



WELCOME ALL ROCK 'N' ROLLERS

CONGRATULATIONS and get ready to commemorate 30 years of Rock 'n' Roll Revival with featured songs originally done by artists who have been inducted into the Rock 'n' Roll Hall of Fame! Rock out with RnR XXX.

Mark your calendar now for the Z Rock 'n' Roll shows:

- Thursday, March 7 - 7:00 PM
- Friday, March 8 - 7:00 PM
- Saturday, March 9 - 7:00 PM
- Sunday, March 10 - 3:00 PM
- Thursday, March 14 - 7:00 PM
- Friday, March 15 - 7:00 PM
- Saturday, March 16 - 7:00 PM

This year there will be two weekends of Rock 'n' Roll performances, including one Thursday show each week. Evening shows begin at 7:00 pm with call time at 5:00 pm. The Sunday matinee begins at 3:00 pm with call time at 1:00 pm. We are looking forward to a great production including an incredible set, costumes, vocals, dances, lights and sound, and a wonderful Rock 'n' Roll Band!

This packet of information is very important, so please **READ ALL INFORMATION CAREFULLY!**

BAND, CAST, & CREW INFORMATION

STAY INFORMED & MAKE REHEARSALS YOUR PRIORITY! THIS IS A REAL COMMITMENT!

The best way to stay informed is to regularly check www.sphsdrama.com/cast-resources.html. All show members are asked to register for calendar updates to the Rock 'n' Roll calendar on the website and on the RNR XXX Facebook page. Important announcements will be posted there, including schedule changes and inclement weather announcements. **We expect that you will always make rehearsals a priority.** The other people in your song/dance and the entire cast are depending on you! In the event that you cannot attend a rehearsal, **please e-mail Ms. Germanos** at amgermanos@yahoo.com **in advance**. Telling a student leader **does not count** as having informed Ms. Germanos. Many songs and dances only rehearse for two days. **If you miss those rehearsals, we will recast your part.** If you have a pre-scheduled conflict such as a college visit, notify Ms. Germanos at least one week in advance of the conflict.

Brush-up practices will be on Sundays. If you are unable to attend you must notify Ms. Germanos. We also expect that you **will take time on your own**, before rehearsals, to memorize your songs and dances. Every RNR show member **must be present** in school all day on practice days and especially on a show day. The only exceptions are school field trips or absence with a doctor's note, which must be initialed by Dr. Jones and then given to Miss Germanos. **If you arrive late or leave early on show dates you will not be permitted to participate that day.**

CONTRACT & FEES: Your completed contract and fees of \$75 are payable online by midnight, Sunday, January 6 or by cash or check payable to Falcon Drama Boosters submitted in person at the MANDATORY Parent Meeting at 7:00pm on January 7. **STUDENTS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO REHEARSE AFTER THE 7TH WITHOUT A SIGNED CONTRACT.** In addition, **no ticket orders** will be accepted without a paid contract. Fees cover a variety of show related expenses including, but not limited to t-shirt, hospitality, luncheon, cast party, DVD and leader gifts. (If this is a financial burden, a parent must contact Ms. Germanos personally at amgermanos@yahoo.com). Students with siblings in the show may have a reduced cast fee: one sibling pays \$75, the other pays \$50 and the family will receive only one DVD. In the event the family wants two DVDs both siblings must pay \$75.

SENIOR BIOS for Band, Cast, & Crew: All SENIORS are asked to write a 40-word or less senior bio and include it with their show contract **AND** must turn in a wallet-sized picture at the Parent Meeting. Failure to send in a bio will result in omission from the RnR program. **IMPORTANT NOTE:** The RnR staff reserves the right to review, revise or omit inappropriate senior bios. Please do not incorporate your religious or political views into your Senior Bio. **The Bio should be about you!**

PARENT MEETING: There is a **MANDATORY** parent meeting for all Band, Cast, and Crew parents on Monday, January 7 at 7:00pm in the cafeteria. At this meeting parents will be required to volunteer for at least one committee **AND** commit to at least 2 volunteer chaperone shifts during tech week and shows. If a parent cannot attend this meeting, they must e-mail Ms. Germanos at amgermanos@yahoo.com by Jan 5 to inform her of the reason for this absence and to indicate which committee(s) they wish to work on, otherwise the Falcon Boosters will respond with a committee assignment.

TICKETING

BAND /CAST / CREW / STAFF TICKET PRE-ORDER: The band, cast, crew, & staff may begin ordering tickets for Rock 'n' Roll XXX on January 7 at the Parent Meeting. There will be a 20 ticket limit **PER FAMILY on pre-orders** (10 tickets maximum for the following shows: Saturday, March 9 (7:00 pm), Sunday, March 10 (3:00 pm), Saturday, March 16 (7:00 pm). Parents who are Season Pass holders may also reserve their season pass seats at this time. **Tickets are priced at \$15. Parent pick-up day will be Wednesday, February 20 from 7:00 to 9:00pm in the SPHS lobby. Tickets will not be given out to students; parents must pick them up and sign for them or retrieve them at Will Call on show dates.**

EARLY-BIRD STUDENT-ONLY SALE: There will be lunchtime early-bird **student-only** ticket sales in the cafeteria on Thursday, January 24 and Friday, January 25. Orders accompanied by payment will be accepted from students and school staff only. No actual tickets will be distributed. Students will be limited to purchasing 4 tickets at the lunchtime sales. **Family and general public orders will not be accepted at this sale.** Tickets purchased at lunchtime sales can be picked-up at Will Call the night of the show or at the pre-show public pick-up times - Monday, February 25 and Wednesday, February 27 from 7:00 to 9:00pm in the main lobby.

PUBLIC TICKET SALES: General public ticket sales will begin on Friday, February 1, at which time, **tickets can be ordered online at sphsdrama.com. Ticket order forms will also be available online at sphsdrama.com or in main office in school.** Order forms may be placed in the lock box located outside Officer Swartz's office in the SPHS main office or mailed to:

P.O. Box 823

Severna Park, MD 21146

Online orders will be accepted from February 1 through approximately February 16. **There will be no public walk-in sales!!!**

THE RULES

All Band, Cast, & Crew members are expected to follow all AACPS rules concerning the use of alcohol and drugs, eligibility and attendance and are subject to AACPS discipline for failure to adhere to AACPS policy.

All egos should be checked at the door. "Star complexes", "prima donnas", "poor temperaments", and other such attitudes will not be tolerated. We need to support and encourage each other. While we are in for some fun times, we are also headed for stressful and tense times. This show will be possible only if we function as a team. Please help, respect, and love each other - all band, cast, crew, parent volunteers, and staff.

RNR Band, Cast and Crew are expected to be in assigned, supervised areas at all times and anyone found in unassigned and unsupervised areas is subject to disciplinary measures. No food or drink is allowed at anytime in the auditorium or music/drama classrooms. Only food provided through hospitality can be eaten in music/drama hallway.

Also everyone should work hard to stay on top of all academic requirements. All directives by the RnR staff are strictly enforced and failure to comply will result in disciplinary action. It is our desire to encourage and challenge you as a performer. We want you to dig deep and work hard. With excellence as our goal, mediocrity is not an option! Please approach this show with sincerity and dedication to make this a rewarding and memorable experience.

Academic eligibility applies to Rock 'n' Roll Revival

The Board of Education has in place an eligibility code. This code states:

To be eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics or **extracurricular activities**, grades 9 through 12, a student must maintain a "C" average (2.0 grade point average or greater) as determined by existing county grading procedures in all courses taken in a given eligibility period (marking period). A fulltime student can have a maximum of one "E" grade in courses taken during that eligibility period. A student on a partial schedule (seven or fewer classes) must maintain a "C" (2.0) average and can have **no grade of "E"**.

Students performing in Rock 'n' Roll Revival are governed by the GPA for the second (February) report card. Any student who is ineligible at that time will not be eligible to perform in Rock 'n' Roll Revival.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

ROCK 'N' ROLL HOSPITALITY

All RnR members will be requested to bring a contribution to the hospitality table for tech week and shows. The hospitality table is set up in the music/drama hallway with snacks and drinks available to the band, cast, & crew during tech rehearsals and shows. A hospitality contribution list indicating the specifics of what each member needs to bring and when they should bring it will be given out at the Parent Meeting.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

There are many ways you can get involved in this production! We need numerous parent volunteers in a variety of areas (costumes, publicity, tickets, ushers/security, hospitality, luncheon, chaperones, cast party). We encourage all parents to get involved in some way! It is expected that each family will sign up for one or more of the committees listed and that parents will also commit to at least two (2) chaperone shifts throughout tech week and show days. You will have an opportunity to hear about and sign up for all volunteer opportunities at the Parent Meeting on Monday, January 7. All parents must complete an AACPS background check and/or be fingerprinted if volunteering in costume change areas. If you have questions please contact Ms. Germanos at the school at 410-544-0900 or at amgermanos@yahoo.com.

Chaperone shifts and other volunteer opportunities can be viewed at our Sign Up Genius page via sphsdrama.com/volunteer.html

ROCK 'N' ROLL COSTUMES

The costume committee is already hard at work creating costumes for the cast and band. The planning for the quantity of costumes required for a production of this size is a very large undertaking. We appreciate your support by providing items from home as noted below.

The following are some of the **items that your cast member must have** and a few you might need to provide, once the costuming for each song is determined. For the most part, we will provide all other costume pieces.

<u>Girls:</u>	<u>Boys:</u>
Nude body suits with clear straps*	Black Bike shorts for under all costumes*
Flesh colored dance tights*	Black dress pants
Black Bike shorts for under short dresses and skirts*	Black dress shoes, black dress socks
Strapless bra	Other pants (khakis, jeans, etc)
Bras with clear straps	Accessories such as belts, ties, hats, etc.
White Keds	
Black or tan dress sandals (with backs so they don't slip)	*must have items
Hair accessories and jewelry	
Dance pants and /or jeans	

- **DRESSING ROOM/QUICK CHANGE: All girls are required to wear nude body suit and tights under their costumes at all times; boys are required to wear bike shorts under all costumes at all times**
- If you know your child has a hard to find shoe size or pant size please find these items now.
- Keep all tags on purchases **until tech week** so you can return them if they are not used or we have to make a change.
- **If your child has a lead** and you want to provide their costume, you can do so provided the costume as has been approved by the costume committee. You need to let the costume chair know now if you are interested in doing this before we move forward with costuming for that number.
- Once costumed practices begin, each cast member needs to bring a laundry basket or clear bin with lid to keep all their costume parts and personal belongings in to take back and forth to school. **Label everything with the cast members name using masking tape until you know for sure it will be used in the show. This includes shoes!** It is a good idea to have extra socks and tights.

Keep checking www.sphsdrama.com for updates and specific items we may be looking for.
Costume Questions? Email Michelle Hickman at budster987@aol.com or text at 410-279-4442