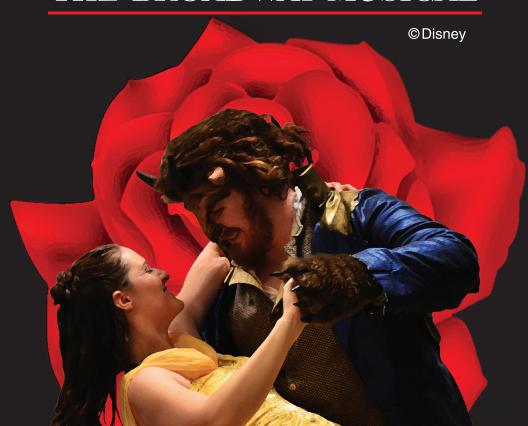


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Potomac Falls High School Sterling, VA

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The Sterling Playmakers, in cooperation with Loudoun County Parks, Recreation and Community Services' Sterling Community Center, will associate ourselves together for the following purposes:

To foster and perpetuate wholesome theatrical presentation for all age groups, of both a cultural and entertainment value to the community of Sterling, ever keeping in mind our obligations to the community in the safeguarding of the principles of good taste in all our endeavors.

To produce, direct, write, teach, stage, and in all ways provide all forms of performing arts activities and events for children and adults, and to hire such staff as may be necessary.

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(IN ORDER OF APPEARANCE)

Nameton	laba MaAnthu	
Narrator		
Beast/Prince		
Enchantress		
Belle		
Belle Understudy (August 3rd)		
LeFou	. , , ,	
Gaston		
Silly GirlsJordan Lohmeyer, G		
Silly Girl Understudy (August 3rd)	Meghan Bryan	
Maurice		
Cogsworth	Matt Beasley	
Lumiere	Jim Collinson	
Babette	Rachel Veal	
Mrs. Potts	Jeannie DeLisi	
Chip		
Madame de la Grande Bouche	Krista Kiefski	
Monsieur D'Arque	Chris Hrozencik	
TownspeopleAidan G	Goggin*, Alia Robinson*,	
Allison Ball, Allison Co	peland, Ally Goodnight,	
Atticus Kronenberg, Bria	n Tepe, Cat Thompson*	
Caren Christiansen, Claire Seve	erson, Colleen Cheney*,	
Destiny Smith, Elizabeth	Deker, Emelie Colmery,	
	ne Long, Kareem Taylor,	
	ecy Silk*, Mary Gregory,	
Paul Shraga, Ludivine Rassa		
	Edwards, Sarah Hardy,	
	bichaud, Soni Oberleas	
Enchanted ObjectsAar	on Haak. Aidan Goggin.	
	a Robinson, Allison Ball,	
Annelise Bryan, Autumn Ande		
	Cheney, Daniel Prothe,	
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Henry Gregory, Jacob Miniuk, Joshua Nordenbrook,		
Kennedy Estrada, Leecy Silk, Lars Nyman, Maddie Nyman,		
Mikayla Kirr, Myriam Elmi, Natalie Bro		
	Hurley, Rachel Sedlak,	
Sarah Jaedicke-Brito, Timothy G		
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^{*} Dance Captains and Wolves



ACT ONE

	2701	- 1-2	
	Overture/Pr	ologue	
	BelleBell	e, Gaston, Lefou, Silly Girls,	
		Townspeople	
	No Matter What		
	No Matter What (Reprise)/Wolf C		
	Me		
	Belle (Reprise)		
	Home		
	Home (Reprise)		
	Gaston	Townspeople	
	Gaston (Reprise)		
	How Long Must This Go On?	Reast	
	Be Our GuestLum		
		dame de la Grande Bouche,	
	μ,	Enchanted Objects	
	If I Can't Love Her	-	
There will be a 15 minute intermission			
Act Two			
Entr'acte/Wolf Chase			
	Something There		
	G	Mrs. Potts, Cogsworth	
	Human Again Lumiere, Mad	dame de la Grande Bouche,	
	Cog	gsworth, Mrs. Potts, Babette,	
		Chip, Enchanted Objects	
	Maison des LunesGast		
	Beauty and the Beast		
	If I Can't Love Her (Reprise)		
	A Change In Me	Belle	

The Mob Song......Gaston, Lefou, Monsieur D'Arque,

Townspeople



STAFF AND CREW

Director	Scott Olson	
Producer	Gioia Albi	
Consulting Producer	Kimberly Fry	
Music Director	Colin Taylor	
Vocal Director	Timothy Smith	
Assistant Director	John McArthur	
Assistant Director - Enchanted Ensemble	Chuck Schmidt	
Choreographer	Cat Thompson	
Assistant Choreographer	Colleen Cheney	
Fight Choreographer	Steve Schrader	
Technical Director/Master Carpenter/		
Special Effects Designer	Bill Fry	
Technical Director - Lights and Sound	Kurt Gustafson	
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Sound Effects Operator	Elijah Miniuk	
Mic Runner	Beth Gustafson	
Light Designer		
Assistant Light Designer		
Production Stage Manager	Helen Gernhardt	
Stage Manager	April Bridgeman	
Assistant Stage Manager		
Stage CrewJoe Campa		
•	sserly, Abby Price,	
	dy, Myles Schmidt,	
Paul Williams, Bill Fry, K		
Costume Designer		
Sewing Team Joan Lawrence		
	gg, Robyn Stafford	
Crafting TeamRoni Ed		
Kendall Christiansen, Julie Jac		
Conrad Rodearmel, Jimmy Collin		
•	man, Kimberly Fry	
Prop MastersEric		
Hair/Makeup DesignersTina Boosahda, Tess Koerner		
Hair/Makeup TeamTina Boosal		
Lily I	Noyd, Delaney Kirr	



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	Peter Cheney, RC Castoneda			
Audition Pianists	•			
	Suzanne Yerks			
Rehearsal Pianists	Timothy Smith, Lisa Mattia			
ORCHESTRA				
Conductor	Colin Taylor			
Assistant ConductorC				
Flute, Piccolo	Teresa Harris. Margo Kuiat*			
Oboe, English Horn				
Flute, Clarinet, Bass Clarinet				
Trumpet				
HornBrad				
Violin	-			
Cello	Pam Clem			
Piano	Timothy Smith			
Synthesizer	Joe Farber			
Percussion	Carlos Figueiras			

^{*}substitute musician



I'm not giving away any spoilers. We all know that "A tale as old as time" also has messages as old as time, as do all fairy tales. We have a message here too. Love can, given time, conquer all - if you go in with a pure heart, no perceived conceptions of how a person should be or act AND still be true to yourself and be strong enough to let that love be earned. Our Belle may come across as a little more feisty than the standard versions. But she is pure of heart and can (and will) take the time to find the true humanity within the beast (or her choice of beasts?).

At the same time, I wanted to show that she can be strong and find the love she has earned. To give her heart to the one that is worthy, because he earned that worth. Each of our characters feel the worth of that love and make it very real on stage. They show that you can fight the evil (either within or without), and bring love and light to bear on the darkness. Yet, it can still be a funny and very entertaining story!

This group of people proved that from the beginning. This cast came together to love and live the story with each other. We have had such a blast putting this show together for you. The cast has always been giving of themselves, working hard to get every little nuance of character right. They helped those who were younger or who haven't had as much experience, to learn about the art and magic of theater. EVERYONE showed their capability for being "Human Again". Trust me that allegory wont be lost on you when you hear the song, which is not part of the animated or live action versions but is in this Broadway version, and one of my top songs in the show.

Sometimes we have to fight for and stick up for what we believe in. Sometimes that is incredibly hard to do. But take a lesson from these folks in the cast and this story. People encompass many types along all the spectrums of humanity - we all deserve the love we earn. The cast and crew gave love the chance to conquer and be human again from beginning to the finished product you see now and I couldn't be more proud. All that said...get out those tissues...you will definitely need them. I know, because these folks made me shed more than a few tears of joy even during the rehearsal process.

Love and Peace,

Scott Olson Director



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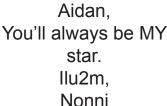
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Jordan we are
so proud of
everything you
accomplish on and
off the stage.
Strut your stuff,
silly girl!
We love you,
Abby, Tyler, Dad &
Mom XOXO











To Meghan and Annelise, our amazing Belle and fabulous fork: We are so excited and proud that we can be a part of your "adventure in the great wide somewhere". Keep following your dreams. We love you both so much. Mom, Dad, Abby, and Matt.



Who's Who in the Cast and Crew

Natasha Adamson (Enchanted Napkin, Featured Dancer): Beauty and the Beast will be Natasha's 6th musical, and 3rd time working with the Sterling Playmakers. Her most recent role was the Sour Kangaroo in a production of Seussical by Trailside Middle School.

Gioia Albi (*Producer*): Mother of five, dragon slayer, FAA Flight Service employee by day, performer/director/producer by night. Thanks to the cast/crew/family for patience, love, and support. Some dance to remember. Some dance to forget. She dances for both.

Autumn Anderson (Enchanted Napkin, Featured Dancer): This is Autumn's first Sterling Playmakers production, and though she's had many theatre experiences, this show has given her a refreshing and fun atmosphere. She is entering her junior year of high school and plans on pursuing visual/preforming arts.

Laura Aylor (Silly Girl, Belle Understudy): Laura is so excited to be in her first Playmakers production. She would like to thank God, her mother, her best friends, Scott, and this wonderful cast for being so welcoming and sweet!

Allison Ball (Townsperson, Enchanted Napkin, Featured Dancer): Allison's past roles and positions with the Sterling Playmakers include Beth March (Little Women), Makeup Designer (Great Stage of Fools), Asst. Director (A Christmas Carol, James and The Giant Peach), and Dance Captain (Oliver!).

Matt Beasley (Cogsworth): Matt is very excited to be a part of such a fantastic production! He would like to thank this amazing cast and crew for making this such a fun show and his fiancee for her help and support!

Natalie Brown (Enchanted Spoon): Natalie's love of theater started at 5 years old watching the Playmakers from the front row. Since then she has performed in *The Music Man*, *Oliver!*, & *The Little Mermaid*.

Annelise Bryan (Enchanted Fork): Annelise is so excited to be in her first Sterling Playmakers show! Her past shows include Peter Pan Jr. and Elf Jr. at Eagle Ridge. She thanks her family and friends for being supportive!



Meghan Bryan (Belle, Silly Girl Understudy): Meghan is grateful for the opportunity to perform her childhood dream role! She graduated from Millikin University with a BFA in Acting. Thank you to the cast and crew, for "I found home. You're my home."

Joe Campanella (Running Crew): Joe has acted in 50 plays and has been backstage in 40 more. Favorites: playing John Adams (1776, SP), writing/directing musicals for SP. He will direct *The Elf Who Came for Christmas* this year (StageCoach Theatre Company).

Colleen Cheney (Townsperson, Enchanted Knife, Wolf, Dance Captain, Assistant Choreographer): She wants to thank Sterling Playmakers for a wonderful 4 years, as this will be her last show before moving to MD. Her favorite memory was choreographing 42nd Street last year. Love and thanks everyone!

Caren Christiansen (*Townsperson - Bookseller*): Caren, who has become a full-blown theater nerd since joining Sterling Playmakers last summer, is happy to perform with this great bunch once again and stretch her acting capabilities...LET'S GET DOWN TO BUSINESS!

Jim Collinson (Lumiere, Sponsorship Coordinator): Jim is excited to fulfill his lifelong dream of performing in this Disney classic. Past Playmaker's experiences are 42nd Street (Billy Lawlor), Man of La Mancha (Padre), and Little Women: The Musical (Laurie/Rodrigo). Much love to Erik and my family for their support!

Emelie Colmery (Townsperson - Lady with Babies, Enchanted Fork, Social Chair/PR Coordinator): In her acting debut as villager with baby/babies, Emelie is drawing on her previous pertinent performances as a first grade teacher and Jack's aunt. She is thankful for support from Rob, family, friends, and coworkers.

Allison Copeland (*Townsperson*): Allison is excited to be in her first Sterling Playmakers' show! Allison is working on her master's in education while teaching preschool. Many thanks to the S2 section for being awesome! Enjoy the show!



Break a leg, Caren.
I'd buy books from
you any day.
You're a Baguette.
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- Chris Sanner

Break a leg, Aidan. Wish I could be there. Love, Dad



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Robyn
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are enchanting!
Love,
Mom and Michael

I wish I could see the show!
I am so proud of all the hard
work you put into it Judith.
Love, Kyle





Dylan Connell (*Gargoyle*): I am a professional wrestler as well as an aspiring actor, hopefully this role will land me more roles in other theatrical and musical shows in the very near future. Thank you for the opportunity!

Elizabeth Deker (*Townsperson*): Elizabeth is so grateful to return to acting as part of this production of her favorite Disney story! Special thanks to her amazing husband, family, and friends for their support.

Jeannie DeLisi (*Mrs. Potts*): Eternal thanks to Scott Olson for allowing my dream role to come true! Love to my Mr. Potts and Chip, Rick and Chris. What a wonderful cast, crew, and orchestra! Honored to perform with you all.

Roni Edwards (*Townsperson*): Roni has been performing in both theatre and choir since she was 4. This is her second Playmakers show and she is so excited to be back doing what she loves with a great group!

Paul Eldridge (Gaston): LEFOU, HELP ME WITH THIS KEYBOARD. I NEED TO TELL THE PEOPLE ABOUT MYSELF. OH, THERE'S TWO WHOLE SONGS ABOUT GASTON? ONE LITERALLY CALLED "Me"? I LIKE THIS SHOW. CAN BELLE SEE THIS?

Myriam Elmi (Enchanted Champagne Bottle): Myriam is very excited to be in her first professional production. She loves singing and acting. She has been in many plays\musicals ever since third grade. She is grateful from support from family\friends.

Kennedy Estrada (*Townsperson, Enchanted Fork*): is excited to participate in her first Playmakers show! Past roles include Gabriella (*High School Musical*), Space (*Betweenity*), and July (*Annie*). She hopes you enjoy BatB!

Aubry Fisher (*Prop Master*): Aubry joined the Sterling Playmakers in 2015. This is her second summer production as Props Master, a job she loves as it allows her to to tap into her creative side.

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One of the things I learned the hard way was that it doesn't pay to get discouraged. Keeping busy and making optimism a way of life can restore your faith in yourself.

Lucille Ball

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To the cast and crew of Sterling Playmakers Beauty and the Beast, thank you for your patience, support, flexibility and devotion.

- Gioia



Who's Who in the Cast and Crew

Eric Fisher (Assistant Lighting Designer/Prop Master): Eric joined Sterling Playmakers in 2015 during the production of *The Music Man*. Eric has since participated in several Playmakers productions as both cast and crew. He looks forward to many, many future productions.

Kimberly Fry (Consulting Producer): Kim's thrilled for her 6th straight summer musical with the Playmakers. When not doing theater, Kim's a CFO and runs a horse farm. Sending love and support to my family and friends for everything.

Helen Gerdhardt (*Production Stage Manager*): Helen has worked many technical roles since her family was cast in *Robin Hood*. Thanks to all involved in bringing this show to life! Love to Paul for putting up with the craziness.

Aidan Goggin (Townsperson, Enchanted Candlestick, Wolf, Dance Captain, Featured Dancer): Virginia State Ballroom Champ. International black belt Taekwondo. Future actor. Previous shows include: Shrek, Chitty, James and the Giant Peach Jr., A Christmas Carol, (TAT), Sleepy Hollow, Oliver!, 42nd Street (Sterling), and Hairspray (CTC). Favorite role: Scar.

Ally Goodnight (*Townsperson, Scenic Designer*): Ally is an avid singer, artist, and cat lover. She'd like to thank her friends and family for their unwavering support, and for always giving her shoulders to lean on and beds to nap on. Enjoy the show!

Michael Goshorn (*Maurice*): As a time traveler from the future, it's amazing to be part of historical re-enactments. Others I've revisited: Henry Higgins, *My Fair Lady*; Old Adam, *Children of Eden*; Cpt Albert Lennox, *The Secret Garden*.

Henry Gregory (Enchanted Champagne Bottle): Henry is an 8th grader at River Bend. He has been in 3 productions so far and intends to keep going! His favorite role was playing Simba in *The Lion King*. He enjoys singing and dancing.

Mary Katherine Gregory (*Townsperson*): After a 25 year hiatus from musical theater, MK is excited to make her comeback as a manly villager. Thanks to Chris, Katie and Sam for your flexibility and to Henry for joining me on this journey!





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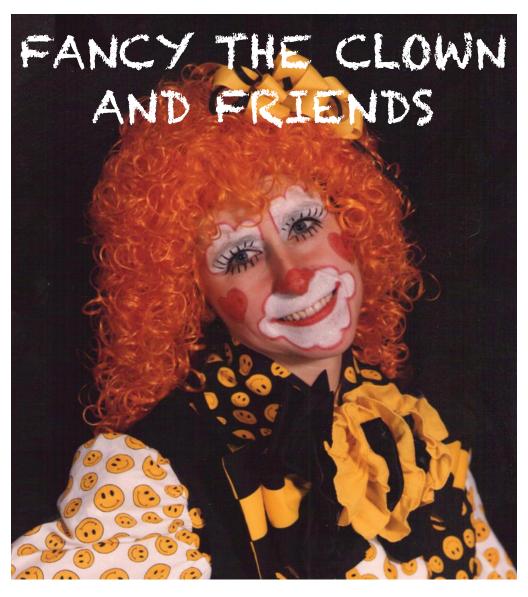




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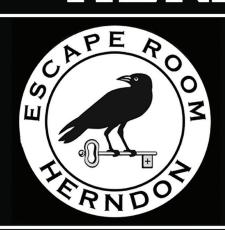
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Kurt Gustafson (*Technical Director - Lights and Sound*): Kurt is pleased to be in his third production with Sterling Playmakers. Kurt is just as comfortable working on the stage as much as behind the stage. I hope you all enjoy the show.

Rebecca Gustafson (Sound Designer): Rebecca Gustafson is a rising junior at JMU studying theatre with a design technology concentration. She is excited to work on her first production with Sterling Playmakers and she hopes you enjoy the show!

Timothy Gustafson (Enchanted Candlestick, Featured Dancer): Timothy is thrilled to be involved in his 2nd SP production. Previous credits: "Mufasa" in *The Lion King, Jr.* (NJD), "Elisha J. Whitney" in *Anything Goes, Jr.* (NJD) and "Gaston" in *Beauty & the Beast, Jr.* (FMS).

Aaron Haak (Enchanted Pepper Shaker): Aaron is pleased to be participating as part of the Enchanted Ensemble in his third production with Sterling Playmakers. He has also been active in Middle School drama club and hopes to continue in High School.

Geoff Hardy (*Townsperson*): A part-time theater nerd, Geoff enjoys doing a show every few years. He is thrilled to be sharing the stage with his wife Sarah while their kids Evan and Emma help out behind the scenes.

Sarah Hardy (*Townsperson*): Sarah has been part of the NoVa community theater scene for 20+ years, on and off stage. She loves sharing the stage again with her wonderful husband. Much love to her kids for supporting her passion.

Judith Harmon (Costume Designer): With 15 years of sewing, a bachelor's degree in costuming, and 15 shows, I was able to aquire the skills (and courage) to bring my dream show to life. Welcome to my dream come true!

Chris Hrozencik (Monsiuer D'Arque): Previous credits: Sterling Playmakers (One Flew Over The Cuckoo's Nest), Capital Fringe (Before The Lights Go Out & Artful Justice), George Mason University (The Merchant, Mystery of Edwin Drood, & A Bright New Boise).



Judith "Edna" Harmon
You're a storybook
beauty!



Love, Mom & Dad

We're proud of you, Henry and MK! Grandma and Grandpa Gregory



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Gioia and Scott,
Awesome production,
congratulations!
- Mom (Dellamarie)



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Rachel Hurley (Enchanted Spoon): Rachel has been looking forward to participating in Beauty and the Beast. She has performed in two other shows; and enjoys reading, writing, and art. Enjoy the show!

Sarah Jaedicke-Brito (Enchanted Knife): Sarah is exited to do her first ever musical with Sterling Playmakers. Sarah would like to thank her mom, who drives her to all of the rehearsals; and to Mrs. Wyndy Fredrick for voice lessons.

Krista Kiefski (Madame de la Grande Bouche): Krista is ecstatic to bring The Wardrobe to life. Her previous Playmaker credits include Clown in *The 39 Steps* and Maggie in *42nd Street*. Special thanks to my family for all their love and support.

Miakyla Kirr (Enchanted Napkin, Featured Dancer): I have been doing theater for many years, this is my first community theater experience! I am excited to be part of this production, I have made so many friends, and I hope to be part of more Playmakers productions!

Atticus Kronenberg (*Townsperson*): Also credited as Wendy Kronenberg in prior productions, this is Atticus's third show with Playmakers, fourth if you count backstage work.

Jordan Lohmeyer (*Silly Girl*): Jordan can't believe this summer marks her 10th anniversary with the Playmakers! As she approaches graduation from CNU in December, Jordan's thankful for her family, friends, and boyfriend who support her passion for music and performing.

Julianne Long (*Townsperson*): Julianne is a sophomore in college with a passion for storytelling, particularly in the forms of creative writing, acting, and musical performance. An avid reader, Juli adores fantasy and has a love for fairytales.

Alexandrea Marrero (Enchanted Rug): Alexandra trained as a competitive gymnast for nine years and is currently a recreational gymnastics coach. She has participated in multiple church musicals, and enjoys acting and dancing.

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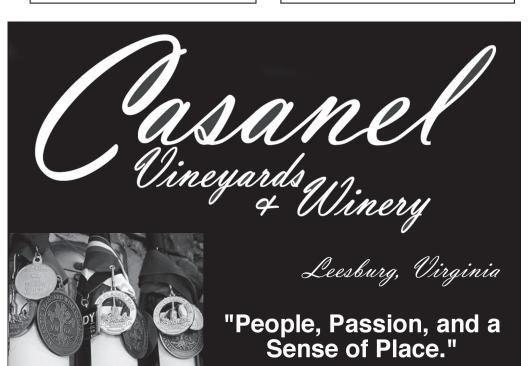


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Andres Marrero (*Chip*): Andres Marrero enjoys performing. he has participated in church musicals and school plays every year since he was 6 years old. Memorizing many lines and singing on stage are challenges that he enjoys.

John D. McArthur, Jr. (Assistant Director/Narrator): John is excited to be in his third show for the Playmakers, first as AD. The acting bug bit John when he took on the role of the Mighty Oak Tree for his kindergarten graduation.

Elijah Aimon Miniuk (Sound Effect Operator): Elijah has a love for being involved in the performing arts. His passion is the violin, performing in the Ashburn Youth Symphony Orchestra, One World Symphonic Festival, and school musicals at Riverside High School.

Jacob Minuk (Enchanted Spoon): I have been taking voice lessons for four years and have gotten the role of Oliver in the musical Oliver! and Michael Banks in Mary Poppins. I also have 8 siblings.

Olivia Miniuk (Enchanted Napkin, Featured Dancer): This is Olivia's third production with Sterling Playmakers. Outside of Beauty and The Beast, Olivia dances at East Coast Edge Performing Arts Center and has private voice lessons with Jennifer Randall. Enjoy the show!

Joshua Nordenbrook (Enchanted Fork): Joshua has been in many productions. He's recently been in a television commercial which aired nationwide. Besides acting his biggest passion is performing illusions. In everything he does, Josh's purpose is serving Jesus Christ.

Ginny Norris (*Silly Girl*): Excited for her Sterling Playmakers debut, Ginny spends her days running after Gaston... Why he doesn't notice? Off-stage, Ginny sings, reads, and cooks delicious food. Thanks to: God, her family/friends, and all involved in B&tB.

Lars Nyman (Enchanted Plate): Lars Nyman returns for his fourth playmakers production and 6th overall production. His notable roles include Templeton the Rat in *Charlotte's Web* (2017) and *Willy Wonka* with SRMS in 2018. He continues in the ensemble this show.



Maddie Nyman (Enchanted Plate): Maddie is so excited to do her third show with the Playmakers! In her free time, she enjoys ice skating, singing, baking, and being an oddball. Enjoy the show!!

Soni Oberleas (*Townsperson*): Fall 2017, I was prisoner/Maria in the musical *Man of La Mancha*. Singing is my passion but I was also love dance. Other passions: teaching piano; auditioning; family, friends; gardening; reading, movies

Scott Olson (*Director*): Scott has directed more than 30 shows and loves big musicals with lots of people (Right?). Previous biggies...*Legally Blond, Shrek,* (TAT), He also performs! Julius Caesar, Young Frankenstein. Clayton and babies, thanks for patience and love!

Daniel Prothe (*Gargoyle*): Daniel has been in many shows and he has LOVED every one. In his spare time he does video editing, school (nooooooooo), sports. Daniel would thank his family, and most of all Jesus Christ. Enjoy the show.

Ludivine Rassat (*Townsperson - Baker's Wife*): I am an au pair from France and I am 20 years old. I've taken theater classes since before I can remember. I like to be on stage and become a character, it's helped me a lot. It's difficult to do it here in America in English, but it's also a dream come true.

Shannon Robichaud (*Townsperson - Hat Seller*): Shannon is thrilled to be back on stage in her second Playmakers' show! She appeared in *42nd Street* last summer as part of the ensemble. Thanks to her friends and family for always supporting her!

Alia Robinson (Townsperson, Wolf, Enchanted Napkin, Dance Captain, Featured Dancer): Alia is a software engineer by day who loves to sing. In addition to performing, she does makeup design for various productions. When not onstage or coding, she can be found doing arts and crafts.

Conrad Rodearmel (*The Beast/Prince Adam*): The doctor handed Conrad to his mother and said, "I'm sorry, he'll probably be an actor." Much sorrow and lamenting followed. Conrad's hobbies include backing up sewers, reversing street signs, and stealing everyone's left shoe.



Ciara Schmidt (Enchanted Knife): Ciara is enchanted to be part of her third Sterling Playmakers production! She was an ensemble member in *Oliver!*, and a part of the kids' chorus in *42nd Street*. In her downtime, she likes drawing, writing, and playing music.

Charles Schmidt (Assistant Director - Enchanted Ensemble, Assistant Conductor): Chuck is wearing a different hat after four summers in the pit. At the Langley School, he has conducted shows such as Wonka!, Annie, and Beauty and the Beast. Jr. Thanks and break a leg to all my Enchanteds!

Rachel Sedlak (Enchanted Spoon): Rachel is a rising junior at PFHS. She's recently been Jacqueline in *First Date*, and Aunt Em/Glinda U/S in *The Wizard of Oz.* She'd like to thank her family for supporting her. She hopes you enjoy the show!

Claire Severson (*Townsperson*): Claire, interior designer by day, has been having a blast in the Adult Ensemble. Previously played "Mrs. Corry" in *Mary Poppins*. Shouts out to SECOND SOPRANO SQUAD, Eric, dog Belle and cat Ariel. <3

Paul Shraga (*Townsperson*): Paul is excited to be performing in his second Sterling Playmakers production. His debut performance was *42nd Street* last summer. He would like to thank his wife and daughter for their support.

Leecy Silk (Townsperson, Enchanted Napkin, Wolf, Dance Captain, Featured Dancer): Leecy Silk is very excited to be in her tenth show with Sterling Playmakers. She is a rising junior at Dominion High School and most recently played Taylor McKessie and choreographed their musical, High School Musical.

Destiny Smith (*Townsperson*): This is my first year with Sterling Playmakers and I'm very excited to be part of this show!

Tim Smith (Vocal Director, Assistant Conductor): This is Tim's 4th summer with Sterling. Tim directed at LTA most recently in Anne of Green Gables. Tim has a BA in Music Education and is a PT and Director of Music at Colesville UMC.



Robyn Stafford (Enchantress, Townsperson, PR Director): Robyn comes from a family full of actors, spotlight hogs, and control freaks. She is so happy to be a part of the Playmakers where she can put those talents to good use!

Colin Taylor (*Music Director*): Colin returns for his fifth production as music director with Sterling Playmakers. He has also music directed at Little Theatre of Alexandria, guest conducted the Loudoun Symphonic Winds, and frequently performs as a clarinetist/reed doubler.

Kareem Taylor (*Townsperson*): Kareem in a nutshell: Smalltown Transplant, Software Engineer, USC (Go Gamecocks!), Avid Traveler, BeyHive Member, Board/Video Gaymer, Baker, Bourbon/Whiskey Sipper, Craft Beer Enjoyer, Bold Red Wine Enthusiast, First Time Musical Theater Performer.

Brian Tepe (*Townsperson - Baker*): Brian first joined the Sterling Playmakers three years ago when he played an ensemble role in *The Music Man*. He is ecstatic to be in *Beauty and the Beast* and hopes everyone enjoys the show.

Cat Thompson (Choreographer/Wolf/Townsperson): This is Cat's 2nd show with Sterling Playmakers and first time choreographing a musical. She has been performing since age 2 and has enjoyed stretching her artistic muscles this summer. Thanks to the cast and crew for your dedication!

Seraphine Terryberry (*LeFou*): Seraphine has loved working with such an awesome cast! In her spare time she can be found... at rehearsal OR running through the parking lot so as not to be LATE to rehearsal.

Rachel Veal (Babette, Events Manager): Rachel is thrilled to return to the stage for her second Sterling Playmakers summer musical. She's switched out her tap shoes in favor of tango-friendly footwear to help cast this show's magical spell on you.



Vivian Wilkins (Enchanted Salt Shaker): When Vivian is not performing, she enjoys her many musical talents and playing volleyball. Beauty and the Beast is Vivian's third performance with the Sterling Playmakers. She also sang in the 42nd Street Children's Chorus.

Beatrice Williams (Enchanted Plate): She was previously Antony's Guard in *Great Stage of Fools*. She'd like to thank her family for their support and hopes you enjoy the show.

Ella Williams (Enchanted Knife): This is Ella's third Sterling Playmakers show and her sixth show total. Her favorite roles have included, Fagin's Gang (Oliver!), Antony's Guard (Great Stage of Fools), and Mary, the Mother of Jesus (No Wonder!).

Rebecca Williamson (Townsperson, Enchanted Napkin, Featured Dancer): Rebecca is excited to partake in her first Playmakers show! Past roles include Sharpay (High School Musical), Cecily Cardew (Importance of Being Earnest), and Kate Keller (Miracle Worker). She hopes you enjoy the show!

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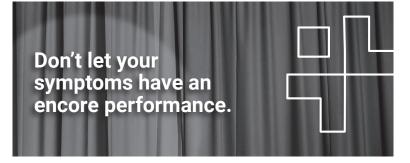
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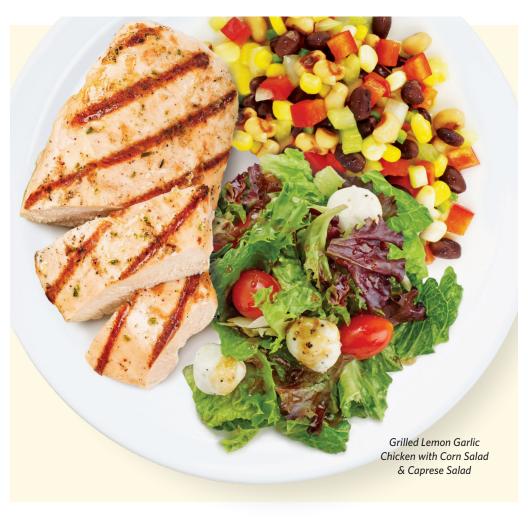
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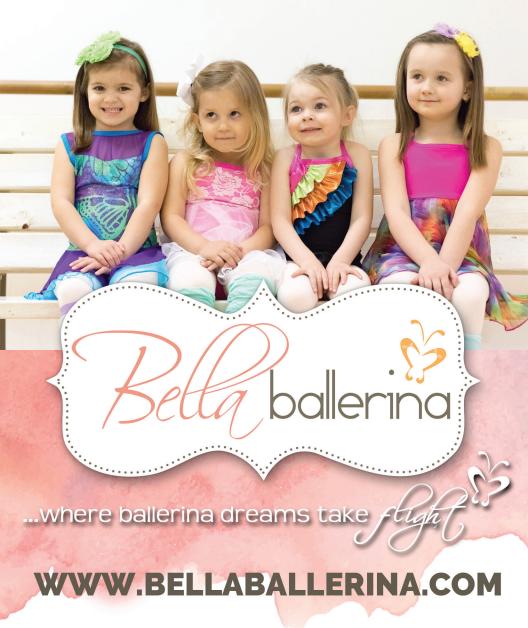
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