



12-14-2024

Dear Cast,

Thank you for your patience regarding the Cast List. As you know, I had hoped to have the Cast List completed and posted by last night. The reason for the delay was because of the truly incredible talent of our performers. Each of our auditioning students truly brought something terrific to the stage. The list will be posted at 7:15 PM December 14th.

ALL STUDENTS - CAST CREW and ORCHESTRA - must now complete the FULL

REGISTRATION. Visit <u>www.rhspa.org</u>. If your name is missing from the Cast or Crew list, it means you did not complete the Quick Registration. If it is misspelled, please contact me directly via email.

I am honored to serve as the Artistic and Executive Director of such talented students. I also honor and understand all feelings related to a Cast List. This is a polite reminder of what I discussed at our General Meeting. Please remember to pursue professional and mature decisions and actions. We cannot control our feelings, but we are fully responsible for our decisions, words, and actions.

I invite each of you to reach out if you wish to receive feedback on your audition process. I am also here to support <u>each and every one of you.</u> It is a challenging moment when a Director posts a cast list - please know I know full well how important this is to you.

I believe we have a terrific cast, and I am fully confident in my decisions. At the same time, I am so grateful to be an educator, someone you can feel free to speak with and seek feedback.

Please allow me to respectfully remind you that a cast list <u>does not decide who you are</u>. It does not decide how "good" or "bad" you are. It does not define you. I care about each of you, just the way you are. I also know the holiday season can be stressful. It is meant to be a time of peace, and yet stress seems to get higher during this holiday season. I hope the intended peace of this season finds your family and your heart.

I am looking forward to a terrific show, and now, take time to relax and enjoy the upcoming break. It is well deserved. See you in the New Year when we get to work!

Sincerely, Brian Dietzle

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> "Our greatest resource is the minds of our children." - Walt Disney