

### THE HUNTINGTON HIGH SCHOOL DRAMA CLUB

PRODUCTION OF





FRIDAY, APRIL 15 – 7:30 PM SATURDAY, APRIL 16 – 2:00 & 7:30 PM

### **Special Thanks**

"Thank you Daddy. Thank you so much."

**Christine Catti** For doing what you do for free . . .

**Ellen Fleury** For your patience and your talent . . .

**Dana Freed** For going above and beyond the call of duty . . .

> Nancy Fallon For being all things dance ...

**Victoria Lombardi** For the laughs and the help ...

**The Glackins** For rowing our boat . . . maybe?

**Brian Stellato** For helping even when you're not helping ...

> Sarah Gill For all the support . . .

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**Donna – Debbie – Fran** For keeping my books and letting us yell & scream at you for things beyond your control...

> **Custodial & Security** For keeping us clean and safe ...

Kathy Shea & the Drama Club Parents For doing everything from food to rides to ticket sales . . .

### **Director's Notes**

The Little Mermaid — every little girl dreams of being part of this world. Take a closer look and we see an unhappy girl who has lost her mother and cannot please a father who wishes her to be everything her mother was. Add to the mix six siblings who can't handle her being Daddy's little darling and it's a recipe for disaster. Her escape — the surface — where she longs to be human — something she knows nothing about but longs to be. Everything she sees she adores, though she has no understanding of it (even after it's explained by the "know-it-all" seagull Scuttle). Though no one and nothing seem to be what they truly are, one character embraces her dreams and stays true to herself — Ariel — who holds fast to her ideals and finds love — both familial and romantic. Our lesson: happiness is within our grasp, no matter the obstacles. So long as we are secure in who we are and are unafraid to step outside of our comfort zone, we can find love and happiness. Enjoy the show!

### The Huntington High School Drama Club

Production of

Disney's

## The Little Mermaid

Music by Alan Menken Lyrics by Howard Ashman & Glenn Slater

Book by Doug Wright

Based on the Hans Christian Andersen story & the Disney film produced by **Howard Ashman & John Musker** and written & directed by **John Musker & Ron Clements** 

## Originally Produced by **Disney Theatrical Productions**

Director/Musical Staging Michael Schwendemann Musical Director Jessica Castaneda Vocal Coach Hosun Moon

Technical Director Rob Krakehl Choreography Michelle Mallardi

Dance Captain Nancy Fallon

Student Director Melissa Ingle Costumes & Set Decoration Dana Freed The Costume Gallery Props

Dana Freed

Technical Consultant Chris Helmke Program Ellen Fleury

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### Disney's THE LITTLE MERMAID

## **Character List** (in order of appearance)

ARIEL, a mermaid, King Triton's youngest daughter	Nancy Fallon
PILOT, helmsman of Prince Eric's ship	Luis Cuji
SAILORS	
PRINCE ERIC, a human monarch	Kevin McConnell
GRIMSBY, a guardian of Prince Eric	Justin Waite
FLOUNDER, a fish, Ariel's best friend	Ann Glackin
SCUTTLE, a seagull, expert in human artifacts	Andrew Gunthner
SEA CREATURES of various shapes, sizes and species	Anna Ardell Andrew Aprigliano Amara Ayler Alyssa Befumo Peter Ciccone Luis Cuji William Fallon Francesca Greco Jessica Henning Brad Landberg Caroline Maggio Hannah Olesen Chris Porzio Nicole Sevilla Phoebe Walther
WINDWARD & LEEWARD, trumpet fish,	
heralds in King Triton's CourtM	ary Kate Wolber, LJ Kindall
KING TRITON, King of the Sea	Logan Rice
SEBASTIAN, a crab, advisor to King Triton	Jordan Biener

### MERSISTERS, daughters of King Triton

Aquata	Rachel Carpenter
Andrina	Isabella Cahill
Arista	Carolanne Buoniello
Attina	Brianne Neira
Adella	Bailey Riordan
Allana	Amelia Reilly
FLOTSAM, an eel, lackey to Ursula	Olivia Baldanza
JETSAM, an eel, the other lackey to Ursula	Grace Gedeon
URSULA, the Sea Witch, sister of King Triton	Maddie Shea
GULLS	Amara Ayler William Fallon Bailey Riordan Phoebe Walther
MAIDS	Jessica Henning LJ Kindall Nicole Sevilla Mary Kate Wolber
CHEF LOUIS, the Palace Chef, a culinary perfectionis	t William Fallon
CHEFS, sous staff of Chef Louis	Amara Ayler
	Anna Ardell Rachel Carpenter Peter Ciccone Luis Cuji Jessica Henning Amelia Reilly Bailey Riordan Phoebe Walther
PRINCESSES, potential mates for Prince Eric	Anna Ardell Alyssa Befumo Francesca Greco Caroline Maggio Hannah Olesen Phoebe Walther

### Scenes

### **Musical Numbers**

### Act One

#### Overture

Scene 1	The Water's Surface
Scene 2	King Triton's Court
Scene 3	Ursula's Lair
Scene 4	Ariel's Grotto
Scene 5	Prince Eric's Ship/Sea Below/Beach
Scene 6	Mersister's "Girl Cave"
Scene 7	The Beach
Scene 8	Open Water
Scene 9	Ariel's Grotto
Scene 10	Ursula's Lair

### ActTwo

#### Entr'acte

Scene 1	The Beach
Scene 2	King Triton's Court
Scene 3	The Palace/Ariel's Chamber
Scene 4	The Palace Kitchen
Scene 5	The Palace Banquet Hall
Scene 6	The Palace Ballroom
Scene 7	Ursula's Lair
Scene 8	The Bay
Scene 9	King Triton's Court
Scene 10	Ariel's Chambers/The Ship/King Triton's Court
Scene 11	The Palace Ballroom
Scene 12	Ursula's Lair
Scene 13	The Beach

### Act One

**Overture** – Orchestra The World Above - Ariel Fathoms Below – Pilot, Sailors, Prince Eric, Grimsby **Daughters of Triton** – Mersisters If Only (Triton's Lament) – King Triton Daddy's Little Angel – Ursula, Flotsam, Jetsam Part of Your World – Ariel **The Storm** – Sailors Part of Your World - Reprise - Ariel She's in Love – Mersisters, Flounder Her Voice – Prince Eric **Under the Sea** – Sebastian, Sea Creatures After "Under the Sea" – Sebastian, Sea Creatures If Only (Ariel's Lament) – Ariel Sweet Child – Flotsam, Jetsam **Poor Unfortunate Souls** – Ursula Act One Finale - Ursula, Ariel

ActTwo

Entr'acte – Orchestra
Positoovity – Scuttle, Gulls
Positaggity – Scuttle
Beyond My Wildest Dreams – Ariel, Maids, Grimsby
Les Poissons – Chef Louis
Les Poissons – Reprise – Chef Louis, Chefs
One Step Closer – Prince Eric
Daddy's Little Angel – Reprise – Ursula, Flotsam, Jetsam
Kiss the Girl – Sebastian, Sea Creatures, Gulls
If Only (Quartet) – Ariel, Eric, Sebastian, Triton
The Contest – Grimsby, Princesses
Ariel Steps Forward – Ursula
Poor Unfortunate Souls – Reprise – Ursula
Ariel's Transformation – Mersisters
Finale Ultimo – Triton, Ariel, Eric, Ensemble

### Pit Orchestra

Piccolo Sophia Latt

Flute Alanna Harvey Jacob LaBarge Sophia Latt

Alto Flute Jacob LaBarge

> Oboe Julia Engle

**English Horn** Julia Engle

Clarinet Savannah Richardson Hanae Wada

**Bass Clarinet** Jamie Rosenbauer

Soprano Saxophone **Dylan DelGiudice** 

Sound Arly Romero **Brendan Mulroy Ouinn Blackburn** 

Lighting Roxanna Aquilar **Michelle Veliz** 

Spots Joey Dammers Callan Daly

Backstage Andy Ulloa Jack Gallagher

Alto Saxophone Dylan DelGiudice

> Bassoon Jack Malone

Trumpet Connor Grosso Josh Yanuck

Flugelhorn Connor Grosso

Horn Adina Kirkland Hallie Raskin Katie Rilev

**Bass Trombone** Spencer Pashkin

Violin I Melany Lanham Ciancia Annalise Mozer Camrvn Libes

### **Stage Crew**

Rebecca Geneus **Rachael Fils-Aime** Megan Desmond Olivia Genova Sarah Montreuil Katherine DeGennaro Sophie Wylie Casey DeVille Nicole Muszinski Eylin Garciaguirre Devin Green

Set Building & Set Painting Andy Ulloa Jack Gallagher

Violin II **Billy Garfinkel** Holly Grabowski Jose Salmeron

Cello Elisa Medina Jaudes Sam Latt Maggie Giles

> **Double Bass** Jess Straub

Percussion Jack Blakley Christiana DeLuca

Frank Battista

Keyboard Katy Dara

Piano Christopher Chang

Drum Set

### Megan Desmond Olivia Genova Arly Romero **Brendan Mulrov Ouinn Blackburn** Casey DeVille Roxanna Aquilar Callan Daly Devin Green Sarah Montreuil Rebecca Geneus Eylin Garciaguirre Nicole Muszinski **Michelle Veliz**

**Rachael Fils-Aime** 



(Sailor/Sea Creature) is so happy to be in his second production at the high school. His previous roles include Steven in

Bring It On, Ching Ho in Thoroughly Modern Millie, Doody in Grease, and Rapunzel's Prince in Into the Woods. "I would like to thank Schwen for giving me this wonderful opportunity. I hope everyone enjoys the show."



ANNA ARDELL (Sea Creature/Chef/Princess) is thrilled to be a part of this year's Huntington High School production of The Little Mermaid. Anna has previously played a

vulture in a production of The Jungle Book, Rizzo in a production of Grease, and she was a Napkin/Villager in last year's production of Beauty and the Beast. Anna wishes the best of luck to all the outgoing seniors, and a warm welcome to all the incoming freshmen, urging them to join Drama Club.

#### **AMARA AYLER**



(Sea Creature/Gull/Chef) is appearing in her fourth consecutive show at Huntington High School. Drama Club is the biggest, most welcoming

family. She is so grateful and lucky to be a part of such an amazing show and club; a club that has welcomed her for years and a club she will never forget. "The cast and crew, my forever family; I love Drama Club."

#### **OLIVIA BALDANZA**

(Flotsam) is a junior at Huntington High School, where this is her second show. In the past, Olivia played ensemble parts in Grease and Cinderella. Last

year at the high school, she played a silly girl in Disney's Beauty and the Beast. This year she is extremely excited to be playing Flotsam, with her friend Grace Gedeon as Jetsam. This is the first "evil" role that she has been given in her history of musicals, so she's interested in exploring a new type of character. Olivia wants to thank the entire staff for all of their help and commitment because without them we, as students, wouldn't be able to get these fantastic opportunities. Last, but not least, she wishes the best of luck to her castmates and the seniors moving on to their college years.



ALYSSA BEFUMO (Sailor/ Sea Creature/Princess) is performing for the first time with the Huntington High School Drama Club. She is very excited to be working with such a

talented group of people. She would like to thank Mr. Schwendemann, Hosun, and Michelle for all of their dedication to this show. She hopes you enjoy the show.



(Sebastian) is in her second year in the Drama Club at the high school, but it's her first year performing in the musical. Last year she was a student

### Who's Who in the Cast

director for *The Babbling Brooks* and *Beauty* and the Beast. She is so excited to be in Huntington High School's production of Disney's *The Little Mermaid* playing the role of Sebastian. She would like to thank Mr. Schwendemann for giving her the opportunity to play this amazing role. She would also like to thank the incredible seniors in this year's musical. The Drama Club will not be the same without them next year. She wants to wish the rest of the cast the best of luck. She hopes everyone enjoys the show.



CAROLANNE

**BUONIELLO** (Arista) is elated to be performing in *The Little Mermaid*. This is her seventh show at Huntington High School. Some of her previous

roles include Chip in Beauty and the Beast Jr., Lady Larken in Once Upon a Mattress, a narrator in Aladdin, Linus in You're a Good Man Charlie Brown. Marta in The Sound of *Music*, Josie Pve in Anne of Green Gables. Sleeping Beauty in Into the Woods, Kay in The Babbling Brooks and Chip in Beauty and the Beast. Carolanne feels honored to have been able to work with such amazing people for the last four years and will dearly miss the Drama Club next year at college. She would also like to thank Ms. Freed for making us look as amazing as always, the pit for making us sound good and Lombo for helping us all the time. Lastly, she would like to thank Schwend for everything.



#### **ISABELLA CAHILL**

(Andrina) is so excited to be performing in her second show at Huntington High School. She has been singing ever since she was a little girl and

never once has she not enjoyed it. She would like to thank everyone who made

Drama Club so special for her. She hopes you will enjoy the show!

### RACHEL CARPENTER

(Aquata/Chef) has had a bittersweet experience during this production of *The Little Mermaid*, as this is her final production at the high school. She

is incredibly proud of everything her cast has done to reach this point, especially her fellow seniors. Drama Club has been her home for the past four years, and she ardently hopes that you enjoy the show that she and her castmates have poured their heart and soul into for the past few months. She wishes everyone the very best in their future endeavors and, of course, break legs!



PETER CICCONE (Sailor/ Sea Creature/Chef) is excited to perform in his fourth show at Huntington High School. Past performances include The Music Man Jr, Aladdin

Jr, Cinderella Jr, The Audition, The Babbling Brooks, Beauty and the Beast, and Don't Drink the Water. He would like to thank Schwen for giving him this opportunity to be on stage again.

### LUIS CUJI (Pilot/Sea Creature/Chef) is beyond excited to be a part of *The Little Mermaid* musical. It will be his first musical

It will be his first musical and he is already look-

ing forward to the next. He is an aspiring multidimensional creator who loves to express art in a variety of ways, whether it be through film, music, or fashion. He plans to succeed in an industry involving any of the above.



NANCY FALLON (Ariel), a 12th grader, is currently appearing in her eighth (and final!) performance at Huntington High School. Regionally, Nancy has performed at the

John W. Engeman Theater in Oliver! (Orphan/Fagin's Gang/Schoolgirl) and Miracle on 34th Street (Brigitte/Dutch Girl). Other shows at Huntington High School include Lady Windermere's Fan (Ensemble), The Sound of Music (Brigitte Von Trapp), Anne of Green Gables (Miss Minnie), Into the Woods (Little Red Ridinghood), The Babbling Brooks (Norma Brooks), Disney's Beauty and the Beast (Belle), and most recently, Don't Drink the Water (Marion Hollander). She has also played Sarah Brown in Guys and Dolls and Queen Aggravain in Once Upon A Mattress, both at Finley Middle School. Other credits include You're a Good Man Charlie Brown (Violet), 13 (Molly), and Alice in Wonderland (Small Alice). She would like to thank Mr. Schwendemann, Ms. Freed, Ms. Lombardi, Mr. Krakehl, and Mr. Helmke, as well as the amazing cast and crew for supporting her and making this show incredible! First she climbed every mountain, then went into the woods, found her home, and is now finishing her journey by going under the sea. Before it's finished however, she wants to thank everyone who has joined her on her wonderful journey, both past and present, while wishing her fellow graduates the best in their future endeavors and in everything they do.



Sea Creature/Gull/Chef Louis) is a sophomore in his fourth production at Huntington High School. He has also been in *Beauty and the Beast*.

(Crony) and Don't Drink the Water (Father

Drobney) at the high school as well. He is very excited for this show and would like to wish everyone good luck and hopes that they dance their butts off in Under the Sea.



**GRACE GEDEON** (Jetsam) was ecstatic when she discovered that she would be playing Jetsam in Disney's *The Little Mermaid*. She has been in previous school productions and

played roles such as Cinderella in Rodgers and Hammerstein's Cinderella, Rapunzel in Into the Woods, and Lady with a Cane and Gargoyle in Disney's Beauty and the Beast. Along with her other half, Olivia Baldanza, both worked hard on their roles as Flotsam and Jetsam, Ursula's electric eel henchmen. Grace is happy to be a part of another Huntington High School musical production and proud of her fellow castmates. She enjoyed rehearsal leading up to the show and watched as her castmates turned the musical into an amazing production. Grace could not be more thankful for her talented friends and enjoyed all the moments she shared with everyone this season. She wishes them the best of luck and thanks the cast, crew, Ms. Freed, Michelle, and Schwendemann for all their hard work and dedication, for without it, this production wouldn't have been possible.



ANN GLACKIN (Flounder) is the definition of an old soul. She likes chocolate, lace, tea, books, and wool blankets far more than any teenager should. Paradoxically, she is also a

five year old at heart who smiles at the mere mention of sparkles, fairies, or Disney. Being involved in Disney's *The Little Mermaid* has been an absolute joy for Ann. She was so thrilled to join the Huntington High School Drama Club last year and can't believe that it is already nearly time to leave. She can't imagine her life without the wonderful, zany second family she has found through Drama Club. She has had the time of her life fighting dragons with all of you. She would like to dedicate her performance to many people: To her sister who made her start theater: To her parents who never tried to tell her to stop; To Gene Forman who showed her how; To LJ Kindall who is staying behind — never quit: To Brianne Neira who is part of two of her second families, she is so honored to share the stage with you one last time; To her fellow seniors who she will miss always: To the underclassmen, who will lead the way for all newbies; To Schwen and Lombo who turned unfamiliar territory into a home for a high school junior who almost lost her way; and finally to Melissa Ingle, who has known her longest and has always made her love theater more, who would always discuss soundtracks and the littlest details at great length, and has done an amazing and inspiring job of always chasing down her dream. See you on Broadway! She will always love the experiences she has had with the HHSDC and she will be visiting for years to come. But for now, she is ready to go Under the Sea and say to her cast, "Break a leg!"



#### FRANCESCA GRECO

(Sea Creature/ Princess) is thrilled to perform in her first musical production as a part of Huntington High School's Drama Club. This may be her first show, but

it is certainly not her last! She is absolutely honored to take part in The Little Mermaid, as well as to work alongside the wonderful cast members and faculty in the show. She'd like to thank everyone who made this show possible, and to wish good luck to the rest of the cast. Enjoy the show!



#### ANDREW GUNTHNER

(Scuttle) is a senior and is elated to be part of this year's performance of Disnev's The Little Mermaid. Andrew has been in multiple shows at Huntington

High School including The Sound of Music (Kurt), Anne of Green Gables (Moody), Into the Woods (Steward), The Babbling Brooks (Homer), Beauty and the Beast (Marion), and Don't Drink the Water (Walter). Drama Club has been one of the most memorable parts of the high school experience for him. Andrew would like to dedicate his performance this evening to all the people he has met through Drama Club and would like to thank them for being such an influential part of his life. He would like to thank Mr. Schwendemann for putting up with his b\*\*\*s\*\*\*, as well as Mrs. Freed for helping put all the props together. Break a leg, ya freaks!

#### JESSICA HENNING (Sea

Creature/Maid/Chef) is in her first show, and she's excited! She finally decided to get a life, and now she's found it IS

better down where it's wetter! Even though she's a newbie, Mr. Schwendemann gave her a chance, so she'll do her best!

> **MELISSA INGLE** (Student Director) This is Melissa's last production with the Huntington High School Drama Club, however she plans on continuing theatre in college by

studying directing. She recently student directed the Drama Club's fall play, Don't Drink the Water. Her other credits include an edited version of 15 Reasons NOT to be in a Play (Director), Disney's Beauty and the Beast (Student Director/Ensemble), The Babbling Brooks (Student Director/Ensemble), The Tourist (Director), and Painting. She would like to wish everyone in the cast and crew good luck, as well as send a shout out to her loving family, and her sister Kathryn.





**BRAD LANDBERG** (Sailor/Sea Creature) is extremely happy to be performing in The Little Mermaid. This is his first show here at Huntington High School and he is

elated to be working with such an amazing and caring cast of people. (Refer to Logan's bio for his stance on their parents.) He hopes you enjoy the show!



(Sea Creature/Princess) is back and more excited than ever to get back on the stage after a two-year hiatus. She has been so excited about doing the

musical ever since she found out it was based on one of her favorite childhood movies, Disney's The Little Mermaid. This will be Ms. Maggio's second performance here at Huntington High School where she appeared in Rodgers & Hammerstein's The Sound Of Music (Nun's Chorus). She will be attending Quinnipiac University in the fall to study education in the hopes of becoming a teacher, and she couldn't be more excited! She wants to thank everyone for making her senior year, and her

last show at Huntington, so special. Break a leg!



**KEVIN McCONNELL** (Prince Eric) is super excited to be in his very last show with all of his amazing friends. The cast and advisors of Drama Club have helped to

make Kevin's experience at Huntington High School incredible. Kevin would like to especially thank Schwen, Freed, Mama Cass, Lombo, and all three tech directors for continually putting on fantastic shows every year and the whole cast for always putting forth their absolute best effort. Enjoy the show!



**BRIANNE NEIRA** (Attina) is best known for having really small hands. Seriously, they're tiny. People call her "Baby Hands Brianne." Go up to her after the show and put

your hand to hers and you'll see how small they are. She's also got a super low voice, like Morgan Freeman, only a girl version. Brianne loves berry hibiscus cranberry juice and short walks on the beach, because she gets tired quickly. She is very proud of her beagle, who got accepted to Carnegie Melon (early acceptance). Her hands are really dry lately, so if you know of a good lotion, hit her up.



### (Sea Creature/Princess) Hannah is very excited to be doing another musical in Huntington High School. She was in last year's

production of Beauty and the Beast and loved it and thought it turned out great, but she thinks this show is going



to be even better. Hannah is in eleventh grade and can't wait for everyone to see the show!



### **CHRIS PORZIO**

(Sea Creature) is ecstatic to be performing with you all! This is his first show at Huntington High School. His past roles include Aladdin Jr.

(Ensemble), The Little Mermaid Jr. (Chef), The Audition (Actor), and You're a Good Man Charlie Brown (Peanuts Gang). He loves seeing Broadway shows and reading Playbill and listening to Broadway music. Special shout-out to Hosun, Michelle, Schwen, and Mainville (who prepped him for this over the summer). Enjoy the show!



AMELIA REILLY (Allana/ Chef) is so excited to be under the sea. This will be the third time you see her on the Huntington High School stage. She hopes vou will all be caught

hook, line, and sinker in love with the show. She would also like to give a huge thank you to Schwen for keeping us all afloat!



LOGAN RICE (King Triton) is elated to perform in yet another amazing show with an equally amazing cast! This is his third show with the Drama Club, previously playing the

roles of The Beast in Beauty and the Beast last spring and Krojack in *Don't Drink the* Water this past fall. He feels honored for the opportunity to give his take on the character of King Triton. He would like to thank his castmates (and wish them the best of luck!), and his and Bradlev Landberg's parents for driving the two of them home every single day without fail (we can all learn a thing or two from dedication like that).



**BAILEY RIORDAN** (Sailor/ Adella/Gull/Chef) is in her third production with the Huntington High School Drama Club. This program has truly changed her life and she couldn't have

asked for a better family with whom to spend so many hard working hours. She will be attending (enter university name here) for early childhood education in the fall. She hopes to continue her theatre career at (enter university name here) and will miss all of her little siblings in the club, but especially Phoebe. Phoebe reminds her of herself when she was younger and she just wants to say that she thinks Phoebe will be great for the club, so please don't quit. Also to Alyssa Befumo: she is so thankful that you joined. Hearing Alyssa's laugh brightens up her day and makes her smile! She also loves Brianne Neira's lips. And Melissa Ingle's real life might as well be a play directed by her where Bailey plays Mary Pulizzotto's understudy. Thank you to Schwen for always putting up with her really odd sense of humor and to Mrs. Freed for being the sweetest woman and really helping her through all four years of high school. Now she thinks that this bio is way too long, and she'd also like to say that she is so incredibly thankful that all of you reading this came out to see the show. You will not be disappointed!



NICOLE SEVILLA (Sailor/ Sea Creature/Maid) is proud to be part of the cast of Disney's The Little Mermaid. Besides playing a sailor, she has been cast as a maid and a sea

creature. Nicole's past performances have been starring in: Annie, as the Hoovervilite cook. The Wizard of Oz as a member of the Lollipop Guild, Joseph and the Technicolor Dreamcoat in the ensemble, and Disney's Beauty and the Beast as a wolf. Not only does she enjoy the overall experience of performing, but having the ability to bond with the cast. So far, Nicole has been loving everything that has to do with this year's musical and can't wait for next year's performance!



**MADDIE SHEA** (Ursula) is honored to portray Ursula in Disney's The Little Mermaid, her sixth Huntington High School Drama Club production, and to work with such

an amazing cast, especially the wonderful seniors. She would like to thank the cast, crew, and staff for making these past few months so special. Favorite credits include: Parade in Concert at Lincoln Center with Jason Robert Brown (Broadway Festival Chorus, Music Supervisor: Tom Murray); The Secret Garden at Lincoln Center (Broadway Festival Chorus, Music Supervisor: Michael Kosarin, Dir: Stafford Arima); Mary Flynn in Merrily We Roll Along (Long Island Musical Theatre Festival); Gertrude McFuzz in Seussical the Musical (John W. Engeman Theater, Dir: Casey Erin Clark).



is his seventh and final show with the Huntington High School Drama Club. He was recently accepted into the theater program at LIU Post where he plans on studying

musical theater. Other productions in which he's been a part are Don't Drink the Water (Sultan of Bashir), Disney's Beauty and the

Beast (Monsiuer D'Argue), The Babbling Brooks (Student Director/Ensemble), Into the Woods (Cinderella's Father), and recently he participated in Broadhollow Theater Company's summer production of The Music Man. He would to thank the cast and crew for an amazing four-year experience. It has been an amazing journey learning new things in the club and meeting many inspirational people. "Thank you to Schwen and Freed for making this club something I will never forget. Good Luck to the cast and crew!"



PHOEBE WALTHER

(Sea Creature/Gull/Chef/ Princess) is in her first Huntington High School performance. She loves the cast and loved getting to know everyone.

Phoebe is playing the roles of a sea creature, seagull, chef, and princess. She had so much fun putting the show together and hopes to do it again next year.



MARY KATE WOLBER (Windward/Maid) is a junior here at Huntington High School and is excited to be performing in her second show with the Drama Club. After

performing in last year's production of Disney's Beauty and the Beast as the Milkmaid, there was no doubt in her head not to do it again. After being cast as Windward in this year's production, she has had nothing but fun throughout rehearsals. She, along with the cast, have put in hours of work to make the show the best they can. Disney's The Little Mermaid has truly become one of her favorites after this year. The junior is eager to perform once again with the cast who has become a family.





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Concretulations
Congratulations Kevin!
Your hard work and talent Truly impress us. We are so proud of you and Wish you luck!! Break a leg!
Kelly & Brian
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## Break a leg, Blue Devils!

Good luck to the cast and crew.

Best wishes to Caroline and the other seniors!

Thanks, Schwendy!

Love, The Maggio's Congratulations to Andrew and the Cast, Crew and "Pit" of The Little Mermaid!



Nancy, we cannot believe that this will be your last High School performance, and a MERMAID PRINCESS no less!



We have and always will love to watch you perform. You make us very proud! Wherever your journey takes you from this point forward is totally up to you. Enjoy every moment and know we are always there for you! Love you always,

Mom and Dad







With freedom, books, flowers and the moon, who could not be happy? –Oscar Wilde



### RACHEL

From Lady Windermere's Fan to The Little Mermaid, we love you to the moon and back!

Mom, Dad and Sarah





### CON"GRAD"ULATIONS

## TO THE HHS DRAMA CLUB SENIORS CLASS OF 2016

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Kevin McConnell Carolanne Buoniello Rachel Carpenter Andrew Gunthner Justin Waite Nancy Fallon Ann Glackin Melissa Ingle Brianne Neira Bailey Riordan Caroline Maggio







Congratulations to the entire Cast & Crew of The Little Mermaid From Delta Impressions

## Jordan S. Biener...

Who would have guessed that the S stands for...

## Sebastian

We couldn't be more proud if we tried, and dat's the truth, mon. WLYI BDP!

xo... Mom & Dad



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CONGRATULATIONS to the Cast, Crew, Pit Orchestra, StaFF, Support StaFF and Parents on another Great Show !!!

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### Congratulations, Maddie!

No Matter What Stage You Are on-HHS, LIMTF, Lincoln Center

No Matter What Role You Are in-Cogsworth, Mary in Sondheim's Merrily We Roll Along, Ursula The Fantastic Sea Witch, Just to Name a Few

Or Just Here at Home as a Sister, Daughter & Friend-

You Are a Shining Star!!

Best of Luck to The Entire Cast, Crew and Pit!

To the one and only: Tommy Djilas, Dauntless, Macbeth, Hamlet,

'Stache, Beast, Ironworker, Commissar Krojack





Remember to have fun and always follow your dreams. We are so proud of who you are!

Love,

Mom & Dad

### **Congratulations Brianne!**

Over the years we have had the pleasure of watching you transform yourself into a 50's high school principal, an 80's Prom Queen,

a nun, a private school student who dreams of breaking free from convention and a bossy mother. We can't wait to see your performance as a Mersister, your final show at HHS. Exciting things await you at Marymount Manhattan. We could not be prouder of all you have achieved and look forward to cheering you on as you pursue your dreams. Carpe Diem!

> Love Always Mom, Dad and Bella



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William, we cannot wait to see your performance in The Little Mermaid! We are very proud of you! Hope you have practiced your French! Break a Leg! Love, Mom and Dad





Congratulations to

Justin Waite

and all the seniors on your last HHS production!

It has been an AWESOME 4 years. Continue to put your best foot forward!



The sky is the limit Love, MOM & the FAMILY

#### Wishing Logan and the entire cast and crew a very bright and lucrative future





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Chocolate is nature's way of making ups for Mondays.

### Nancy and William, I am very excited to see you both in this production!

I am so proud of you and all of your accomplishments!

I cherish the time I get to spend with you.

> Always know that I love you.

> > Break a leg! Love, Nana

### Grace, you are my star and my love. Break a leg, Jetsam! Love, Mom

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Jeannie is a nutrition therapist who specializes in counseling for eating, body image and weight issues and is an expert in the treatment of eating disorders.



### A SPECIAL THANK YOU

to all of the parents and families who contributed to our success.

Whether soliciting ads or donations; organizing concession, bake sales and dinners; making fabulous raffle baskets; coordinating t-shirt and dinner orders; ticket sales, videotaping and photographing the show; designing our beautiful display all of these pieces and more have come together to make this fantastic show happen.

You should all be proud!

To our parents who are moving on to college, you will be dearly missed!

**HHS Drama Parents** 

## So proud of our brilliant "CRAB." Way to go, Jordan!

We love you, Aunt llene, Uncle Rob, Julia & Aaron

### Congratulations Jordan! We love you!

Potsie, Aunt Merry, Uncle Gregg, Jess, Ali & Casey

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Ann, you have always impressed us with your kindness, creativity and generosity of spirit. We know you will be successful in your future endeavors in college and look forward to seeing where they lead. Congratulations and all our Best Wishes. Love, The Nader Family

Ann – you have filled our lives with beautiful entertainment ... Thanks for the memories... We love you so much xoxox – Aunt Patti and Uncle Steve

Ann – you have enriched our lives with your kind, sensitive, generous, and loving heart. Thank you for sharing your love of music, acting, storytelling, and all things theatrical with us. We know you will be happy and successful whichever path you choose — Dare to Dream today and always! We love you and we are so very proud of you! Love always, Mom and Dad

Ann, hugs from all of us in sunny Florida and the Magical World of Disney. Always remember, "If you can dream it, you CAN do it!" Love – Aunt Kathy, Jim, Travis and Mike

Ann – Congratulations!!! We are so proud of all you have accomplished. Much Love, Mike and Freda

Katy – Thank you for sharing your talent and your beautiful music with all of us. Congratulations on your selection as a Band section leader, and here's wishing you a wonderful senior year! Love always, Maureen, Ed, and Ann Glackin

Ann – Always remember — your best IS good enough!!! NYU Tisch — here she comes!! We are so proud of and happy for you. Love always, Mom and Dad

Cheers, Ann! For all that you are and all that you've accomplished! Lots of Love, Granma

I know you're going to be amazing, Ann! Have so much fun in your final high school show! Love, Ed Jude

Congrats, Ann, on your final high school performance as Flounder! Break a fin! Love, Eamon

Congratulations, Ann!!! I am so proud of all you've done and so excited for all you're going to do! You are an incredible performer and person and the best little sister I have ever had! Love you!!! Joan

Congratulations, Ann Glackin, on your last performance in High School. We knew you wouldn't "flounder" at the challenge. Love from the Daras

To Mr. Schwendemann, members of the HHDCPA, and every student, staff, and faculty member involved with the Drama Club over the past two years – Thank you for welcoming me and Ann into your wonderful family of passionate, talented, creative people and helping Ann to find her home when she transferred to HHS junior year. We will miss you, and we wish you all continued success and happiness in the coming years. – Maureen & Ann Glackin

To all seniors performing in your last show at Huntington HS, whether onstage, backstage, or in the Orchestra – Thank you for sharing your talent with us and entertaining us these past few years. Wishing you all the best wherever your paths may lead. – The Glackin Family

To the entire cast and crew – Break a leg! And Have fun! We know you are all going to be wonderful and it is going to be a magical production! Thanks for the magic! – The Glackin Family

Andrew Aprigliano - Great job as always! So proud of you! Love, Mom & Dad

Well done, Katy Dara, on your fabulous performance in the Pit Orchestra. You sound great! We love you lots. Mom, Dad and Rory.

Dear Phoebe, So excited to see you in your latest performance. You always light up the stage. Xoxo Mom and Eliza

Good luck to the Huntington H.S. Drama Club. Looking forward to seeing this great production. The Befumo Family

Alyssa – Break a leg! We love you. Mom, Dad & Victoria

Logan - Good luck to our bright and shining star! Aunti Ann and Papa Tore

Logan, we're so proud of how talented you are and who you are as a person. Love, Grandma & Grandpa

Logan, we love seeing your performances! Keep up the good work. Love, Aunt Pat & Uncle Pete

To the whole cast, crew and our director Schwen: I've never met a group of people who could make something as close to magic as you guys – Logan

To Kathy S. & Ellen F. – Well this is it! I'm going to miss working with you and all the moms of HHDCPA! My Drama Mom Buds. Ann G.

Andrew - You're always right (well-most of the time!). Love ya, Mom

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I'm so happy you're in the show, Chris! You are such a great big brother. Ryan

Christopher P., we are so proud of you! Break a leg and have a great time! Mom & Dad

Dear Izzy and Amara – This one is for Derek Christopher Shepherd! – Jordan

Dear Nancy, all that matters now is where you go from here! I hope you find Neverland! – Jordan a.k.a. LMK

Dear Kevin – You are one step closer to graduation! It won't be the same without you! – Jordan

Dear Justin – The real vent circle won't be the same without you next year! – Jordan

Dear Maddie & Mary Kate – BUMP IT, BUMP IT! Enough said. – Jordan

Dear Andrew – Where are you going to college again? Have fun! Samantha and I will miss you. – Jordan

Dear Rachel – I love you so much! You are the sweetest person ever! I'm gonna miss you like crazy! – Jordan

Dear Fancy – If only I was Prince Eric. Oh well, that is beyond my wildest dreams! – Jordan

Dear Carolanne – The song from Hailey's car will live on forever! I'm gonna miss you! – Jordan

Kevin, odds are, 1 in 70. – NF

Rach Kel, all eight has been absolutely great. Couldn't have done it without you. – NF

Jord, I'll always love you even when you're crabby ;) - NF

Justin, I'll miss you. Never change. – NF

Phoebe and Francesca, thanks for being the water beneath my tail :) - NF

Andrew, I'll be your younger sister, older sister, daughter, wife or best fish friend any time. – NF

Schwen, you're insane, but we all love you anyway.

SENIORS: It has been an absolute privilege and honor to be able to have graced the stage with you all these years. I wish every single one of you the best in your future endeavors, both on the stage and off. – NF

Kyle, why? Declan, why not?

Bailey – it takes a lot of character to play the supporting roles—and you have plenty of character! Break-a-leg, love Mom OX

Cast, Crew and Pit Orchestra: Break A Leg! From the Band Parent Assoc. of Huntington. With Pride.

This may be your last show, but it is the start of "bigger fish to fry!" Congratulations, Seniors! Love, Your Family OX

Jordan, our star! Much love, G & G

We are so proud of you, Brianne! Lots of Love, Mom & Dad

Congratulations, Brianne! You make me so proud! Love, Grandma

Brianne ... "Make your life extraordinary."

Melissa – Break a leg to the next Stephen Sondheim! Hugs and Fishes from your big sis.

Kevin – It has been amazing watching you grow over the past four years. It feels like yesterday that we were sitting in Panera and I was filling you in on the ins and outs of Drama Club and yet, here you are, a senior! I'm so proud of the wonderful, kind, smart, talented, hilarious, and dedicated young man that you are and I look forward to seeing everything you do in your amazing future. Lots of love and luck. Love, Night Hawk.

Maddie—It is incredible to see such a sweet girl pull off an evil sea witch so well. Truly a testament to your talent! You are a star and I'm lucky to have such a talented little sister. You accept every role with grace and perform it beautifully. Love you lots & Break Legs. Love, Stephanie

To our favorite Senior– you know who you are! How will we ever survive without you? You will do amazing things! Love, hugs & kisses from your other family.

I know you're going to nail it! Break a leg, Maddie! Love, Allie



### Drama Club Seniors 2016

4 years ago you entered the auditorium to... The Sound of Music Together we ventured... Into the Woods Where we learned... No One is Alone And with each other we would always have a ... Home Where our relationship was like that of a... **Beauty and the Beast** Now as you swim off into the future like a... Little Mermaid I wish I could keep you forever. If Only. We have shared laughter – tears – sadness & joy! The times we shared will live in my memory forever. Thank you for sharing part of yourselves with me.

Schwen

# Congratulations

 $\mathcal{KEVIN}$ 

It has been a pleasure watching you truly grow on this stage from your first appearance as the youngest von Trapp, Georg, through your very diverse yet always remarkable & enjoyable roles to now being Prince Eric.

All our love

Mom, Dad, Kelly, Brían, Matthew And of course Lucy

