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Co-Student Director

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Jenna Aluli
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Carys Gautcher
Abby Golembiewski
Oliver Keicher
Cameron Kruskol
Anna Lochbaum

Rehearsal Assistants/Choreographers

Annalisa Bucaro, Kylie Carlson,
Mary Rose Eggelson, Samantha Perri

Guest Choreographers

Miranda Cordes, Tamara Newquist

The use of strobe lights and atmospheric effects are present in this performance. The taking of photographs or use of recording devices during this performance is strictly prohibited.

There will be a 15 minute intermission between Act I and Act II.

Ignite Dance Company



Ellitsa Arhos
Aja Bomar
Keke Branch
Grace Carey
Rylie Cedillo
Tyanna Clark
Morgan Flewelling
Chrissy Franklin
Zoey Garcia
Avery Gerdes
Cam Greene
Victoria Gregory
Caroline Harbecke

Lily Harned
Arianna Harrison
David Henningsen
Ady Hull
Finley Jackson
Jael Keys
Mia Klein
Abby Koehne
Maxine Lathrop
Lexi Lockhart
Angelina Mangia
Oliviana Maniaci
Izzy McConkey

Reese Morgan
Grace Parks
Abigail Patterson
Lily Kushnick
Austin Raymond
Alisha Roper
Ellie Rothenbach
Faith Schroeder
Hadley Scott
Natalea Snyder
Tressa Sollars
Anthony Titus

Imagine Dance Company



Emma Anderson
Anna Aska
Sofi Briscoe
Ava Carlson
Kelsey Cowsert
Lilly Faulhaber
Quinn Fischer
Gabriella Gluck
Aubrey Granata
Audrey Heth
Kaleigh Ibarra

Amanda Jamrog
Payton Kalweit
Olivia Kirby
Avalene Mesenbrink
Hailey Michaels
Kaylee Monroy Riveros
Kara Napientek
Mia Oncken
Carly Patton
Avery Pozzi

Juliana Retuerto
Grace Rubeck
Maia Satera-Olson
Grace Schoen
Amelia Simone
Natalie Spector
Kaitlyn Stacy
Alyssa Wilkerson

Inspire Dance Company



Jenna Aluli
Violet Baird
Anna Beetz
Leah Benson
Macy Berntsen
Tearnei Bomar
Eloise Books
Addyson Buckheister
Aubrey Burns
Sam Calligan

Bella Caputo
Sofia DasNeves
Alyssa Dieckhoff
Sydney DuBois
Kalli Fowler
Carys Gautcher
Abby Golembiewski
Ryleigh Goodman
Taylor Hensley

Ella Hill
Anna Lochbaum
Julia Parks
Krishna Patel
Molly Sapita
Annabella Simpson
Katelyn Williar
Jillian Zeitler

Intensity Dance Company



Ryan Blanken
Cooper Bode
Ethan Bode
Gustav Cambier
Michael Chami
Lincoln Cooley
Tristan Countryman
Zack Crawford
Gabriel Crome
Caden Emmert
Gerrit Folkerts

Thatcher Friedrichs
Riley Gerwig
Brady Hollendoner
Ethan Keicher
Oliver Keicher
Cameron Kruskol
Kaden Ladas
Jon Locascio
Tyler Lojko
Javier Lopez

Jack Lotito
Kyle Prebil
Austin Raymond
Colton Sharpness
Connor Wright
Jack Wright
Owen Zographos

Second Hour Dance Performers

Emma Anderson
Leah Benson
Eloise Books
Addyson Buckheister
Sam Calligan
Ava Carlson
Alyssa Dieckhoff
Lilly Faulhaber
Quinn Fischer
Kalli Fowler
Gabriella Gluck
Ryleigh Goodman
Audrey Heth
Ella Hill
Amanda Jamrog
Payton Kalweit
Anna Lochbaum
Krishna Patel
Carly Patton
Avery Pozzi
Molly Sapita
Maia Satera-Olson
Grace Schoen
Amelia Simone
Annabella Simpson
Natalie Spector
Kate Taylor

Third Hour Dance Performers

Jenna Aluli
Anna Aska
Violet Baird
Anna Beetz
Macy Berntsen
Tearnei Bomar
Sofi Briscoe
Aubrey Burns
Bella Caputo
Kelsey Cowsert
Sofia DasNeves
Sydney DuBois
Carys Gautcher
Abby Golembiewski
Aubrey Granata
Taylor Hensley
Kaleigh Ibarra
Olivia Kirby
Avalene Mesenbrink
Hailey Michaels
Kara Napientek
Mia Oncken
Julia Parks
Juliana Retuerto
Grace Rubeck
Alyssa Wilkerson
Katelyn Williar
Jillian Zeitler

K-First Grade Dancers

Abigail Allen
Avery Bjelland
Landyn Boltz
Aniko Bomar
Lauren Brown
Cameron Calendo
August Carter
Avery Drake
Emmy Evans
Charlee Gautcher
Audrey Hardesty
Addison Harris
Emmalyn Henkel
Gretchen Kuang
Presley Kwiecinski-Locascio
Harper Ludwig
Brynlee Monney
Rowan Oncken
Hattie Oncken
Gwen Pleticha
Vayda Radtke
Iyla Retuerto
Stella Rogowski
Ruby Sauber
Darlynne Schmidt
Elsie Sullivan
Josie Swope
Mia Sykes
Jaliyah Thompson
Belinda Tran
Matthew Urban
Cora Vander Kuur
Maeve Wickness

Second-Third Grade Dancers

Eliza Bode
Kinley Brooks
Brinley Carlson
Elena Chami
Ramona Dugosh
Marshall Fredrickson
Genevieve Green
Norah Grollemond
Penelope Gruskovak
Hazel Hall
Kate Heitzig
Lucy Hiatt
Katharine Hofer
Devyn Hueber
Madelynn Lyons
Olivia Lyons
Gracyn Mack
Elly Matarangas
Eva Maxwell
Maeve Moore
Quinn Oncken
Teagan Patton
Ava Rorer
Lydia Sauber
Presley Sharpness
Everleigh Smith
Addison Storey
Jensen Strissel
Claire Tindall
Brooklyn Townsend
Paisley Vander Kuur
Eleanor Wittrup
Knox Young

Fourth-Fifth Grade Dancers

Ella Atwell
Liv Becker
William Beetz
Aneasha Bomar
Sophia Chami
Evelyn Corn
Neve Crittenden
Olivia Crutcher
Haddie Davis
Lillian Fredrickson
Harper Freiberg
Ayla Hardesty
Ceci Hasselbring
Leah Heitzig
Lillian Henkel
Kylie Hoffhines
Roslyn Johnson
Josie Kingren
Braelynn Kozlowski
Grace Lotito
Olivia Lotito
Demetrios Matarangas
Monroe McCoy
Kallie McRoberts
Penny Padiak
Faith Poynter
Emmaline Sauber
Louise Smith
Josie Sharpness
Jorgia Walter
Brinley Young
Jordyn Ziegler

Sixth-Eighth Grade Dancers

Nora Benson
Amaya Bomar
Rylee Confer
Lillian Crome
Ashlyn Daykin
Emma Doles
Marin Gautcher
Gianna Gluck
Graycabella Gluck
Allyson Gregory
Kylan Hill
Layla Jankovich
Kyla King
Ella Kushnick
Ava Lewis
Ava Lotito
Harper Lundeen
Lily Lynch
Reece McClure
Kinley McCoy
Kailyn Mills
Tenley Moore
Taylor Peabody
Ripley Pleticha
Ava Roots
Abigail Segreti
Ava Setchell
Grace Shearer
Madeline Stanik
Maryn Surwillo
Mackenzie Tallitsch
Gracie Torres
Miley Vazquez
Charlie Verdone
Peyton Walsh
Josie Walter
Aislinn Wickness

Act One

Fame / Opening
Miranda Cordes, Choreographer ..... Dance 2

On Broadway
Melissa Roseberg, Choreographer ..... Ignite

I Hope I Get This Job
Kristin Hill, Choreographer ..... Dance 2

Welcome to the Show
Kristin Hill, Choreographer ..... Intensity

SIX
Kristin Hill, Choreographer ..... Inspire

Million Dreams
Jenna Aluli & Abby Golembiewski, Choreographers ..... 4th-5th Grade

Sparkling Diamonds
Macy Berntsen, Choreographer ..... Imagine

When I Grow Up
Sam Perri, Choreographer ..... Inspire

Best of Both Worlds *
Ellie Books, Choreographer ..... 2nd-3rd Grade

Uptown Girl *
Macy Berntsen, Choreographer ..... K-1st Grade

Glamorous
Macy Berntsen, Sydney DuBois, &
Melissa Roseberg, Choreographers ..... Ignite

Material Girl
Tearnei Bomar, Violet Baird, Bella Caputo,
Sofia DasNeves, Kalli Fowler, &
Carys Gautcher, Choreographers ..... Imagine/Inspire/Intensity

Dancing Queen
Macy Berntsen, Ellie Books, &
Anna Lochbaum, Choreographers ..... Senior Girls/Moms

We're in the Money
Macy Berntsen & Sydney DuBois, Choreographers D2-3

Money Money Money
Macy Berntsen, Sofia DasNeves,
Kalli Fowler, Abby Golembiewski,
Anna Lochbaum, Choreographers ..... Ignite/Intensity

Rich Girl
Bella Caputo & Carys Gautcher, Choreographers ..... Imagine

Mo Money Mo Problems
Tearnei Bomar & Carys Gautcher, Choreographers ..... Ignite

Money Power Glory
Mary Rose Eggelson, Choreographer ..... Inspire/Intensity

Rock Star/Medley
Kristin Hill & Melissa Roseberg, Choreographers ..... Faculty

Piano Man
Sam Perri, Choreographer ..... Inspire

Hall of Fame
Sofia DasNeves & Sydney DuBois, Choreographer..... Ignite

High Hopes
Ellie Books & Kalli Fowler, Choreographers.....D2-2

Baby Girl
Sofia DasNeves, Carys Gautcher, &
Abby Golembiewski, Choreographers.....D2-3

Living the Dream
Macy Berntsen & Anna Lochbaum, Choreographers D2-2

Jenny From the Block
Ellie Books & Abby Golembiewski, Choreographers..... Ignite

Lose Yourself
Mary Rose Eggleson, Choreographer ..... Inspire

Hey Look Ma I Made it
Kristin Hill, Oliver Keicher,
Cameron Kruskol,
Melissa Roseberg, Choreographers .....Senior Boys/Moms

You Make My Dreams Come True
Sydney DuBois &
Abby Golembiewski, Choreographers..... Senior Dad/Daughter

I Want it All
Macy Berntsen, Ellie Books,
Abby Golembiewski &
Anna Lochbaum, Choreographers ..... Inspire/Intensity

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Act Two

The Fame
Kristin Hill, Choreographer ..... Dance 2

Superstar
Macy Berntsen & Ellie Books, Choreographers ..... 6-8th grade

Welcome to the Jungle
Annalisa Bucaro, Kristin Hill, &
Melissa Roseberg, Choreographers..... Imagine/Inspire/Intensity

Hollywood
Annalisa Bucaro &
Kristin Hill, Choreographers ..... Imagine/Intensity

Cinema Italiano
Kristin Hill, Choreographer ..... Imagine/Intensity

Paparazzi
Jenna Aluli & Anna Lochbaum, Choreographers..... Ignite

Lonely
Kylie Carlson &
Sam Perri, Choreographers..... Inspire/Intensity

Piece of Me
Violet Baird & Tearnei Bomar, Choreographers..... Imagine

Pop
Macy Berntsen & Ellie Books, Choreographers ..... Intensity

Kill the Lights
Jenna Aluli & Ellie Books, Choreographers..... Inspire

Lucky One
Mary Rose Eggleson, Choreographer ..... Imagine

Rewrite the Stars
Annalisa Bucaro, Choreographer..... Inspire/Intensity

Survivor
Sam Perri, Choreographer..... Imagine

Castle Walls
Sofia DasNeves & Sydney DuBois, Choreographers ..... Ignite

Out Here on My Own
Ellie Books, Choreographer..... D2-2

Under Pressure
Macy Berntsen, Sydney DuBois, &
Melissa Roseberg, Choreographer..... Ignite

Million Years Ago
Jenna Aluli, Tearnei Bomar, &

Bella Caputo, Choreographers D2-3

I'm Still Standing
Melissa Roseberg & Zoey Garcia,
Choreographers.....Leadership/Specialized PE

We Didn't Start the Fire
Kristin Hill & Melissa Roseberg, Choreographers D2-2

Candle in the Wind
Violet Baird & Macy Berntsen, Choreographers D2-3

Classic
Anna Beetz, Taylor Hensley,
Julia Parks, Katelyn Wiliar, &
Jillian Zeitler, Choreographers ..... Imagine/Inspire/Intensity

Let Me Be Your Star
Senior Officers, Choreographers.....Officers

Prince Medley/Finale
Tamara Newquist, Choreographer ..... Full Company

Stole the Show
Macy Berntsen & Ellie Books, Choreographers.....Senior Lyrical

24K
Original Choreography by Jeff Bozek &
Caden Carrier.....Alumni

Fame/ Finale
Student Directors, Choreographers ..... Full Company

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Senior & Officer Biographies

Jenna Aluli has been dancing since she was three years old. Her favorite styles of dance are contemporary and jazz. When she's not dancing, Jenna enjoys hanging out with friends and watching TV. Jenna enjoys dancing outside of Orchesis at her studio and with the high school dance team. She has enjoyed every year she has done Orchesis, and is sad that this will be her last.

Violet Baird is a junior and has been dancing since second grade. Her favorite style of dance is lyrical. This is Violet's third year on Sycamore's Varsity Dance Team and her first year as an Orchesis Officer.

Leah Benson has been in Orchesis for four years and is on the gymnastics team. After graduation she plans on becoming a nurse. She wants to thank her friends and family for all their support through high school.

Macy Berntsen has been a part of Orchesis for the past 10 years. Her first performance was in the third grade. She has been an officer for three years and is a Co-Student Director. She has loved this opportunity to choreograph and teach dances. She is a member of National Honor Society, a teacher assistant, and part of the dance team. Macy looks forward to Wednesday nights every week and would like to thank Mrs. Hill and Ms. Roseberg for making Orchesis a positive environment and her favorite part of her high school years. She would also like to thank her family for their support and encouragement!

Ryan Blanken has been in Orchesis for two years, and has been an Officer for one year. Outside of Orchesis, he is a part of football and NHS. He plans to attend Mizzou next year and pursue a degree in Mechanical Engineering.

Ethan Bode has been a part of Orchesis for two years. He likes playing and watching football. He is a huge Packers fan, and is a part of NHS, wrestling, and football. He is very happy that he decided to do Orchesis!

Tearnei Bomar has been dancing since she was 6 years old. Her favorite type of style is Jazz and Hip Hop. When she is not dancing, she enjoys playing with her siblings and watching Netflix. Tearnei is on the Sycamore Dance Team. She is very excited to participate in Orchesis this year!

Ellie Books has been dancing since she was three years old. She loves being on stage and choreographing dances. This year she got the chance to be Co-Student Director of Orchesis and loved all of it. Ellie also loves teaching dance. She teaches tumbling, cheer, and dance classes at the Sycamore Park District, and is also a dance instructor at the Kishwaukee YMCA. Outside of Orchesis, Ellie performs with the Beth Fowler Dance Company. Orchesis has been her favorite part of high school,

and she can't wait for you to see the show!

Sofi Briscoe has been doing Orchesis since she was in second grade. Her favorite part of the show is getting to dance with her friends. When she's not dancing, she enjoys reading and playing violin. Sofi is involved in Orchestra, Youth and Government, and Interact. This show has been one of her favorites to work on, and she's excited for you all to see it!

This is **Gus Cambier**'s fourth year in Orchesis and his first as an officer. His favorite part of Orchesis is meeting new people and learning new dances. In addition to Orchesis, Gus has been a four-year member of the wrestling team, serving as captain for two years. He plans on studying History Education at the University of Colorado-Boulder in the fall. He wants to thank Mrs. Hill for bringing Orchesis to the high school and for making it a fun experience.

Bella Caputo has been dancing for 14 years, her favorite style of dance is lyrical. She has been on the varsity dance team since her freshman year. When not dancing, Bella loves spending time with her family and has had fun working on this show.

Grace Carey danced when she was little and is excited to be doing it again with her friends for her senior year! She doesn't know where she will be attending college, but knows she will be studying engineering in the fall. Grace had a lot of fun preparing for the show!

Lincoln Cooley has been in Orchesis for three years. He is also involved in football and wrestling. He plans on attending Illinois State University in the fall to study business.

Zack Crawford is a senior at Sycamore and has been in orchesis for 3 years and greatly enjoys it! Outside of orchesis, he participates in wrestling and football.

Gabe Crome has been dancing in Orchesis for four years. He is a wrestler and a pole vaulter at SHS. He is an Eagle Scout and will be joining the Marines after graduation.

Sofia DasNeves has been dancing since she was three years old. Her favorite styles are ballet and jazz. When Sofia is not dancing, she enjoys singing and playing instruments. This show has been one of Sofia's favorites to work on, and she would like to dedicate it to her aunt Jessica.

Sydney DuBois has been dancing since she was two. Her favorite styles of dance are contemporary and tap. When she's not dancing, Sydney is helping TEC with audio and set building, taking pictures for Yearbook, or working on science related projects for her upcoming career. She also enjoys reading and painting. This show has been lots of hard work but is still fun when it is with friends. Sydney also wants to thank her friends and family, especially her mom for all the late night help and costume fixes, as well as her father and sister for all of the support throughout the years.

Caden Emmert is involved in track, cross country, NHS, student council, Youth Engaged in Philanthropy, and Life Missions. Thanks to his older sisters, he has been a part of Orchesis since elementary school and continued with it throughout all four years of high school. He wants to thank everyone that made this show possible. After high school, he plans on studying engineering or business and hopes to continue to run in college.

Quinn Fischer has been dancing since she was three years old. She loves to perform and it shows through her dancing in dance class, Orchesis, and the high school dance team! Throughout high school, so has been involved in dance, basketball, Youth and Government, Big Sis Lil Sis, and National Honors Society.

Kalli Fowler is a Junior who has always loved to dance. She has attended multiple local studios and truly loves all forms of dance - especially lyrical and contemporary. Kalli is currently on the varsity dance team where she had the awesome experience of attending nationals with her team in Orlando Florida. Kalli will continue to compete with Reverence throughout the summer. Besides Kalli's passion for dance she is involved in the National Honors Society, student council, pep club, and the wellness and fitness club. Kalli wants to send her thanks and love to her family who has always been her biggest cheering section. She also sends a big shout out to Mrs.Hill and all the other amazing people who made this show happen.

Carys Gautcher has been dancing sense she was three years old. Her favorite style of dance is hip hop and jazz. This is her first time being an Orchesis officer and loved the experience. Outside of dancing, Carys loves to spend time with friends and family. She is super excited for this years show. "It has definitely been a super fun year."

Zoey Garcia has been dancing for two years. When she's not dancing, she enjoys spending time with family and friends. Zoey is involved in Key Club and Peer Pals. She plans to continue her education at the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh. Zoey would like to give a special thank you to her mom, sisters, brother-in-law, and Kathryn for always supporting her whether it's for Orchesis or school.

Riley Gerwig has been in Orchesis for four years because it was fun and something he enjoyed doing. He has participated in track, choir and much more. He also hopes to go to college to become a vet.

Abby Golembiewski has been in Orchesis for four years and an Officer for one. She has enjoyed the late night rehearsals and getting to know everyone. This year she was an Officer and was able to not only be in more dances but also choreograph dances. Her favorite dance to choreograph was her little kid's dance (4-5) because she wants to go into elementary education so it was so much fun for her to do! She is so grateful to be a part of this amazing show!

This is **Brady Hollendoner**'s first year doing Orchesis. He is also involved in football and NHS. He would describe himself as a positive, exciting, nice, intelligent, strong person. He plans on attending college for physical education.

Ady Hull grew up doing Orchesis and is excited to be back! She will be going to the University of Iowa for nursing.

Kaleigh Ibarra has been dancing since she was three with a diverse background of genres ranging from pop to baile folklórico, which are two of her favorite types. Outside of dance, you can find her playing music, reading or writing, running, and watching documentaries. Besides Orchesis, she's involved in marching and symphonic band, National Honor Society, journalism club, yearbook club, history club, spanish club, and her senior photography group. She plans on majoring in journalism with hopes of one day working for a big publication or broadcast station. She would like to thank her family and friends for their unconditional support; to her brother Keegan for putting up with her late night practices; to her abuela who made space in the living room so she could dance; to her dad for challenging her to kick her highest; and to her mom for not only driving her to all these events and functions, but for cheering the loudest in the crowd for her. This will be her fourth and final show.

Finley Jackson has been doing Orchesis since freshman year. She really enjoys dancing with her friends. Even with her lack of dance skills, Orchesis never fails to make her laugh. Outside of Orchesis Finley enjoys playing volleyball and participating in school clubs. Finley would like to thank her parents Heather and Brian for dancing with her in the show.

Amanda Jamrog has been in eight Orchesis shows, including all four years of high school. She has enjoyed learning all different types of dance. When she's not dancing, Amanda is a part of Yearbook, Cheerleading, Spanish Club, Journalism Club, and National Honors Society. In the future, Amanda hopes to become a history professor. She would like to thank her family and friends for supporting her.

Oliver Keicher has been dancing since he was three years old, and loves all types of dance. When he's not dancing, Oliver enjoys building LEGO® and listening to music. Oliver is involved in Spartan TV, Student Council, Youth Engaged in Philanthropy, Youth and Government, and the tennis team. Oliver is very proud of everyone who helped put the show together.

This is **Mia Klein**'s first year doing Orchesis and has enjoyed every minute of it. The only thing she loves more than working with people is doing all kinds of art and hopes to someday have a career that involves doing both those things. She would like to thank her family and friends as they are the ones who have helped form her into the person she is today.

Abby Koehne was always a part of the Orchesis shows throughout elementary school and is excited to be back for her senior year. Next year Abby will be attending the University of Iowa to pursue Elementary Education. She has had so much fun being a part of Orchesis this year.

Cameron Kruskol has been a part of Orchesis since third grade. Cameron enjoys lifting weights and playing soccer. He is involved in Key Club, Soccer and NHS. This show has been one of Cameron favorites.

This is **Kaden Ladas**' first year doing Orchesis, and he is very much enjoying it. Kaden played football throughout his high school career and Orchesis has provided him with an opportunity to meet new people and have new experiences. He currently has a job he enjoys and is deciding where he wants to go to school. He is grateful to Mrs Hill for opening his eyes to the world of dance.

While this is only **Maxine Lathrop**'s fourth year doing Orchesis, she has been dancing since she was five years old. Maxine's favorite styles of dance to perform are jazz and musical theater. When she is not dancing, Maxine is bowling, helping with TEC, hanging out with friends, or building models and LEGO® sets. Maxine would like to thank her friends, family, and teachers for supporting her along the way. She would like to especially thank Mrs. DuBois for all of the costume alterations throughout the years.

Anna Lochbaum is a senior and an Officer in Orchesis this year. She loved getting to learn new choreography, and having the opportunity to choreograph some of the dances for the show this year. Anna is also involved in Girls Soccer, Interact, NHS, and LIFE MISSIONS. When not dancing, Anna enjoys spending time with family and friends. Anna would like to thank her family for supporting her for all of her school years in Sycamore. She hopes everyone enjoys the show!

Alexa Lockhart has been in Orchesis since freshman year. She is planning on going to Illinois State and majoring in elementary education.

This is **Angelina Mangia**'s first and last orchesis show. She danced until she was 11, so it was fun to get to perform again. It was a great experience and she met a lot of good people.

Kaylee Monroy Riveros has been dancing since she was 15 years old. Her favorite type of dance is jazz. When she's not dancing, Kaylee enjoys doing art and singing. Kaylee is involved in World Youth Club and IDEA committee. She would like to thank her parents and family friends for always being there supporting her in her dream. This show has been one of her favorites to work on.

Grace Parks has been doing Orchesis since freshman year. She really enjoys dancing with her friends. Because she is not a dancer, Orchesis never failed to make her laugh. Outside of

Orchesis, Grace enjoys playing Soccer and running Cross Country. She would like to thank her parents, Amy and Matt, for dancing with her in the show.

Krishna Patel has been dancing in Orchesis for four years. When she's not dancing, Krishna enjoys playing tennis, reading, and baking. Krishna is involved in Varsity Tennis, Interact Club, and Sycamore Public Library Advisory Group. This show has been one of Krishna's favorites to work on!

Austin Raymond has enjoyed arts and being on stage since fourth grade. He was in the Southeast Elementary School, Sycamore Middle and High School Choirs. He performed in four Penguin Project musicals. When Austin is not on stage, he is one of Sycamore's biggest fans. This year he got the chance to get up close with the Football, Boy's Basketball and Baseball teams as Manager. He loves being a Spartan.

Juliana Retuerto has been dancing in orchesis for four years. When she's not dancing, she enjoys baking and spending time with friends. She would like to thank her family and friends for all the support, but especially her sister Hannah for inspiring her to do orchesis.

Maia Satera has been dancing in Orchesis for three years. She is involved in Student Council, Volleyball, Spartan Senate, NHS, and Big Sis Lil Sis. She plans to study International Business next year. This is Maia's favorite show so far, and she is excited for you to watch it!

Natalea Snyder has been in Orchesis for three years now, and this company changed her life for the better. Natalea has gotten out of her shell, and gained confidence. For her, Orchesis is like a breath of fresh air from a crisp fall night, the perfect ending to the day. Natalea has been in choir since the beginning of her freshman year.

Alyssa Wilkerson has been in Orchesis since fourth grade and looks forward to this every year. Outside of Orchesis, you can find her on the softball field pitching for both the high school team and the Geneva Foxes. Her favorite part of Orchesis is all of the people she has met that she would never have gotten to engage with outside of dance as well as all of the great memories she has made throughout the years. She would like to thank her whole family for supporting her through her experiences and also Mrs. Hill and Ms. Roseberg for providing an amazing growing and learning environment.

Jack Wright joined Orchesis as a senior and has enjoyed learning with his peers and friends. When Jack isn't dancing he plays football and runs track.

Faculty Dancers

Annalisa Bucaro
Erin DeWitt
Mary Grimes
Brooke Heinsohn
Kristin Hill
Scott Horlock
Sophia Hortin
Jackie Kirchmann
Leah Koehne
Joe McCormick
Kara Poynter
Melissa Roseberg
Kristal Templin
Christian Thurwanger
Sarah Ward

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SpartanTV Advisor/
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Stage Manager ..... Adrianna Dominguez
Assistant Stage Manager ..... Quin Dukes
Lights ..... Rocio Cuautle & Kaleb Pozzi
Projections ..... Maggie Penate
Spotlight/Stagehand ..... Cody Cahill

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Director ..... Annelise Schumann
Camera Lead ..... Brook Bolda
Assistant Director ..... Emily Bychowski
Camera Operator ..... Ky Cahill
Camera Operator ..... Ash Weydert

Directors' Note

The relationship between a performer and an audience is a complicated one. Throughout all times, an essential ingredient in a live production is the authentic and enthusiastic acceptance of the crowd. Even in social media, too often, we count likes, comments and shares, as an indication of acceptance, virality, and stardom.

But the stage, as our troupe can attest, is made of grittier stuff than the latest TikTok® sensation. For 8 months, we've explored the foundation of fame. What makes a star?

Fame takes work ethic, stamina, concentration and is truly an enigma. This show is that artist's journey. The audience will likely discover a dancer completely in love with performing entirely for themselves - highlighting the joy and pain of performing. While fame may be the goal, learning to love the sacrifice is what defines all performers' stories.

To all the 2023 performers, and their families, you are all famous in our eyes.

— Kristin Hill & Melissa Roseberg
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