

Musical Theatre East presents



May 2nd-4th, 2024

Vida Church

Welcome to another Musical Theatre East production!

Please review the guidelines below to ensure an enjoyable experience for all!

- Photography, videography or audio recording of this performance is strictly prohibited.
- This performance will include one 15-minute intermission.
- Please remember to silence your cell phone.
- Concessions and candy grams will be available before the performance and during intermission. Candy grams are a way to congratulate your favorite cast or crew member by sending them a treat and a personalized message!
- Restrooms are located in the lobby.

Director's Note

Thank you for joining us for our production of *Disney's Beauty & The Beast!* This has been one of my favorite shows for years, and while it has been a huge undertaking to direct, I couldn't have asked for a more dedicated, committed production team and cast. It was a blast putting it all together and witnessing our students building these timeless characters from the ground up.

One of the central themes of *Beauty & The Beast* is the transformative power of love. This echoes the biblical message of God's unconditional love for us, which has the power to transform even the most hardened hearts. In the story, we witness the Beast's gradual transformation from selfish to kind, all because of Belle's sacrificial love for him. This mirrors the transformative love of Christ, who gave His life for us so that we may experience new life and restoration. This show also encourages us to practice empathy, compassion, and forgiveness, and to look at the inner heart rather than outward appearances. As we bring this classic story to life on stage, let us not only be entertained but also inspired to reflect on these themes and how they intersect with our own lives.

We invite you to sit back, relax and be our guest! Enjoy the show!

Blessings,

Jorie Davis

Owner/Artistic Director, Musical Theatre East

Musical Numbers

ACT ONE

Prologue

Belle

Maurice Travels

Me

Belle (Reprise)

Home

Gaston

How Long Must This Go On?

Be Our Guest

If I Can't Love Her

15 MINUTE INTERMISSION

ACT TWO

Something There

Human Again

Beauty and the Beast

If I Can't Love Her (Reprise)

A Change in Me

The Mob Song

Home (Reprise)

Transformation/Finale

Cast

Belle..... Hannah Diaz

Beast..... Evan Guzman

Gaston..... James Jenckes III

Lefou..... Jace Brookman

Lumiere..... Gideon Monk

Cogsworth..... Andrew Tonjes

Mrs. Potts..... Lillie Buck

Chip..... Emma Lebedies

Madame De La Grande Bouche..... Ellie Roeth

Babette..... Tabitha Davis

Maurice..... Joseph Menough

Silly Girls..... Addie Carter, Selah Cintron, Kassy Hakes, Hope Varadin

Monsieur D'Arque..... Josiah Tonjes

The Enchantress..... Skylar Jenckes

Dance Ensemble..... Grace Brown, Eliana Broyles, Ivy Casteel,

Sage Jenckes, Skylar Jenckes, Kaira Johnson, Maddie Roeth, Joy Varadin

Ensemble..... Freedom Abrenica, Anna Anderson, Rebecca Anderson,

Noelle Chang, Benjamin Diaz, Serenity Gardner, Cooper Hakes,

Sophia Lamar, Abigail Osyczka, Aren Osyczka, Vivian Schroeder,

Josiah Tonjes

Crew

Director..... Jorie Davis

Music Director..... Kathy Chick

Choreographer..... Stephanie Sliker

Costumes..... Rebecca McNeace, Cindra Monk, Valerie Monk,
Mary Grace Varadin

Tech..... Jorie Davis, Kass Eisenmenger, Julianne Monk

Stage Crew..... Lizzie Groth, Riley Zents

Hair/Makeup Design..... Cindra Monk

Hair/Makeup Assistant..... Lily Groth

Photography..... Valerie Monk

House Manager..... Tiffany Davis

Set Construction..... Michael Abrenica, Troy Davis

Set & Prop Painters/Assistants..... Freedom Abrenica, Lillie Buck,
Eliana Broyles, Troy Davis, Jorie Davis, Tabitha Davis, Benjamin Diaz,
Hannah Diaz, Evan Guzman, Kaira Johnson, Joseph Menough, Gideon
Monk, Ellie Roeth, Stephanie Sliker, Josiah Tonjes

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