

THE ADDAMS FAMILY

A NEW MUSICAL

Book by MARSHALL BRICKMAN and RICK ELICE Music and Lyrics by ANDREW LIPPA

Based on the Characters Created by Charles Addams

Originally produced on Broadway by Stuart Oken Furman, Michael Levitt, Five Cent Productions, Stephen Schuler, Decca Theatricals, Stuart Ditsky, Terry Allen Kramer, Stephanie P. McClelland, James L. Nederlander, Eva Price, Jam Theatricals/Mary LuRoffe, Pittsburgh CLO/Gutterman-Swinsky, Viek Tiway/Gary Kaplan, The Weinstein Company/Clarence, LLC, Adam Zotovich/Tribe Theatricals, By Special Arrangement with Elephant Eye Theatrical

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Choreographer

Vocal Directors

Light Designer

Ms. Annie Snow

Ms. Stevee Libert*
Ms. Cory Thompson*

Ms. Sara Gunther*

Pit Orchestra Director

Mr. Jerry Shelato

Hair/Make-Up Designer

Ms. Kyle Fiorelli

Scene Designer/Paint Specialist

Mr. David Mork*

Scene Designer/Tech Director

Mr. John Stowers

Director

Mr. Jonathan Meier*

There will be one 15 minute intermission.
*denotes member of the International Thespian Society.

Cast

Gomez	Will Gonzalez*
Morticia	Addison Salski*
Fester	Josh Jaffe*
Wednesday	Taylor Gates*
Pugsley	
Lurch	Lance Evans*
Grandma	
Alice	Katie Myrant*
<i>Mal</i>	Kessler Young*
Lucas	Eli Walter*

The Ancestors

Gibson Girl (Featured Dancer)	Stephanie Aquino
Mechanic	Alex Benassi
Edwardian Huckster	Jake Canela
Prairie Woman	Gloria Cruz-Cisneros
Saloon Girl	Grace DeMilio
Spartan Woman (Featured Dancer)	Madeline Demuth*
Caveman	Martin Guillen
Wealthy Regency	Gianna Horcher*
Crinoline Woman	Lia Kagan
1840's Dandy	Achilles Kim
Baseball Player	Andy Lacroix*
Milkmaid	Savannah Lynn
Cowgirl (Featured Dancer)	Abigail Marquardt
Medieval Queen	Juliana Myrant*
<i>Nun</i>	Hadyn Nuttall*
Conquistador (Featured Dancer)	Leandro Ocampo*

The Ancestors

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Nurse (Featured Dancer)	Sydney Olorvida
Puritan (Featured Dancer)	Sarah Page
Railroad Worker	Rey Palacios*
Aviator	Grace Sciortino*
Georgian Servant	Marissa St. Clair*
Flapper	Zoë Van Krey*
Beauty Queen (Featured Dancer)	Megan Van Engelenhoven
<i>Pirate</i>	Violet Wark*
Soldier (Featured Dancer)	Sam Zwiefelhofer

Leadership Team

Student Choreographers	Tori Collins*
	Eli Walter*
Assistant Directors	Andy Lacroix*
	Jack Salit*
Production Stage Manager	Meghan Matthys*
Student Sound Designer	Sam Roberts*
Student Light Designer	Mari Hoover
Student Tech Director/Deck Supervisor.	Chris Moyer*
Wardrobe/Make-Up Chief	.Hailey Lindenbaum*
Prop Crew Chief	Emily Carlson
Paint Supervisor.	Abbey McFarland*
Assistant Stage Manager	Emilio Burgos
Head Sound Engineer	Mariana Van Eycke
Assistant Wardrobe Supervisor	Makenna Wald
Graphic Designer	Ms. Gracie Meier*

Songs - Act I

Overture - Pit Orchestra

When You're an Addams - The Addams Family, Ancestors

Fester's Manifesto - Fester

Two Things/Wednesday's Growing Up- Gomez

Trapped - Gomez

Pulled - Wednesday, Pugsley

One Normal Night - Entire Company

But Love Reprise 1 & 2 - Fester, Ancestors

Secrets - Morticia, Alice, Ancestors

Gomez's "What If" - Gomez

What If - Pugsley, Grandma

Full Disclosure - Part 1 - Entire Company

Waiting - Alice, Ancestors

Full Disclosure - Part 2 - Entire Company

Songs - Act 2

Opening Act II - Pit Orchestra

Just Around the Corner & Playoff - Morticia, Ancestors

The Moon and Me - Fester, Bathing Beauties

Happy Sad - Gomez, Wednesday

Crazier Than You - Wednesday, Lucas, Mal, Alice

Not Today - Gomez

Live Before We Die - Gomez, Morticia

Tango De Amor - Gomez, Morticia

Move Toward the Darkness - Entire Company

Pit Orchestra

Reeds

Ryan Escobar Neil Martin Abbey McFarland Leila Moon Stella Moon

Trumpet

Fiona West

Trombone

Chloe Langford

Guitar

Mason Jerome

Key boards

Aldre Delos Santos Ella Kasamis Amelka Niedbalec

Bass

Eileen Jarrett

Drum Set

Shawn Mastandrea

Percussion

Tress Dorfler Hannah Earich

<u>Crew</u>

Stage Crew <u>Light Crew</u>

Carlos Armenta Morgan Jacobson

Marisa Chen Lily Jones

Graham Earich Sara McHugh

Arlo Fingerhut Kylie Hazard Aedan Hogan

<u>Wardrobe/Makeup Crew</u> <u>Sound Crew</u>

A.P. Bonilla Isaac Fuksman*

Eden Dombrowski T.J. Ponce

Tech Team

Kai Cornier Graham Ney

Cameron Jorgensen Anastasija Rahmanova

Eric Koonce Darby Schwerman

Matthew Krogh Riley Shurtz

Bee Mendoza Emma Vickerman Madi Minehart Natalie Wiersema

Thank You

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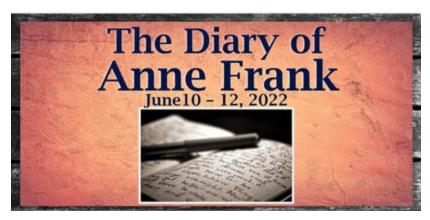
Broadway Costumes

Tim Frawley - Forte Stage Combat

Mundelein Theatre Parents

The Kirk Players

We would like to offer a special thank you to our friends at the *Kirk Players*, for their generosity in making their annual donation to Mundelein Theatre, as well as providing the John W. Lynn Scholarship. This scholarship is awarded each year to a deserving MHS student who is pursuing a career in the performing arts. And coming soon to our stage at MHS, the *Kirk Players* present...



www.kirkplayers.org



For our community outreach partner this year, we have chosen the Illinois Theatre Association. The ITA is an important state-wide arts advocacy group, but more importantly for Mundelein Theatre, they are the organization that sponsors the Illinois High School Theatre Festival. The festival, which is a highlight for our theatre students each year, has been forced to cancel for the past two years, placing the ITA in a precarious financial position. Some of our *Addams Ancestors* will be coming around at intermission to collect donations to make sure the ITA can continue to do its important work in the state of Illinois. As an added bonus, an anonymous donor has pledged to match each contribution made to the ITA during the run of our show. Please give what you can to this wonderful group.

A Letter from the Mundelein Theatre Officers

This 2021-2022 season was filled with gratitude and excitement as we were able to finally have an entire year of live performances. We started with eleven incredible student-directed one acts. Following the Student Directed One Acts, our fall play cast told the story of The Curious Incident of The Dog in the Night-Time, filled with messages of strength and resilience. Then, our younger members in New Faces told a captivating tale of A Wicked Christmas Carol to wrap the holiday season up. Throughout this first semester, the Shakespeare Slam team filmed their scene round and toe-to-toe round. This was a combination of music with dialogue from A Midsummer Night's Dream. Then, during winter break, the principal and understudy cast of The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940 rehearsed a humorous murder mystery. Both casts had the audience on the edge of their seats and brought a laugh to all who needed it. At the same time as the winter play, our Group Interpretation cast worked on their rendition of Big Fish and had a great performance at sectionals during spring break. Also, for the first time ever Mundelein Theatre participated in IHSA's musical theatre drama competition and received a superior rating! And now... what you have been waiting for since 2019: a live musical at Mundelein High School! We end this year with The Addams Family, a comical story that has themes of love, acceptance, and family which we hope you enjoy tonight!

We want to thank Mr. Basso, Mr. Gonzalez, Ms. Gunther, Mrs. Libert, Mr. Mork, Mr. Shelato, Annie Snow, Mr. Stowers, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Johnson, Mr. Landuyt, Mr. Harding, and of course, Mr. Meier. Throughout our four years of high school, we have learned the true meaning of "the show must go on". You all have shown us how to adapt to unexpected situations, how to embrace change, and how to remain in gratitude for every performance opportunity that is given.

And to our audience, we thank you for your unending love and support and we hope you have enjoyed this season as much as we have!

Sincerely, The 2021-2022 Mundelein Theatre Officers **Addison Salski, Eli Walter, Tori Collins, and Chris Nacion**

What's Next for the Class of 2022?

Tori Collins

Kent State Fashion Design/Costume Design

Tress Dorfer

Undecided

Ryan Escobar

Northwestern University Music Composition and Biological Science

Lance Evans

Traveling to Europe

Isaac Fuksman

Purdue University Computer Science

Ella Kasamis

University of California-Berkeley Bioengineering

Hailey Lindenbaum

Illinois State University Elementary Education

Meghan Matthys

Carroll University Economics

Christopher Moyer

College of Lake County and Ohio University
Film & Media

Katie Myrant

University of Nebraska - Lincoln Journalism & Theatre

Chris Nacion

University of Arizona Biology

Sam Roberts

Illinois State University
Music Education - Instrumental Band

Addison Salski

Iowa State University
Vocal Music Education

Grace Sciortino

University of Wisconsin - Whitewater Secondary Education - English

Megan Van Engelenhoven

University of Illinois at Urbana - Champaign Animal Science

Emma Vickerman

Loyola University Chicago Criminology

Eli Walter

Iowa State University Civil Engineering

Kessler Young

Carthage College Undecided

Good Luck and Godspeed to the Class of 2022!

Shout-Outs

Emily Carlson

Congratulations to all involved on and off stage for an amazing show!!

Sara McHugh

Sara, we are so proud of you! We love watching your excitement shine through; Don't ever lose your passion for doing what you love. We love you to the moon and back. Congratulations! Love Mom Dad and Em

Zoë Van Krey

Bouncy trampoline seahorse to sultry carrot! Zoë, you never cease to stun us - thanks for all the characters you are! Madre y Padre

Marissa St. Clair

Hey MJ. You are awesome! Keep up the great work in theatre. Mom, Dad, and Archer are in seats H103, H104, and H105. Wave if you see us… Love Mom and Dad!

Stephanie Aquino

Way to go Steph! We are excited to watch you do what you love best - singing, acting and dancing. Big hugs from Dad, Mom, Beth and Maddy

Katie Myrant

Katie - We are so incredibly proud of you. We have loved every moment of your theatre involvement at MHS. Continue to shine like the star you are. Your future is very bright! We love you forever. Mom, Dad, & Julia

Fiona West

Fiona! We are so excited to hear you perform in the pit orchestra! You are an amazing trumpet player! Love, Mom and family

Sydney Olorvida

Sydney-We're so proud of all you've accomplished this year. We love watching you perform and how much joy it brings you. We're looking forward to watching you grow over the next three years! Love you...mean it! Break a leg! Mom and Dad

Kessler Young

Enjoy every moment of this Kessler!! We are so proud of you! Love, Mom, Chuck, Demps and Logs

Sam Zwiefelhofer

We love you Sam and are so proud of you! Congrats on a great show! Dad, Mom and Brody

Will Gonzalez

We are so proud of you, Will! It is our joy to watch you chase your dreams through your hard work and dedication. We know you'll continue to shine! Love, Mom and Dad.

Amelka Niedbalec

Amelka we love you. Keep on playing! Addam and Tata

Addison Salski

Our dearest Morticia, we are looking forward to your final senior moments on stage at MHS. This is sure to be your most ghastly performance yet! We are so proud of you! Thanks for entertaining us over the years. Love, the Salski fan club

Lia Kagan

Lia~ We are so proud of you, and we can't wait to see the show! Love you more than the whole wide world ~ Mom, Dad, Sharron, and Merlin

Jake Canela

Jake -We all are so proud of you! It's been fantastic watching you grow in the MHS Theater program. Keep following your dreams and singing your heart out. Love you so much, Mom, Dad, Bella, Alyssa, Collin and Maxxie

Achilles Kim

Achilles: We're super proud of all your hard work and dedication to all things art. Break a leg! Love, Mom, Dad and Arty

Lance Evans

Lance - From Bernard in Diamonds and Diamondbacks in the Sky to Lurch in The Addams Family and everything else in between, we are all proud of you! Love, Mom, Mark, Angie, Grandpa, and Grammy

Mari Hoover

If there is a light, we can't always see. And there is a world, we can't always be. If there is a dark, now we shouldn't doubt. And there is a light, don't let it go out. -U2 xoxoxo

Taylor Gates

Taylor, we are incredibly proud of you. Your hard work and determination blow us away. It's really cool watching you work so hard at something you love so much! Never stop chasing your dream. We love you! Mom, Dad and Hayden



Staff

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Mark Landuyt – Director
Hayley Johnson - Associate Director
John Stowers – Technical Director/Auditorium Manager

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2021-2022 Season

Student Directed One Act Plays
September 13 & 14

The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time
October 28, 29 & 30

A Wicked Christmas Carol November 11, 12 & 13

Chicago Shakespeare Slam Team January 12 & 13

The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940 February 3, 4 & 5

Big FishMarch 17, 18 & 19

The Addams Family April 28, 29 & 30

Thanks to all who support Mundelein Theatre, and the Performing Arts at Mundelein High School.