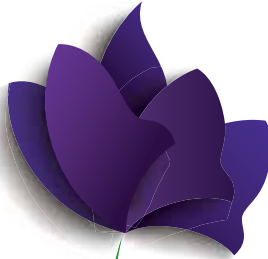


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The cast, crew, and pit orchestra invite you to share this journey of self-realization and discovery, and we hope you enjoy our production of *My Fair Lady*.

Roxanne M. Curtis, Director

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Overture and Opening Scene Orchestra

Act One

Scene 1 – *Outside Covent Garden - A cold March night*

“Why Can’t the English” Higgins

“Wouldn’t it be Lovely” Eliza and Ensemble

Scene 2 – A Tenement Section, Tottenham Court Road

Later that evening

“With A Little Bit Of Luck” Doolittle, Harry, Jamie

Scene 3 – Higgins’ Study - *The next day*

“I’m an Ordinary Man” Higgins

Scene 4 – Tenement Section, Tottenham Court Road

Mid-day, several weeks later

“Reprise - With a Little Bit of Luck” Doolittle and Ensemble

Scene 5 – Higgins’ Study - *Later that afternoon*

“Just You Wait” Eliza

“The Servants’ Chorus” Six Servants

“The Rain in Spain” Higgins, Eliza, Pickering

“I Could have Danced all Night” Eliza, Mrs. Pearce, 2 Maids

Scene 6 – Outside Ascot - *A July afternoon*

Scene 7 – Ascot - *Immediately following*

“Ascot Gavotte” Full Ensemble

“End of Gavotte and Blackout Music” Orchestra

Scene 8 – Outside Higgins’ House, Wimpole Street

Later that day

“On the Street Where You Live” Freddy

Scene 9 – Higgins’ Study - *Evening six weeks later*

“Eliza’s Entrance” Orchestra

“Introduction to Promenade” Orchestra

Scene 10 – Transylvanian Embassy Promenade Outside the Ballroom, *Later that evening*

“The Embassy Waltz” Orchestra with Higgins, Eliza, Pickering, Karpathy, Ensemble

“Entr’acte” Orchestra

Scene 11 – The Ballroom of the Embassy - *Immediately following*

Intermission

Act Two

Scene 1 – Higgins’ Study - *3:00 the following morning*

“You Did It” Higgins, Pickering, Mrs. Pearce, Servants

“Reprise – Just You Wait” Eliza

Scene 2 – Outside Higgins’ House

“Reprise - On the Street Where You Live” Freddy

“Show Me” Eliza and Freddy

Scene 3 – Flower Market of Covent Garden - *5:00 in the morning*

“Reprise - Wouldn’t it be Lovely” Eliza, Cockney Men

“Get Me to the Church on Time” Doolittle, Ensemble

Scene 4 – Upstairs Hall of Higgins’ House

11:00 the following morning

“Hymn to Him” Higgins

Scene 5 – The Garden of Mrs. Higgins’ House

Later that morning

“Without You” Higgins and Eliza

Scene 6 – Outside Higgins’ House - *Dusk, the afternoon*

“I’ve Grown Accustomed to Her Face” Higgins

Scene 7 – Higgins’ study - *Immediately following*

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CAST

Kate Baker Elite
 Marc Belon..... Lord Boxington/Cockney/Elite
 Nick Borodin..... Prof. Zoltan Karpathy/Elite
 Annie Brown..... Eliza Doolittle
 Natalie Carberry..... Mrs. Pearce/Elite
 Bree Carey Maid/Servant/Elite
 Emma Chrusciel..... Mrs. Higgins' Maid/Elite
 Payton Dahlin..... Hoxton Man/Cockney/Elite
 Maddy Donatelli Mrs. Hopkins/Another Bystander/ Cockney
 Quinn Falk Freddy Eynsford-Hill/Elite
 Theodore Farrell III..... Henry Higgins/Elite
 Aly Fogel Servant/Elite
 Alli Hardin Elite
 Maggie Hendrian Queen of Transylvania/Elite
 Quinn Hensley Harry/Elite/Cockney
 Helen Johnson..... Angry Woman/Cockney
 Jenna Kaba..... Cockney
 Jayne King A Bystander/Cockney
 Chris Kubiak..... Bartender/Cockney/Elite
 Maddie McBride..... Cockney
 Jacob Miller Selsey Man/ Cockney/Three Buskers/Cockney
 Tristan Morgan..... Three Buskers/Cockney
 Bethany Nelson..... Mrs. Eynsford-Hill/Elite



To my little sis, Eliza. Way to go! Congrats!
Molly (Class of 2011)

Break a leg, Bethany! Your hard work and
 dedication have paid off! We love you -
*Mom, Dad, Grandma, Caitlin, Alex,
 Julz, Tori, Sophia, and Annabella*




My Fair Lady
CAST

Brandon Nickelson..... Higgins' Butler/Ballroom Footman
 Jediah Nims..... Colonel Pickering/Elite
 Marissa O'Leary Elite
 Abageal Phelan Elite
 Ana Powell..... Flower Girl/Cockney
 Caroline Rau Elite/Servant
 Chris Rich Alfred P. Doolittle/Cockney
 Renato Pinto..... Three Buskers/Cockney/Elite
 Maggie Schubert..... Elite/Servant
 Lucy Smith..... Elite/Servant
 Lexie Spevak..... Cockney
 Megan Styra..... Elite/Servant/Maid
 Henry Tawzer..... Jamie/First Cockney/Elite
 Savannah Volk..... Cockney
 Lizzy Zarley Mrs. Higgins/Elite
 Alyssa Zurow Lady Boxington/Elite

Choreography by Kyle Donahue



Jediah, Have a great time playing Pickering!
 Just don't get mixed up and bring out your inner Hitler...
Love, Mom, Dad, Anika, Ethan and Kian

Thank you to all the stars of the GHS stage, on stage
 and back stage, for entertaining us with your antics.
 —Proud Mama Nickelson



Audrey, “technically,” we didn't *see* you on stage,
 but excited to have you on the GHS stage!
Love, Mom, Dad, Daniel, and Molly



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II - Owen Davis

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Bassoon

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French Horn I

I - Emily Hall
II - Veronica Ayars

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I/II – Jakob Grootens
II/I – Graeme Evenson
III – Anaka Riani

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Adam Nigh

Violin A

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Magpantay
II – Annie Strah

Violin B

I – Claudia Wilkie
II – Emilija Sutterlin

Viola

I - Emily Neswold
II - Jamie Dalheim

Cello

Taylor Mickle

Bass

Lucas Lisznianski



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Kate Baker (*Elite*) has enjoyed being a part of *My Fair Lady*. Outside of the musical, she enjoys being in Treble and Concert choir. She would like to thank Mrs. Curtis and the cast for making the musical such an enjoyable experience, as well as everyone who has come to see the production. Enjoy the show!



Marc Belon (*Lord Boxington/Elite/Cockney #3*) is a senior and is happy to accept a few roles in this year's musical. As he performs the roles of both Lord Boxington and Cockney #3, watch in amazement as a privileged lord attempts to hide his double life from his haughty wife. Twists and turns will keep you invested in the impossibly complex moral drama that takes place during the already famous adventures in *My Fair Lady*. In the end, a man can only live one life. Which life will Boxington choose—one of freedom, or one of comfort? Peel away the facade as you watch his dilemma unfold live onstage, with both characters played by the one and only Marc Belon. (He loved doing theater all through high school and hopes that his last performance will be as enjoyable as the rest.)



Nick Borodin (*Professor Zoltan Karpathy/Elite*) Nick has participated in theater all his life and has been featured in the GHS productions of *Jekyll and Hyde*, *The Love of Three Oranges*, and *Peter Pan*. Nick will be playing the eccentric and expertly eastern European chauvinist linguist Professor Zoltan Karpathy. He hopes that you enjoy the show and wants to thank his Mother for all of her support and his work colleagues for coming out to see him. Nick also thinks that Nick shouldn't talk in the third person so much.

Aly, so proud of all the creative work
you have done on this stage.
Love, Mom and Dad





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Annie Brown (*Eliza Doolittle*) After several months of rehearsals, Annie Brown is still not able to articulate how excited she is to be playing Eliza. A junior, Annie will be completing her third musical with Mrs. Curtis in addition to taking part in other wonderful productions such as S.O.A.P.s and Viking Revue. While not on stage, Annie can be seen working at her favorite coffee shop, Graham's 318, or watching "The Office". Annie would like to thank her sister for being just as excited as she is; her parents for listening to a Cockney accent for three months; her boyfriend, Brad Geneser, for never hesitating to run lines; her voice teacher, Lizbeth Reszel; and Mrs. Curtis for being a wonderful director and for giving her an amazing chance to perform in her favorite show. Annie will always look back on this production as a beautiful and exciting experience, and she hopes you will enjoy the show immensely.



Elizabeth Zarley....Bravo Mrs. Higgins! We know you loved rehearsing and performing in *My Fair Lady*. Cherish the memories! We are proud of our Illini bound girl!
Love from the whole family!

Congratulations to Annie (Eliza) Brown—We are quite sure that your Great Grandmother would not only be so very proud of you, but she most assuredly would have wagered her purse on Dover as well.
To you and the entire company, break a leg!
—*Grandmother Brown, Uncle Steve Brown*



Dear Alec, You have come so far!
We are very proud of you. We love you.
Mom and Marty

Great job, Griffin! We are so proud of you.
Love, Mom, Dad, Evan, Colin and Morgan



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Congratulations, Caroline! Four years of great theatre and music productions. We have loved watching your work from harem girls to barmaids, to Nana the dog and an awesome Kristen Wiig character actor! So, so proud of you and the wonderful young woman you have become! On to DePaul!
Love, Mom, Dad, Andrew, Grandma and Grandpa

Congratulations, Maggie! We are very proud of all of your talents!
Love Mom, Dad, Ginny, Tommy, and Karolina



Nick- Congrats on a great performance!
 We're so proud of you!
Love, Mom and Hannah

Emma Grace Chrusciel
 "All the world's a stage..." and from the Kindergarten Circus to *My Fair Lady*, your talent, work ethic, and positive attitude have shone on many stages. We're so proud of you and can't wait to see what your future holds (Jeremiah 29:11)!!!



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Natalie Carberry (*Mrs. Pearce/Elite*) is a senior and finds it bittersweet to be performing in her fourth and final musical, and to be writing her last cast bio. The last four years of theatre have been a long, crazy road for Natalie; while she's sad it is ending, she's excited for the path ahead. Aside from theatre and music, Nat loves her dogs, grammar, coffee, writing, and making movies. Natalie would like to thank Miss Toledano for making beautiful sets and guarding the auditorium with intense dedication and for being a kind, patient person. A very important thank you to her voice teacher and voice mom, Lizbeth Reszel. Lizbeth, I wish I could put into words how much you've done for me as a singer and as a person. Thank you for supporting me for the last seven years; I would not be who I am without you. Thank you to my parents for always being incredibly supportive of everything I do and always coming to my shows. A special thank you to my Mom for being the president of Theatre Boosters for another year; you're awesome. Thank you to my best friends Quinn, Christian, Chris, and Caleb, for just being you. I love you guys so much; thanks for loving me, too. And finally, thank you to the audience for coming to this production and supporting the thing that makes my life so full and happy. Honestly, without you this wouldn't be possible. The last few years have been amazing and crazy, and I'm sad to be saying goodbye.



Bree Carey (*Elite/Servant/2 Maids*) This is Bree's second and final show at GHS. She previously appeared in *Jekyll and Hyde*. Between shows Bree sings in Varsity Choir; interns at Animal House Veterinary Hospital; tutors middle school students; and spends time with her family, friends, dogs, and cat.

Maddie, we could not be more proud!
 We love you!
Love, Mom and Dad, Nicole and Ryan





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Emma Chrusciel (*Mrs. Higgins's Maid/Elite*)

Emma is a sophomore and is excited to be part of her first GHS production! Her favorite past shows include *Oklahoma!* (Laurey), *Seussical* (Bird Girl) and currently *Beauty and the Beast* (Madame de la Grande Bouche). When not onstage, Emma enjoys playing piano and writing. She would like to thank her parents, sisters, and friends for all their support, as well as the cast, crew, and pit for making her first high school show such an amazing one. Philippians 4:13.



Payton Dayhlin (*Hoxton Man/Elite/Cockney*)

Payton is a sophomore. This is his second production at GHS, and the fifth show he has ever been in. In his free time, Payton enjoys writing and plans on making films in the future. Enjoy the show.



Maddy Donatelli (*Mrs. Hopkins/Bystander/Cockney*)

Maddy is a senior, which she finds weird. Maddy has been in many performances at the school and in the community. She was last seen performing in and directing for the Student Directed One Acts (S.O.A.Ps). Some past GHS credits include *Fiddler on the Roof* (Daughter and Bielka u/s), *The Princess Bride* (Vizzini), *Jekyll and Hyde* (featured dancer), and Viking Revue. She was also on tech crew for *Laughing Stock* and *Peter Pan*. Maddy is co-captain of the Varsity Speech Team; Vice President of International Thespian Society; and a member of Jazz, Varsity, and Treble choir. She will be attending Oklahoma City University in the fall for a B.F.A. in Acting. In her free time, she likes to take naps and play with her dogs, Elsa and Duff.



Alli, you are "Our Fair Lady". We are so proud of you. We love you!
Mom, Dad, Josh



My Fair Lady

Natalie, wow! Last GHS musical. You have been so much fun to watch over the years. From a cannibal, to a Nazi, a lost boy, a detective, a severed head, to a cannibal...can't wait to see what you do next!

Love, Mom, Dad, Daniel, and Molly



Anaka, congratulations on your first pit orchestra experience! We are proud of your accomplishments. Play on, fair lady.

Love, Mom, Dad and Rebecca

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Quinn Falk (*Freddy Eynsford-Hill/Elite*) would be the Spiderman of Geneva High School, if they were to nominate one. Otherwise, Quinn likes improv, Rocket League, and a LOT of movies. If you look for Quinn, you might find him. I suggest looking around Graham’s 318 or Natalie’s house.





Theodore James Farrell III (*Henry Higgins/Elite*) Theodore is honored to be participating in his third and final musical at Geneva High School. He would like to thank Mrs. Curtis; his voice teacher, Lizbeth Reszel; and his parents for their support. Outside of school he enjoys hanging out with his friends and playing video games. He would like to thank you for coming and hopes you enjoy the show.




Aly Fogel (*Elite/Servant*) Aly is not, in fact, a human being, but a vivid figment of your imagination. She spends the majority of her time attempting to communicate with strange noises that are essentially indecipherable. Aly may or may not be an alien; don’t ask. She’s probably currently not understanding your movie references and thinking about peanut butter. Bethany Nelson is apathetic towards her in general but agreed to do her cast bio under threat. If anyone could release her from Aly’s basement, that might be cool.

Maggie Hendrian—You made a “charming” queen!
We are so happy to see you in your first GHS show.
Love, Mom, Dad, Sam, Hannah, Erin and Joey

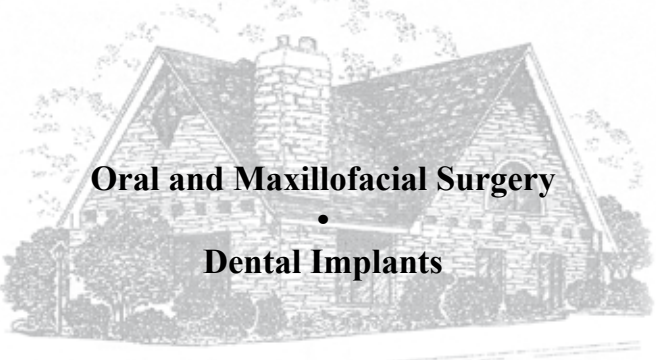
Christopher—Always a star on the stage and in our hearts. From the kindergarten astronaut, to grade school recitals, three years of Viking Voices, four years of Varsity, three years of Jazz, four musicals, and countless hours over the years of livening up the house with your singing, every single performance has been a thrill. It’s been an amazing journey and the best is yet to come.
We love you! Mom, Dad, Maddy and Bebe

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Alli Hardin (*Elite*) Alli is a sophomore. This is her first musical at the high school level, but she was active in theatre in middle school. When Alli isn't doing theater, she really loves music. She plays piano, violin, guitar, and ukulele; plays in the symphony orchestra; and sings in the varsity choir. Alli also loves to read, write, listen to her favorite bands, and watch her favorite shows on TV. But her favorite over everything is sleep, which she gets very little of. She wants to go into a career in music, preferably composition and production. Alli is very excited to be in this production of *My Fair Lady* and can't wait for the musical next year. Thank you for coming to see the show!



Maggie Hendrian (*Queen of Transylvania/Elite*) Maggie is a freshman and is super excited to be in her first GHS production. This isn't her first time on the stage, but it has been one of the best experiences yet! She has recently been in *Peter Pan*, *Les Miserables* (School Edition), and *The Wizard of Oz*. When she is not at rehearsal, you may find her reading, singing, trying to figure out the ukulele, or practicing her photography skills. She would like to thank the cast, crew, and Mrs. Curtis for this wonderful experience, and her family for always being there to support her and drive her to rehearsals. Enjoy the show!



Quinn Hensley (*Harry/Elite/Cockney*) Quinn is a junior. This is his first musical performance, and he is excited to take to the stage with his classmates. Overall, he's a pretty cool guy, he guesses.



Congratulations, Jenna, on another great performance.
We are all very proud of you!
Love Mom, Dad, Kam and Hannah



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Helen Johnson (*Angry Woman/Cockney*) Helen is a senior, and she will be attending UW-Whitewater next year. Helen has been in shows previously at the school, most recently in last year's production of *The Love of Three Oranges*. Helen is also active in community theater and was last seen in *Scrooge's Christmas* at Playhouse 38. In her free time, Helen loves to hang out with her friends and bake cookies. Helen would like to thank Mrs. Curtis and the cast and pit for all the hard work they've put into the show.



Jenna Kaba (*Cockney*) Jenna is so excited to be a part of her third show here at GHS! She'd like to thank her friends and family for always supporting and being there for her.



Jayne King (*Bystander/Cockney*) Jayne is a junior and is super excited to be in this year's production of *My Fair Lady*!! She'd like to thank everyone for putting up with her, especially Mrs. Curtis. She'd also like to thank her Dad for being cool in general, as well as for buying her food when she's sick. Enjoy the show!!

That's our girl!!! We love you, Ana.
Mom, Dad, and Trace



Alyssa, Enjoy the moment making memories!
Love, Mom, Dad, Kiara and MaKenna

To Annie and the cast and crew. We are so proud!
Mom and Dad





My Fair Lady



Christopher Kubiak (*Bartender/Elite/Cockney*) A wizened junior, Chris is overjoyed to be a part of the wonderful cast of *My Fair Lady* and even more overjoyed not to be playing a villain again! He was last seen in this year's Student Directed One-Act Plays, where he also wrote and directed the Civil War one-act, *Countrymen*. Chris also played Sir Lawrence Wargrave in *And Then There Were None*; Starky the pirate in *Peter Pan*; Brighella in *The Love of Three Oranges*; Bisset the apothecary and the orderly in *Jekyll & Hyde*; Randy Jackson (go figure) in the One-Acts; and Count Rugen, the six-fingered man, in *The Princess Bride*. When not spending his time in the theatre, he enjoys reading, playing video games, hanging with friends, goofing around with his dog, and singing. Chris would like to thank his parents for their support in all his endeavors, and his fellow actors for making this experience so memorable. He invites you to silence all electrical devices, get out your opera-glasses, and enjoy the musical.



Maddie McBride (*Cockney*) This is Maddie's first year involved in the musical at Geneva, and she will be playing a cockney. She is a big theater fan and is excited for her first high school performance in *My Fair Lady*. She has been in other performances including the role of Willy Wonka in *Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory*. Maddie would like to thank her family for believing in her.



Jacob Miller (*Selsey Man/Cockney/Three Buskers*) Jacob is a sophomore and proud to be part of another wonderful production here. Jacob was last seen playing Mr. Rogers in *And Then There Were None* and the gate in *The Love of Three Oranges*. When not on stage, Jacob is either watching or making movies and keepin' it real with the homies. Lastly, he would like to thank his friends and family for always supporting him and his affinity for the arts. May the force be with you. Enjoy the show!



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Tristan Morgan (*Cockney/Three Buskers*) Tristan is a sophomore and very excited to be taking part in his second performance at GHS. Previously, Tristan performed as Nathan Detroit in *Guys and Dolls*, General Genghis Kahn Schmitt in *Seussical*, acted as the stage manager for *And Then There Were None*, as well as performing currently as the Beast in *Beauty and the Beast*. In his limited free time, he enjoys talking with friends and playing hockey. He would like to thank everyone in the cast, Ms. Toledano, and Mrs. Curtis for allowing him to take part in this awesome production. Also, he would like to shout out to all his Elevate cast members. Enjoy the show!



Bethany Nelson (*Mrs. Eynsford-Hill/Elite*) Bethany is probably stressed out right now. If she's not stressed out, she's probably eating pretzels. Her favorite hobbies include drowning herself in soda, being vaguely pretentious, and putting on makeup while she is supposed to be saying the pledge of allegiance. She spends most of her time asking herself "why am I like this," as do those around her. Aly Fogel happens to be with Bethany ninety percent of the time, but honestly hates her and the fact she agreed to write Bethany's cast bio.



Brandon Nickleson (*Higgins' Butler/Ballroom Footman*) Brandon is a senior. He likes rabbits.

Ian, we love the way you light up our lives each day!! We are so glad that you have found the interests of music and theatre in your life, and we are so proud of the way you dedicate yourself to those passions.

Love, Mom and Dad





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Jediah Nims (*Colonel Pickering/Elite*) Jediah is a sophomore, and this is his fourth high school show. Others include *Peter Pan*, *And Then There Were None*, and *The Love of Three Oranges*. Although he is only 15, he looks forward to playing an elderly man, and says “Pish Posh” to those who doubt he can do it. He wishes everyone involved good luck, and hopes you all enjoy the show!



Marissa O’Leary (*Elite*) Marissa is a junior. This is her first musical, and she is so excited to be a part of it!! She is a dancer, singer, and musician. In her free time she plays piano, guitar, and goes to dance classes. What got her interested in musical theater was being in choir for six years. Once Marissa stepped on stage, “there was no turning back!” Marissa would like to give a huge thanks to Mrs. Curtis, Ms. Toledano, and Kyle Donahue for making this all happen. Marissa would also like to say thank you to her Mom, Dad, sister, and family and friends for being so supportive and knowing that this is her dream and that she will never forget these special moments!



Abageal Phelan (*Elite*) Abageal is a sophomore and is excited to be a part of her first musical at the high school. She has been a part of many shows in the community. Abageal is a member of the Varsity and Jazz choirs. In addition to music, Abageal plays badminton and enjoys hanging out with friends. She would like to thank Maggie and Lexie for giving her rides to and from rehearsal. Enjoy the show!



To “Tight Pants” Marc-Thanks to the “character” you have been in every play of your career! Whose performances have never left us feeling void! What a joy it has been to watch you, our son, perform over the years.

Love, Dad & Mom

By George,

Annie Brown, T.J. Farrell, Quinn Hensley,
Natalie Carberry, Maggie Hendrian, Aly Fogel,
Lucy Smith, Tristan Morgan and Brianna Carey . . .

You did it! You did it! You did it! I knew that
you could do it and indeed you did!”

Congratulations to all of you.

So very proud! - Lizbeth



Katie—“Break a leg!” We are proud of and love you!
Dad, Mom and Emily

Maddy D.—So proud of our amazing senior! It’s been
quite a journey here at GHS...can’t wait to see you
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Renato Pinto (*Three Buskers/Cockney/Elite*)

Renato is an exchange student from Perú and a senior. Back in Perú Renato is active in theater, playing and directing different plays such as *Peter Pan*, *Matilda*, *Alice in Wonderland*, and *The Nutcracker*. Renato would like to thank the wonderful cast, crew, pit, and especially Mrs. Curtis for all the hard work and teachings that they have put into making this show amazing and unforgettable.



Ana Powell (*Flower Girl/Cockney*) is a sophomore. She has been cast in various plays, including last year's school musical, *Peter Pan*, in which she was an Indian. She has also played Dorothy in *The Wizard of Oz*, Charlotte in *Charlotte's Web*, and the Minister in *The*

Emperor's New Clothes. She would like to thank her parents and friends for giving her rides to practice and Mrs. Curtis, Miss Toledano, Mr. Frederick and Kyle Donahue for putting together a wonderful production.



Caroline Rau (*Elite/Servant*) Caroline is a senior and has been in the theater program since she was a freshman. She is extremely excited to be a part of *My Fair Lady* this year. These last four years have been so influential. She has made many lifelong friends, and plans to continue theater in college.

Thank you to Cindy and Tom Rau for being the most supportive parents ever. And thank you to Andrew Rau for being there for her through thick and thin. Love you guys! Enjoy the show!



Helen—You've put a lot of time and effort into this show, and we are so excited to see you in a GHS musical. Hope you have a great time performing! Thank you for being an inspiration on and off the stage.
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Christopher Rich (*Alfred Doolittle/Cockney*) is a senior; and he is excited to be a part of his fourth and final musical, as bittersweet as it is. He would like to thank Mrs. Curtis for helping him to become the person he is today and his parents for the incredible support over his high school career.

Christopher will be attending the University of Missouri as a business major and will be singing in university ensembles.



Maggie Schubert (*Elite/Servant*) Maggie is excited to be a part of her first production at GHS! She is involved in the music program as a member of Varsity and Jazz choirs and is also a member of Change for Change club, and math team. She wants to thank everyone who spent time to make

this a great show including Mrs. Curtis, Kyle, and Mr. Fredrick. She also wants to thank her family for always encouraging her in everything she does. Most of all she wants to congratulate the incredible cast, crew, and pit on an amazing performance!



Lucy Smith (*Elite/Servant*) Lucy is a sophomore and very excited to perform in her first school musical. Outside of school, she has been cast in many roles such as Glinda in the *Wizard of Oz* and Belle in *Scrooge's Christmas*. When she's not at a theater, she can be found with her viola, at the

dance studio, or covered in flour while taking baked goods out of the oven.



Alexis Ann Spevak (*Cockney*) Lexie is a junior. This is her second musical. She was an Indian in *Peter Pan* last year and is now a cockney in *My Fair Lady*. She loves music and is also in choir! She would like to thank her parents for encouraging her to audition last year; for without their support, she

wouldn't have gotten the courage to do it and would've missed out on all the great experiences the musicals has to offer.



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Megan Styrna (*Elite/Servant/Two Maids*) Megan is a freshman. She loves doing theatre, playing soccer, and attempting to dance. Her favorite roles include Ado Annie (*Oklahoma!*), Belle (*Beauty and the Beast*) and Annie (*Annie*). Megan would like to thank Mrs. Curtis, Miss Toledano, and Kyle

Donahue for working so hard to make such a great show, and her family for always supporting her!



Henry Tawzer (*Cockney/Elite/First Cockney*) Henry is a sophomore, and this is his third appearance on stage. He previously appeared as Michael Darling in *Peter Pan* and the donkey in *The Love of Three Oranges*. He would like to thank his parents for supporting him.

Chris Kubiak -
Blimey, but we're proud! Your dedication never
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Love, Mom and Dad (and Fiona, too)



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Savannah Volk (*Cockney*) Savannah is a junior, and this is her first GHS production. She has been in other shows at Stage Works as Ariel, as well as a part in *The Music Man* and *Beauty and the Beast*. She took part in this year's One Acts. She would like to thank all of her friends for hassling her to remember rehearsals and to write this bio. She would like to dedicate her performance to Audrey Carberry's arms—Oh, and probably her parents.



Lizzy Zarley (*Mrs. Higgins/Elite*) is honored to play Mrs. Higgins in her last theater production here at GHS. She has previously appeared in *Peter Pan*, *Les Miserables*, and *The Love of Three Oranges*. In her free time, Lizzy enjoys singing, writing, and watching science fiction. She wants to thank her family and friends for their love and encouragement. Enjoy the show!



Alyssa Zurow (*Lady Boxington/Elite*) is grateful for the privilege of performing as a cast member in *My Fair Lady*. Alyssa has also been part of *Jekyll and Hyde* and *The Music Man*, which contributed to the development of her theater experience. Now a junior, Alyssa finds appreciation and leisure in various subjects like her English classes of literature, creative writing, speech and music classes, and band and choir. She hopes that she can continue making lasting memories in her life that she can reflect upon later, like those of *My Fair Lady*. Alyssa would like to thank her family, friends, and teachers for the support given to her to reach above and beyond to achieve her goals in life. She would also like to thank the hard work of the tech crew; pit band; theater boosters; Kyle Donahue, the dance coordinator; and of course, Mrs. Curtis the director, who made the musical come to life.



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