

Matilda JR. Parent Meeting Notes

9/14/23

- Introductions and contact info:

Questions: Email us at chcamusical6-8@chca-oh.org

Anna Brink, Director (experience 15 musicals: 11 musicals as director, 4 as assistant)

Mara Wright, Assistant Director (8 musicals: 4 musicals as director, 4 as assistant)

Adele Enns, Vocal Director (5 musicals plus full-time music teacher)

Tammy Rosenfeldt: Communication & Parent Volunteer Coordinator

- Resources for you:

Our Homepage: <https://www.chca-oh.org/my-upper-school/matilda>

Use this resource primarily leading up to auditions. You can also refer to it to find useful links (like buying Candy Grams) and for a list of important dates.

Canvas Page: Students will be invited to join this page after auditions conclude. The director will send announcements and reminders specifically to students through Canvas. This is where students will find music and choreography videos to practice with.

Weekly Emails: Preview of the upcoming week's rehearsals, as well as reminders and announcements.

Remind App: We use this for sending out urgent or last-minute messages. You will receive an invitation to join after auditions conclude.

- Auditions:

Auditions are September 26th with callbacks on September 29th. There are three steps to follow in order to prepare for auditions. Follow the detailed steps on our homepage.

- Volunteering:

Each family is required to serve a minimum of 6 volunteer hours. You will complete a volunteer form during registration that will ask your volunteer preferences. There are many areas to serve: costumes, props, communication, production party, set builds, box office, and more. There is a parent volunteer committee meeting on **October 12th** at 7:00pm in the FC Band room.

- Rehearsals:

Monday - Friday, after school, usually 3:30-5:30. We expect students to be present for the entire length of each rehearsal to which they are called. Check the rehearsal calendar for dates and times.