

MEAN GIRLS

HIGH SCHOOL VERSION

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Dear Friends of Pearce Theatre,

We have some good news and some bad news to share with you.

The Good News

Pearce Theater continues to be one of the best high school theater programs in America.

Last spring, Pearce students earned multiple nominations at the Broadway Dallas High School Musical Theatre Awards. *Cats: Young Actors Edition* put the school in *The New York Times*.

And in two weeks, we'll bring you the first run premiere pilot cast production of the high school version of the musical *Mean Girls*. It's the kind of show other programs covet, and it's made possible only by indescribably dedicated teachers – and the program's decades-long history of staging award-winning work.

The Bad News

Our stage is currently under construction. Construction at the school means – Pearce Theatre is homeless. The shows must, and will, go on. But it will be costly.

Mean Girls High School Version is being staged at the Allen Performing Arts Center; therefore, we have to pay to rent the facility and haul our set. Other RISD campuses have been as generous with their spaces as possible, but other venues will have to be found, and paid for, for Pearce productions in the spring. And next fall.

At the moment, theatre classes are being held in a former locker room and a portable classroom. All this, and a pandemic, too. Which is why we need your help.

You can support us by:

Making a one-time tax-deductible donation to the Pearce Theatre Booster Club, which supports all aspects of the program. You can do so at:

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If you're reading this, you know just how vital Pearce Theatre is. You might have seen an award-winning premiere pilot show like *Heathers*, *Tuck Everlasting*, or *Shakespeare in Love*, danced in the aisles with *Hairspray!* or *Mamma Mia!* or enjoyed a family night out with *Beauty and the Beast* or *Newsies*.

You might know someone who used Pearce Theatre as a catapult to a top performing arts school such as New York University, Cal Arts, or the University of Michigan. You might have seen some of those students on TV in *Never Have I Ever*, or on Broadway in *Hamilton*.

Or maybe you know, or were, a theater kid who found your place on the stage – and know the shared joy that comes when music, words, performer, and audience all connect.

With your support, we can keep things humming, singing, dancing, and laughing for a new generation.

Thank you for your support, the Pearce Theatre Booster Club

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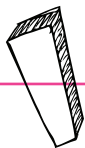
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Cady Heron may have grown up on an African savanna, but nothing prepared her for the wild and vicious ways of her strange new home: suburban Illinois. How will this naïve newbie rise to the top of the popularity pecking order? By taking on The Plastics, a trio of lionized frenemies led by the charming but ruthless Regina George. But when Cady and her friends devise a “Revenge Party” to end Regina’s reign, she learns the hard way that you can’t cross a Queen Bee without getting stung.



Act I

Overture	<i>Instrumental</i>
Mean	<i>Janis & Damian</i>
It Roars	<i>Cady, Mr. Heron, Mrs. Heron, Ensemble</i>
It Roars (Reprise)	<i>Ensemble</i>
Where Do You Belong?	<i>Damian, Janis, Cady, Ensemble</i>
Meet The Plastics	<i>Regina, Gretchen, Karen, Janis, Damian, Cady</i>
Stupid With Love	<i>Cady</i>
Apex Predator	<i>Janis, Cady, Ensemble</i>
What’s Wrong With Me?	<i>Gretchen</i>
October Third	<i>Aaron, Cady</i>
Sexy	<i>Karen, Female Ensemble</i>
Someone Gets Hurts	<i>Regina, Aaron, Male Ensemble</i>
Revenge Party	<i>Janis, Damian, Cady, Ensemble</i>
Fearless	<i>Cady, Gretchen, Karen, Ensemble</i>

Act II



Mean (Reprise)	<i>Janis, Damian</i>
Stop	<i>Damian, Art Students, Karen, Ensemble</i>
What’s Wrong With Me? (Reprise)	<i>Gretchen, Mrs. George</i>
Whose House Is This?	<i>Kevin G, Cady, Gretchen, Karen, Ensemble</i>
More Is Better	<i>Cady, Aaron, Ensemble</i>
Someone Gets Hurt (Reprise)	<i>Cady, Janis, Damian</i>
Watch The World Burn	<i>Regina, Ensemble</i>
I’d Rather Be Me	<i>Janis, Ensemble</i>
Fearless (Reprise)	<i>Cady</i>
Do This Thing	<i>Cady, Ms. Norbury, Kevin G, Mathletes</i>
I See Stars	<i>Cady, Ensemble</i>





Cast

terrific

Cady Heron

Bella Denissen

Regina George

Claire Spradley

Janis Sarkisian

Ginger Johnson

Damian Hubbard

Jacob Merschel

Aaron Samuels

Quinn Buchly

Gretchen Wieners

Sarah Willingham

Karen Smith

Amelia Pinney

Mr. Duvall

Ike Hoodenpyle

Ms. Norbury

Ella Waterbury

Mrs. George

Karol Garcia

Kevin G

Spencer Van Goor

Mrs. Heron

Brynne Scott

Mr. Heron

Garrett McNeill

Taylor W

Catherine Ann Mathis

Caitlyn C

Maya Dominguez

Sonja A

Libby Cone

Lizzie T

Lane Brodie Odom

Tyler K

Max Rudelman

Glenn Coco

Garrett McNeill

Jason W

Rhys Flynn

Shane O

Joey Nagus

Martin

Shepherd Dicharry

Sophie K

Grace E. Hall

Grace A

Hailey Gibson

Christian

Tray Persley

Teary Girl

Emma Erhart

Caroline K

Sloan Docekal

Mathletes Moderator

Shepherd Dicharry

Marymount Captain

Kenneth Alexander Jurado

Mrs. Buck

Ava Johnston

Dawn S

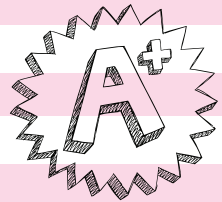
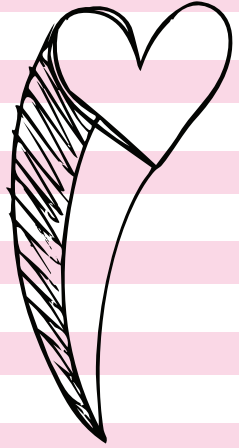
Autumn Micknal

Coach Carr

Rhett Sawyer

French Teacher

Gabby Stock



**YOU
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Cast

Dance Team

Mary Margaret Anthony
Caroline Roberts
Catherine Ann Mathis

Sloan Docekal
Reagan Smiddy

Debate Team

Mia Frederking
Brynne Scott

Eleanor Fiducia

Drama Club

Ava Johnston
Scotty Richardson

Rhyse Kelley
Hailey Gibson

Mathletes

Shepherd Dicharry
Garret McNeill

Max Rudelman
Rhys Flynn

Show Choir

Grace Hall
Nica Hedtke
Gabby Stock

Alexander Jurado
Shayna Logan-Bloom

SCENE

Production Crew

Director

Heather Biddle

Assistant Director

Ethan Armstrong

Music Director

Grace Gill

Music Director/ Accompanist

Jared Schwartz

Choreographer

Amelia Pinney[†]

Set and Lighting Designer

Ryan Bradbury[†]

Master Carpenter

Kirk Corley

Sound Design

Ben Ossa[†]

Student Director

Lily Beck[†]

Stage Manager & Prop Manager

Chloe Garcia[†]

2nd Stage Manager

Macy Ware[†]

Costumer

Catherine Ann Mathis[†]

Dance Captain

Mary Anthony[†]

Wigs

Corey Smith-Shaw[‡]



[†] Current PHS Student [‡] Former PHS Student



Pit Musicians

Conductor & Keyboards

Jared Schwartz

Reeds

Michael Dill

Guitars

Jaime Zolfaghari

Guitars

Aaron Sutton



Booster Club

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Bella's Family	Valerie & Rob Johnson	The Spradley Family
Wendy & Oliver Cone	Downie Mathis	The Stock Family
The Dicharry Family	The McNeill Family	Lance & Ashley Travis
The Docekal Family	Ossa Family	The Waterbury Family
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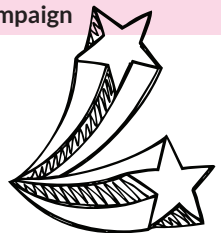
Special thank you to our high school seniors who took on responsibilities far beyond their years.

To **Ryan Bradbury** for the full set design and execution and lighting design and acting as the tech director. To **Amelia Pinney**, who not only is starring in the show as Karen but choreographed the full musical. Thank you both for your endless help and dedication. We love you!

Everyone who has donated so far to our fundraising campaign



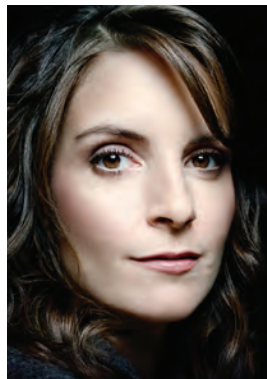
And, finally, Tina Fey, for reminding us, through this musical, life is better without mean girls ruining our day.





Bios

Tina Fey (Author) Tina Fey is a writer, actor, and producer known for her award-winning series *30 Rock* and for nine seasons on *Saturday Night Live* (Weekend Update, Sarah Palin, Mom Jeans.) Films: *Sisters*, *Whiskey Tango Foxtrot*, *Date Night*, *Mean Girls* (her first screenplay). In 2010 she became the youngest recipient of the Mark Twain Prize for American Humor. Her book *Bossypants* has sold 2.5 million copies. She co-created *Unbreakable Kimmy Schmidt* (Netflix) and was an Executive Producer on *Great News* (NBC). She is thrilled to make her Broadway debut as a writer and not as a dancer in *Cats* as previously stress-dreamt. She lives in NYC with her husband Jeff Richmond and their two fancy daughters. She dedicates her work here to her mom Jeanne, for loving and feeding the many teenage loudmouths that went on to be characters in this show.



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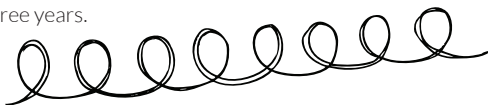
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OMG

Mary Anthony (Dance Team) is excited about her first show with JJ Pearce Theatre and is thrilled to be in this production of *Mean Girls High School Version*. She would like to thank her family and friends and Mrs. Hightower and Mrs. Biddle for the opportunities given to her over the past three years.



Lilly Beck (Student Director) is a senior. She is super excited for the pilot premiere cast of *Mean Girls High School Version*. Her previous shows include *Hairspray* and *Anything Goes* as a Student Director and *Cats* as Jennyanydots. She is also a part of the JJ Pearce MMB. She is super grateful for and would like to thank Mrs. Biddle, Mr. Armstrong, her friends, and her family for their continued support. Thanks to MTI for this incredible experience and the wonderful cast and crew.



SUPERSTARS! Bios 100%

Ryan Bradbury (Scenic/Lighting Design and Technical Director) is super excited to be a designer for the pilot premiere of *Mean Girls High School Version*. Ryan previously designed the set for Pearce's production of *Anything Goes*, and he designed the Lighting for *Percy Jackson* and *The Lightning Thief*. He was also the assistant designer, under Matthew Imhoff, for the Southeastern Summer Theatre Institutes production of *Ragtime the Musical*. He would like to thank Mrs. Biddle for asking him to step into his role and is so grateful to her and Mr. Cox for guiding him throughout his high school career.



Quinn Buchly (Aaron) is so excited to be performing in the pilot premiere cast of *Mean Girls High School Version*. Credits include Crutchie in *Newsies*, Moonface Martin in *Anything Goes*, Bruce in *Matilda*, Les in *Newsies*, and Gavroche in *Les Miserables*. Quinn also plays for the JJ Pearce baseball and tennis teams. He would like to thank Mrs. Biddle, Mrs. Gill, and his entire family for always supporting him.



Libby Cone (Sonja A.) is very excited to share *Mean Girls High School Version* with everyone! This is her 4th production and her 2nd at Pearce. She was in *High School Musical* at NTPA and is currently in *Into The Woods* at NTPA. She was in *Anything Goes* last year at Pearce. Thank you to the amazing cast and crew for making this show possible! Go Northshore!



WAY TO GO!

Isabella Denissen (Cady) is beyond excited to be a part of the pilot premiere cast of *Mean Girls High School Version*! Bella's past performances at Pearce include: Reno in *Anything Goes*, Annabeth in *The Lightning Thief*, and Demeter in *Cats*. When she's not on stage, you may find her practicing her yoga flow, reading sappy romance novels, and coping with her boba tea addiction. Thanks so much to the lovely and talented cast and crew. Here's to a fantastic show!



Shepherd Dicharry (Martin/Mathletes Moderator) can't wait to put on this wonderfully creative production. This is his 2nd musical at Pearce, and he is still riding high off of the rush that *Cats* was. Favorite past shows include the premiere of *Cats Young Actors Edition* as Gus (I've only been in one). He is super excited to add more to the roster.



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Sloan Docekal (Dance Team) This is Sloan's second musical with Pearce Theatre and she is beyond excited to be a part of this amazing pilot production! She currently serves as Junior Lieutenant on Pacesetters. Sloan would like to thank Mrs. Biddle, Mrs. Hightower and Ms. Cothrun for all of their love and support over the past three years.



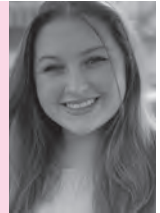
WONDERFUL Bios



Maya Dominguez (Caitlin C) is a sophomore and is honored to be part of *Mean Girls High School Version*, her second Pearce production. She loves to sing and is a member of the Forte and Acapella Choirs. She would like to thank Mrs. Biddle, Mrs. Gill and Miss Wilson for this opportunity. She would also like to thank her voice teacher Mrs. Reed and all of her family and friends who have supported her.



Emma Erhart (Teary Girl/Varsity Jock) "SHE DOESN'T EVEN GO HERE!" Emma is so hyped to be in her first pilot production and honored to be part of the incredible musical *Mean Girls High School Version*! Past shows with Pearce Theatre include *Anything Goes* and *Catch Me if You Can*. Thank you to her talented castmates, the hard working crew, and the incredible director of *Mean Girls High School Version*!



Eleanor Fiducia (Debate Team) is very excited about her very first Pearce production. Eleanor has done shows with Repertory Company Theater for about three and a half years. Her favorite shows/roles include *Beauty and the Beast* (Mrs. Potts), *Wizard of Oz* (Glinda), and *Elf* (Emily Hobbs).

super!



Rhys Flynn (Jason W.) is so excited to be part of *Mean Girls High School Version* at Pearce. This is Rhys' third main stage show, and he is excited for more to come. He loves to sleep, eat, and watch TV. He was part of *Cats* last year as Skimbleshanks and made many great memories. Rhys wants to thank everyone in the production, especially the spectacular and extraordinary directors Mr. Armstrong and Mrs. Biddle. Shoutout to Ginger Johnson for being the best girlfriend ever.



Mia Frederking (Debate Team) is a sophomore and is so excited to be part of her first theater production at Pearce. She enjoys theatre, video games, and volleyball. She thanks Ms. Biddle, her family, and her friends for supporting her.

GO GIRL



Chloe Garcia (Stage manager/ props) is thrilled about the pilot premiere cast of *Mean Girls High School Version*. Her previous shows include: *Hairspray*, *Anything Goes*, and *Cats*. She is part of the JJ Pearce Color Guard. She would like to thank Mrs. Biddle, Mr. Armstrong, and her family for their continued support. Thanks to MTI for this fetch experience and the wonderful cast and crew.



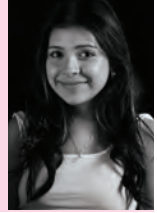


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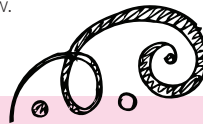


Karol Garcia (Mrs.George) is delighted for the premier cast of *Mean Girls High School Version*. Favorite previous shows: *The Wizard of Oz*, *Cats*, and *Pink Lemonade*. Karol's favorite roles are Alice, Caroline, and Rum Tum Tugger. When she is not swimming or singing in the shower, she loves to spend time with friends and family. Karol has many things she fears, including insects, roller coasters, and paranormal situations. She hopes to surpass these fears and is working on it. Thank you, MTI, for this experience and the opportunity to be with this wonderful cast and crew.

COOL



Hailey Gibson (Grace A.) is thrilled to be part of the pilot production of *Mean Girls High School Version*. Last year, Hailey made her Pearce Theatre debut playing Grizabella in *Cats Young Actors Edition*. Outside of theatre, Hailey loves playing golf and dancing. She is grateful to the cast and crew and hopes you all love the show.



Grace Hall (Sophie K) is a sophomore who is beyond honored to be in *Mean Girls High School Version*! Outside of theatre, she is involved in Forte, Acappella, Cross Country, and Track. Previous roles include: Chef Louis in *The Little Mermaid* and Guest in *Anything Goes*. Huge thanks to my supportive family and the directors!

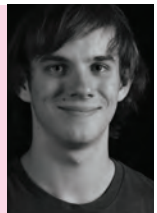
perfect



Nica Hedtke (Show Choir) is a sophomore at Pearce and is thrilled to be part of the pilot production of *Mean Girls High School Version*! Her past productions include *Cinderella* (Grace), *The Lion King* (Zazu), and *Firebringer* (Emberly). Outside of Theatre, she is a member of MMB and Forte. She would like to thank her choir directors, her mom, and Ms. Biddle for this incredible opportunity to grow as a performer!



Ike Hoodenpyle (Mr.Duvall) is excited to be part of this amazing cast! Ike's previous shows at Pearce include *Hairspray*, *Catch Me If You Can*, *Anything Goes*, and *Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief the Musical*. Ike's favorite roles have been Mr.D in *Percy Jackson* and Elisha Whitney in *Anything Goes*. Ike would like to thank his friends and family for their continued support. He also wants to thank Mrs.Biddle, Arm, and Mrs.Gill for helping him develop as a performer. Outside of acting Ike enjoys performing alongside Forte, swimming with the Varsity Swim Team, and Hanging with the chums.



Ginger Johnson (Janis) is so excited to be part of the pilot production of *Mean Girls High School Version*! She was always a big fan of Pearce Theatre when she was younger and can't believe she's getting the opportunity to live out her dreams of carrying on the Pearce Theatre legacy. Some of Ginger's favorite roles include Luke in *The Lightning Thief*, Munkustrap in *Cats*, and Purser in *Anything Goes*. When she's not on stage, Ginger is probably busy being TikTok famous or editing together the cast's reality show: "*The Real Mean Girls of Pearce Theatre*." She would like to thank Heather Biddle, Grace Gill, Ethan Armstrong and Jared Schwartz for making this incredible opportunity a reality.



STARS

Bios



Ava Johnston (*Mrs. Buck/Drama Club*) is super excited for the pilot premiere of *Mean Girls High School Version*! This is only her second show at JJ Pearce, having been in *Cats* her junior year. Ava loves reading, going to dance classes, and driving her sisters everywhere they need to be! She is so excited for her family to come and see her performance. Thank you to everyone who is part of this show!

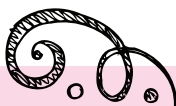


Alexander Jurado (*Marymount Captain/Show Choir*) is honored to be a part of his first pilot and is overjoyed to be able to share it with you! A huge thank you to the fantastic cast and crew I have had the pleasure of getting to know, and an even bigger thanks to Mrs. Biddle, Mrs. Gill, and Mr. Armstrong for the opportunity to have such an amazing experience. Enjoy the show! It'll be fetch!!!



Rhyse Kelley (*Drama Club*) is excited to be part of *Mean Girls High School Version*. Rhyse was part of the JJP theatre camp from 2015-2018, where she was Ursula in *The Little Mermaid* in 2018. She is thrilled to be working with Mrs. Biddle again and happy to be part of her first musical as a JJP student. Thanks to the fantastic cast and crew of *Mean Girls High School Version*!

WOW



Shayna Logan-Bloom (*Show Choir*) is incredibly excited and honored to be part of *Mean Girls High School Version* and her first show! Shayna is involved in Forte, Acapella, and Band, at school. She can't wait for this production and many others to come. Thank you to everyone in the cast and crew of *Mean Girls High School Version*!



Catherine Ann Mathis (*Taylor W/Dance Team and Costumer*) is so excited to be in her third Pearce production! She is Social Committee on the JJ Pearce Pacesetters, part of Production theatre, NCL, and DECA. She can't wait to be a part of the pilot production of *Mean Girls High School Version*!

You Go!



Garrett McNeill (*Mr. Herion/Glen Coco/Mathlete*) is a senior and very excited to be part of *Mean Girls High School Version* this year. His previous favorite show was *Catch Me If You Can*. His favorite role was Cogsworth from *Beauty and the Beast*. He is a big fan of many things and can't wait to do more. He loves music and going to the movies, and he is also a big fan of tigers. He would like to thank people in his life, specifically those he knows the name of.



LOVE + Support

Bios



Jacob Merschel (Damian) is a senior and super excited about *Mean Girls High School Version*. He appeared recently in *Anything Goes* and previously in *The Lightning Thief*, *Catch Me If You Can*, and *Hairspray*! He's a graduate of the 2022 Nexus Musical Theatre Summer Intensive at Texas State, directed by Kaitlin Hopkins. He's also a Forte member who enjoys drumming, playing guitar and skateboarding. Jacob hopes to pursue a performing arts career after graduation. He'd like to thank Heather Biddle and Grace Gill for this opportunity.



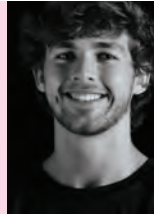
I ♥ YOUR WORK!

Autumn Micknal (Dawn S) is so excited to be in and share this first-ever production of *Mean Girls High School Version*. This is Autumn's second production at Pearce, following *Anything Goes*, and she would like to thank the theatrical and choral programs at Pearce for this incredible opportunity. Thank you to the cast and crew of *Mean Girls High School Version*, and we hope you enjoy the show.



FABULOUS

Joey Nagus (Shane O) is thrilled to be part of the pilot premiere of *Mean Girls High School Version*. He is very excited to be Shane Oman! This is Joey's third musical at Pearce, and his previous musicals include *Catch Me If You Can* and *Anything Goes*. When Joey is not on the stage, don't ask if he has any extra time... seriously. Joey is a Stampede Lieutenant, DECA Officer, Student Government representative, Pacesetter Escort, and a member of National Honor Society, Younglife, Theatre, Varsity Track and Field, and Hearts of Servants. Joey would like to thank Mrs. Biddle and Mrs. Gill for always believing in him and pushing him to be the best version of himself.



Lane Odom (Lizzie T) I am so excited to be part of this amazing crew and cast of *Mean Girls High School Version*! It is still unreal that this is the second show I am doing here at Pearce high school! I can't wait for everyone to see and enjoy the show as much as I love being a part of it!



Ben Ossa (Sound Designer) is thrilled to be helping make the premiere of *Mean Girls High School Version* come to life. Favorite previous shows: *Catch Me If You Can*, *Percy Jackson* and *The Lightning Thief*, and *Anything Goes*. When Ben is not doing something production or tech-related, he likes to hang out with friends and take time to relax at home. Ben would like to thank MTI for this fantastic experience and opportunity to work with this amazing cast and crew.



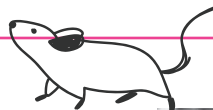
SUPER ☆

Tray Persley (Christian) is excited to be joining the pilot cast of *Mean Girls High School Version*. This is Tray's first production but he's looking forward to continuing to work with Pearce Theatre. Outside of theatre, Tray is part of Pearce Football and he enjoys singing *Bet on It* from *High School Musical 2*. He wants to thank the amazing cast and crew for welcoming him and his family for their support, he won't forget any of you when he's a star.





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Amelia Pinney (Karen/Choreographer) is ecstatic to perform in the pilot production of *Mean Girls High School Version*. She has performed in and choreographed *Anything Goes* and *Cats Young Actors Edition* (meow). When she is not on stage or in the studio, she can be found driving Ginger Johnson (Janis) around, singing through every song ever. She also thoroughly enjoys sharks and watching *Glee*. She would like to thank Heather Biddle and Jared Schwartz. Love y'all!!



WOW!

Scotty Richardson (Drama Club) is so excited to be part of the of *Mean Girls High School Version*. Her favorite show she has done was *Teen Beach Movie* in 2019. Her favorite hobbies are, watching movies, hanging with friends, and driving her car. *Mean Girls* is her favorite movie, and she is beyond excited to be part of this journey and can't wait for what comes next!



Caroline Roberts (Dance Team) Caroline, a Junior, is appearing in her second Pearce Theatre production. She is so excited to be on Dance Team in the pilot production of *Mean Girls High School Version*. Caroline is a second year member of Pacesetters and SWAY Company, a third year theatre student, and a member of NHS, DECA, and NCL. She would like to express her love and appreciation to the Fine Arts Directors and her family for all their support.



amazing



Max Rudelman (Tyler K) is a sophomore who is thrilled to be part of the pilot production of *Mean Girls High School Version*! This is his fourth JJ Pearce production, and he has also appeared in two Uptown Players shows. Love and thanks to his family, friends, Jared Schwartz, Armoni Adamson, Ms. Biddle, and Mr. Armstrong.



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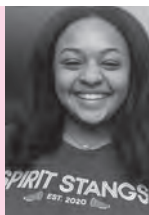
Rhett Sawyer (Coach Carr) *Mean Girls High School Version* is Rhett's first musical at Pearce High School. He is very excited to be part of the cast. His favorite show is *Cats*. Rhett would like to thank his friends and family, Ms. Biddle and Mr. Armstrong for their support.



FUN



Brynne Scott (Mrs.Heron/Debate Team) is so excited to be part of the pilot premiere cast of *Mean Girls High School Version*. This is her second production with Pearce Theatre, and it is a HUGE honor to be part of *Mean Girls*! When she is not at rehearsals, in her free time, Brynne is the President of Best Buddies and babysits 24/7. Brynne wants to say a special thank you to Mrs.Biddle and Mrs.Gill for all of their amazing work to make the production so incredible, a special thank you to all of the cast and crew members for being awesome humans and for all the memories that come along with the show, and lastly thanks to MTI for this amazing experience!



OMG

Bios



Reagan Smiddy (Dance Team) is so excited to perform in the pilot premiere production of *Mean Girls High School Version*. This is her second show with Pearce Theatre; she was on Tap Core in *Anything Goes*. Reagan is part of Pacesetters, National Honor Society, National Charity League, and Junior Co-Chair of Sideline Sweethearts. She would like to thank Ms. Biddle for this amazing opportunity.



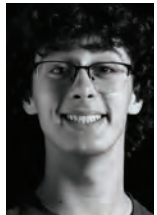
Claire Spradley (Regina George) is a junior and is so honored to be a part of the pilot production of *Mean Girls High School Version*. Some of her previous favorite shows include *Matilda* (Matilda), *School of Rock* (Tomika), *Heathers* (Martha), and *Anything Goes* (Angel). When she is not performing, she loves to babysit and spend time with her friends. She would like to thank Ms. Biddle, Mr. Armstrong, Ms. Gill and Jared Schwartz for their dedication to this show. She would also like to thank MTI for this amazing experience and her family and friends for supporting her.



Gabby Stock (French Teacher/Show Choir) is so excited to share this very fetch production with you all! This is Gabby's second pilot production, and she is so grateful to be chosen to represent MTI with this title. Favorite past shows include: *Alice in Wonderland*, *You're a Good Man Charlie Brown*, *Madagascar*, and *Annie*. Thank you to the wonderful cast and crew of *Mean Girls High School Version*!!



Spencer Van Goor (Kevin G) is more than excited for the pilot premiere of *Mean Girls High School Version*. He has also been seen in *Cats Young Actors Edition* (Rum Tum Tugger), *Fiddler on The Roof* (Lazar Wolfe), *The Wizard of Oz* (Scarecrow), and *The Lion King Jr.* (Mufasa). This is Spencer's 4th performance with Ms. Biddle, and he is ready for more! When he isn't on stage, he is busy as the JJ Pearce Diving Captain and is the first chair cellist at Pearce! Spencer would like to thank all of his amazing directors for this phenomenal experience.



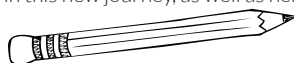
TERRIFIC!!!

Macy Ware (Run Crew Head/Stage Manager) is so glad to be able to help with this pilot production of *Mean Girls High School Version*. Past shows include: *Anything Goes* and *Cats Young Actors Edition*. Macy is so excited to be part of this amazing cast and crew.

OUTTA THIS WORLD!



Ella Waterbury (Ms. Norbury) is ecstatic to be part of the first cast of *Mean Girls High School Version*. This is Ella's first show, and she is extremely grateful for the opportunity to be part of this pilot premiere. In her free time, Ella loves to read and is an active member of Student Government, NHS, and Young Life. She would like to say a big thank you to all of her friends and family for supporting her in this new journey, as well as her directors for giving her this wonderful experience!





Bios



Sarah Willingham (Gretchen) is so excited to be part of the pilot premiere production of *Mean Girls High School Version*. She is a senior, and some of her favorite Pearce productions include *Cats Young Actors Edition* (Rumpleteezer), *The Sparrow* (Principal Skor), *The Lightning Thief* (Mrs. Dodds/Charon), *Anything Goes*, *Catch Me If You Can*, and *Hairspray!* When she is not taking selfies on stage, she can be found reading, watching movies, and working at her favorite restaurant ever (Kenny's Italian Kitchen!). She would like to thank her friends and family for supporting her and her directors for including her in this amazing experience!



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**Congratulations,
Eleanor
Fiducia!**

We love you!
Love Mom, Dad
and Sammy



**Jacob,
You're fetch all
October – and
many other
months, too.**

Break a limb.

Love,
Your family



Ryan,
We are so incredibly proud of your hard work
determination, and perseverance!
You never cease to amaze us and we cannot
wait to see what your future holds. Now it is
time to spread your wings and fly
and don't forget to
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Stay Humble,
& Never Stop Chasing Your Dreams!!

Love you always,
Mom, Dad, & Grace



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**Break a leg,
Catherine Ann!**

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Break a Leg!

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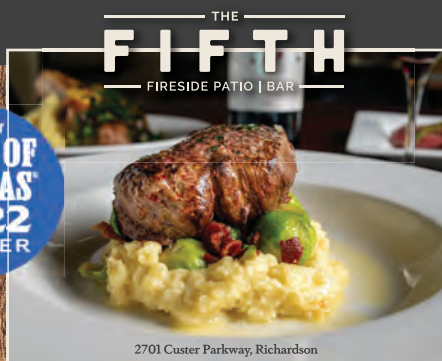
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you're so
Fetch!**

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& William



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began.**

**Where you're
headed.**

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Love, Mom, Dad & Pearl Sue

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We are so proud of you for working
hard to accomplish your goals!!!

Love Mom, Dad and Haley

**Break a leg,
Shepherd!**

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Mom, Dad, Jacob and Louie





You were made for this role

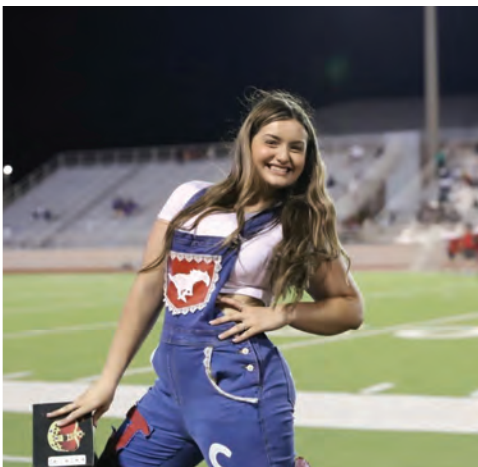
and we are so excited to watch
you! It's going to be "SO FETCH!!"

Love you, Dad, Mom,
James, Anna, and John

We are so proud of you and your
"Go big or go home" attitude this year!
Senior year is off to a great start, and
we are sure you'll go out with a bang!

Have so much fun, Joey - we have
loved watching you do all your things
at Pearce over the years, and this one
is sure to be the best one yet!

We love you - Mom & Dad



**Ella, you work hard
and love life. We are
SO proud of you!**

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