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QUEEN'S WAY

# Alice

in

# Wonderland

white rabbit house



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THE KIDS ACTING STUDIO  
PRODUCTION OF  
Disney  
**Alice in  
Wonderland** JR. ©Disney

INTERMEDIATE BALCONES WOODS CAST

SATURDAY, JANUARY 18TH @ 8:30 PM

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19TH @ 6:30 PM

Music and Lyrics by

Danny Elfman,

Sammy Fain & Bob Hilliard,

Oliver Wallace & Cy Coben,

Michael Abbott & Sarah Weeks,

and Mack David, Al Hoffman & Jerry Livingston

Music Adapted and Arranged

and Additional Music and Lyrics by Bryan Louiselle

Additional Arrangements & Orchestrations by

Patrick Sulken

Book and Additional Lyrics by David Simpatico

Based on the 1951 Disney film *Alice in Wonderland*  
and the novels *The Adventures of Alice in Wonderland*  
and *Through the Looking-Glass* by Lewis Carroll

DISNEY'S ALICE IN WONDERLAND JR.

is presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International  
(MTI). All authorized performance materials are also supplied by MTI.

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## DIRECTOR'S NOTE

When I was in elementary school, we used to have a DEAR Day once every six weeks. DEAR stood for Drop Everything And Read: it was a full day devoted to literature and letting our minds run wild in our imagination. Being the avid reader I was (and still am), you can imagine the thrill emanating from eight year old me. I would bring 2 chapter books - often one I was currently reading, and the next in my TBR list - a blanket and a stuffy, and be content in my own world for seven hours. It was during DEAR that I had brought my dad's copy of *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland* and *Through the Looking Glass*. I always enjoyed the Disney cartoon, and I had a VHS live-recording of the 1999 TV movie (with Whoopi Goldberg!) and I would watch it over and over, so I knew I would like the novel. I remember being so enthralled in the world Lewis Carroll crafted, that I went home and continued to read until it was 2 am. I loved the silly nonsensical poems, the many different characters, the illustrations, and obviously, Alice! Her imagination was limitless and I felt like I was just like her! It very quickly became one of my favourite stories. Not to mention, it finally gave context to my dad's constant quoting of the The Walrus and The Carpenter poem!

Rereading it in preparation for the production really gave the story a whole new meaning in adulthood. The themes of self-discovery and learning to lean into your own brand of "madness" really spoke to me in a new way. My own journey of learning who I am and building my confidence in my own world of beliefs is one of the most important parts of my personal growth. While my job is to teach your students to perform in a theatrical setting, I fully believe that I'm teaching in everything I do - from the words I speak, to the actions I do in every class. I hope that they see someone who's not afraid to be herself and that helps them feel like they can truly be themselves!

Alice fully embraces who she is at the end of her travels in Wonderland and wakes up confident to be herself. While I know nothing can happen overnight, I do hope that I have helped build your students' confidence even a fraction of an inch each week we have met. This production has held its own set of unique challenges - from the venue changes to the music with tough rhythms and spelling - but I feel so proud of how hard the students have worked to make the journey through Wonderland exciting, fun, and filled with zaniness! Not only that, but I hope that they have developed a bond with their castmates and learned that each brand of "madness" we bring to class only adds to the beautiful ensemble piece you are about to view.

*"But I don't want to go among mad people," Alice remarked.*

*"Oh, you can't help that," said the Cat: "we're all mad here. I'm mad. You're mad."*

*"How do you know I'm mad?" said Alice.*

*"You must be," said the Cat, "or you wouldn't have come here."*

Enjoy the mad adventure down the rabbit hole. :)

Mary Meiron, Blocking Director

# CAST

Dodo Bird / 2 of Clubs ..... Cash Banks  
King of Hearts..... Oliver Boumaza  
Caterpillar..... Nolan Demerath  
Mathilda / Rose..... Julia Floyd  
Violet..... Aurora Fox  
Cheshire Cat 2 ..... Elliott Funderburg  
Tweedle Dum..... Owen Grunnet  
Mad Hatter..... Hudson Hays  
Small Alice / Friend 1 / 3 of Diamonds ..... Aoibhín Kelley  
Daisy..... Rosemary Klein  
Cheshire Cat 3 ..... Sadie Marquis  
Tweedle Dee..... Johnny Nafius  
March Hare..... Hendrix Olmsted  
Tall Alice / Petunia / Friend 2 / 4 of Hearts ..... Mack Reeder  
Cheshire Cat 1 ..... Ezra Rozycki  
Queen of Hearts..... Jillian Schneider  
Alice..... Abby Seaman  
Doorknob / Lily..... Lena Silver  
White Rabbit ..... Everleigh Taylor

# CREW

Director ..... Mary Meiron  
Accompanist..... Preston King  
Director's Assistant ..... Amanda Alch  
Dance Captains..... Mack Reeder & Everleigh Taylor  
Stage Manager..... Kel Saners  
Light & Sound Op..... Brinn Flores  
Wardrobe ..... Lucy Nichols  
Crew ..... Finn Higginbotham

# PRODUCTION STAFF

Education Director..... Courtney Jacobs  
Production Manager..... Jazmine Miller  
Office Manager ..... Tiffany Williams  
Blocking Director..... Mary Meiron  
Technical Director..... Connor Hopkins  
Assistant Technical Director ..... Miles Miller  
Scenic Design ..... Connor Hopkins  
Lighting Design ..... Patrick Anthony  
Costume Design..... Chasity Taylor  
Property Master..... Cassie Padgett  
Scenic Painter ..... Heather Jichi  
Carpenters..... Akina Bednar & Fred Demps  
Master Electrician ..... Jacqueline Sindelar  
Front of House Manager ..... Kel Sanders  
Videographer..... Jacqueline Sindelar

# SPECIAL THANKS

to Mandi Richey, Genesis Presbyterian Church, City Theatre,  
and the Genesis Creative Collective for making their space available  
and to the families of all of our students for their support!



# MUSICAL NUMBERS

## ACT I

Scene One.....Prologue  
*Alice's Theme* ..... Wonderland Ensemble  
*In a World of My Own*..... Alice, Wonderland Ensemble  
*I'm Late* ..... White Rabbit, Wonderland Ensemble  
*Very Good Advice*..... Alice, Wonderland Ensemble

Scene Two ..... Knock Knock Knock

Scene Three .....Swimming Into Wonderland  
*Ocean of Tears/Smallification 2* .... Cheshire Cats, Tall Alice, Doorknob,  
 Dodo Bird, Wonderland Ensemble

Scene Four .....Jolly Caucus Race  
*The Caucus Race*.....Dodo Bird, Small Alice, Wonderland Ensemble  
*I'm Late (Reprise)*..... White Rabbit, Wonderland Ensemble  
*How D'ye Do and Shake Hands* ..... Tweedle Dum, Tweedle Dee, Alice  
*How D'ye Do and Shake Hands (Reprise)*.... Tweedle Dum, Tweedle Dee

Scene Five .....Monster in My House

Scene Six .....Braving the Garden  
*The Golden Afternoon*.....Rose, Petunia, Lily, Daisy, Violet  
*Adventure Is a Wonderful Thing* .....Caterpillar, Small Alice,  
 Wonderland Ensemble



# MUSICAL NUMBERS

## ACT II

Scene One.....Mad Tea Party  
*The Unbirthday Song (Part One)*.....Mad Hatter, Party Guests  
*The Unbirthday Song (Part Two)*.....March Hare, Alice,  
 Mad Hatter, Party Guests  
*I'm Late (Reprise 2)*..... White Rabbit, Wonderland Ensemble

Scene Two ..... Seeing Red  
*Painting the Roses Red*..... Ace of Spades, Two of Clubs,  
 Three of Diamonds, Four of Hearts,  
 Alice, Wonderland Ensemble  
*Painting the Roses Red (Reprise)*..... Queen of Hearts, Ace of Spades,  
 Two of Clubs, Three of Diamonds,  
 Four of Hearts, Wonderland Ensemble  
*Simon Says (Part One)*..... Queen of Hearts  
*Simon Says (Part Two)*..... Queen of Hearts, Alice

Scene Three .....Alice on Trial  
*The Unbirthday Song (Reprise)*..... Mad Hatter, Queen of Hearts,  
 King of Hearts, Party Guests

Scene Four .....Epilogue  
*Finale* ..... Alice, Wonderland Ensemble



# Dream Big Mack!



"This is my dream,  
I'll decide where to  
go from here."  
- Alice

**WE LOVE YOU!**

# Sadhvika

Congratulations on your first  
stage performance!

We're so proud of you and can't  
wait to see all the amazing  
things you'll accomplish in the  
future.

Break a leg and keep reaching  
for the stars!



# CONGRATULATIONS KYLIE!

WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU!  
YOUR TALENT AND HARD WORK  
LIGHT UP THE STAGE.

KEEP SHINING AND  
CHASING YOUR DREAMS!

WITH PROUD AND  
LOVING HEARTS WE ARE  
ALWAYS CHEERING YOU ON.

MOM, DAD,  
KEAGAN, & FINLEY

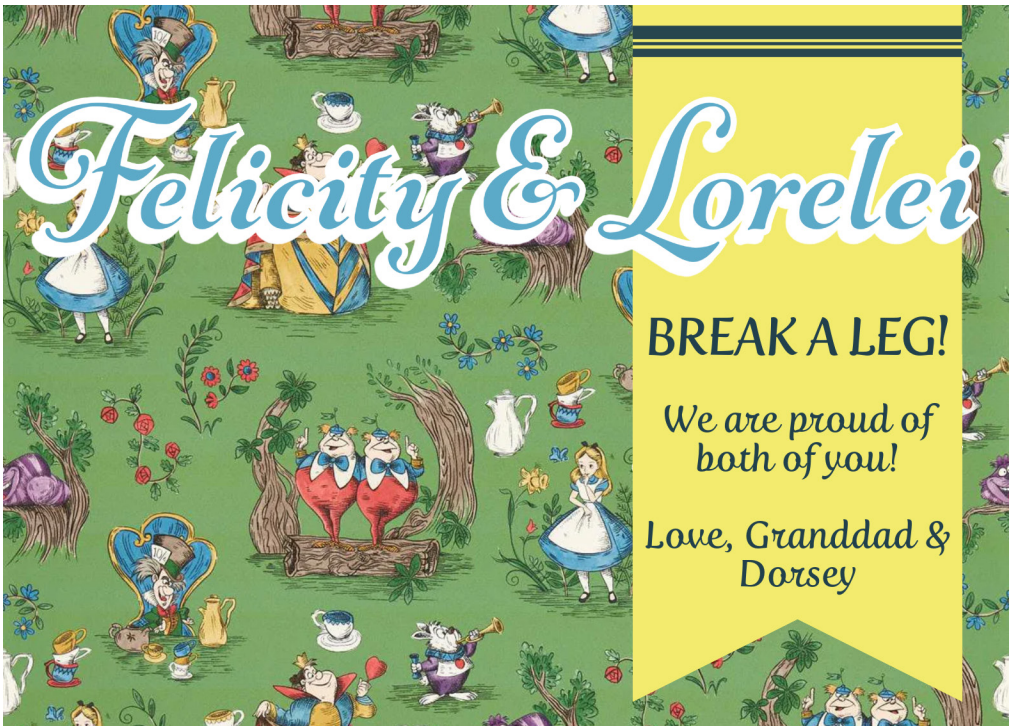
# ZOIE

WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU AND  
KNOW THAT YOU WILL  
CONTINUE TO SHINE  
AND MAKE THIS  
"A WORLD OF YOUR OWN"!

WE LOVE YOU  
MAMA, BABA, ALEXANDER & LUNA











# HARPER

*We love you so much and are so proud of all your hard work and dedication! We can't wait to watch you shine as the Mad Hatter.*

*A very merry unbirthday to you!!!*



*We all know Courtney is a great director AND she is obsessed with everything Disney... Imagine what an amazing vacation she will plan for you!!!*

Take the stress time out of planning your vacation and let Courtney plan your trip for you! Courtney is a former Disney cast member and lifelong Disney Parks enthusiast! She has planned many vacations for friends and families over the years and has recently joined the Kingdom Planners family to help YOU go on the magical vacation you deserve.



Reach out to Courtney today!  
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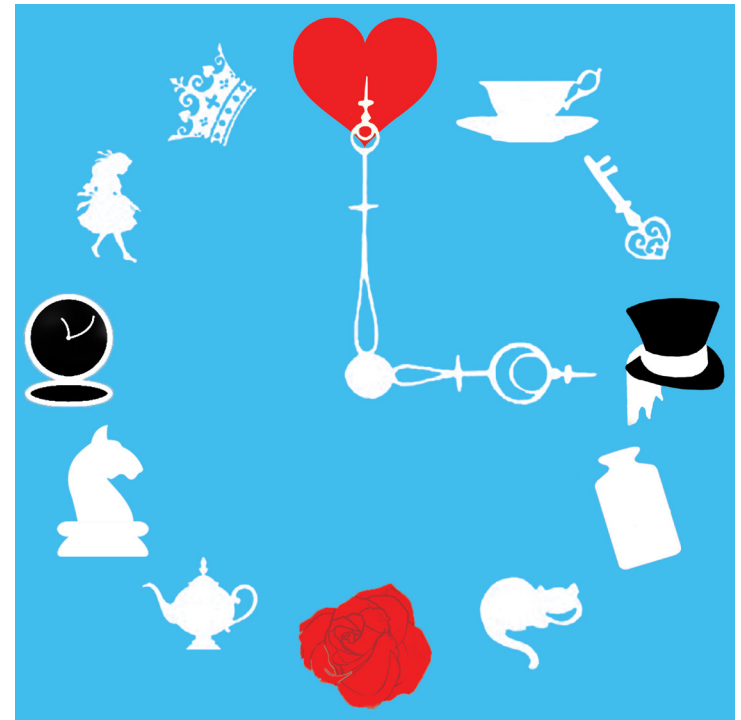
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