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HUNTINGTON HIGH SCHOOL DRAMA CLUB
PRESENTS



FRIDAY, MARCH 31 – 7:30 PM
SATURDAY, APRIL 1 – 2:00 & 7:30 PM

Huntington High School Drama Club

PRESENTS

Once Upon a Mattress

Music by
Mary Rodgers

Lyrics by
Marshall Barer

Book by
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Special Thanks

“All right, Your Majesty, I’ll help you.”

Deb Ciccone
For the photos

Kathy Shea
For all the years of service

Abby Semelsberger
For helping your director who has two left feet

Dana Freed
For always being there

Christine Catti
For helping out when you’re so busy

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For making us look pretty

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For keeping us clean... and dry

Janet, Sandy, and Fran
For keeping me focused

Eric Reynolds
For listening

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For all the support

Director’s Notes

Once Upon a Mattress... The Princess and the Pea... a children’s story we can all learn from: its message is a simple one—don’t judge a book by its cover—a timeless message that seems more relevant today than you might think. On a daily basis, we are bombarded with news stories that urge us to be wary of our differences in lieu of celebrating them. A princess named Fred—Harry & Larken, the “perfect couple” that doesn’t play by the rules—the henpecked King and his overbearing Queen—all is not what it seems or what we would expect from royalty. On stage they all live happily ever after (or at least get what they deserve). Might we be happier if we looked at each other with friendship instead of suspicion? Sometimes the message we need to hear is also the simplest. Enjoy the show.

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Michael Schwendemann

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Brian Stellato

Vocal Coach
Hosun Moon

Technical Director
Rob Krakehl

Choreography
Michelle Mallardi

Dance Captains
Jennifer Low
Abby Semelsberger
Nicole Sevilla

Student Director
Danny Arias
Maddie Haughwout

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Ellen Fleury

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ONCE UPON A MATTRESS

Character List

(in order of appearance)

Minstrel	Abby Semelsberger
Princess #12.....	Grace Gedeon
Wizard.....	Peter Ciccone
Lady Larken	Jordan Biener
Queen Aggravain	Olivia Baldanza
Prince Dauntless	William Fallon
King Sextimus the Silent.....	Robert Jean-Gilles
Jester.....	Isabella Cahill
Sir Studley	Luis Cuji
Sir Luce	Bradley Landberg
1st Knight.....	Andrew Aprigliano
2nd Knight	Zubair Ali
3rd Knight	Rory Dara
4th Knight	Chris Porzio
1st Lady in Waiting – Rowena	Amelia Maggio
2nd Lady in Waiting – Merrill	Amara Ayler
3rd Lady in Waiting – Lucille.....	Amelia Reilly
Sir Harry	Keenan Lyons
Kitchen Wenches	Phoebe Walther, Mary Kate Wolber
Princess Winnifred.....	Maddie Shea
Emily.....	Anna Ardell
Luce's Lady	LJ Kindall
Lady Mabelle.....	Nicole Sevilla
Ladies in Waiting.....	Natalie Ciccone, Faith Youngquist, Jennifer Low, Kyra DeSalvo, Alyssa Befumo, Hannah Olesen

PIT ORCHESTRA

Violin	Bass	Clarinet	Trombone
Chris Chang	Nick Kretschmer	Meagan-Elise Malone	Matt Quinn
Billy Garfinkel	Maddy Kye	Matthew Hearl	Guitar
Camryn Libes	Piccolo/Flute	Rachel Roday	Teddy Holly
Sophia Martinez	Jacob LaBarge	Bass Clarinet	Keyboard
Annabella Matheus	Flute	Jamie Rosenbauer	Katy Dara
Marina Ruzic	Anjali Kapur	Horn	Piano
Christina Varady	Katharine Kitzen	Adina Kirkland	Ms. Victoria Garbarino
Cello	Oboe	Katie Riley	Percussion
Nicole Arenth	Julia Engle	Trumpet	Christiana DeLuca
Maggie Giles		Connor Grosso	Drum Set
Diya Rai-Gersappe		Aidan McCooley	Natalie Furman
Katie Stock		Josh Yanuck	

STAGE CREW

Sound	Sylvia Belanger	Emma Franznick	Set Painting
Quinn Blackburn	Joselin Canales	Sarah Montreuil	Andy Ulloa
Olivia Perez	Kianna Lopez	Kimberly Campos	Devin Green
Tatiana Feliciano	Sophie Wylie	Quinn Blackburn	Megan Desmond
Isabel Canales	Kerwhin Valette	Joselin Canales	Emma Franznick
Lighting	Olivia Genova	Kianna Lopez	Sarah Montreuil
Connor Dougal	Megan Desmond	Jasmine Taylor	Sylvia Belanger
Joey Dammers	Jocelyn Carbajal	Sophie Wylie	Kimberly Campos
Backstage	Tahiyat Akber	Olivia Perez	Joselin Canales
Andy Ulloa	Grace Tyrrell	Sylvia Belanger	Kianna Lopez
Jasmine Taylor	Lily Stein	Alishia Glace	Jasmine Taylor
Devin Green	Set Building	Tahiyat Akber	Sophie Wylie
Emma Franznick	Andy Ulloa	Grace Tyrrell	Quinn Blackburn
Sarah Montreuil	Devin Green	Lily Stein	Olivia Perez
Kimberly Campos	Megan Desmond	Arielle Harvey	Olivia Genova
		Connor Dougal	

SCENES

Act One

- Scene 1 Large room in medieval castle, late March
- Scene 2 A castle corridor, the same day
- Scene 3 The castle courtyard, mid April morning, three weeks later
- Scene 4 A castle corridor, later that day
- Scene 5 Winnifred's dressing room, later that day
- Scene 6 A castle corridor, later that day
- Scene 7 Tents in the courtyard, late evening the same day
- Scene 8 The courtyard, a few minutes later
- Scene 9 The Great Hall, immediately following

Act Two

- Scene 1 The castle, same day, that night
- Scene 2 A room in the castle, later that night
- Scene 3 A castle corridor, later that night
- Scene 4 The Wizard's chamber, later that night
- Scene 5 A castle corridor, later that night
- Scene 6 The same corridor, a few minutes later
- Scene 7 Winnifred's bedchamber, later that night
- Scene 8 A castle corridor, the next morning
- Scene 9 The Banquet Hall, a few minutes later

MUSICAL NUMBERS

Act One

- Overture
 - Prologue – Many Moons Ago
 - Opening for a Princess
 - In a Little While
 - In a Little While Reprise
 - Shy
 - Fanfare
 - The Minstrel, The Jester, and I
 - Sensitivity
 - The Swamps of Home
 - Fight – Fight
 - Spanish Panic
 - Tents
 - Normandy
 - Spanish Panic No. 2
 - Song of Love
- Minstrel
Dauntless, Larken, Ladies, Knights
Harry, Larken
Harry, Larken
Winnifred, Knights, Dauntless, Queen, Ladies
Minstrel, Jester, King
Queen, Wizard
Winnifred, Ladies, Dauntless
Harry, Larken
Minstrel, Larken, Jester
Dauntless, Winnifred

Act Two

- Entr'acte
 - Opening – Act II
 - Happily Ever After
 - Man to Man Talk
 - Very Soft Shoes
 - Three O'clock in the Morning
 - Yesterday I Loved You
 - Nightingale Lullaby
 - Wizard
 - Finale
 - Bows & Exit Music
- All
Winnifred
Dauntless, King
Jester
Harry, Larken
All

WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST



ZUBAIR ALI (2nd Knight) is a 9th grader at HHS and thrilled to be a part of his first musical here! His Previous productions include *Willy Wonka Jr.*, *Into the Woods*, *The New*

York Times, *Seussical Jr.*, and *The Laramie Project*. He would like to thank Schwen for his amazing directorial skills and his patience, and his ENTIRE family for their support. He wishes everyone good luck!!



ANDREW APRIGLIANO (1st Knight) is so happy to be in his fourth production at the high school. Previous roles include Steven in *Bring It On*,

Ching Ho in *Thoroughly Modern Millie*, Doody in *Grease*, Rapunzel's Prince in *Into the Woods*, Professor Callahan in *Legally Blonde*, Rolf in *The Sound of Music*, and Jack Scott in *High School Musical*. In *The Laramie Project* at HHS he played multiple characters. Andrew would like to thank Schwen for giving him this wonderful opportunity to be in his third and final musical at the high school. He wishes all the underclassmen well on future shows. He hopes everyone enjoys the show.



ANNA ARDELL (Emily) played Rizzo in the Vasa School production of *Grease* and ever since she has continued to contribute in numerous school and private productions,

such as *The Jungle Book*, *Disney's Beauty and the Beast*, and last year's *Disney's The Little Mermaid!* She is thrilled to be playing her final role as Emily in this year's production of *Once Upon a Mattress*. She wishes to thank all her fellow castmates for giving her bittersweet and irreplaceable memories.



DANNY ARIAS (Student Director) Meet Danny Arias. He is in the 10th grade. *Once Upon a Mattress* is his second play at the high school.

He's helping Mr. Schwendemann on this production. He just would like to dedicate the show to his mom.



AMARA AYLER (2nd Lady in Waiting – Merrill) is appearing in her sixth show and she can't believe it's over. She's heartbroken that this is her final show at HHS and wishes her

underclassmen the best for all future productions. She has made so many friends over the past six productions and wouldn't trade any of the lasting memories she's made with them. She can't believe this is it and she's going to miss everyone. She hopes you enjoy her performance in the role of Lady Merrill in *Once Upon a Mattress* this year and she wishes her cast and crew to break a leg!

OLIVIA BALDANZA (Queen Aggravain) is a senior here at HHS. This year she joins the Drama Club for her third and final



performance at the high school. In the past, Olivia has participated in shows including *Grease* and *Cinderella* in which she played various ensemble parts. When she was a

sophomore, she played a Silly Girl (one of Gaston's girls) and a Gargoyle in the musical *Disney's Beauty and the Beast*. Last year, she gladly accepted the role of the evil, goofy minion Flotsam in the musical *Disney's The Little Mermaid*. After her performance in this role, she was nominated for Best Featured Actress at the 2016 Huntingtonys, and although there was a tie—she and her friend Grace Gedeon (Jetsam from *Disney's The Little Mermaid*)—did not win :). For her senior year, she will be continuing the antagonist role as Queen Aggravain. This character is sassy, rude, and plain mean, which is why Olivia is so excited to play the role! Olivia would like to thank the entire staff, but she would like to thank a few people individually. She gives a huge thanks to Freed, Stellato, Rob, Michelle, and of course to her favorite director, Mr. Schwendemann. Olivia sends her love to the whole cast, crew, and pit and she wishes them all the best of luck on their performance. Last, but not least, she hopes to make this her best show yet with all the people who made it the most special for her: the current graduating seniors of her class.



ALYSSA BEFUMO (Lady in Waiting) is very excited to be participating in her second musical at HHS. To all of this year's seniors: fantastic job and we will miss you all in the years to

come. She would also like to wish everyone involved with the show good luck. Break a leg!

JORDAN BIENER (Lady Larken) is in her third year in the Drama Club at the high



school. She is so glad to finish her senior year by being a part of another HHS Drama Club Production. She has previously been in HHS productions of *Disney's Beauty and*

the Beast, *The Babbling Brooks*, *The Laramie Project*, *Don't Drink the Water* (chef) and *Disney's The Little Mermaid* (Sebastian). She is so excited to be a part of the cast of *Once Upon a Mattress*. She would like to thank Mr. Schwendemann for all of his help and support over the years. She wants to wish the rest of the cast the best of luck. She hopes everyone enjoys the show.



ISABELLA CAHILL (Jester) is so grateful to be a part of her fourth show at HHS. As a sophomore, she has met so many wonderful people during her time in Drama Club and she

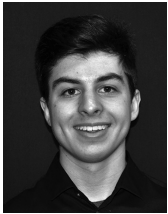
can't thank them enough for making the experience so enjoyable. She'd like to thank Schwen along with the cast for bringing another fantastic show together. Enjoy the show!



NATALIE CICCONE (Lady in Waiting) is excited to be performing in this year's production of *Once Upon a Mattress* at HHS. She hopes to continue performing in shows

throughout her high school career and would like to thank both Mr. Schwendemann and the entire cast and crew for making her first musical at HHS a memorable experience.

PETER CICCONE (Wizard) is excited to be in this spring's musical, *Once Upon a Mattress*. He has thoroughly enjoyed the last three years he has spent with the HHS



Drama Club and has made many friends during these last six shows. Outside of school he plays clarinet in Marching Band and Wind Ensemble, and is an Eagle Scout. This summer he also plans to attend Boys State in Albany for a week to learn about New York State's legislative process. Enjoy as he "thinks up a tricky test" for Princess Winnifred!



LUIS CUJI (Sir Studley) is happy to be in his third and final show at HHS, *Once Upon a Mattress*. Luis is sad to be leaving HHS, yet excited for the future and successes that will come his way.



RORY DARA (3rd Knight) plays a knight in *Once Upon a Mattress*. This is his first time in Drama Club. He is a freshman and enjoys participating in the Drama Club.



KYRA DeSALVO (Lady in Waiting) is more than thrilled to be a part of this year's musical, *Once Upon a Mattress*. Kyra is happy she learned so many important theatre techniques and lessons from the show, and is thankful to be a part of this comedic and fun production.



WILLIAM FALLON (Prince Dauntless) is a junior in his sixth production at HHS. He has also been in *Disney's The Little Mermaid* (Chef Louis) and *The Laramie Project* at the

high school as well. This show was really fun for him to be in and he can't wait to "devour the hawk."



GRACE GEDEON (Princess #12) is a senior at HHS and is happy to share her last performance with such amazing people. With this being her fourth and final musical, she is also

sad that she has to say goodbye to her friends and crazy (but lovable) director, Michael Schwendemann. Starting in eighth grade, she was Cinderella in Rodgers and Hammerstein's *Cinderella*; freshman year she was Rapunzel in *Into the Woods*; sophomore year, Lady with a Cane and Gargoyle in *Disney's Beauty and the Beast*; and junior year, Jetsam in *Disney's The Little Mermaid*. Junior year was especially memorable because she was nominated for the Huntington for Best Featured Actress along with her best friend, Olivia Baldanza. Now in her senior year, she cannot wait to have the time of her life in her last performance. She hopes you enjoy the show and wishes all the best to her cast and crew who have left such a memorable impact on her life.



MADDIE HAUGHWOUT (Student Director) is excited to help out on her first musical. She'd like to thank the cast for all of their hard work and dedication toward the show. Maddie helped out with *The Laramie Project* in the fall and can't wait to student direct alongside Mr. Schwendemann for her next two years in high school.

ROBERT JEAN-GILLES (King Sextimus the Silent) is in his second production at HHS. He has been in *Disney's The Little Mermaid Jr.* (Sebastian), *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown* (Charlie Brown), *The Laramie Project*,



etc. He has had a fun time playing this role and interacting with friends. Robert would like to thank everyone involved and hopes that you enjoy the production.



LJ KINDALL (Luce's Lady) The defendant is accused of putting dynamite in a steer. *A-bomb-in-a-bull!*

My pastor ate too many beans. *He had to sit there in his own pews.*

Where do you get whales weighed? *At the whale weigh station.*

My butcher backed up into his meat grinder. *He got a little behind in his work.*

A baby seal walks into a club.

She said she knew me from the vegetarian club but I'm pretty sure I've never seen her-bivore.

What do you get when you cross the Atlantic with the Titanic? *About half way.*

Okay I'm done.



BRADLEY LANDBERG (Sir Luce) is elated to be performing in this year's musical. Previously performing in last year's musical as part of the ensemble, he is grateful

to have worked with such a wonderful cast of people for both shows, and is sorrowful that this will be his last. He will be playing Sir Luce, harbinger of mattresses (but mostly your average knight). Though he is sad a certain grain of Rice won't be performing with us, he hopes you enjoy the show! He also personally apologizes for any horrific puns you may have encountered in this program.



JENNIFER LOW (Lady in Waiting) is excited to perform in her first show at HHS. Some of her favorite past roles include Woodstock in *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*

and Jojo in *Seussical*. She would like to thank the wonderful cast and crew who helped put this performance together!



KEENAN LYONS (Sir Harry) most recently performed at Lincoln Center in the MCP production of *Crazy for You* and Carnegie Hall as a soloist in PCI's Production of *Broadway's*

Next Generation. Last fall, he appeared in *The Laramie Project* at HHS as the characters Jedidiah Schultz, Russell Henderson, and others. He has also appeared in *Guys and Dolls* (Rusty Charlie), *Carousel* (Enoch Snow Jr.), and *Disney's Beauty and the Beast* (LeFou) at the Manhattan School of Music and last spring as a Storyteller in Cultural Arts Playhouse's Mainstage production of *Children of Eden*. Other credits include the lead in PCI's production of *Reddi High*, an Off-Broadway Musical. In addition, he has performed in productions of *Les Miserables* (Gavroche), *Seussical* (Mr. Mayor), *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown* (Linus), *Nine* (Young Guido). Keenan is a violinist with the Gemini Youth Orchestra's Philharmonia, and has performed at Lincoln Center's Alice Tully Hall. He is a freshman and thanks Mr. Schwendemann for this amazing opportunity and his fellow musical enthusiasts for a fabulous production of *Once Upon a Mattress*.

AMELIA MAGGIO (1st Lady in Waiting – Rowena) is so excited to be in her second show and first musical at Huntington! Amelia is known for being too extra, too loud, and too obsessed with dogs. Amelia has



been in shows such as *Les Miserables*, *Disney's The Little Mermaid*, *Footloose*, and *The Audition!* She wants to thank the awesome cast and crew, her family, her chiropractor for always having her back, and her bra for always supporting her!



HANNAH OLESEN (Lady in Waiting) is really excited for the show this year! It is her last production and wants it to be her best. She is going to miss all the cast and crew but had so much fun this last year. She has been in the last two productions, *Disney's The Little Mermaid* and *Disney's Beauty and the Beast* and loves this show just as much as the others and she can't wait to show everyone!



CHRIS PORZIO (4th Knight) is overexcited to be performing in one of his favorite shows with his old and new friends! This is his second show at HHS. He had ensemble parts in *Aladdin Jr.*, *Disney's The Little Mermaid Jr.*, *The Audition*, *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*, *Disney's The Little Mermaid*, and *Grease*, but now he feels very proud to be a knight! Huge thank you to Schwen and Hosun, and most importantly, NSYNC and the Backstreet Boys for giving him a voice and inspiring his dream to do Drama Club. He would like to say "break a leg" to the cast and he hopes you enjoy the show!



AMELIA REILLY (3rd Lady in Waiting – Lucille) is excited to be performing in her fifth show at HHS. She would like to thank Schwen and the rest of the cast for everything and she hopes you all enjoy the show!



ABBY SEMELSBERGER (Minstrel) is so thrilled to be a part of this amazing production! Favorite roles include Frenchy (*Grease*), Soloist (*Leader of the Pack*), Gertrude McFuzz (*Seussical*), Matt/Doug/Kerrie (*The Laramie Project*), and Snoopy (*You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*). She would like to thank her family, voice and dance teachers, and her amazing cast and director.



NICOLE SEVILLA (Lady Mabelle) is proud to be part of the cast of *Once Upon a Mattress* as Lady Mabelle, as well as part of the ensemble. In fact, she has been involved in past performances such as *Annie* as the Hoovervilite cook, *The Wizard of Oz* as a member of the Lollipop Guild, *Joseph and the Technicolor Dreamcoat* in the ensemble, *Disney's Beauty and the Beast* as a Wolf, *Disney's The Little Mermaid* as a maid, and *The Laramie Project* as a newspaper person. Not only does she enjoy the overall experience of performing, but having the ability to bond with the cast. Although, this will be Nicole's final performance before graduating, she has been loving everything that has to do with this year's musical and will miss the cast. She dedicates this year's performance to every friend she has had the pleasure of meeting in her high school years because of Drama Club.



MADDIE SHEA (Princess Winnifred) Though bitter-sweet, Maddie is ecstatic to portray the role of Winnifred in her eighth and final production at HHS. She would like to

thank the cast, crew, pit, staff, and of course Schwen, for making this experience (and the last four years) so special. Though she heads off to college in the fall to study BFA Musical Theatre, she will never forget the wonderful memories she has made. 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).



PHOEBE WALTHER (Kitchen Wench) is appearing in her second show at HHS and is having a great time. She loves joking around with Alyssa and her other friends and couldn't imagine doing this with any other cast. Break a leg, guys!



MARY KATE WOLBER (Kitchen Wench) is a senior performing in her third and last show at HHS. After participating in *Disney's Beauty and the Beast* and *Disney's The Little Mermaid*,

there was no doubt in her mind about auditioning for *Once Upon a Mattress*. She is beyond grateful for the friendships she has both made and rekindled by being a part of the amazing HHS Drama Club. Sad to be leaving the adventures behind, she is left with the great memories. She'd like to thank Mr. Schwendemann, along with the rest of the cast and crew, for an amazing last show! She hopes that everyone enjoys the hard work that's been put into the production!



FAITH YOUNGQUIST (Lady in Waiting) is excited to be in her first musical at HHS, *Once Upon a Mattress*. In the past, she has performed in *Disney's The Little Mermaid Jr.*, *Willy Wonka Jr.*, *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*, and *The Laramie Project*. She would like to thank the cast, crew and most importantly her mother and Mr. Schwendemann for their guidance and support. She hopes to continue being a part of the Drama Club.

To Schwen

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Maddie

In all 8 shows on the HHS Drama Club stage
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 We love you!

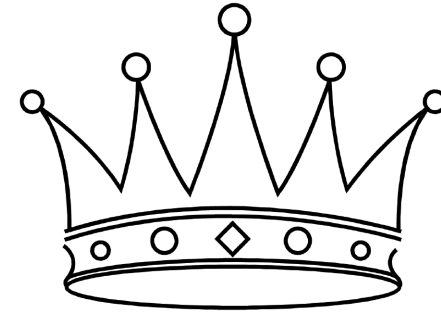
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From Halloween fairy princess to Lady Larken,
you've always been our shining star.

And you always will be.

We love you and all of the wonderful things
that make you, you.

xoxoxo... mom & dad



William,

No words can express
the love and pride I feel for you and
all of your accomplishments!

Congratulations on your role as
Prince Dauntless.

I cannot wait to see you perform.
I may have to learn a trick or two
from Queen Aggravain!

Love you,

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and all those who make this possible —
thank you for your commitment
and dedication!

We wish you a wonderful experience
and hope the show is a success.

With much pride and love,

The Ali Family



Congratulations
Isabella
on your latest show!

We are so proud of your talent and hard work.
Good Luck to the cast and crew of OUAM!!!!

Love,
Mom, Miranda, DeDe, Dad, Kat, and Clem

*Congratulations
Peter and Natalie*

and Cast, Crew and Pit!



From The Ciccone Family



The hard work puts you
where the good luck can find you.
Good luck and have fun Mary Kate.

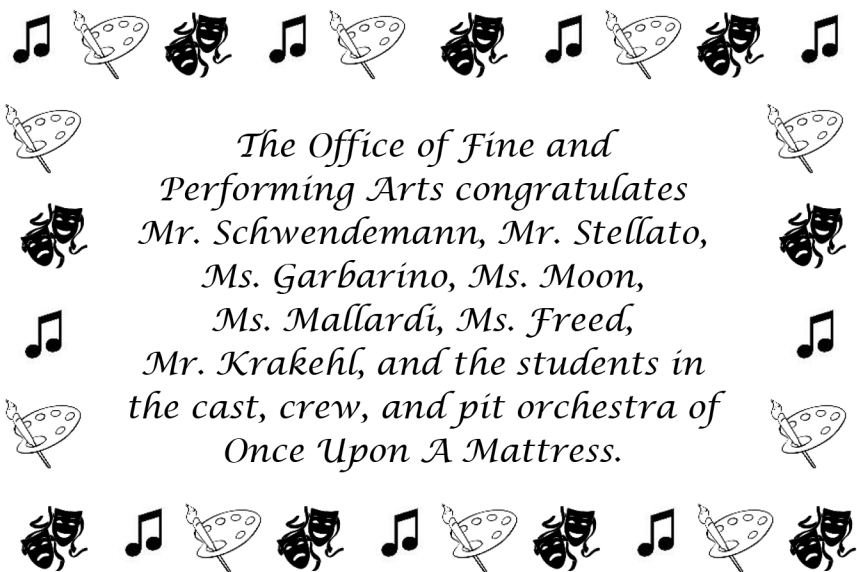
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Kathie Acker



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Ms. Mallardi, Ms. Freed,
Mr. Krakehl, and the students in
the cast, crew, and pit orchestra of
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*So glad I am here
to see you
perform again William,
as Prince Dauntless.
You make me so proud!
I know you will be
GREAT!
Love, Nana*

**Congratulations to
Amelia Reilly!**

Love, Mom & Dad



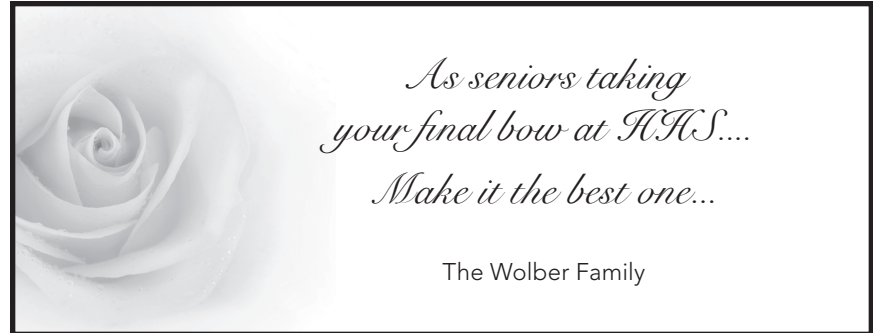
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*We know you will always
Shine Like a Star, Mary Kate
Luv ya lots, Gran and Pop*



*As seniors taking
your final bow at HHS....
Make it the best one...*

The Wolber Family



*Congratulations,
Andrew!
You are our "Knight in
Shining Armor!"
We are so proud of you!
Love,
Mom and Dad*



Dear Schwen,
Thanks for
all the memories.
Love,
The Class of 2017

CONGRATULATIONS TO JENNIFER LOW
&
HUNTINGTON HIGH SCHOOL DRAMA CLUB

To Faculty, Staff
Security and Custodial
Thank you for all you have
done to help us put together

Once Upon A Mattress

GOOD LUCK PHOEBE!

We can't wait to
watch you shine on the stage
as you always do!

Lots of Love,
Mom and Eliza
xoxo

Boosters

Andrew, you amaze us every day. We are so proud of you and love you very much. – Love, Mom & Dad

Andrew, you have an amazing voice. We are so proud of you. – Love, Aunt Tricia, Uncle Glenn, Danny & Rachel

Dear Andrew, you are the biggest guy on stage and the most humble gentleman in the lobby. – Love, Sue & Scott

Andrew – Terrific, talented young man with a bright future ahead of him. – Larry and John

Andrew – You are so talented and neither of us could ever do what you do. Love – Nick and Jill

Congratulations Keenan on your 1st high school musical! Enjoy every minute! XO – Your Family

The Lyons family sends a big congrats to the cast, crew and orchestra of *Once Upon a Mattress*.

Alyssa, We're very proud of you! – Love, Mom, Dad and Victoria

Alyssa, Woof! – Love, Sammy and Charlie

Alyssa, Break a Leg! – Love, Grandma

Congratulations Katy Dara on your last Pit performance in Huntington High School. You sound great. Mom and Dad are very proud of you.

Congratulations Rory Dara on your first performance in Huntington High School. We love you lots and are very proud of you. – Mom and Dad

Best of Luck MK... We Love You! – Aida and Nick

Good Luck Angel... We Love You! – Nick and Patrick

Thank you, Schwen, for making my final show as amazing and memorable as it was and putting in the endless hours with us! ;) – Mary Kate

To our wonderful crew, thank you for helping us perform to the best of our ability! – Mary Kate

To the cast, thank you for the memories and laughs we have had both on and off stage that I will never forget! – Mary Kate

To the pit, thank you for being with us every step of the way and making the show ever better! – Mary Kate

To my fellow seniors: this isn't goodbye, it's just see ya later. Thanks for the fun and everlasting friendships and memories! – Mary Kate

Boosters

Congratulations and Good Luck to cast, crew and pit. – MK

Robert, break a leg and continue to have loads of fun on that stage. We love you. – Love, Momma, Papap, Naine, Uncle Chris, Uncle Thierry, Tatie Danielle, Tatie Babes, Tatie, Uncle Francky and Grandma

Olivia, YOU ARE MY SUNSHINE – a flower blossoming in spring. Break a leg! – Childbearer

Olivia, So Proud Of You! Best of luck on your role as the Queen. Lots of Love – Muzzy

Zubair loves to engage and participate in drama. We love to support and encourage him. – Love, Nama and Jan Jan

Zubair – Proud and happy you enjoy what you do and are doing it well. – Love, Grandpa I and Grandma Maggie

Zubair – so proud and excited for you to be a part of the musical. We look forward to seeing you shine. – Love Mommy and Pappa

To our big brother Zubair – have fun and break a leg. We are really proud of you! – Sabeena and Nadeera

Zubair – enjoy all the dancing, singing, drama and fun. – Love , Juhi, Jason Jordy and Riley

Abby – Congratulations on an amazing first musical at HHS! We are so proud of you! – Love, Mom, Dad & Jack

To the cast – Thank you for making this such an amazing experience. Love you all!

Maddie, thank you for being my best friend! I don't know what I'm gonna do without you! – XOXO JSB

To Abby and Izzy – keep your El Dorado! The real t-shirt quote for us! – XOXO JSB

Mary Kate, from 4th grade we have been friends! I'm so glad that has lasted until now. – XOXO JSB

Chris – We can't wait to see you as a knight! We are so proud of you! – Love Mom, Dad & Ryan

Jordan, thanks for being my person, my VP, and (most importantly) my best friend. Love you! Thanks for everything – M

MK, from St. John's to HHS, thanks for the past 15 years of friendship!! Love ya to pieces – M

My wonderful Drama Club, thank you for 8 great shows and for being my family for the last 4 years. – Maddie

Boosters

Maddie – I know you will be amazing! Congratulations and good luck on your last HHS Drama Club musical! Break a leg! – Love, Allie and Buddy

Maddie!! Congrats on all 8 shows! It's so exciting to see you do what you love. You are made for the stage and though it's definitely sad to leave Drama Club, so many stages and opportunities await you at college and beyond!! Break a leg this weekend!! Go out with a bang!! – Stephanie

To the Cast, Pit and Crew . . . You always come together to make the show nothing short of fantastic! Congratulations to all of you! – The Shea Family

Schwen – 14 shows and 7 years later and The Shea's are finally graduating from Drama Club. Thank you for the knowledge, support, laughter and your friendship.....and for not throwing your keys at us! We will truly miss you!

A SPECIAL THANK YOU

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

Whether soliciting ads or donations;
organizing concessions, 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



Drama Club Seniors 2017

Maddie	Luis	MK
Jordan	Andrew	Anna
Olivia	Amara	Hannah
Grace	Nicole	Bradley

(and Logan too!)

No matter the project – whether
as daunting as **Laramie** or as Dauntless as **Mattress** –

I told you “**don’t drink the water,**”
then asked you to adventure **under the sea...**

Though we were always **babbling**
you brought **beauty** to the stage for this **beast** –

Now you will venture **into the woods**
in search of your own **green gables...**

Though I might not always show it... I love you guys!

Schwen