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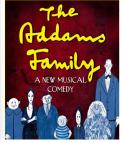
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To celebrate Black History Month, seniors Akilia Robinson and Zoe Audifferen are coordinating a festival and planning a showcase of talent to commemorate the month. This is the 5th annual celebration and the event's founder, Imani Spencer '10, will perform.

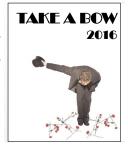
Members of the Spring semester production class will produce an evening of food and fun with this year's mystery dinner experience. Student playwrights are submitting scripts for review. This show will be produced in March 2016.





Auditions will be held in November for students interested in being part of this year's Spring Musical. Taught by Marie Bruner, Megan Schuitema, and Dawn Parker, Harrison Theatre will be tackling a ghoulish delight this Spring — the show will be produced the last weekend of April 2016.

A new Harrison tradition, *Take a Bow* is the senior showcase in which seniors bring their best performances to the stage to take their final bow. Underclassmen prepare a video tribute for the Class of 2016 — don't miss our senior farewell on May 20th!



HARRISON THEATRE SEASON 2015-16



Students performed a montage of scenes spoofing the productions and antics of the 2014-15 season. After the show, new members were inducted into Troupe #4996 of the International Thespian Society.

A Harrison Theatre annual tradition, *Back in Black* serves as a fundraiser for the one-act play competition team. This year, proceeds will benefit the costumes needed to create our magical forest.





This year's one-act play teams is tackling on of Shakespeare's timeless classics. This years, we plan to ask the Georgia ITS plan to review our show with hopes that will be able to share our efforts at Thescon.

Our children's show represents collaboration at its finest. Written by senior Brenna McNulty, students in the acting class will perform this holiday show in December.



Back in Black 2015

Club 601 Owner Millicent Beauregarde (Rachel Taylor)

Club 601 Hostesses Ellie Mae (Morgan Odom) & Rose (Brenna McNulty)

- 1. Scene with Brandon Bayani, '16 & Brianna Koepka, '17
- 2. Vocal Performance by Indy Michio, '17
- 3. Monologue by Kailey Ratcliffe, '17
- 4. Vocal Performance by Jemilya Benjamin, '16
- 5. Monologue by Mallory Mifflin, '17
- 6. Vocal Performance by Kiki Ellis, '17
- 7. Monologue by Brae'shaun Brown, '16
- 8. Vocal Performance by Jenna Rohrbach, '19
- 9. Scene with Hannah Arnold, '16 & Katie Jordan, '16
- 10. Vocal Performance by Abby Brown, '16
- 11. Monologue by Max Caylor, '18
- 12. Vocal Performance by Sully Brown, '16
- 13. Dance Performance by Brennan Parker, '17



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As we look forward to the rest of our season, we are in need of parents and volunteers to assist us with sewing costumes, painting sets and costumes, and building the mansion needed for our Spring Musical. Can you help?



If you are skillful at any of these tasks and/or available to help, please contact our director at marie.bruner@cobbk12.org

OUR DIRECTOR



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Dr. Bruner has been teaching for 27 years, seven of which she spent as a theatre director at Tift County High School and one (so far) as director at Harrison High School. For 26 years of her career, she taught Spanish. She has directed students to three region titles at one-act play competitions, including last year's *I Never Saw Another Butterfly.* Dr. Bruner performed in children's shows and musicals in college and has been the costume designer and publicity manager for numerous productions.



Brennan Parker

"Art is the reflection of pure emotion and mind, the nature of sensation. An artist illustrates that."

Unarine Ramaru







Break a leg! Merde! And all that jazz...

Love,

Mom, Dad, Steven, Tehya, Ashlyn and

Serena





CAST & CREW MEMBERS



HANNAH ARNOLD is the 17 year old daughter of Brown Arnold and Candy Arnold. This is Hannah's third year in Harrison Theatre. She has been a part of *I Never Saw Another Butterfly*, and *High School Musical*. She would like to thank Lauren Lopez for inspiring this scene and Katie Jordan for putting up with her shenanigans during rehearsals.

BRANDON BAYANI is the 17 year old son of Sherri and Amir Bayani. He started working with Harrison Theatre his junior year and has been in *I Never Saw Another Butterfly*, and *High School Musical*. He would like to think his family for supporting him to do his best and his friends are always being there for him.





JEMILYA BENJAMIN is the 17 years old daughter of Jason and Rhonda Smith. She's been involved in theatre since her freshman year and was in *Hairspray*, *Young Frankenstein*, and *High School Musical*. She worked lights for *A Raisin in the Sun*. Jemilya would like to thank anyone who comes support Harrison Theatre!!! We love you!!



ABBY BROWN is the 17 year old daughter of Audrey and Lawson Brown. She appeared in *High School Musical* as Taylor McKessie. This is Abby's second show with Harrison Theatre even though she has been involved in numerous community theatre projects. Abby would like to thank her parents and Mrs. Bruner for believing in her.

BRAE'SHAUN BROWN is the 17 year old son of Dante and D'Angelo Carr. This is Brae's third year in Harrison Theatre. He has been a cast member of *Art in Black, A Raisin in the Sun,* and *High School Musical.* He would like to thank Kool-Aid and coffee for keeping them up during class and his family for all the love and support.





SULLY BROWN is the 17 year old son of Karey Brown and Spencer Brown. He is been involved in Harrison Theatre since freshman year. He has been a part of *I Never Saw Another Butterfly*, and *High School Musical*. Sully would like to thank his friends and family for supporting him through the years. To God be the glory!

MAX CAYLOR is the 15 year old son of Danny Caylor and Angela Caylor. This is Mac's first production, but he is now working on the one act play in the role of Peter Quince. He would like to thank his parents for not strangling him out of frustration and for loving him also, his two absolutely brilliant friends Mac and Jonathan for accompanying him on his incredibly absurd stroll through existence.



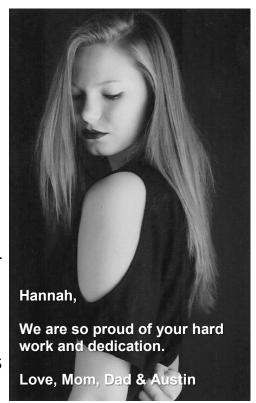


KIKI ELLIS is the 16 year old daughter of Barbara and Maurice Ellis. This is her second year in Harrison Theatre. She has been a part of *High School Musical, Art in Black,* and *A Raisin in the Sun*. She will be playing Puck in the upcoming *A Midsummer's Night Dream,* our One-act play. She like to thank Mrs. Bruner for always believing in her, her mom and dad for supporting her, and her brother Aaron for getting her back into theatre.

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Katie Jordan, we are so proud of you. Break a leg!







We love you. You are always our princess.

Love, Mommy and Daddy



BRENNAN PARKER is the 16 year old son of Dr. Todd and Dawn Parker. This is his second year being involved in Harrison theatre. Brennan has been involved in *I Never Saw Another Butterfly* and *High School Musical*. He would like to thank Mrs. Bruner and his parents for forever lasting support and his tap shoes for making loud noises

KAILEY RATCLIFFE is the 16 year old daughter of Dan and Kathy Ratcliffe. She's been in Harrison Theater since freshman year and was Gabriella in *High School Musical* and appeared in *Young Frankenstein* and *Once Upon A Bedtime*. She would like to thank her Lord and Savior for blessing her with amazing opportunities, her family and friends. Lastly, she'd like to thank Mrs. Bruner for being such a great director!!!





JENNA ROHRBACH is the 13 year old daughter of Chris and Robin Rohrbach. This is Jenna's first production with Harrison Theatre!! She would like to thank her parents for always supporting her and Mrs. Bruner for casting her in her first Harrison Theatre production.

RACHEL TAYLOR (Millicent Beauregarde) is the 17 year old daughter of Leslie Hensley and Joseph Taylor. Rachel has been in theatre since she was a freshman; she has been in Young Frankenstein, Back in Black 2014, Once Upon A Bedtime and Home for the Holidays. She would like to thank her mother, her best friends, and her family for always supporting her in everything that she does in theatre. She'd like to also thank Mrs. Bruner for putting on such creative and incredible shows.



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KATIE JORDAN is the 17 year old daughter of Lisa Jordan and Bob Jordan. This is Katie's third year in theatre and she has been a part of *I Never Saw Another Butterfly, A Salute to Shakespeare* and wrote the one-act *As We Know It.* She would like to thank Lauren Lopez for the inspiration for this scene and Hannah Arnold for being the best scene partner and friend.

BRIANNA KOEPKA is the 16 years old and is the daughter of Howard Koepka and Gina Crow. She's been a part of Harrison theatre since sophomore year appearing in *Once Upon A Bedtime* and *High School Musical*. Brianna would like to thank her parents for always supporting her, her best friend Kailey for getting her into theater, and Mrs. Bruner for all the time and hard work she puts into everyone!!!







BRENNA McNULTY (Rose) is the 17 year old daughter of Paul and Trish McNulty. This is her first year performing with Harrison Theatre and this is her first official Harrison show. Brenna is a part of the one act play team and is also writing this year's children's show. She would like to thank her family for always supporting her.

INDY MICHIO is the 16 year old daughter of Glenda and Paul Michio. She's been in Harrison Theatre for three years and was in *High School Musical* and one-act play during sophomore year. This year, she will be a fairy in *A Midsummer Night's Dream*. She would like to thank her parents for supporting her throughout theatre, Mrs. Bruner for always believing in her abilities, and Ms. Schuitema for helping her with her song for *Back in Black*.





MALLORY MIFFLIN is the 16 year old daughter of Diane and Bill Mifflin. She has been involved in theatre since freshman year and was backstage for *Young Frankenstein, High School Musical,* and *I Never Saw Another Butterfly*. This is her second time being onstage for Back In black. She would like to thank her mommy and daddy for being so nice and Hannahweird for being her friend!

MORGAN ODOM (Ellie Mae) is the 17 year old daughter of Christina and Russell; this is her third year in theater and she has been a part of *High School Musical* and *I Never Saw Another Butterfly*. Morgan will be appearing in the one-act play *A Midsummer Night's Dream* as the Fairy Queen, Titania. She would like to thank her parents, Mrs. Bruner, and her friends for supporting her, even with her bad attitude.





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