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Young Performers 'Act Up' for Residents of Mason Christian Village

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The youthful cast of the 1920's Tony-award winning musical comedy "Thoroughly Modern Millie" flapped, tapped and sung their way to the Mason Christian Village, a continuing care retirement community, on Monday Sept.10. The elderly residents were in awe of the talented performers, laughing and clapping along to beat.

The small benefit show of "Thoroughly Modern Millie" was presented by Acting Up as part of the group's community service endeavor. For each performance it produces, Acting Up likes to give back to the community. Previously, the group has performed for the Ronald McDonald House and the Mason Health Care Center, groups who are not mobile enough to come see their performances at the Mason High School Theater.

After the show, the cast and residents enjoyed a light snack together.

Acting Up is a young performers' Community Theatre based in Mason, OH. They will be performing the Tony-award winning musical comedy "Thoroughly Modern Millie" at the Mason High School Theater, 6100 Mason Montgomery Road with a cast of approximately 70 talented youngsters ages 6 to 18.

Performances of "Thoroughly Modern Millie" will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, September 21; 2 p.m., (sign language interpreter will be provided) and 7 p.m., Saturday, September 22; and at 2 p.m. Sunday, September 23. Tickets are \$10 each (\$8 seniors and children under 12) and are available online at www.ActingUp.com or at the box office. For more information call 513-588-0988.

SPECIAL PROMOTION- The first 500 people actually named "Millie" get in FREE.

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The cast of Acting Up's "Thoroughly Modern Millie" performs a small benefit show to the elderly residents of Mason Christian Village Continuing Care Community. Full performances of "Thoroughly Modern Millie" will be Sept 21,22,23 at the Mason High School Theater. See www.ActingUp.com for details. Performers Pictured: Rosalia Carpenter (Lbty Twp), Anna Wilhem (Mason) and Annie Cleary (West Chester)

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