

Edwardsville High School Drama Club
proudly presents



The New Musical Version of **The Wonderful Wizard of Oz** by L. Frank Baum
Book by William F. Brown
Music and Lyrics by Charlie Smalls

Edwardsville High School Auditorium

April 4th, 2008 at 7:30pm

April 5th, 2008 at 2:00pm and 7:30pm

April 6th, 2008 at 2:00pm

SCENES AND MUSICAL NUMBERS

- Act One -

Prologue - Kansas	
"The Feeling We Once Had".....	Aunt Em
"Tornado Ballet".....	Wind Dancers, Tornado
Scene 1 - Munchkin Land	
"He's the Wiz".....	Addaperle, Munchkins
Scene 2 - Oz Countryside	
"Soon As I Get Home".....	Dorothy
"I Was Born on the Day Before Yesterday".....	Scarecrow, Crows
"Ease on Down the Road".....	Dorothy, Scarecrow, Yellow Brick Road
Scene 3 - Woods	
"Slide Some Oil to Me".....	Tinman, Dorothy, Scarecrow
"Ease on Down the Road" (reprise).....	Dorothy, Scarecrow, Tinman, Yellow Brick Road
Scene 4 - Jungle	
"Mean Ole Lion".....	Lion
"Ease on Down the Road" (reprise).....	Dorothy, Scarecrow, Tinman, Lion, Yellow Brick Road
Scene 5 - Kalidah Country	
"Kalidah Battle".....	Dorothy, Scarecrow, Tinman, Lion, Kalidahs, Yellow Brick Road
Scene 6 - Poppy Field	
"Be a Lion".....	Dorothy, Lion
"Lion's Dream".....	Lion, Poppies
Scene 7 - Emerald City	
"Emerald City Ballet".....	Dorothy, Scarecrow, Tinman, Lion, Company
<i>-Music by Timothy Graphenreed & George Faison</i>	
Scene 8 - Throne Room	
"So You Wanted to Meet the Wizard".....	The Wiz
"To Be Able To Feel".....	Tinman

There will be a 15 Minute Intermission - Punch and Cookies will be sold in the commons.

- Act Two -

Scene 1 - West Witch Castle	
"No Bad News".....	Evillene
Scene 2 - Forest	
"Funky Monkeys".....	Monkeys
Scene 3 - Courtyard	
"Everybody Rejoice".....	Friends, Chorus
<i>-Music and Lyrics by Luther Vandross</i>	
Scene 4 - Throne Room	
"Who Do You Think You Are?".....	Friends
"Believe in Yourself".....	The Wiz
Scene 5 - Oz	
"Ya'll Got It!".....	The Wiz
"A Rested Body is a Rested Mind".....	Glinda
"Believe in Yourself" (reprise).....	Glinda
"Home".....	Dorothy

After the performance we invite family and friends of the cast, crew and pit of
The Wiz to greet them in the Green Room (B116).

The Wiz is presented through special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc.

The videotaping or other video or audio recording of this production is strictly prohibited.

Stop by the commons to see our ALUMNI IN THE BIZ Presentation and The Making of *The Wiz*.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Aunt Em.....	Jessica Seebree
Toto.....	Matilda◇
Dorothy.....	Bridgette Hoover
Uncle Henry.....	Steve Mosby
Tornado.....	Jaimie Keith◇
Addaperle.....	Cailin Doolin
Scarecrow.....	Kevin Minor◇
Tinman.....	Jordan Parente◇
Lion.....	Halstead Z. Coleman-Selby◇
First Mouse.....	Russell Yost◇
Second Mouse.....	Megan Waterman◇
Royal Gatekeeper.....	Jimmy Stevens
Citizen 1.....	Chelsie Johnston◇
Citizen 2.....	Chase Hopkins◇
Citizen 3.....	Tiffini Hyatt◇
Citizen 4.....	Travis Hamilton◇
The Wiz.....	Brennan Stamps◇
Evillene.....	Shannon Johnson
Lord High Underling.....	Sean Carlson◇
Messenger.....	Jodi Sones
Winged Monkey.....	Phillip Knapp◇
Glinda.....	Brianna Sarikcioglu◇

Wind Dancers

Sean Carlson◇, Krysta Gasser, Terrence Hamby, Travis Hamilton◇, Tim Havis◇, Chase Hopkins◇, Tiffini Hyatt◇, Chelsie Johnston◇, Roger McDonald◇, Maggie Morrissey, Ty Nash, Nicole Nelson◇, Jordan Parente◇, Emily Rayburn, Kerrin Simmons

Munchkins

Alyssa Mettler, Maddie Mucci, Jimmy Stevens, Darlene Wachowski, Luke Westbrook◇

Yellow Brick Road

Krysta Gasser, Terrence Hamby, Jaimie Keith◇, Kyle Mullins◇

Crows

Tiffini Hyatt◇, Yvette McCaskill◇, Nicole Nelson◇, Emily Rayburn

Corn

Sean Carlson◇, Roger McDonald, Russell Yost◇

Strangers

Angie Richard◇, Roger McDonald, Kyle Mullins◇, Josh Pirkle, Jodi Sones

Kalidahs

Tim Havis◇, Molly Haynes, Chase Hopkins◇, Maggie Morrissey, Ty Nash, Nicole Nelson◇, Megan Waterman◇

Poppies

Krysta Gasser◇, Jaimie Keith◇, Chelsie Johnston◇, Alex Lesicko◇, Yvette McCaskill◇, Kerrin Simmons

Field Mice

Davawnte Davis, Alyssa Mettler, Angie Richard◇

Emerald City Citizens

Sean Carlson◇, Cailin Doolin, Davawnte Davis, Colin Dowd◇, Terrence Hamby, Grace Harvey◇, Tim Havis◇, Molly Haynes, Chase Hopkins◇, Tiffini Hyatt◇, Philip Knapp◇, Daniel Lynch, Yvette McCaskill◇, Roger McDonald, Alyssa Mettler, Maggie Morrissey, Steve Mosby, Maddie Mucci, Kyle Mullins◇, Ty Nash, Josh Pirkle, Emily Rayburn, Angie Richard◇, Jessica Seebree, Jodi Sones, Darlene Wachowski, Megan Waterman◇, Luke Westbrook◇, Russell Yost◇

Wizettes

Krysta Gasser, Jaimie Keith◊, Nicole Nelson◊, Kerrin Simmons

Winkies

Jessica Blodgett◊, Sean Carlson◊, Davawnte Davis, Cailin Doolin, Colin Dowd◊, Krysta Gasser, Terrence Hamby, Travis Hamilton◊, Grace Harvey◊, Tim Havis◊, Molly Haynes, Chase Hopkins◊, Tiffini Hyatt◊, Jacqueline Jensen◊, Chelsie Johnston◊, Jaimie Keith◊, Philip Knapp◊, Alex Lesicko◊, Daniel Lynch, Yvette McCaskill◊, Roger McDonald, Alyssa Mettler, Maggie Morrissey, Steve Mosby, Maddie Mucci, Ty Nash, Nicole Nelson◊, Josh Pirkle, Emily Rayburn, Angie Richard◊, Joel Rogier◊, Jessica Seebree, Kerrin Simmons, Jodi Sones, Jimmy Stevens, Michael Tomczak, Darlene Wachowski, Megan Waterman◊, Luke Westbrook◊, Russell Yost◊

Monkeys

Davawnte Davis, Krysta Gasser, Tim Havis◊, Chase Hopkins◊, Jaimie Keith◊, Yvette McCaskill◊, Roger McDonald, Steve Mosby, Maddie Mucci, Kyle Mullins◊, Josh Pirkle, Kerrin Simmons, Jodi Sones, Luke Westbrook◊

Quadlings

Krysta Gasser, Tiffini Hyatt◊, Chelsie Johnston◊, Jaimie Keith◊, Yvette McCaskill◊, Nicole Nelson◊

Pit Chorus

Jessica Blodgett◊, Grace Harvey◊, Tim Havis◊, Jacqueline Jensen◊, Alex Lesicko◊, Joel Rogier◊, Michael Tomczak

◊Denotes Member of Thespian Troupe 1534

PIT ORCHESTRA

Flute - Jessica Vysoky, Liz Leehy

Clarinet - Mary Doll◊, Suzanne Dennis◊

Alto Saxophone - Steven Klaus, David Merz

Baritone Saxophone - Doug McCausland◊

Trumpet - Mr. Chris Stevens, Mike Chapman◊, Ben Hembruch, Curtis McClarin, Nick Rankin

French Horn - Mae Council◊

Trombone - Mr. Mark Haun, Zach Nahlik, Bryan Conner

Violin - Cori McClarin◊, Chris Slaby, David Slaby, Maggie Watts

Bass - Maddie Kelsey

Piano - Matthew Merz

Drum Set - Mr. Charlie Brockus

Percussion - Max Pizzini◊, Andrew Wilkening

ADULT PRODUCTION LEADERS

Director & Choreographer.....	Mrs. Kate Motley
Technical Director & Designer.....	Mr. Brad Lewis
Assistant Technical Director.....	Mrs. Anna Johnson
Lighting Design.....	Mr. Kyle Van Sandt
Production Assistant & Costume Design.....	Mrs. Lessie Shashack
Assistant Director & Vocal Director.....	Mrs. Marion Thompson
Publicity Directors & House Management.....	Ms. Cara Lane, Mrs. Laurel Ward
Musical Director.....	Ms. Cathleen Stranc
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Logo Design.....	Mr. Ryan North

STUDENT PRODUCTION LEADERS

Stage Manager.....	Jordan Petry◇
Assistant Stage Managers.....	Jacob Haun◇, Katie Warnecke◇
Student Director.....	Eden Lantz◇
Rehearsal Accompanist.....	Matthew Merz
Assistant Choreographers & Dance Captains.....	Jaimie Keith◇, Jordan Parente◇
Sound Board Operators.....	Adam Brakhane◇, Spencer Lambdin◇
Light Board Operator.....	Matt Orsey◇
Fly Master.....	Duane Bertels◇
Special Effects.....	Kevin Erspamer◇, Aric Pearson
Production Assistant.....	Maggie Lynch◇
Costume Mistresses.....	Anna Schuh◇, Lauren Svoboda◇
Prop Mistresses.....	Crystal Adams, Kami Prier, Layna Seibert
Publicity Leader.....	Caleb Romoser◇
Spotlight Operators.....	Karly Baird, Ashten Perigo, Joe Smith, Kara Wilkening◇
Wireless Mics.....	Lynn Beaumont◇, Christina Burden, Sydney Hood, Hannah Smith◇
"The Making of <i>The Wiz</i> ".....	Karly Baird
Program Layout.....	Jordan Parente◇

PRODUCTION CREWS

Set Construction

Karly Baird°, Lynn Beaumont◇°, Michael Berman◇°, Duane Bertels◇°, Adam Brakhane◇°, Christina Burden°, Kevin Erspamer◇°, Jacob Haun◇°, Daniel Henning°, Sydney Hood°, Rachel Johannigmeier, Lyndsey Jones◇°, Brett King◇°, Ellora Ladd°, Richard Ladd◇°, Patrick Lambdin◇°, Spencer Lambdin◇°, Chad Lemm◇°, Daniel Lynch, Kelsey McFarland°, Jenine Miller◇°, Holly Meinert◇°, Vincent Morrison◇°, Erin Murphy◇°, Tyler Nahlik◇°, Brendan Neunaber°, Matt Orsey◇°, Aric Pearson°. Ashten Perigo°, Jordan Petry◇°, Brad Rea◇°, Hannah Smith◇°, Joe Smith°, Emily Stroer, Shelby Stryker, Katie Warnecke◇°, Elizabeth Whitaker◇°, Kara Wilkening◇°, Chris Zimmermann

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In order for us to build and create the technical aspects of The Wiz we have used the following...

9 gallons of glue
10 pounds of glitter
21 speakers
32 microphones
60 gallons of paint

Over 150 pounds of hardware including screws, nuts, bolts, washers, and rigging gear are built in the set
160 lighting fixtures

Over 260 yards of fabric have been used on the set

324 bagels with 288 ounces of cream cheese have been consumed along with nearly 1,000 mini donuts
Over 380 AA Batteries

2,000 screw gun battery charges for set construction

6,100 pounds of stage weights are being used to fly scenery and lights

The students put in over 6,200 hours of work in 10 weeks to create the show

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