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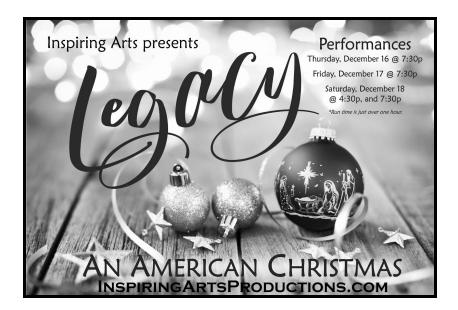
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MESSAGES TO THE CAST

Camdyn- With all the "FISH" in the sea, "WHO" could shine brighter than you? Oh, the places you'll go! We love you A Whole Awful Lot! - Mom and Dad

Charlotte- We're so proud of you Charlotte! Break a leg! - Mom, Dad, Mackenzie, & Ava

Charlotte- Best of luck sweet Charlotte! I'm so proud of you! Can't wait to watch you shine! - Grammy

Leah- We are so excited for you and ready to see you shine! XOXO - Mom, Dad, Cade, & Haley

Zoë- Break a leg, Zoë-who!! We love you! - Mom and Dad

Hannah- Break a leg, Hannah Banana!! We love you! - Mom and Dad

Riley- Best of luck, you are going to be amazing! - Dad, Mom, Owen, & Kendall

Grace- "Today you are you! That is truer than true! And there's no one we'd rather see on stage than you!" - Mom, Dad, Leah, & Junior

Mackenzie, Audrey, and Anna- Break legs, Mackenzie, Audrey, and Anna! I am proud of you all! - Love, Kate Brauer-Bell

Mackenzie- Good luck Mackenzie...I love you and you're my best big sister. - Love, Maddy

Mackenzie- You were born to perform and it's incredible to see you in your element on stage! Always remember: "It's possible. Anything's possible." - Love, Mom & Dad

Mackenzie- Break a leg and good luck to the cast and crew, but especially to Mackenzie! - Love, Gigi and Boss

Kate A- We love you and are so proud of you! Can't wait to see your performance! - Mom, Dad, & Andrew

Gabby- We are so proud of you, have fun! - Great Grandma & Great Grandpa Boyle

Gabby- Break a leg (not really)! Love you! - Grandma Boyle

Gabby- You are Amazing! - Love, Dad

Harper- Wishing you the best of luck! - Bunch of love, Momo & Papaw

Harper- We are so proud of you baby girl! - Love, Mom & Dad

Harper- We always knew you were a Whooligan! - XOXO Mom & Dad

Alexis- Break a leg! We love you so much! - Mom, Dad, & Tyce

Morgan T- Your performance makes you look 60 feet tall! - Mom, Dad, & Caitlin

Tamryn & Shana- Good Luck! We spot you! You know these fe-lines! Love- Mom & Dad

MESSAGES TO THE CAST

Sara- Thank you for making us so happy, you are a very talented and kind girl. We are very proud of you! We love you! - Mom, Dad, & Siblings

Em- SO PROUD OF YOU! Break a leg! - Mom & Mark

Benny- We love seeing you on stage! We would watch you in a box, we would watch you with a fox. We would watch you here or there, yes we would watch you anywhere! - Love, Mom, Dad, Sam, & Indy

Lily- We're so glad there is "no one alive who is you-er than you!" - Mom, Dad, Kadison, & Zoe

Ava H- Now mom and dad had excitement, they raised such a din, they couldn't wait to see their Gertrude back on stage again! Break a leg! We love you! - Mom, Dad, Elise & Corinne

Elise- Amazing, Bird Girl, day or night, you are fabulous! High or low, we'd watch you go! Break a leg, Lisey Lou - Love, Mom, Dad, Ava, & Corinne

Emmett- Break a leg, Emmett! Love you - Grammy

Emmett- Break a leg to Ma's favorite Whooligan! So proud of you! - Love, Ma

Amira & Sherene- Know absolutely with peace of mind, you two are our favorite kind! Break a tail/leg! - Mom, Dad, & Jensen

Amira & Sherene- Way to go Jojo and Young Kangaroo! We are proud of all of your accomplishments! - Papa and Teta

Amira & Sherene- Congratulations! Today is your day- You're off to great places! You're off and away! - Grammi and Grandude

Gwen- We are so proud of you G-Baby! You are our star! We love you! - Dad, Momma, & Chase

Gwen- We love you! Break a leg! - Nana, Papa, Grammy, Pap, & Family

Maggie, Colton, & Tristan- You all rock! Cannot wait to see you perform! - Krach's, Josh, & Steven

Maggie, Colton, & Tristan- We hope you have a purrfect performance! You don't need luck, you have a clover! - The McKenna Furry Family

Maggie, Colton, & Tristan- We are so proud of you! Have a great time while you shine on stage! - Mom, Dad, & Bash

Maggie, Colton, & Tristan- I hope the 3 cutest Jungle Beasts and Citizens have a great show! - Brittany & Grandpa Scott

Sarah - No monkeying around, we are so proud of you! We love you Boo. - Mom, Dad, & Kaitlin

Katherine- "Today you are you! That is truer than true! There is no one alive who is you-er than you!" -Seuss - Love, Mom & Dad

Acting Up is a volunteer young performers community theatre group based in Mason, Ohio. We are a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization, formed in March of 2005.

Acting Up was founded to provide experiences in all aspects of the theatre arts to young people in our area communities. We rely on volunteerism and are committed to providing the community not only with an exceptional finished theatrical product, but a fulfilling, educational and fun process. All participants are viewed as integral to the process and family involvement is welcomed and encouraged.

Goals:

- An enjoyable, educational, enriching theater experience.
- High-quality, polished theatrical productions.
- Work together with the community, including as many participants as possible.

A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR...



It's amazing to be back in the theater! We're excited to bring you "Seussical Jr." We've got a stage full of amazing young performers and I hope that you'll be impressed with their talent and energy. I think this fun, light-hearted show is exactly what we need after the difficulties of 2020 and 2021.

The pandemic was very challenging for Acting Up. We had to cancel our last production, "Tuck Everlasting," just two weeks before the show. After that, we had no way to rehearse a large show and nowhere to perform for over a year. Fortunately, our new building allowed us to run classes and small workshops, which kept the lights on. I want to sincerely thank everybody that

supported Acting Up over the last two years. We love what we do, and thanks to all of you, we can keep doing great youth theater!

As crazy as it is, this show is another small step back to "normal life." Imagine that! Please enjoy Seussical Jr.! - Brent Peebles

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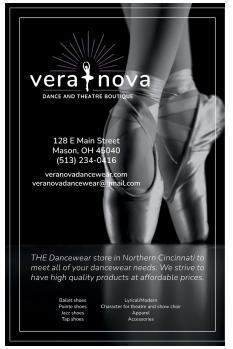
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CAST and STAGE CREW

JOJO	Amira Lavender
HORTON	Kyle Rosa
CAT IN THE HAT	Alyssa Hart
MAYZIE LA BIRD	Audra McCullough
GERTRUDE McFUZZ	Ava Hartmann
MRS. MAYOR	Audrey Smith
MR. MAYOR	Benny Farbstein
	Annie Jasinoski
	Sherene Lavender
	Morgan Tracy
BIRD GIRLS	Grace Major, Izzy Stringer, Elise Hartmann,
	Riley Dexter, Lily Oppy, Morgan Tracy
	Logan Hahn
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	Adilyn McCullough, Ashlynn Hezlep, Sarah Goecke
	Chase Plats
	Anna Farwig
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Madison Bradford, Shana Collins, Tamryn Collins, Gwen Cullen, Em McCoy, Maggie McKenna, Katherine Saunders

JUNGLE BEASTS / CIRCUS CAPTIVES

Kate Atchley, Baylor Goulle, Logan Hahn, Raelyn Hezlep, Emery McCullough, Colton McKenna, Tristan McKenna, Hannah Stringer

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Owen Dean, Mackenzie Garry, Harper Gregory, Emmett Heinrich, Libbee Hughes, Morgan Hughes, Leah Hutcheson, Maddie Kohl

STAGE CREW

Ellie Bishop, Grace Hoffman, Lucas Maritato (THING 2), Kaddison Oppy, Ari Penilla (THING 1), Zach Thomas, Caitlyn Tracy



MUSICAL NUMBERS (Act 1)

Oh, the Thinks You Can Think!Cat, Jojo, Horton, Mr. Mayor, Mrs. Mayor, Gertrude,		
Mayzie, Sour Kangaroo, Young Kangaroo, and Company		
Horton Hears a WhoHorton, Bird Girls, Mr. Mayor,		
Jungle Citizens/Beasts, Cat and Jojo		
Biggest Blame FoolSour Kangaroo, Young Kangaroo, Horton, Wickershams,		
Bird Girls, Cat, Gertrude, Mayzie and Jungle Citizens/Beasts		
Biggest Blame Playoff / Gertrude McFuzzGertrude, Wickershams, Sour Kangaroo,		
Young Kangaroo, Horton, Bird Girls, Cat,		
Mr. Mayor and Jungle Citizens/Beasts		
Here on WhoMr. Mayor, Mrs. Mayor, Jojo, Horton, Grinch and Whos/Whooligans		
Meet Jojo the Who Mr. Mayor and Mrs. Mayor		
How to Raise a Child		
Oh, the Thinks You Can Think! (Reprise)Cat and Jojo		
It's Possible (Pt. 1)Jojo, Cat, Fish, Minnows and Ensemble		
It's Possible (Pt. 2)Jojo, Cat, Fish, Minnows and Ensemble		
Alone in the UniverseHorton and Jojo		
The One Feather Tail of Miss Gertrude McFuzz / Amazing Mayzie Gertrude,		
Mayzie and Bird Girls		
Amazing Gertrude (Pt. 1) Gertrude		
Amazing Gertrude (Pt. 2)Gertrude, Cat and Bird Girls		
Monkey Around / Chasing the WhosWickershams, Sour Kangaroo,		
Young Kangaroo, Cat, Horton, Bird Girls,		
Vlad Vladikoff, Jungle Citizens/Beasts and Whos/Whooligans		
Notice Me, HortonGertrude and Horton		
How Lucky You AreMayzie and Cat		
Mayzie's Exit / Horton Sits on the Egg / Dilemma / HuntersHorton, Gertrude,		
Bird Girls, Weather and Hunters		

There will be one fifteen minute intermission.





MUSICAL NUMBERS (Act 2)

Entr'Acte	Stage Hand
Egg, Nest, and Tree	Sour Kangaroo, Young Kangaroo, Horton,
	Hunters, Bird Girls and Minnows
Sold / Mayzie in Palm Beach	Sour Kangaroo, Young Kangaroo, Horton,
	Bird Girls, Hunters, Mayzie and Cat
Mayzie at the Circus	Mayzie
Amazing Horton	Mayzie and Horton
	1)Horton
	Horton, Mr. Mayor, Mrs. Mayor, Jojo,
	and Circus Animals/Captives
Gertrude/Espionage (Pt. 1)	Gertrude
Gertrude/Espionage (Pt. 2)	Gertrude and Horton
All for You	Gertrude, Bird Girls and Cat
The Whos Return / The People	Vs. Horton the Elephant (Pt. 1) Horton,
-	Mr. Mayor, Mrs. Mayor, Jojo, Gertrude, Sour Kangaroo,
	Young Kangaroo, Wickershams, Cat, Yertle the Turtle,
	Bird Girls and Jungle Citizens/Beasts
The People Vs. Horton the Elep	hant (Pt. 2)Horton, Yertle the Turtle, Cat,
Wic	kershams, Bird Girls, Sour Kangaroo, Young Kangaroo,
	Mr. Mayor, Mrs. Mayor, Jojo, Whos/Whooligans,
	and Courtroom (Jungle Citizens/Beasts)
YOPP!Sour Kan	garoo, Young Kangaroo, Cat, Mr. Mayor and Mrs. Mayor
Alone in the Universe (Reprise	2)Horton, Gertrude, Cat and Jojo
Oh, the Thinks You Can Think!	(Finale) Jojo and Full Company
Green Eggs and Ham (Finale Bo	ows)Full Company

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