Little Actors' Studio presents



Murdock Elementary School Drama Club Sewell Mill Library and Cultural Center Friday, March 21 7PM Saturday, March 22 5PM

DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Willy Wonka is a delightful turn into the ridiculous! These little actors have been able to stretch and grow in ways no taffy puller could achieve. As always, we have been delighted to work all year with these outstanding young people. We are grateful that Little Actors' Studio can enjoy its 11th season at Murdock Elementary School and can boast its service to the largest number of students to date.

We are happy to see our actors returning to our program as well as discovering new talent, watching our alumni go off to college, and witnessing some of our alumni continuing in the arts. We give a bittersweet goodbye to our dear 5th graders as they grow up and move on to Middle School, but hope they will return to play with us during the summers.

It is an awesome responsibility to be molding the minds of these precious little actors and not one that we take lightly. We ask them to stretch themselves by singing like no one is listening, dancing like no one is watching, and acting like your character is real! I believe that drama club helps little humans gain self-confidence, out-of-the-box thinking, and the ability to work cooperatively with others. These skills will help them throughout their lives.

We love to see the children, staff, and parents who have helped make us what we are today. From now on, wherever you go, whatever you do, you will always be a part of something special. We hope you take what you've learned here and use it to do great things while never letting go of your creativity. We are thankful every day that we can be your teachers. It is truly a gift.

Our favorite thing about drama club is watching the bravery displayed by our little actors as they go out on stage and sing, dance, and act. Their favorite part might be dressing up, learning the exciting music, or kicking up their heels, but surely your favorite part will be watching the joy of our little actors as they bring you *Willy Wonka!*

PRODUCTION CREDITS

Artistic Director/Choreograper Amber Lopez

Assistant Director/Choreographer Alex Lopez

Assistants to the Directors Nadia Opperman, Nishchit Roy

Costume Designer Amber Lopez

Costume Mistress Pat Sanchez

Set and Prop Design

Amber Lopez, Alex Lopez, Nadia Opperman, Nishchit Roy, John Lopez, Bri Barner, Elizabeth Jones, Megan Williams, LAS Drama Parents and Friends

Sound Engineer Alex Lopez

Photography Noah Bryant

Videography @ChatterbugCreations

Thank you to the many parent volunteers who have helped cut, paint, screw, move sets, costumes, tickets, fan-o-grams and kid wrangle!

Thank you to the Middle and High School Little Actors' Alumni who have helped backstage!

Thank you to Murdock Elementary School, especially Mr. Hydo who is always gracious with his space and stairs!

Thank you to the staff at the Sewell Mill Library and Cultural Center!

MUSICAL NUMBERS

The Golden Age of Chocolate Company

The Candy Man Candyman and the Candy Kids

Golden Ticket Charlie, Grandpa Joe, and Company

At the Gates/Factory Reveal Willy Wonka and Ticket Winners

> Oompa Loompa #1 The Oompa Loompas

> Oompa Loompa #2 The Oompa Loompas

The Burping Song Charlie and Grandpa Joe

I Want It Now Veruca Salt and the Squirrels

> **Oompa Loompa** #3 The Oompa Loompas

> **Oompa Loompa** #4 The Oompa Loompas

> > **Finale** Company

> > Bows Company



Prologue In the City

Scene 1 The Bucket Shack

Scene 2 The Candy Store

Scene 3 Frankfurt, Germany

Scene 4 Sao Paulo, Brazil

Scene 5 The Bucket Shack/In the Street

> Scene 6 Snellville, Georgia

Scene *7* Television City, California

Scene 8

The Candy Store/The Bucket Shack/In the Street

Scene 9 Outside Wonka's Factory

Scene 10 The Chocolate Smelting Room

> Scene 11 The Inventing Room

Scene 12 The Fizzy Lifting Drink Room

> Scene 13 The Nut Room

Scene 14 The Choco-Vision Room

Scene 15 Outside Wonks's Factory

CAST

Willy Wonka Charlie Bucket Grandpa Joe

Ticket Winners Augustus Gloop Mrs. Gloop Veruca Salt Mr. Salt Violet Beaureguarde Mrs. Beaureguarde Mike TeaVee Mrs. TeaVee

Candy Man Narrator Phineous Trout

Candy Kids/Oompa Loompas James Matilda

The Bucket Family Mrs. Bucket Mr. Bucket Grandma Josephine Grandpa George Grandma Georgina

Squirrels

Featured Kids

Penelope Wright Lillie Richardson Alessio Santucci

Brinley Kiker Cecily Mason Liv Johnson Silas Wright Olivia Payne Alice Pritchard Caroline Smith Sayora Sattar

Cora Starke Sela Peterson Emily Burriss

Lillian Haley Ella Fu Aadya Rao Bella Shearer Gabby Bouchillon Gabriel Gaduang Kyndall Williams Marianne Smeets Melinda Tran Nandita Raman Eleanora Hemphill Pia Shrestha

Ella Burton Sagan Taylor Somya Vig Boril Marinov Aarusha Moturu

Addie Payne Ashley Blair Emerson Williams Ethan Kim Nina Schilling

Cecilia Weiser Eliza Vensel Liselotte Smeets Omna Gandhi

CREDITS

Words and Music by Leslie Bricusse and Anthony Newley

Adapted for the Stage by Leslie Bricusse and Timothy A. McDonald

Based on the book, "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" by Roald Dahl

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June 9-20 Paint My World July 7-18 Dinosaurs Before Dark TLC Dance Studio

