



SONG, DANCE AND TAKING A CHANCE: A MASTER CLASS IN MUSICAL THEATER

UPPER SCHOOL SPRING MUSICAL
LIVESTREAM DEBUT: FRIDAY, JUNE 11, 2021, 7 P.M.
ON-DEMAND VIEWING BEGINNING JUNE 12, 2021

ST. PAUL ACADEMY
AND SUMMIT SCHOOL



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Prelude

Hello! *The Book of Mormon*

Gavin K.....	Gavin Kimmel
Rylan H.....	Rylan Hefner
Clea G.....	Clea Gaïtas Sur
Davyd B.....	Davyd Barchuk
Maxwell S.....	Max Spencer
Soren M.....	Soren Miller
Sal Burkhardt.....	Sal Burkhardt
Voice.....	Chantal Thornberry

Interlude #1: The Opening Number

Person in the Chair.....	Maren Ostrem
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Be the Hero, *Big Fish*

Edward.....	Gavin Kimmel
Child.....	Laura Kimmel
Frustrated Fisherman.....	Maren Ostrem
Ensemble.....	Full Company

Mama Who Bore Me, *Spring Awakening*

Wendla.....	Gracie Tilney-Kaemmer
Ilse.....	Anja Trierweiler
Ensemble.....	Annika Brelsford, Bridget Commers, Adeline DeHarpporte, Delaney Devine, Maggie Fried, Clea Gaïtas Sur, Adrienne Gaylord, Parisa Ghavami, Kate Hanf, Sevy Hayes, Grace Krasny, Sila Liljedahl, Clara McKoy, Ellie Murphy, Maren Ostrem, Bri Rucker, Eve Sampsell-Jones, Vee Szaj, Valerie Wick

Interlude #2: The Character “I Want” Number

I Know It’s Today, *Shrek the Musical*

Young Fiona.....	Valerie Wick
Teenage Fiona.....	Clea Gaïtas Sur
Fiona.....	Ellie Murphy

Ring of Keys, *Fun Home*

Alison.....	Maren Ostrem
Young Alison.....	Gracie Tilney-Kaemmer
Dancers.....	Annika Brelsford, Sal Burkhardt, Adeline DeHarpporte, Parisa Ghavami, Rylan Hefner, Gavin Kimmel, Sila Lijedahl, Eve Sampsell-Jones, Bri Rucker

Interlude #3: The Dance Number

Singin' in the Rain, *Singin' in the Rain*

Don Lockwood.....Rylan Hefner

Interlude #4: The Conflict and Realization Number

What is this Feeling?, *Wicked*

Glinda "Galinda".....Grace Krasny

Elphaba.....Gracie Tilney-Kaemmer

Shiz Students Ensemble.....Davyd Barchuk, Maggie Fried, Clea Gaïtas Sur,
Parisa Ghavami, Soren Miller, Max Spencer,
Vee Szaj, Valerie Wick

The Girl I Mean to Be, *The Secret Garden*

Mary Lennox.....Adeline DeHarpporte

Ensemble.....Maggie Fried, Clea Gaïtas Sur, Parisa Ghavami,
Sila Liljedahl, Bridget Commers, Delaney Devine

Interlude #5: The Love Song

Falling Slowly, *Once*

Guy.....Rylan Hefner

Girl.....Adrienne Gaylord

You Matter to Me, *Waitress*

Dr. Pomatter.....Gavin Kimmel

Jenna.....Grace Krasny

Interlude #6: The Act 1 Finale

Stick to the Status Quo, *High School Musical*

Zeke.....Annika Brelsford

Chad.....Ellie Murphy

Martha.....Davyd Barchuk

Skater #1.....Anja Trierweiler

Skater #2.....Sal Burkhardt

Gymnast.....Katya Sjaastad

Sharpay.....Vee Szaj

Ryan.....Valerie Wick

Gabriella.....Grace Krasny

Taylor.....Adeline DeHarpporte

Ensemble.....Full Company

*****8 MINUTE INTERMISSION*****

Interlude #7: Welcome Back from Intermission

Prayer, *Come From Away*

Kevin..... Davyd Barchuk
Hannah..... Anja Trierweiler
Rabbi..... Soren Miller
Eddie..... Max Spencer
Beulah..... Annika Brelsford
Ali..... Parisa Ghavami
Passengers..... Maggie Fried, Valerie Wick

Interlude #8: The Heartbreak Number

I Can Do Better Than That, *The Last Five Years*

Cathy..... Grace Krasny

I'm Breaking Down, *Falsettos*

Trina..... Gavin Kimmel

Interlude #9: The 11 O'Clock Number

At the Ballet, *A Chorus Line*

Sheila..... Vee Szaj
Bebe..... Ellie Murphy
Maggie..... Gracie Tilney-Kaemmer
Dancers..... Kate Hanf, Clara McKoy

Interlude #10: The Finale!

It's Time to Dance, *The Prom*

Alyssa..... Grace Krasny
Emma..... Gracie Tilney-Kaemmer
Barry..... Gavin Kimmel
Dee Dee..... Ellie Murphy
Trent..... Rylan Hefner
Ensemble..... Full Company

Interlude #11: The Encore

Time Warp, *Rocky Horror Show*

Riff-Raff..... Gavin Kimmel
Magenta..... Adrienne Gaylord (vocals)
Gracie Tilney-Kaemmer (performer)
Narrator..... Adeline DeHarpporte
Columbia..... Rylan Hefner
Ensemble..... Full Company

FULL COMPANY

Davyd Barchuk	Adrienne Gaylord	Sila Liljedahl	Max Spencer
Annika Brelsford	Parisa Ghavami	Clara McKoy	Vee Szaj
Sal Burkhardt	Kate Hanf	Soren Miller	Gracie Tilney-Kaemmer
Bridget Commers	Sevy Hayes	Ellie Murphy	Anja Trierweiler
Adeline DeHarpporte	Rylan Hefner	Maren Ostrem	Valerie Wick
Delaney Devine	Gavin Kimmel	Bri Rucker	
Maggie Fried	Laura Kimmel	Eve Sampsell-Jones	
Clea Gaïtas Sur	Grace Krasny	Katya Sjaastad	

ARTISTIC STAFF

Director.....	Eric Severson
Musical Director.....	Anne Klus
Director of Photography/Videographer.....	Micah Wickre
Musical Arrangements/Audio Engineers.....	Tim Kraack '05 JJ Gisselquist '18
Choreographers.....	Karis Sloss Gavin Kimmel '21 <i>Ring of Keys</i> Rylan Hefner '21 <i>Singin' in the Rain, Time Warp</i> tap dance
Film Editors.....	Micah Wickre Gavin Kimmel '21, <i>I'm Breaking Down</i> Eric Severson, <i>Hello!, I Know It's Today, What is this Feeling?, Prayer</i>
American Sign Language Consultant.....	Erika Wickre A.A.S., Sign Language Interpretation and Transliteration, St. Paul College
Scenic Designer/Technical Director.....	Sara Herman
Assistant Technical Director/ Master Carpenter.....	Connor Duffy
Lighting Designers.....	Mitch Frazier Rafael Barocas '21, <i>Time Warp</i>
Light Board Operators.....	Rafael Barocas, Will Sedo, Sam Zelazo Dante Gilbert, Val Chafee
Light and Sound Supervisors.....	Matt Edens, Gene Swanson Melissa Douden, Jim Szalay
Live Stream Coordinator.....	Matt Edens
Program Designer.....	Elizabeth Longhurst
Photographer.....	John Severson
Costume Crew.....	Maddy Fisher
Tech Crew.....	Gray Whitaker-Castaneda, Vivian Johnson, Will Sedo, Morgan Riley, Sam Zelazo, Dante Gilbert, Rafael Barocas, Davyd Barchuk, Maddy Fisher, Jayden Jones, Derek Fried, Isobel Alm, Hannah Lorenz-Meyer
Musicians	
Piano.....	Tim Kraack '05 JJ Gisselquist '18 Matt Harikian
Guitar.....	Jay Graff
Cello.....	Julia Scott '21

DIRECTOR'S NOTES

As the cast of this production reminded me a couple of weeks ago, "2020-21 is the year we did not let theater die!" It is amazing what a group of artists can achieve, even in the midst of a pandemic, when they put their hearts and minds to work. We have all been pushed to the extremes of our creativity this year, but we are so lucky to be part of an arts community with such talent, resiliency, and support that we could take a huge risk and do this year's Spring Musical in a completely new and different way. The result is the performance you will see tonight: a musical theater experience that follows the structure of a typical musical, but is populated with exciting numbers from 17 different shows. It's a love letter to musical theater in video form. I hope you will enjoy what we have created.

Every single person involved in this production did things differently than they ever have before in the process of creating this show. I am so proud of each and every one of them, and I am so thankful for their passion, commitment, patience, flexibility and talent. They have all taught me the truest definition of collaboration, and I could not be more grateful to each and every one of them.

Enjoy the show!

PRODUCTION NOTES

We observed multiple safety protocols while creating and filming this production. Rehearsals were held either virtually or outdoors, and cast members recorded vocal performances at home. These performances were then mixed and edited together into the final numbers. While filming on location or on campus, performers lip-synched to their own vocals; some numbers were also filmed by the cast in their homes.

SPECIAL THANKS

Matt Edens, Gene Swanson, Jim Szalzy, Melissa Douden, Pete Kilibarda and the entire Maintenance Staff, Seamus Glewwe and the entire Safety and Security staff, Mark Johnson, Garry Clum, Ed Williams, Max Delgado, Bryn Roberts, Daryn Lowman, Stefanie Motta, Sara Herman, Connor Duffy, JJ Gisselquist, Micah Wickre, Tim Kraack, Matt Harikian, Ami Berger, John and Lynne Severson, Chantal Thornberry, Chris Huebner, Kirsten Hoogenakker, Almut Engelhardt, Katya Sjaastad, Erika Wickre, Meghan and Bruce Kimmel, the amazing cast and crew and a special thank you to our seniors in the Theater Program: Miranda, Rafi, Adeline, Adrienne, Rylan, Gavin, Grace, Maren, Gracie, and Anja — your leadership, your passion for musical theater, your commitment, and your talent not only inspired this production but made it all possible.

HUSS CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS STAFF

Director of Technology.....	Garry Clum
Media/Technology Coordinator.....	Gene Swanson
Web Manager and Media Coordinator.....	Matt Edens
Director of Operations and Security.....	Mark Johnson
Facilities Superintendent.....	Pete Kilibarda
Scheduling Supervisor.....	Melissa Douden
Safety and Security Supervisor.....	Seamus Glewwe
Huss Center Production Coordinator.....	Eric Severson

STREAMING INFORMATION

The show will have its livestream debut on Friday, June 11, at 7 p.m. at <https://vimeo.com/event/986544>. The show will also be available for on-demand viewing beginning on Saturday, June 12.