

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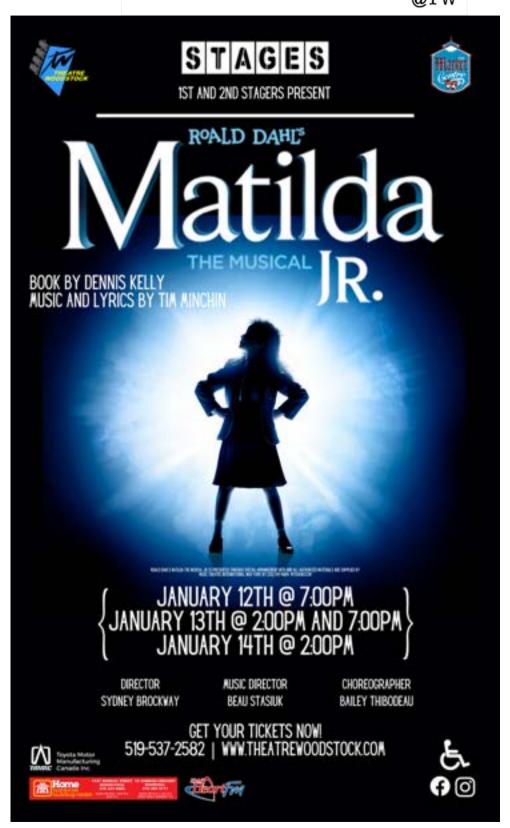
ASSISTANT STAGE MANAGERS......MYLO DUNBAR, ROBIN GALLIOTT, TRINITY HILSDEN, BAILEY HURST & EVAN SCHEERER
LIGHTING HANG AND FOCUS.........MYLO DUNBAR
LIGHTING DESIGN.......JADE WASSINK
& MYLO DUNBAR
LIGHTING OPERATOR......JADE WASSINK
SOUND OPERATOR.......MICHAEL MOKRY
MICROPHONE OPERATOR.....MATTHEW ROBERTSON
MICROPHONE TECH.......HANNAH YOUNG

SALES & PROMOTION

BOX OFFICE MANAGER......TAFFY WEIR
FRONT OF HOUSE.....AUDRIANNA DESOUZA,
CHRISTEL MCLEAN & ALISON VINK
STAGES SOCIAL MEDIA.....SYDNEY BROCKWAY
TW SOCIAL MEDIA....EMILY CRAWFORD
POSTER & PROGRAM DESIGN....SYDNEY BROCKWAY

OVER 25 PEOPLE OF ALL AGES JOINED US ON WEDNESDAY AUGUST 16TH TO HELP CREATE THE PROPS FOR THIS SHOW. YOUR SUPPORT WAS OVERWHELMING. THANK YOU SO MUCH TO EVERYONE WHO CAME!

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