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Musical 2009



honk!

A Musical Tale of "The Ugly Duckling"

Music by
George Stiles

Book and Lyrics by
Anthony Drewe

Livermore High School Performing Arts Theatre

March 13, 14, 21 at 7:00 p.m.
March 22 at 2:00 p.m.

Sponsored by Christensen PTA

Christensen Musical Theatre Group Presents Its 11th Show!

Eleven years ago, a group of innovative parents and volunteers formed the Christensen Musical Theatre Group. Although the names and faces have changed, the spirit of what they intended still remains.

Every student at Christensen has the opportunity to participate in this large production, which includes an orchestra. Each student who auditions is cast and many more work as set painting, stage, sound and lighting crew. It takes many students, parents, and volunteers giving much time and energy, to bring these quality productions to our community. We sincerely appreciate those who give so generously to support and sustain this unique and rewarding event.

Past Performances:

The Wizard of Oz (1999)
Cinderella (2000)
Bye Bye Birdie (2001)
The Music Man (2002)
Annie (2003)
State Fair (2004)
Oliver! (2005)
Grease (2006)
High School Musical (2007)
You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown (2008)
Honk! (2009)

About the Show

Based on Hans Christian Andersen's "The Ugly Duckling."

Written by George Stiles and Anthony Drewe (dubbed "The Brightest hope for the future of the British musical" by the London Daily Telegraph), *Honk!* is the story of Ugly, whose odd, gawky looks instantly incite prejudice from his family and neighbors. Separated from the farm and pursued by a hungry Cat, Ugly must find his way home. Along his rollicking and harrowing journey, he not only discovers his true beauty and glorious destiny, but also finds love and acceptance in all his forms.

Honk! was first hatched at the Watermill Theatre in Newbury, England on December 11, 1993 and was originally called "The Ugly Duckling or the Aesthetically Challenged Farmyard Fowl." A revised version opened on November 28, 1997 at the Stephen Joseph Theatre in Scarborough. The London premiere was at the Landor Theatre in Clapham. The National Theatre production of *Honk!*, which ran in rep from December 16, 1999 to March 25, 2000, was the first original musical ever to be produced there. The production team and cast was rewarded for their efforts with the 2000 Olivier Award for Best New Musical beating out such heavyweights as *Mamma Mia!* and *The Lion King*.

*** The videotaping or other video or audio recording of this production is strictly prohibited. No photography. We ask that all cell phones, pagers, and other electronic devices be turned off for the duration of the performance.**

Cast

(In Order of Appearance)

Drake.....	<i>Sean McGrory</i>
Ida.....	<i>Zoe Tranter</i>
Maureen.....	<i>Katherine Hall</i>
Henrietta.....	<i>Jessica Matas</i>
Turkey.....	<i>Devin Berghoff</i>
Cat.....	<i>Shelby White</i>
Billy.....	<i>Noah White</i>
Beaky.....	<i>Delaney Corbitt</i>
Fluff.....	<i>Jessica Pestana</i>
Downy.....	<i>Rachel Elardo</i>
Ugly.....	<i>Daniel Taylor</i>
Grace.....	<i>Breonna Burrell</i>
Baseball Girl.....	<i>Molly Stolz</i>
Baseball Girl.....	<i>Madison Theobald</i>
Floor Manager.....	<i>Starley Castaneda</i>
MaggiePie.....	<i>Sammy DeSilva</i>
Greylag.....	<i>Braedon Zeitler</i>
Dot.....	<i>Rachel Sowa</i>
Barnacles.....	<i>Taylor Lobb</i>
Pinkfoot.....	<i>Leah Becker</i>
Snowy.....	<i>Rose Cracraft</i>
Old Woman.....	<i>Lexi Hart</i>
Lowbutt.....	<i>Katie Pehrson</i>
Queenie.....	<i>Jessica Hallum</i>
Penny.....	<i>Kaitlyn Baucke</i>
Bullfrog.....	<i>McKenzie Davies</i>
Mother Swan.....	<i>Bhoomija Hariprasad</i>
Farmer.....	<i>Michaela Molina</i>
Bewick.....	<i>Leela Dixit</i>
Barnyard Ensemble.....	<i>Jennifer Chaidez,</i> <i>Casey Elbert, Karissa Miller, Michaela Molina, Kelly Morana,</i> <i>Deanne O'Callaghan, Nicole Spangler, Kasey Stewart</i>
Froglett/Fishlett Ensemble.....	<i>Rachel Anderson,</i> <i>Haley Cook, Marissa Cordiano, McKenna Duncan, Shael Endacott,</i> <i>Alyson Hansen, Samantha Kober, True Sajo,</i> <i>Molly Stolz, Madison Theobald, Samantha Trask</i>
Swan/Geese Ensemble.....	<i>Kalie Adams,</i> <i>Ariana Barr, Leah Becker, Rose Cracraft, Jessica Cristiano,</i> <i>Makena Cristiano, Leela Dixit, Lexi Hart,</i> <i>Taylor Lobb, Arianna McGlynn</i>

Musical Numbers

ACT ONE

Scene I

A Poultry Tale.....	Company
Joy of Motherhood.....	Ida, Maureen, Henrietta & Ducklings
Different.....	Ida
Hold Your Head Up High.....	Ida, Ugly, Fishlette/Frogletts Ensemble
Look At Him.....	Company
Different.....	Ugly

Scene II

Play With Your Food.....	Cat, Ugly
Lost.....	Ugly

Scene III

The Elegy.....	Company
Every Tear A Mother Cries.....	Ida

Scene IV

Wild Goose Chase.....	Greylag, Dot, Snowy, Barnacles, Geese/Swan ensemble, Ugly, Cat
Finale Hold Your Head Up High.....	Ida, Ugly

ACT TWO

Scene I

It Takes All Sorts.....	Queenie, Lowbutt
Together.....	Cat, Queenie, Lowbutt

Scene II

The Collage.....	Drake, Ida, Company
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Scene III

(No songs)

Scene IV

Now I've Seen You.....	Ugly
Warts and All.....	Bullfrog, Ugly, Fishlett/Frogletts, Company
The Blizzard.....	Company

Scene V

Transformation.....	Ugly, Ida, Penny, Swan Ensemble
Melting Moggy.....	Cat

Scene VI

Act Two Finale-Look At Him.....	Company
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Production Staff

Producer.....*Cindy White*
Producer's Asst.....*Sue Morana*
Director.....*Danielle Corbitt*
Co-Director.....*Mary Stolz*
Musical Director.....*Jed da Roza*
Choreographer.....*Teresa Hallum*
Costume Designer.....*Nita Ohlhauser*
Graphic & Set Designer.....*Glendon Lee*
Sound Technician/Set Builder.....*Art Hansen*
Set Builder/Painter.....*Roger Hauk*
Stage Managers.....*Corinne Agurkis,
Madison Corbitt, Nicole Madera*
Prop Masters.....*Swetha Dixit, Sham Dixit, Brinda Dixit*

Crew

Property Crew.....*Chelsea Camarota,
Zak Kopps, Airiana MaGee, Justin Perry*
Stage Crew.....*Tessa Clark,
Brandon D'Anjou, Cheyenne Duguid, Daniel Laronde,
Crystal Ohlhauser, Jacob Pabley, Bella Pearson,
Andrew Romero, Katherine Row*
Sound Crew.....*Cole Carlson, Emily Perry*
Lighting Crew.....*Stacy Amador,
Andy Hallett, Allison Perry, Joe Villarreal, Sam Richardson*

Orchestra

Bass.....*Allan Adams*
Flute.....*Amy Bandy*
Guitar.....*Howard Hastings*
Percussion.....*John Hughes*
Piano.....*Kris da Roza*
Trumpet.....*Andrew Wood*
Trumpet.....*Mike Wood*

Parent Volunteers

Backstage Supervisors.....*Dolores Antonio,
Gia Carlson, Theresa Chaidez, Debbie Cordiano, Cheryl Davies,
Francine Laronde, Sue Morana, Leanne Macdonnell,
Diana O'Callaghan, Toni, Olson, Helene Villarreal*
Bakers.....*Su Hall (coordinator),
Bonnie Barr, Rhonda Burrell, Gia Carlson, Lisa Clark,
Rebecca Duncan, Francine Laronde, Toni Olson, Vicki Pabley,
Kathy Pehrson, Amy Taylor, Kristine Trask, Sherry Zeitler*
Cast and Crew Party.....*Genevieve Getman-Sowa,
Michele Theobald, Debbie Cordiano*
Costumes.....*Shelly Chappell, Jeanette Ostrowski*
Publicity.....*Monica Baucke*
Potluck Crew.....*Debbie Cordiano (coordinator),
Theresa Chaidez, Lisa Clark, Edna Cook, Sue Elardo,
Kathy Kober, Denise McGrory, Diana O'Callaghan,
Kim Romero, Michele Theobald*
Theater Ticket Sales.....*Jollene Berghoff,
Lynn Oglesby McGlynn, Michele Pearson, Genevieve Getman-Sowa*
Refreshment Sales.....*Stephanie Anderson,
Dolores Antonio, Ken Antonio, Jollene Berghoff, Gia Carlson,
Lynn Oglesby McGlynn, Denise McGrory, Vicki Pabley,
Michele Pearson, Jodi Spears*
Theater Set-up & Strike.....*Chet Hall (coordinator),
Laurie Adams, Mike Adams, Lisa Hart, Pat Hart, Dave Matas,
David Romero, Michelle Stewart, Andy Theobald*
Ushers.....*Gia Carlson,
Kathy Kober, Nita Ohlhauser, Vicki Pabley,
Jodi Spears, Amy Taylor*

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