

MEAN GIRLS JR.

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Thursday & Friday, March 5th & 6th at 6pm

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Book By

Music by

Lyrics by

Tina Fey

Jeff Richmond

Nell Benjamin

Directed by Katharine Sirianni-Morock

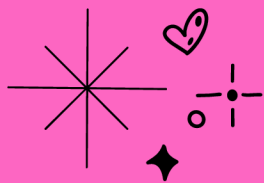
Vocal/Musical Direction and Choreography by Nicole Bilson

Costumes and Stage Management by Nancy Pitaressi

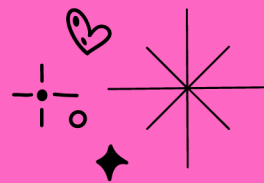
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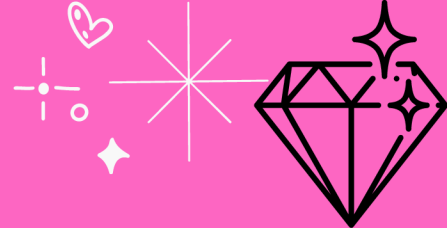


- **MAGGIE ADAMS: GRETCHEN WEINERS**
- **SA'MIYAH BERRY : REGINA GEORGE (8TH GRADE PERFORMANCE)**
- **BRIELLE BILSON: TAYLOR**
- **BRISTOL BILSON: CAROLINE KRAFFT**
- **ANIYAH BRADBERRY : MS. NORBURY**
- **MCKENZIE ELLIOTT: DAMIAN / TONY**
- **JULIANA EBERHART: CAITLYN**
- **EBENEZER ELDRIDGE: DAMIAN (8TH GRADE PERFORMANCE)**
- **A'LAYAH GAYLE: JANIS SARKISIAN (8TH GRADE PERFORMANCE)**
- **GABBY GALLON: SOPHIE**
- **KADIE KNEEPEL: MARYMOUNT 3**
- **ZELDA LEMAY: JANIS SARKISIAN (7TH GRADE PERFORMANCE)**
- **SHANE MCCALL: COACH CARR**
- **MASON MCCLAIN: AARON SAMUELS**
- **FIONA O'DONNELL: TEARY GIRL/ DAWN / MARYMOUNT 1**
- **MOLLY PIASKOWSKI: KEVIN G. / GRACE**
- **BRIELLE SAVAGE: MATH MODERATOR**
- **LOGAN SINCLAIR: MR. DUVALL / GLENN COCCO/ MARTIN**
- **JA'MARION SMITH: SHANE OMAN / DEADPOOL**
- **GABRIELLA STEARNS: KAREN SMITH**
- **VICTORIA STEARNS: MRS. GEORGE**
- **NAIMA WATSON: REGINA GEORGE (7TH GRADE PERFORMANCE)**
- **ARIA WITTCOP: CADY HERON (8TH GRADE PERFORMANCE)**
- **CLAIRE WOJTON: CADY HERON (7TH GRADE PERFORMANCE)**
- **ENSEMBLE MEMBERS: KRISTA ANTONUCCI; BRIELLE BILSON; LA'KIRA CRITTENEN; ZAMARA MOORE; NATANNE WILLIAMS; GIANNA WYNN**





PRODUCTION STAFF:



- **KATHARINE SIRIANNI-MOROCCO : DIRECTOR**
- **NICOLE BILSON: MUSIC AND CHOREOGRAPHY DIRECTOR**
- **NANCY PITARRESI: COSTUMES AND STAGE MANAGEMENT**
- **JESSICA KULBAGO-ONEVELO: PROGRAM DESIGN AND MUSIC MANAGER**
- **WES SLUSSER: SOUND AND LIGHTS MANAGER**
- **THOMAS ARENDT: SOUND AND LIGHTS MANAGER**
- **MARLO STEARNS: COSTUME MANAGER AND SET MANAGER**
- **MORIAH DELORENZO: HAIR/MAKE UP**
- **VICTORIA STEARNS: JR. DIRECTOR**
- **EBENEZER ELDRIDGE: SPOTLIGHTS**
- **MATT ADAMS: SPOTLIGHTS**
- **MARISA ADAMS: STAGE CREW**
- **LILY HOOD: HAIR / MAKEUP/ STAGE CREW**
- **LEIGHLAWINE MAIKRANZ: CURTAIN MANAGER**
- **SHANE MCCALL: STAGE CREW**
- **MORGAN CARBIN: STUDENT STAGE CREW MANAGER**



CHARACTERS

(IN ORDER OF APPEARANCE)

DAMIAN *

JANIS SARKISIAN *

CADY HERSON *

MRS. HERON

MR. HERON

TAYLOR

CAITLYN

RACHEL

SONJA ACQUINO

MR. DUVALL

MS. NORBURY

FRENCH TEACHER

COACH CARR

REGINA GEORGE*

GRETCHEN WIENERS

KAREN SMITH

GLENN COCCO

AARON SAMUELS

SHANE OMAN

KEVIN G

MRS. GEORGE

DAWN

GRACE

LIZZIE

SOPHIE

TEARY GIRL

MARTIN

TONY

MATHLETES MODERATOR*

MARYMOUNT CAPTAIN

MARYMOUNT 1

MARYMOUNT 2

MARYMOUNT 3

CAROLINE KRAFFT



ACT 1

SONGS:



- **OVERTURE**
- **MEAN - JANIS, DAMIAN, ENSEMBLE**
- **IT ROARS - CADY HERON, MRS AND MR. HERON, ENSEMBLE**
- **IT ROARS (REPRISE) - CADY AND ENSEMBLE**
- **WHERE DO YOU BELONG? - DAMIAN, CADY, JANIS, ENSEMBLE**
- **MEET THE PLASTICS (PART 1) - REGINA, GRETCHEN AND KAREN**
- **MEET THE PLASTICS (PART 2) - REGINA, GRETCHEN, KAREN AND CADY**
- **STUPID WITH LOVE - CADY AND AARON**
- **APEX PREDATOR - JANIS, CADY AND ENSEMBLE**
- **WHAT'S WRONG WITH ME - GRETCHEN**
- **REVENGE PARTY (PART 1) - JANIS, DAMIAN, CADY, ENSEMBLE**
- **REVENGE PARTY (PART 2) - JANIS, DAMIAN, CADY, ENSEMBLE**
- **ROCKIN' AROUND THE POLE - REGINA, GRETCHEN, KAREN AND CADY**
- **FEARLESS - GRETCHEN, KAREN, CADY AND ENSEMBLE**

END ACT 1

15 MINUTE INTERMISSION

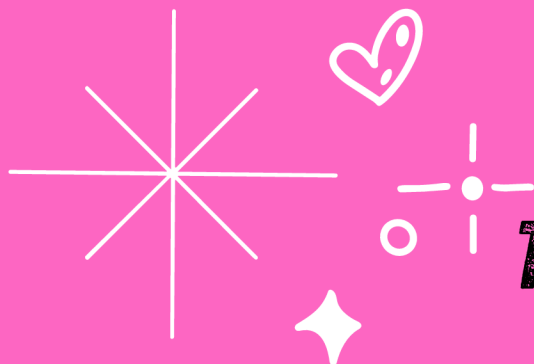


ACT 2



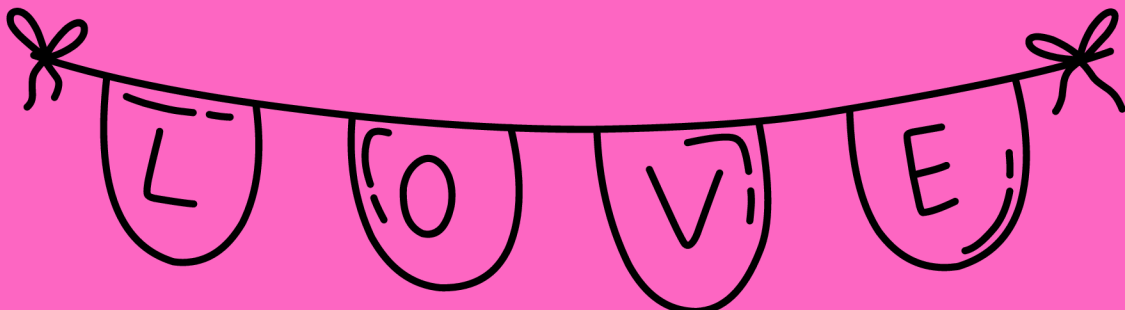
SONGS:

- WHOSE HOUSE IS THIS? - KEVIN G. ENSEMBLE
- MORE IS BETTER - CADY AND AARON
- WORLD BURN - REGINA GEORGE
- I'D RATHER BE ME - JANIS AND ENSEMBLE
- DO THIS THING (PART 1) - KEVIN G, CADY, MS. NORBURY, TONY, MARTIN, MATHLETES MODERATOR, MARYMOUNT 1, MARYMOUNT 2, MARYMOUNT 3, CAROLINE KRAFFT
- DO THIS THING (PART 2) - CADY, MRS. NORBURY, ENSEMBLE,
- I SEE STARS - CADY, JANIS, REGINA, GRETCHEN, KAREN, ENSEMBLE



THE END!

HOPE IT WAS FETCH!!!!!!



TO THE CAST AND CREW OF...

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LASALLE PREP STAGE!**

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MR. AND MRS. BALDASSARRE

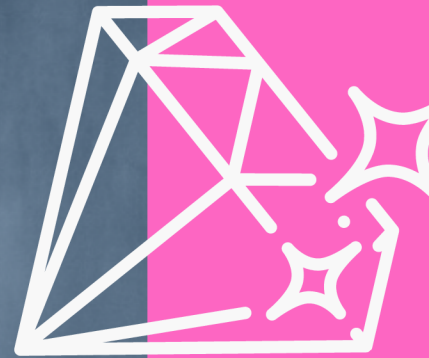
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really
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**THAT'S SO
FETCH.**

**ON
WEDNESDAYS
WE WEAR
PINK**

**"The limit
does not
exist."
—CADY HERON**





**"HER HAIR IS SO BIG
BECAUSE IT'S FULL OF
SECRETS..."**

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**AND APPARENTLY, SO MUCH TALENT!
MAGGIE, YOU ARE THE MOST FABULOUS
GRETCHEN WE KNOW AND TOTALLY MADE
FETCH HAPPEN.**

YOU CAN ALWAYS SIT WITH US.

- BREAK A LEG!

**LOVE, MOM, DAD, MACK, AUNT TEENA AND
GRANDMA**

**WE ARE SO PROUD TO SEE OUR BABY GIRL
GABRIELLA STEARNS**

**SHARE THE STAGE WITH HER BIG SISTER VICTORIA!
OUR VERY OWN "KAREN" WHO THINKS DIFFERENTLY
AND HAS A BIG HEART FOR HER FRIENDS!**



BRAVO GABI GIRL!

**LOVE FROM YOUR WHOLE DELORENZO HOOK &
STEARNS FAMILY**

Zelda

WE'RE LIKE, SO OBSESSED WITH YOU!

BREAK A LEG!

Love,

The Usual Suspects



**KRISTA BE A
SHINING STAR AND
BREAK A LEG! HAVE
A WONDERFUL
SHOW!**

**LOVE YOU ALWAYS,
MOM, DAD, AJ,
AND SIERRA**





We are proud to support this production of

Mean Girls Jr.!

Congratulations to our students and staff who have worked so hard for months transforming an after-school club into a live production! What wonderful talent we have here at LaSalle Prep!

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CREW OF
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ANIYAH BRADBERRY



**TO OUR SHINING STAR,
YOUR HARD WORK, LONG REHEARSALS, AND
COMMITMENT TRULY SHOW. KEEP BELIEVING
IN YOURSELF AND CHASING YOUR DREAMS.
THE STAGE IS JUST THE BEGINNING.
WE LOVE YOU AND ARE SO PROUD OF ALL
THAT YOU DO!**

**LOVE,
MOM & DAD**



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**BOLD, BRILLIANT AND UNAPOLOGETICALLY YOU!
SO PROUD OF OUR JANIS!**

LOVE, MOM AND DAD



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ARIA,
YOU WILL
ALWAYS BE
OUR STAR!

LOVE,
YOUR FAMILY



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BREAK A LEG,
WE ARE SO
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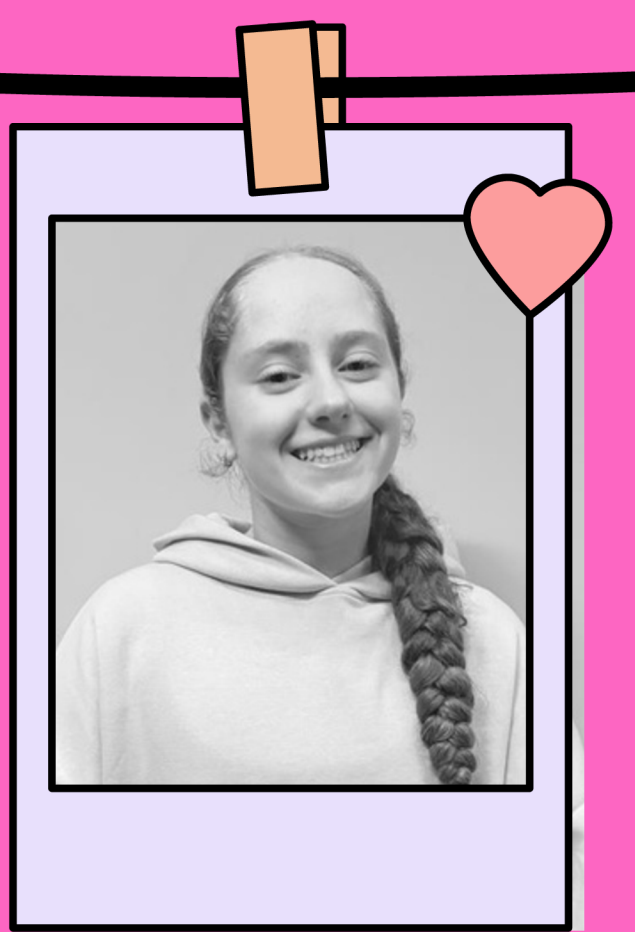
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WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU, BRISTOL AND BRIELLE!

BREAK A LEG IN YOUR VERY FIRST MUSICAL

- THE STAGE IS LUCKY TO HAVE YOU!

**LOVE, MOM, DAD, BROOKLYN,
BLAIR, AND BECKETT**

ONE LINE OF LOVE

"BREAK A LEG, ZELDA!"

- TOM LEPAGE

"BREAK A LEG, ZELDA!"

- EDWARD STURGEON

"BREAK A LEG, FIONA!"

- LOVE, MOM, DAD AND LIAM

"GOOD LUCK, BRIELLE!"

- LOVE, MOM AND DAD



ONE LINE OF LOVE

"GOOD LUCK, BRI-BRI!"

- LOVE, NANA



"BRIELLE, DON'T BREAK A LEG!"

- LOVE, BLAKE

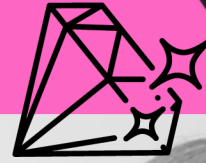
"ZELDA, I AM SO PROUD OF YOU AND YOUR HARD WORK! I KNOW YOU LOVE BEING ABLE TO DO THESE THINGS"

- LOVE, NANI



LET'S MEET THE

CAST



GRETCHEN WEINERS

Maggie is super excited to be playing the part of Gretchen in Mean Girls Jr. Maggie is an 7th grader at LaSalle Preparatory School and this is her 2nd performance in theatre.

Maggie is also a player of the Niagara County Girls Varsity team, and plays travel hockey for the Amherst Lady Knights. Maggie would like to thank her parents, Aunt, Grandma, her brother Mack, and all of her friends.



**MAGGIE
ADAMS**



ENSEMBLE

Krista is an 8th grader at LaSalle preparatory school. She is a member of the school band and chorus. She has dance experience at Legacy dance center. She loves singing and dancing and hanging with friends.

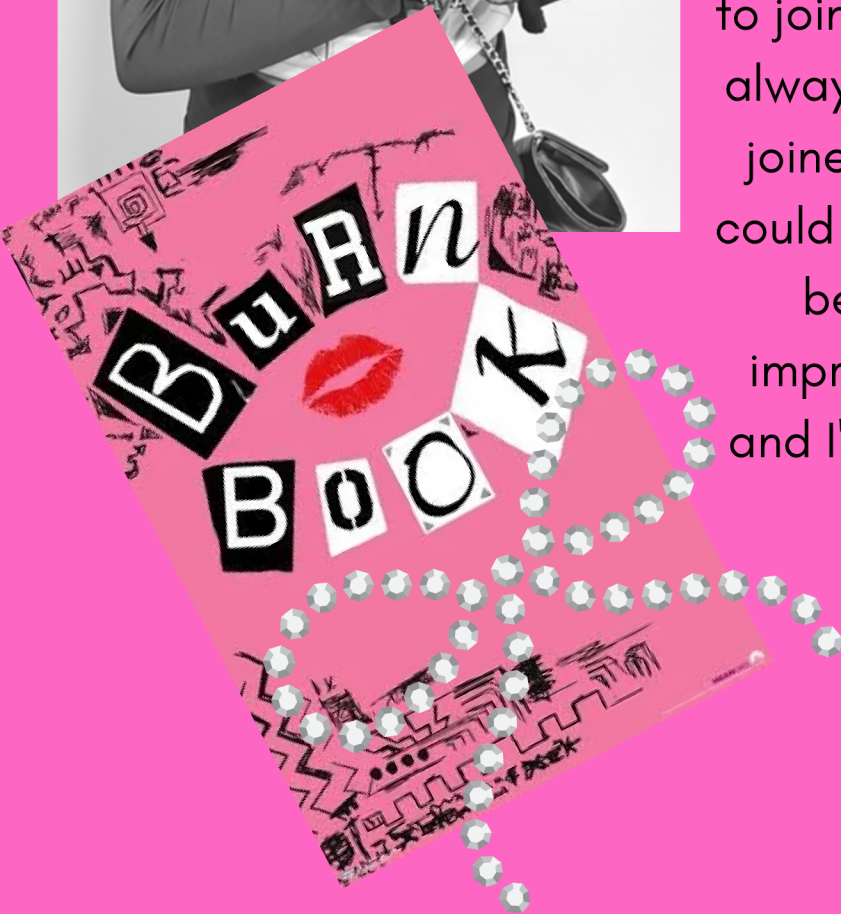


**KRISTA
ANTONUCCI**

SA'MIYAH BERRY

REGINA GEORGE- 8TH GRADE

Heyy, my name is Sa'Miyah Berry and this is my last year going to Lasalle Prep on my way to high school, saying my goodbyes to 8th grade, and I'm here to leave a good mark on the schools name, believe it or not this is my first time ever playing in a musical, acting for others and watching mean girls, I got recommended by a friend to join and it seemed fun because I've always wanted to get into acting so I joined, i actually love it! Although it could be stressful at times..I've always been into singing, doing voice impressions and acting growing up and I'm glad to share my talents with others. Stay Mean!



ENSEMBLE/CAROLINE KRAFFT

Bristol Bilson is in 7th grade and plays soccer, basketball, and travel softball for the Diamond girls. She has been in chorus, band, dance, and cheer when she was younger. This is her first musical performance.



**BRISTOL
BILSON**



DANCER/ENSEMBLE/TAYLOR

Brielle Bilson is in 7th grade and plays soccer, basketball, and travel softball for the Diamond girls. She has done dance, cheer, chorus, and band and is excited to be in her first musical as a dancer!



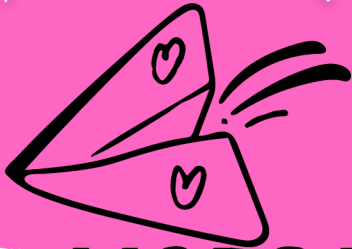
**BRIELLE
BILSON**



**ANIYAH
BRADBERRY**

MS. NORBURY/DANCE CAPTAIN

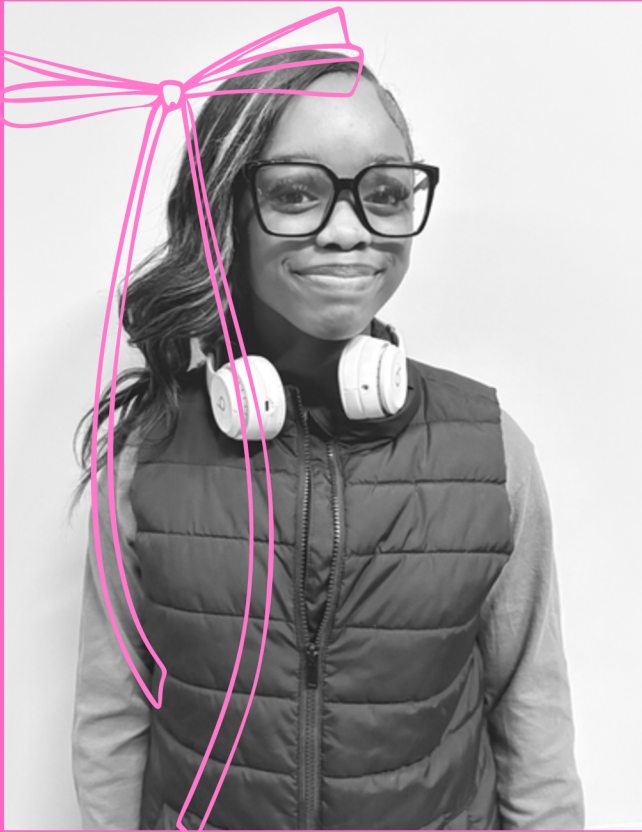
Aniyah Bradberry is an 8th grader at LaSalle Preparatory School. She is proud to be participating in this this year's school production of Mean Girls Jr. A dedicated dancer, she has trained in all dance forms at Janet Dunstan Dance Academy for over 5 years. Aniyah has had the Honor of performing various roles in The Nutcracker with Greater Niagara Dance Company including lead role of Clara. Also, performing in the production of Swan Lake. In addition to dance, she is a member of the school Chorus and Honor Society. She loves expressing herself through music and movement and is grateful for the support of her family, friends, and teachers.



**MORGAN
CARBIN
STAGE CREW MANAGER**

*she's fabulous,
but she's EVIL*





LA'KIRA
CRITTENDEN

DANGER/ENSEMBLE



I CAN'T
help IT
THAT I'M
popular



DAMIAN (7TH GRADE)/TONY

McKenzie Elliott is extremely excited to be playing the role of Damian in this year's production of Mean Girls Jr! She is 12 years old and in 7th grade! McKenzie has danced at her dance studio, JCDA, since 2018! This is her fourth production overall and can't be happier to play Damian! McKenzie had preformed in the musicals Moana Jr as ensemble, Legally Blonde Jr as ensemble , and The Adams Family as Lurch! When McKenzie isn't in theater, she likes to spend time playing the flute and playing with her lizards, Blaze and Pebbles! She is apart of the band, the JV swim team and JCDA dance academy! McKenzie would like to thank all of her family and friends for supporting her throughout all of her musicals!

DANCER/CAITLYN/ENSEMBLE

Hi everyone! My name is Juliana Eberhart and I am in 7th grade. I would love to thank my friends and family for me to be able to join this because if I didn't have them I wouldn't have the motivation or have to courage to get up on the stage to dance and sing. I've been doing dance since I was 4 and I have been doing chorus since 4th grade. I love being apart of this big family of people who are very talented and I am defiantly hoping to do this again!

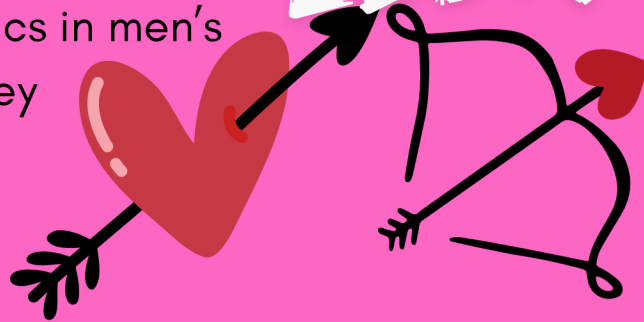
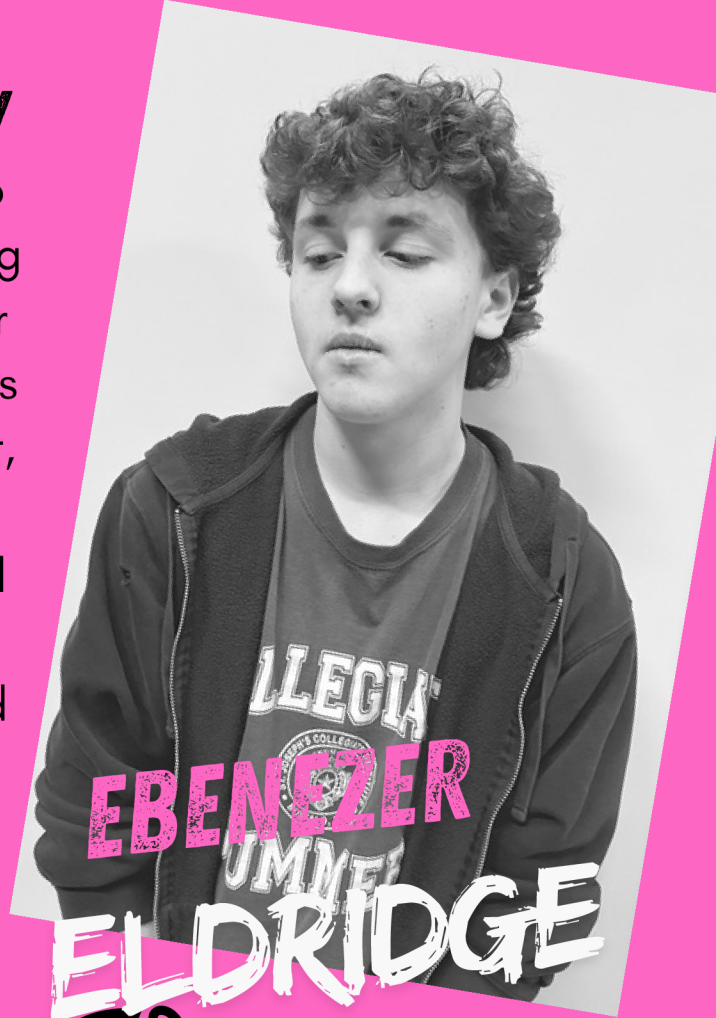


**JULIANA
EBERHART**



DAMIAN (8TH GRADE/STAGE CREW

Ebenezer Eldridge (Damian) is excited to be playing the role of Damian and working the spotlights for Mean Girls Jr. Ebenezer is an 8th grader at LaSalle Prep and this is his 5th show. He is also an honors student, junior honors society member, all county chorus member, multi-instrumentalist and member of the West Side Rowing Club Novice/JV Rowing team. Ebenezer would like to thank his family and friends for supporting him and also Tage Thompson and WNY native Hayley Scamurra for winning gold for the U.S at the 2026 Milan Cortina Winter Olympics in men's and women's hockey



JANIS SARKISIAN/STAGE CREW (8TH GRADE)

A'Layah is very excited to be performing as Janis for the 8th cast in the production of Mean Girls Jr. is in 8th grade a LaSalle Preparatory School and this is second show! She was the narrator in Beauty and The Beast. A'Layah was a cheerleader at her elementary school, GJ Mann and has 11 years of dance experience at JDDA.





ENSEMBLE/SOPHIE

My name is Gabby Gallon (7th Grade Sophia-Ensemble) I did band and chorus. I haven't been in any shows and I would like to thank my dad and siblings for supporting me

STAGE CREW/HAIR/ MAKEUP

Lily is here to lend a helping hand through Costumes, makeup, hair, props, and whatever else that needs to be done to make sure everyone enjoys our production of Mean Girls! She's always glad to be an anchor in these projects however you need her. Enjoy the show!



LILY
HOOD

(ENSEMBLE)/MARYMOUNT 3

My name is Kadie Kneepple, I am almost 14 years old and in the 8th grade. I cheered for NFHS Modified cheer team. I have done gymnastics and multiple other sports. I have also done chorus and band. This is my first production in theater and I have enjoyed the experience. I would love to continue with theater in the future.



JANIS SARKISIAN (7TH GRADE)

Zelda is super excited to make her theatre debut as Janis Sarkisian in Mean Girls Jr. Zelda is currently a 7th grader at LaSalle Preparatory school. "I have always had really bad anxiety when it comes to being on stage. Getting the courage to audition for this show was the best decision that I have ever made, and I hope to continue to be in theater for the rest of my school years, maybe even longer."

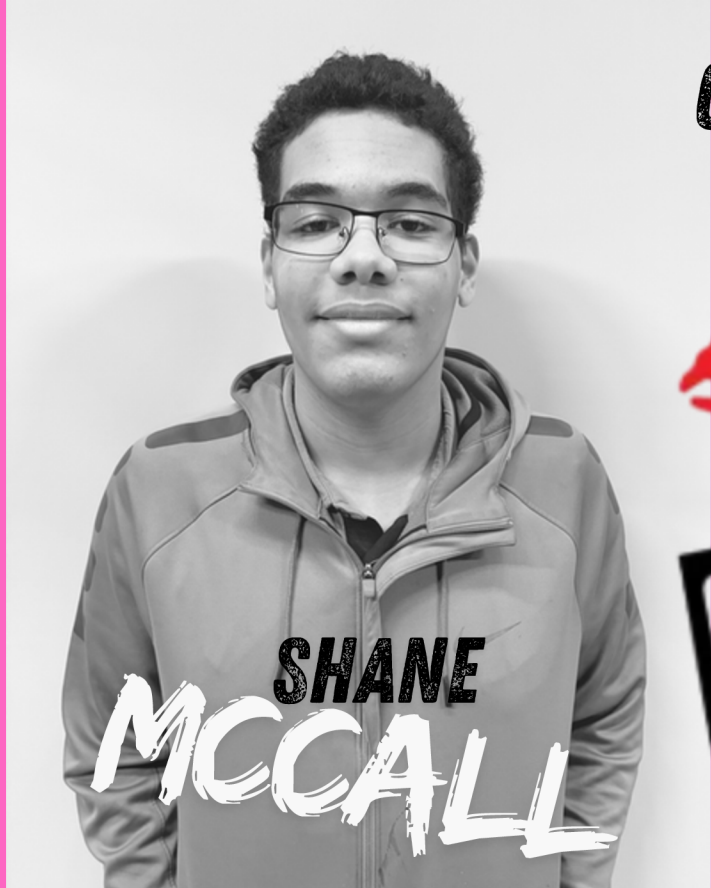
STAGE CREW / LIGHTS



**THE
PLASTICS**



**LEIGHLAWINE
MAIKRANZ**



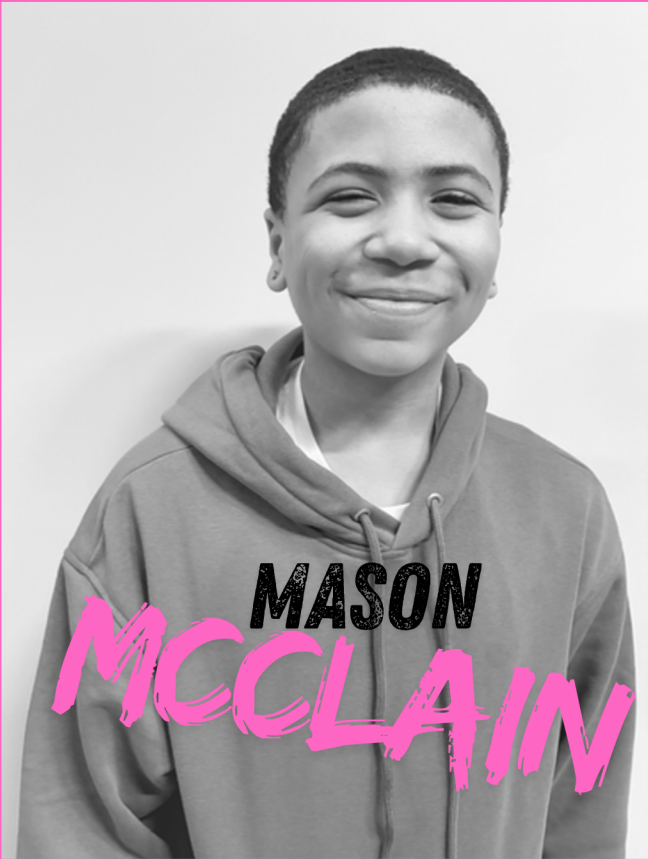
**SHANE
MCCALL**

COACH CARR / STAGE CREW



**SO
Fetch**





AARON SAMUELS

Hi my name is Mason I am 13 years old. I have never been in a Musical before this is my first time. I play basketball because it's my favorite sport. I love school and I also love traveling to places.



ENSEMBLE

Is butter
A CARB?



ZAMARA
MOORE

TEARY GIRL/DAWN/MARYMOUNT 1



FIONA

O'DONNELL

Fiona O'Donnell is in 8th grade. She has been in 11 shows the most recent being Into the woods. She on the cross country and softball teams for our school. She also does voice lessons piano lessons and volunteer for skating. She would like to thank her family and friends for supporting her.



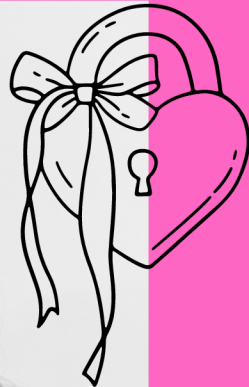
KEVIN G. AND GRACE

Molly is very excited to be making her debut on stage playing the role of Kevin G and Grace in the production of Mean Girls Jr. Molly is a 7th grader at LaSalle Preparatory School. Molly is a member of the school's Chorus and Student Council. She would like to thank Mrs. Bilson, Ms. Pitarresi and Miss Kat for giving her the opportunity to bring these characters to life!



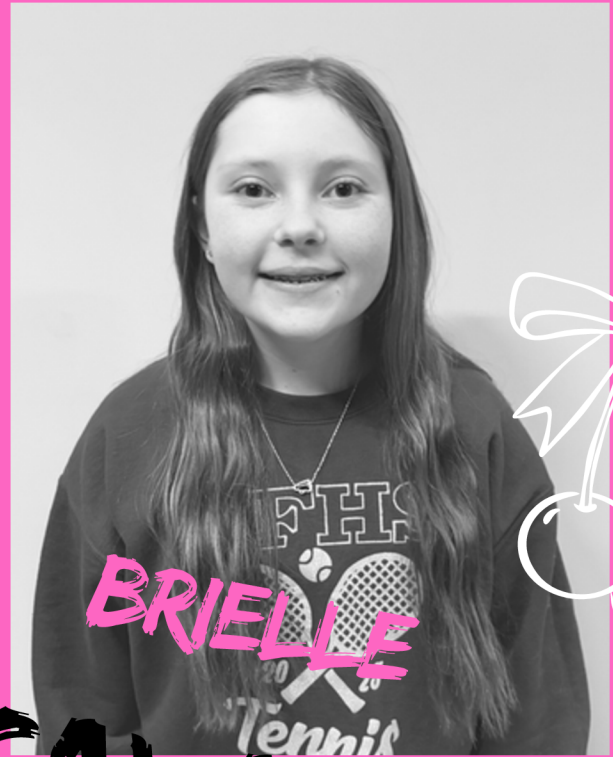
MOLLY

PIASKOWSKI



MATH MODERATOR

Brielle Savage is in 8th grade and this will be her second musical performance. She has done rec cheer since she was 4 and has done all star cheer since she was 6. She did varsity tennis for our school. She would like to thank her family friends and teachers for supporting her.



SAVAGE

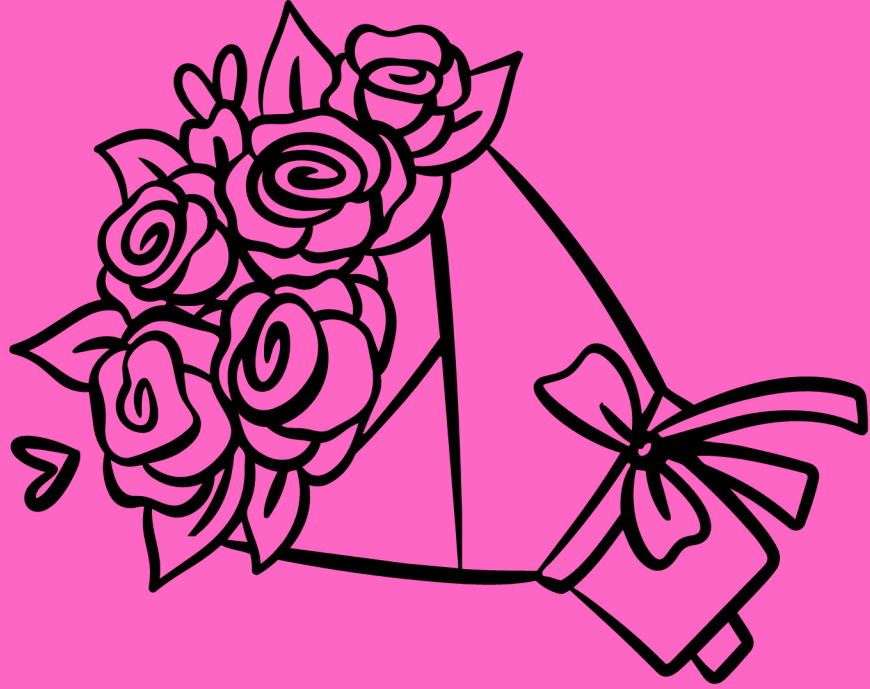
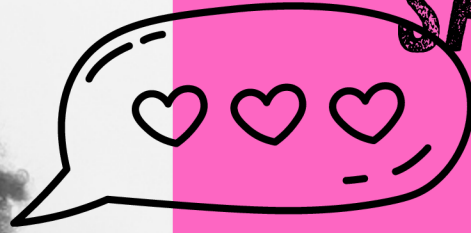


MR. DUVALL/GLENN COCCO/MARTIN

Logan is super excited to be playing the part of the Principal, Mr. Duvall, in Mean Girls Jr. Logan is an 8th grader at LaSalle Preparatory School and this is his first performance in theatre. Logan is also a member of the NFHS boys' swim team and is also in the LPS band. Logan would like to thank his mom, dad, bother, sister, nanna, pappa, all of his uncles and all of his aunts.



**SHANE OMAN /
DEADPOOL**



**JA'MARION
SMITH**



**MEAN GIRLS
JR.**

KAREN SMITH

Gabriella “Gabi” Stearns (Karen Smith): Gabi is thrilled to be making her musical theater debut in Mean Girls Jr. She is an 8th Grade member of the Junior Honor Society and Chorus. She also plays piano at D’Amico Music and dances with Adell’s School of Dance. Her first role was “The Butterfly” in The Very Hungry Caterpillar at 79th Street School. She thanks her mother and sister for helping with this show, her father for is constant support for her artistic life, and her cat Sophie for always being there.



MRS. GEORGE / STUDENT DIRECTOR

Victoria “Tori” Stearns (Mrs. George / Student Director): Victoria is pleased to step in and put her “Theater History and Set Design” class to good use in helping bring Mean Girls Jr. to the LaSalle Prep Stage. As a Senior at Niagara Falls High School, she is a member of Marching, Pep & Symphonic Bands, the Honor Society and the Niagara Proscenium Players. She also dances with Adell’s School of Dance and the Greater Niagara Ballet Company (Swan Lake). Her theater credits include Ensemble/Principal (Freaky Friday) and Ensemble/Dancer (Mama Mia!). She is proud to be able to support her sister in her first show!



**VICTORIA
STEARNS**

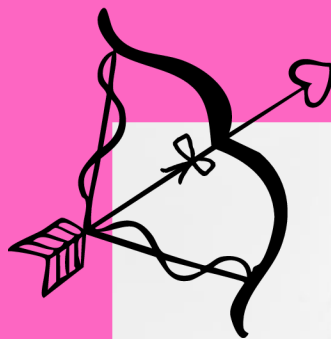
REGINA GEORGE (7TH GRADE)

Naima is a 13 year old 7th grader at LaSalle Preparatory school. Her birthday is September 24th. She is very excited to play the role as Regina George in Mean Girls Musical, as this is her first lead role! She has only been in on other production, Willy Wonka Jr. where she was in the ensemble. Naima describes herself as a "very kind and overly energetic" person. We are very excited to have as part of our cast!



NAIMA

WATSON



ENSEMBLE



NATANNE

WILLIAMS

**YOU
CANT
SIT
WITH
US!**



CADY HERON (8TH GRADE)

Aria is an 8th grader at LaSalle Prep. She is thrilled to be part of Mean Girls, Jr. She has been in numerous productions with the most recent being Into the Woods Jr. (Witch), The Little Mermaid (Mersister), and Rock of Ages (Regina) with Teal's Theater; Mamma Mia (ensemble) Niagara Proscenium Community Players of Niagara Falls High School; The Anxiety Project (Hope, Rachel, Kristina) and Jesus Christ Superstar (Simon) with Open Door Productions. She is vocal student of Amy Teal, guitar student of Nori Bucci and is a member of Teal's Niagara Theater Vocal Dynamites. She wants to thank all of family and friends for all the love and support they give her. ENJOY THE SHOW!!!



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CADY HERON (7TH GRADE)

Claire Wojton is excited to be playing the role of Cady Heron in this year's production of Mean Girls—from being the “new girl” to discovering the importance of friendship and staying true to yourself.

Claire has done a few school musicals while she attended Harry F. Abate Elementary School. Last year, she played the lead role of Anna in the school's production of Frozen Jr. She

has also starred as Willy Wonka in Willy Wonka Jr. and delighted audiences as the Cat in the Hat in Seussical Jr.

Each role has helped her grow as a performer and build confidence on stage.

Outside of theater, Claire has a passion for dance and has been dancing competitively at Adell's School of Dance for 11 years. She also enjoys playing golf and tennis during the summer months.

Claire would like to thank her directors, castmates, teachers, family & friends for their constant encouragement and support. She hopes you enjoy the show — and remembers that being yourself is always “so fetch!” ❤️



**CLAIRE
WOJTON**



ENSEMBLE/ SONJA ACQUINO

Hi, my name is Gianna wynn and I have been dancing for 8 years and for the 3 years I have been in competition I have never been in a musical and in am glad I tried something different and I'm looking forward to the show this week and I have had such a great time thank you for making this experience fun and enjoyable.



MEAN GIRLS JR.

THAT IS SO FETCh!

DIRECTOR / MRS. GEORGE (MATINEE)

KATHARINE SIRIANNI-MOROCCO "MISS KAT": (Director/Mrs. George) is a graduate of NFHS Class of 1995 and is very excited to be part of this alumni production. While at NFHS, Kat appeared in Up the Down Staircase, The Wiz, Hello Dolly!, Broadway Bound: A Musical Review, Bye, Bye Birdie, Curtain Call: A Musical Review and Kiss Me Kate, in which she played the role of one of the gangsters. Kat has been in the Niagara Proscenium Community Players of Niagara Falls High School productions of Smokey Joe's Café, Jesus Christ Superstar, Evita, Beautiful: Carol King Musical (Betty) and Mamma Mia, as well as Niagara Falls High School's production of A Night with Stephen Sondheim. Kat has also been in Open Door Theatre's productions of Jesus Christ Superstar and The Anxiety Project: Act One (Grieving mother). Kat graduated from Niagara University with a Bachelor's in Social Work and went on to work at Niagara Falls Memorial Medical Center as an inpatient social worker on both the Children's and Adult Psychiatric units, while she attended State University of New York at Buffalo to pursue her Master Degree in Social Work. Kat currently works for the NFCSD as a School Social Worker at LaSalle Preparatory School. Kat would like to thank her three children and husband for all their support.



KATHARINE SIRIANNI-MOROCCO



NANCY PITARRESI

COSTUME / STAGE MANAGER

Nancy Pitarresi is a seventh grade teacher at Lasalle and Gaskill Preparatory Schools. Nancy assisted direction of Moana, Jr.(Gaskill), acted/ sang in productions with Niagara Proscenium Community Players at NFHS, has studied dance, clarinet (Lasalle Jr/Sr Bands)and has been involved in other musical areas. Nancy would like to thank Kat and Nicole for sharing their superb talents and opportunity to work with this talented cast. Thanks to Olivia and Julia for their support!

A Note from the Director:

Hi everyone. What an experience this has been! Last spring when Mr. Baldassarre approached me to direct and produce a theater production at the school, I was thrilled. I had never directed before but I have been in shows since 1992 at the original Niagara Falls High School with Kate Kerswell-Muldoon as my director, my mentor, my friend. I knew I would not be able to do this alone, so I grabbed Nancy and Nicole and said, "let's do this!" We started auditions at the end of September, then started rehearsing once a week till after winter break, and here we are now. I never realized how hard this would be - all the tears and yelling "sing louder!!!!" Now I know how Kate felt all those years. I can say that I am beyond proud of these kids - half of them have never done a show before in their life and here they are, on stage, putting this show on for you.

I would like to thank from the bottom of my heart Nancy and Nicole for sharing this experience with me. without the two of you, this would never have happened.

To **Wes and Tom** for setting up the sounds and lights.

To **Marlo and Marisa** for being organized and talking me down every night and being here to help with whatever we needed.

To **the family engagement group** for funding the show with concessions and the shout outs.

To **Jess**, thanks for always being there to help with everything and I mean everything.

To **Sue Miller** for painting us the bus and helping with signs! It is great!!

Ms. Bradshaw and her students for painting us the burn book pages for the set. We love them!

Mr. Baldassarre and Mrs. Zona, thank you for trusting me with the show and believing in me to pull this off. Thank you to the staff here at LaSalle for your support also through this process.

To the cast and crew - you did it. You made this show yours. You told the story. Thank you for sticking with the show and allowing me to direct you. You have made this experience something I will never forget. I know I was hard on your kids, but I was for a reason because I knew you could do it and you did. I love you all.

And last but not least, thank you to all the parents. thank you for trusting me with your kid all these months and teaching them about theater and the show. I appreciate all your patience through the process. I am sure you are ready to stop hearing the songs being rehearsed at home. Without you parents, we would not have been able to do this. Your support for your children is everything.

Stay fetch!

Katharine Sirianni-Morock