



# NEWSIES

THE BROADWAY MUSICAL

© Disney

HERRIMAN *Arts* COUNCIL

July 8-19, 2021

Butterfield Park | Herriman, Utah

# NEWSIES STRIKE



NEW YORK—The newsboys' strike of 1899 was a U.S. youth-led campaign to force change in the way that Joseph Pulitzer and William Randolph Hearst's newspapers compensated their force of newsboys or newspaper hawkers. The strikers demonstrated across New York City for several days, effectively stopping circulation of the two papers, along with the news distribution for many New England cities. The strike lasted

two weeks, causing Pulitzer's New York World to decrease its circulation from 360,000 papers sold per day to 125,000.

Although the price of papers was not lowered, the strike was successful in forcing the World and Journal to offer full buybacks to their sellers, thus increasing the amount of money that newsies received for their work.

# DIRECTOR'S NOTES

Kristin Housley



*Newsies* started as a Disney movie that hit the theatres in 1992. I knew as soon as I saw it that it would make a fantastic Broadway show—and Broadway got it right! It first lit up the stage in 2012, 20 years after the story was told on the big screen.

*Newsies* is based on the true story of the Newsboys strike of 1899, which you can read about above. Jack is based off several historical leaders of the Newsboys, mostly Kid Blink. Other historically accurate newsboys include Racetrack Higgins, Mush Meyers, and Spot Conlon. Medda Larkin is based on vaudeville actress Aida Overton Walker. She provided a haven for the newsboys who had no place to stay. Katherine Plumber is a fictional character who is named for Pulitzer's daughter,

Katherine Ethel, who died of pneumonia in 1884 at the age of 2. As you can see from the picture above, girls participated in the news strike as well, and you will see this portrayed tonight.

Bringing this story to life with as much authenticity as possible given the fictional script was important to our artistic team. *Newsies* is a massive shot of inspiration, and I am grateful the Broadway version added in some romance because who doesn't need a love story mixed in with their "kids save the day plot"? I'm all for that and grateful that the Herriman Arts Council gave me the chance to make another theatrical dream come true!

I'm grateful for you, our audience, and all people everywhere who got vaccinated, wore masks, and socially distanced for more than a year so we could get back to making theater and all the other thousands of things we people of planet Earth like to do together. You can be happy by yourself, but joy is a group activity! This production brings me joy and my sincere hope is that you will feel it too!

## REMINDERS

— To ensure the safety and enjoyment of all our patrons and performers, we ask your cooperation with the following:

— For the safety of the performers and to abide by copyright laws, use of flash photography and/or recording devices in the pavilion is strictly prohibited.

— Please silence all cell phones and electronic devices for the duration of the performance.

— For safety reasons, all aisles must be kept clear.

— Please exit the pavilion immediately with disruptive children.

— Please refrain from talking, whispering, unwrapping of candy, etc. during the performance. It is distracting to the performers and members of the audience.

— No smoking.

— RESTROOMS are located to the rear of the stage. The Men's room is on the north, and the Women's is on the south.

— CONCESSIONS are available before the show and during intermission. There will be snacks, treats, and drinks as well as fun souvenirs related to the show at the east side of the pavilion.

## SUPPORT THE ARTS

All proceeds from ticket sales and merchandise benefit the Herriman Arts Council to create, stimulate, and perpetuate the arts in our community. If you enjoy the many arts events in Herriman, please consider making a tax-deductible donation to the Arts Council. Please

contact the City offices for more information:

[www.herriman.org](http://www.herriman.org) or 801-446-5323. If you would like to volunteer to serve the arts in any way, please contact James Crane, Arts Council Chair at 801.735.6927

HERRIMAN *Arts* COUNCIL

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

*The Herriman Arts Council wishes to thank our supporters  
who made this production possible:*

Herriman City Council

Laura Twitchell  
*Herriman City Events and HAC Liaison*

Dayton Martindale  
*Herriman City Events Manager*

Herriman City Employees

Stacy Jardine, Beth Anne Service  
*Painting*

Dylan Birmingham  
*Fight choreography*

Leif Nilson, Teddy Hodges  
*Construction*

The families of the cast, orchestra, and production crew

## THANKS TO OUR PARTNERS



SALT LAKE COUNTY



# south hills **PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY**



**Dr. Barton Sloan & Dr. Matthew Jacobsen**  
Board Certified Pediatric Dentists

**PROUD SPONSORS OF  
THE HERRIMAN ARTS COUNCIL  
& MAKING CHILDREN SMILE!**

**385.210.1000**

4013 W 13400 S · Riverton

**Disney**

# NEWSIES

THE BROADWAY MUSICAL

HERRIMAN *Arts* COUNCIL

**'NEWSIES' PRESENTED BY THE  
HERRIMAN ARTS COUNCIL**

*Produced by*  
James Crane

*Directed by*  
Kristin Housley

*Choreographed by*  
Jenna Ahlman

*Music direction by*  
Brent Rindlisbacher

*Live music performed by*  
Herriman Orchestra

# SCENES

## Act I

Prologue: Rooftop Dawn  
*Santa Fe*

Newsie Square  
*Carrying the Banner*

Pulitzer's Office  
*The Bottom Line, Carrying the  
Banner (Reprise)*

Street Corner

Medda's Theatre  
*That's Rich, I Never Planned on  
You, Don't Come a-Knocking*

Newsie Square  
*The World Will Know*

Jacobi's Deli & Street  
*The World Will Know Reprise*

Katherine's Office  
*Watch What Happens*

Newsie Square  
*Seize the Day*

Rooftop  
*Santa Fe*

## Act II

Jacobi's Deli  
*King of New York*

The Refuge  
*Letter from the Refuge*

Medda's Theatre  
*Watch What Happens (Reprise)*

Pulitzer's Office/Cellar  
*The Bottom Line (Reprise)*

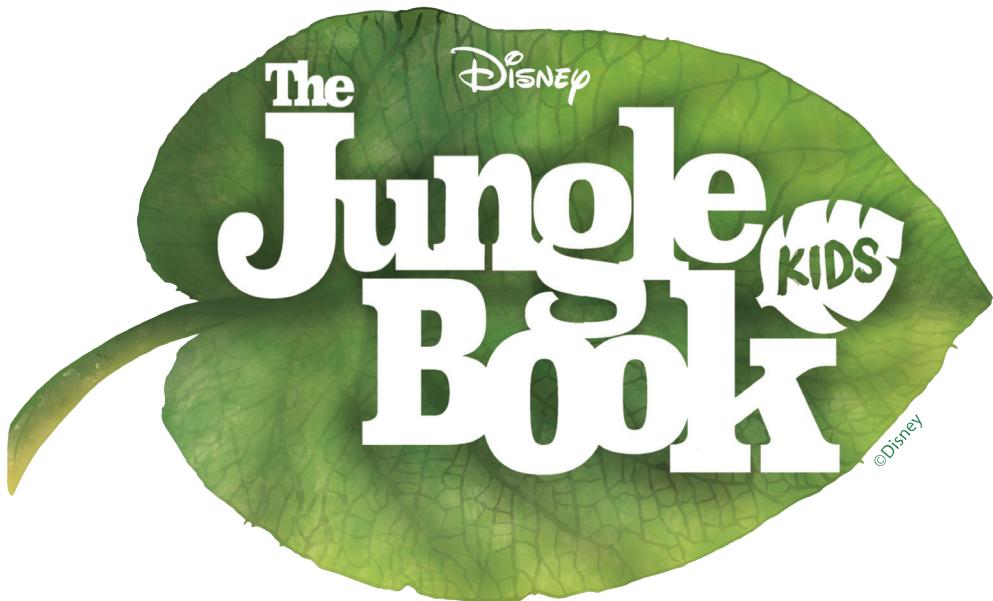
Medda's Theatre  
*Brooklyn's Here*

Rooftop  
*Something to Believe In*

Pulitzer's Cellar  
*Seize the Day (Reprise) Once and  
For All*

Pulitzer's Office  
*Seize the Day (Reprise 2)*

Newsie Square  
*Finale Ultimo*

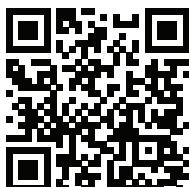


# Sept 23-27

July 26-27: Auditions (callbacks on July 28)

---

Kids ages 7-12 can audition to be a part of this musical production. This is no longer a workshop format, but an audition-only show.



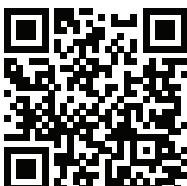
Scan the QR Code for  
more information, or visit  
[herriman.org/arts-council](http://herriman.org/arts-council)

# INTO THE WOODS JR.

## Sept 23-27

July 19-20: Auditions (callbacks on July 21)

Youth ages 13-17 can audition to be a part of this musical production. We are excited to offer youth a chance to share their talents in Herriman's first ever teen-only production!



Scan the QR Code for  
more information, or visit  
[herriman.org/arts-council](http://herriman.org/arts-council)

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

## Tanner Tate, Jack Kelly



Tanner is excited to be on the stage again and he loves to share that stage with some of his favorite people.

He has previously been seen as Jean Valjean and Marius in *Les Misérables*, Peter in *The Lamb of God*, and Miles Tuck in *Tuck Everlasting*. He gives a huge thanks to the cast and crew for giving him the courage and support to tackle this role.

## Geoff Beckstrand, Davey



Geoff is ecstatic to be returning to the HAC stage. This is his fifth production with the HAC. He was most recently *Joseph* in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*. While he calls Herriman home, he's performed on many stages, including Kensington Theater and Hale Center Theater. Some of these credits include Pippin in *Pippin*, Bernardo/The Ringleader in *My Son Pinocchio*, and Dick Wilkins in *A Christmas Carol*.

## Andrew Erickson, Les



Andrew has loved being involved in many of Herriman's past children's shows, but nothing compares to being involved in this, his first adult production of *Newsies*. When he is not involved in plays, Andrew loves to cook, camp, draw, and read. He dreams of paragliding and starting his own successful business.

## Patrice Densley, Katherine Plummer



Patrice is thrilled to be returning to the Herriman stage. The Herriman magic came to her when she was a featured dancer in *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang*. Other productions include *Orpheus and the Underworld*, *L'incoronazione di Poppea*, and *Crazy for You*. Patrice is studying vocal performance and choral education at Utah State University. She would like to extend a huge thank you to the *Newsies* team. Working with them has been a joy. She would also like

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

to thank her friends and family for their love and support as she's prepared for the show. "Your encouragement and love have given me the push to bring Katherine to life. Love you to the moon and back."

## Tucker Smith, Crutchie



Tucker is a husband, father of one, and band director of four years at Timpanogos High School. Recent musical theater credits include Jacey Squires in *The Music Man*, George in *The Drowsy Chaperone*, and Farleigh in *The Scarlet Pimpernel*. He has loved performing with this cast and wants to thank his incredibly supportive wife and son.

## Aiden Rollins, Darcy, Newsie



This is Aiden's first show with the HAC and he has loved every moment of it. Previous roles include Babkak in *Aladdin*, Davey in *Newsies*, and Sebastian in *The Little Mermaid*, along with many other roles. He loves the performing arts and has been singing since age 2. He has worked hard on this show and hopes you enjoy it.

## Andy Browning, Weisel, Seitz



A mechanical engineer, tattoo and permanent makeup artist, musician, entrepreneur, and just one heck of a swell guy, Andy is thrilled to return to the HAC stage once again as a "bad guy" (or two). His previous HAC credits include King Triton in *The Little Mermaid* and The Child Catcher in *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang*.

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

## Armando Serrano, Race



Armando has a degree in bioinformatics. He was most recently seen in Hale Center Theatre's *Play that Goes Wrong*. Favorite roles include Paul in *A Chorus Line*, Bernardo in *West Side Story*, and Princeton in *Avenue Q*.

## Ashton Rindlisbacher,



*Newsie, Goon*  
Ashton is a senior and a drum major at Herriman High School. He plays the trumpet and

loves music and performing. This will be his second show, previously performing as a brother in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*.

## Aspen Nilsen, Newsie



Aspen is thrilled to perform for the first time in an HAC production and is excited to perform with her mom. She has long loved to be on stage performing. One of her favorite roles was starring as Juliet in *Romeo and Juliet* at Fort Herriman Middle School. She also does competition dancing.

## Bart Sloan, Pulitzer



Bart is thrilled to be in the musical that introduced him to musicals. He asked if he could be a Newsie but was told he's too old. :( This is his fourth show with Herriman. He was Sebastian in *The Little Mermaid* and Grandpa Potts in *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang*. He is a local pediatric dentist and loves to be active in the community. He is particularly thankful for the support of his beautiful wife Emily and his three amazing kids. Smile! It's the second best thing you can do with your lips!

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

## Brock Harris, *Newsie*



This is Brock's first show with the HAC and he is thrilled to be a *Newsie*. His love of musical theatre started

when he went to New York City for his eighth birthday and saw *Wicked* and *Aladdin* on Broadway. Brock is currently in CO-PA's MDT Company and has performed with Up With Kids and Kensington Theatre.

## Cassidy Jensen, *Newsie*



Dancing, singing, and acting have played a major part in Cassidy's life. She is excited to be back on stage and for

the first time with the HAC. Cassidy graduated from Herriman High School in 2020, where she was actively involved with ballroom team as a dance captain, theater in *Big Fish* and *Curtains*, the improv team, and the orchestra.

## Chantelle Schroeder, *Newsie*



Chantelle Schroeder is 10 years old and loves everything about being part of *Newsies*. She aspires to act in many plays and hopes to be in a movie someday. Chantelle is a talented musician on the piano and ukulele and loves to sing for her family.

## Charlie Colvin, *Newsie*



Charlie is excited to be making his Herriman Arts Council debut with his big sister in *Newsies*. His favorite previous roles include Weselton in *Frozen* (Riverton Arts), and Oaken in *Frozen* (Sandy Arts). He also enjoys math, video games, and playing the guitar.

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

## **Chelsea Francis, Hannah, Bowery Beauty**



Chelsea is so excited to be a part of this show. Some of her favorite previous roles have been Ariel in *The Little Mermaid*, Kitty in *The Drowsy Chaperone*, Schwartzy in *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*, and the three years she spent as a character performer at Walt Disney World.

## **Clayton Crawford, Henry**



Clayton has always loved performing. His past roles include: the farmer in *La Gallenita Roja*, the Big Bad Wolf in *The Little Piggy Opera*, and the Mayor of Munchkinland in the *Wizard of Oz*. Next year, you will find him performing in Mountain Ridge High School's audition-only a capella choir and musical theater group.

## **Daniel Manivanh, Elmer**



This is Daniel's first production with the HAC and he is ecstatic that it is *Newsies*. Adding to his background in hip hop, a friend introduced him to musical theater, and he's been hooked since. His most recent roles are Louis in *Freaky Friday*, Charlie Cowell in *The Music Man*, and Poole in *Jekyll and Hyde* at American Fork Community Theater and Judah in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* at Draper Historic Theater.

## **Daniel Call, Snyder**



Daniel is a teacher and huge fan of the performing arts. Acting has changed his life and has allowed him to access the best parts of himself. The theater has provided him with some of the most memorable experiences of his life and he is glad to bring people just a little bit of enjoyment.

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

## Daren Haws, *Bunsen*



Daren is delighted to join his first HAC production with his whole family. Previous shows include *Faith: The Musical*, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, *Twelve Dancing Princesses*, *The King and I*, *Tom Sawyer*, *See How They Run*, and *Peter Pan*. Most days he plays husband, father, and controller at Simply Mac.

## David Oliphant, *Morris Delancy*



David is a 17-year-old crumpet who is really bad at writing bios, but he has really enjoyed being a part of

## Oliver Haws, *Finch*



Oliver is happy to join the cast of *Newbies* and make so many new friends. He has previously performed in *The Little Mermaid* at Midvale Main Street Theater and in Moxie MDT Company at Utah COPA.

## Emma Chapman, *Newbie*



Emma loves to be on the stage and belt her heart out. Favorite past roles include Asaka in *Once on this Island*, the stepmother in *Into the Woods*, and Trunchbull in *Matilda*. She has been in over 20 shows but this is her first production with the HAC. She says the production staff is amazing and good job to you for reading the bios!

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

## **Emmaline Naud, *Newsie*, *Bowery Beauty, Nun***



Emmaline began theater in elementary school and has loved it ever since. Some of her favorite previous roles include Adriana in *Comedy of Errors*, Cecily in *The Importance of Being Earnest*, and Lupe in *The Addams Family*. After this production concludes, she will be headed to college for a B.F.A. in theatre design and production.

## **Grace Colvin, *Newsie***



Grace is thrilled to be carrying the banner with the HAC's production of *Newsies*. Favorite credits include Trunchbull in *Matilda* (Elk Ridge Middle School), Edwina in *Dear Edwina* (HAC), and Amy in *Little Women* (Riverton Arts). She gives a huge thanks to her awesome family and the Elk Ridge Performing Arts Company!

Emmaline began theater in elementary school and has loved it ever since. Some of her favorite previous roles include Adriana in *Comedy of Errors*, Cecily in *The Importance of Being Earnest*, and Lupe in *The Addams Family*. After this production concludes, she will be headed to college for a B.F.A. in theatre design and production.

## **Haven Beckstrand, *Newsie***



This is Haven's first production with the HAC. She is excited to get back into performing after a four-year break, and *Newsies* is the perfect show to do it with. Haven also performs with World Dance Company. Principal credits include *Thoroughly Modern Millie*, *The Legends of Sleepy Hollow*, and *Cries of Freedom the Musical*.

## **Isaac Hilton, *Bill, Goon, Newsie***



This is Isaac's first performance with the HAC and he's so excited to be back on a stage. Isaac graduated from Herriman High School in 2017, where he was heavily involved in the performing arts, including choir, dance, theatre, and orchestra. He now attends Utah Valley University, studying political science and marketing.

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

## **Isabella Reyes, Newsie**



Isabella has been performing since she was three years old, and at age seven, she performed in her very first

musical, *Seussical*. Since then, she has been in *Les Miserables*, *The Wizard of Oz*, and *Beauty and the Beast*, among others. She loves all things theater and is thrilled to be in *Newsies*. She would like to thank her family for all their support.

## **Jen Nilsen, Bowery Beauty, Nun**



Jen loves the stage and is over the moon to be performing with her daughter this year in this year's production.

This is her second production with HAC and their magic that is brought to the stage. She is a health activist, stylist, beauty entrepreneur, and adventure seeker. Sit back, relax, tap your foot, and enjoy the show!

## **Justin Francis, Jo Jo**



Justin was born to perform on stage and born to be a Newsie. His first role ever in a show was a Munchkin in

*The Wizard of Oz*. Other past roles include Gus the Mouse in *Cinderella* and Jojo in *Suessical the Musical*. Justin has a passion for the arts, especially musical theater. He also has a background in competitive dance.



# PROJECT DANCE

*and more*

Recreation & Performance Program, Preschool & Kinder Day and Evening Program, Award Winning Competition Teams, Cheer, Tumbling & Acro (day and evening), Jazz, Ballet, Pointe, Hip hop, Power Tap and Many More.

Come feel the difference at Project Dance!



**[www.projectdance365.com](http://www.projectdance365.com)**

13198 S. 5600 W. • Herriman, Ut 84096



HERRIMAN  
**MOTO-X**  
2021

**AUG 13-14**  
[HERRIMAN.ORG/MOTO-X](http://HERRIMAN.ORG/MOTO-X)

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

## Kala Hyte, Newsie



Ain't it a fine life performing with the Herriman Arts Council! Kala is thrilled to return to the HAC stage

after previously performing in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* and *Shrek*. Other performances include *Sesame Street the Musical*, *Our Town*, and *Big Fish*. Kala also loves to watercolor and write music with her guitar, where she hopes to make headlines with her songs.

## Kimberly Mendenhall, Medda, Nun



Kimberly is excited to return to the Herriman stage alongside her twin boys. She is a teacher at Fort

Herriman Middle School, but her favorite roles will always be wife and mother of five; much love to them for their encouragement and support. Her favorite show highlights include *Fiddler on the Roof*, *The Music Man*, *The Little Mermaid*, and *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*.

## Landon Reynosa, Mush



Landon loves the arts. He started at the age of five with Up With Kids, where his mentor was his "Tia"

Angela. He has since participated in other shows, including *Frozen, Jr.*, *Into the Woods*, and *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*. This experience has been a dream come true. He thanks his parents for their constant support and love, and for not letting him quit.

## Lincoln Mendenhall, Newsie, Scab



Lincoln is beyond thrilled to be able to sing and dance his way into your hearts again on the HAC stage.

He has previously been seen in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* and *Schoolhouse Rock!* Lincoln is the professional dad joke specialist and his Pokedex knowledge is next to none.

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

**Lynsey Grant, Bowery  
Beauty, Newsie, Newspaper  
Customer**



Lynsey Grant, a third-grade teacher, is elated to be in *Newsies*, her second production with the HAC.

Lynsey has appeared in many theatre productions. You may have seen her in *South Pacific*, *Aida*, and *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*. Lynsey thanks her husband, Dalton, for always supporting her, and the HAC for making her dreams a reality.

**Lucas Morley, Romeo**



Lucas is thrilled to be playing Romeo. He will be a sophomore at Mountain Ridge High School starting next month. His favorite roles include Olaf in *Frozen Jr.*, Romeo in *Romeo and Juliet*, and Aladdin in *Aladdin Jr.* at Fort Herriman Middle School. He loves Disney and listening to (a lot of) music. Enjoy the show!

**Luke Beckstrand, Tommy  
Boy**



Luke has been involved in theater since a very young age, and after a four-year break, he's excited to be returning to the stage. He'll be making his debut performance on the Herriman stage this summer, and the dance-heavy show *Newsies* is easily the perfect musical to bring him back out of his theatrical sabbatical.

**Luke Mendenhall, Newsie,  
Scab**



Luke is incredibly excited to be on the HAC stage again. He has previously been seen in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* and *Schoolhouse Rock!* He is an avid video game connoisseur, the ever-consummate friend, and he simply must catch 'em all.

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

## Malea Hyte, *Newsie*



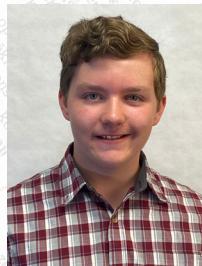
Malea is returning to the magic of the HAC stage, where she previously played a wife in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*. She just finished performing Jasmine in Disney's *Aladdin* at Fort Herriman Middle School. She loves ripping up newspaper, rioting against large corporations, and excited to be in a cast with lots of boys... maybe one of them should take her on a date.

## McKenzie Jensen, *Newsie*, *Bowery Beauty*, *Nun*



McKenzie has always had a love for the arts, which has led her to many wonderful places and roles. She is a former Miss Herriman (2016), which led her to the Capitol Theatre stage. She is no stranger to the HAC, being in five previous summer productions. She is excited to add *Newsies* to her list.

## Merrick Horsley, *Oscar Delancy*



Though Merrick has been on stage since he was eight years old, he's thrilled and grateful to make *Newsies* his first musical. Previously, he's soloed at Abravanel Hall and Madeleine Cathedral and recorded motion picture soundtracks. He also loves to hike, bike, read, compose, play piano/guitar/drums and hone his origami master skills.

## MJ Mikesell, *Albert*



MJ Mikesell started her theater career in Salt Lake City with the musical theater company Clayton Productions. At age 15, she turned her focus to dance and continued her training at the SL School for Performing Arts. She then traveled to NYC to attend the American Musical and Dramatic Academy, graduating early 2020 with her dance theater degree.

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

**Molly Bohman, Bowery  
Beauty, Nun**



This is Molly's fifth production with the HAC. Molly is a classically trained soprano and plays the viola and piano. In her free time, she produces and records music in her home studio. Molly is excited to be up on stage again, performing in one of her favorite shows. She loves the energy she gets from singing and dancing.

**Myles Rasmussen, Newsie**



This is Myles Rasmussen's first time performing in a musical. Myles is really excited to sing and dance for all of

Herriman to see. Seize the day and enjoy watching him perform.

**Nate Hallet, Nunzio, Mayor**



Nate Hallett has two cats, Helen and Rodney, whom he loves more than his children. Nate's crowning achievement came in sixth grade when he played King Oberon in *A Midsummer Night's Dream*. It's all been downhill since. Nate studied opera for four years at a conservatory in France and is a compulsive liar.

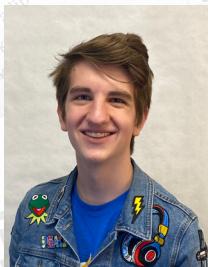
**Paul Pehrson, Roosevelt**



After a 20-plus year absence from the stage, Paul is happy to be back. He wants to thank his wife and five kids for their support. By day, he works as a technical writer. In Herriman, he is part of the ham radio club and CERT, and recently joined the Arts Council.

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

## **Radley Haws, Specs**



Radley Haws is a singer/dancer/actor/self-proclaimed “King of New York”, and is reportedly stoked

to be a part of HAC’s *Newsies*. He is a member of the Principal MDT Company at Utah COPA and first performed in *Faith: The Musical* at age six. He hopes whoever is reading this has a nice day.

## **Rowan Morley, Mike**



Rowan is excited to be playing Mike in his first HAC production. He's happy to share the stage with his

older brother. Some of his favorite roles were a gnome in *Peter Pan*, a brainiac in *Schoolhouse Rock!*, and ensemble in *Dear Edwina*. Rowan would like to thank his family, the cast, and most importantly, the production staff for an amazing experience!

## **Ryker Rindlisbacher, Newsie, Goon**



This is Ryker’s first show with the HAC. It is also his first show on stage. But don’t be deceived—he has been acting since he was born. It is true that his performances are not always convincing, but he almost always leaves his audiences.... befuddled?

## **Sadie Rasmussen, Newsie**



Sadie Rasmussen loves to sing; you can hear her voice a mile away! She has participated in many choral groups, including recently at Mountain Ridge High School. If you want to see her rad moves, pay attention in this production of *Newsies*.

## WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

**Sean Hyte, Jacobi,**  
*Stage Manager*



Sean is in his sixth show with the HAC, where previously played Jacob in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*.

Just add an “i” to his last show character and you get his new one (yes, it’s a conspiracy). His other HAC shows: *The Little Mermaid*, *Beauty and the Beast*, *Shrek*, and *Peter Pan*. He’s excited to perform with his two daughters, Kala and Malea.

**Stockton Ross, Spot Conlon,**  
*Goon*



Stockton Ross is pretty hot in this show, one must say. Word on the street is that he has that dump truck.

And he is a fantastic real estate agent for anyone who needs one.



Not only is Stockton Ross Spot Conlon, but he also plays quite the amazing Real Estate Agent in real life! For anyone trying to buy or sell a home, be sure to let Stockton Ross know!

385-313-7378  
[Stockton.Ross@gmail.com](mailto:Stockton.Ross@gmail.com)

# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

**Teia Haws, Newsie,  
Bowery Beauty**



Teia is very excited to be joining theater again with her family after a six-year commitment to the Herriman

High School color guard team. Teia loves singing, violin, making art, and being an officer of the Hope Squad. She recently played Olive Ostrovsky in *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*.

**Theo Martinez, Buttons**



Theo has been involved in musical theater since he was young, but this will be his first time doing a show not

for school. He was most recently a Policeman in Mountain Ridge High School's performance of *Pirates of Penzance*, so his new role, Buttons the Newsie, is very different, but he's enjoyed being a part of this amazing production.

**Trent Sorenson, Ike**



Trent is excited to be performing (and flipping) again with the HAC. He loved performing with his parents and a few siblings in *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang*. He also performed in the children's chorus in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*. Trent loves playing video games, basketball, and fishing.



# Oh, where to begin?

Wherever you look on our menu, you'll find something made fresh in-store that morning, with just a handful of honest ingredients and a whole lot of passion. It's what sets Kneaders apart—and you'll taste that difference in everything we offer, from breakfast to dessert.



KNEADERS.COM

# PRODUCTION TEAM

**James Crane, Producer**



Born and raised in Herriman, James was taught from an early age that service to one's community is both an obligation and opportunity to help shape the future. James is honored to serve as the chairman of the Herriman Arts Council and is proud of the volunteers who help bring the arts to the community. James is the Assistant Dean of Graduate Studies at BYU and appreciates the support of his family, friends, Herriman City, and Herriman's Mayor and City Council.

**Kristin Housley, Director**



This is Kristin's third time directing for the Herriman Arts Council. She directed *Mary Poppins* in 2016 and

*Chitty Chitty Bang Bang* in 2018. She received her M.F.A. in acting from the Asolo Conservatory/Florida State University in 1990. She loves serving her community and bringing her theatrical dreams to life.

**Jenna Ahlman, Choreographer**



Jenna is ecstatic to be returning to the HAC as the choreographer (previously choreographed *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang*). It has been a dream come true to choreograph *Newsies*. She is so proud of this cast! Jenna thanks her husband for supporting her always and for being the best dad to Knox, who is the best dance partner she could ask for.

**Brent Rindlisbacher, Music Director**



Brent has performed on stage and in pit orchestras across the valley. But his greatest contribution to the arts is that his wife and five of his six children have been on stage with him. (The last is only two, so there is still hope!)

# PRODUCTION TEAM

**Deb Taylor, Production Manager**



For Deb, it's great to be back with her friends creating something magical for you. She has been a mem-

ber of the HAC for 12 years, taking on multiple roles during that time. She enjoys participating with her husband and her extended arts family in creating and presenting the arts to the community.

**Amy Stutzenegger, Orchestra Director**



Amy is happy to be conducting the orchestra this year and is grateful for the incredible musicians she gets to

work with. Her first HAC show was *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* in 2011, but this is her first time as director. She has been the band and orchestra teacher for eleven years at Fort Herriman Middle School, and is so happy to have a summer this year that includes musicals.

**Lori Green, Orchestra President**



This show is the 11th show Lori has done with Herriman. After not performing last summer, Lori is super

excited to be back for this show. *Newsies* has been on her bucket list for years and she's happy to see this dream come true. She gives thanks to her family for supporting her and letting her "seize the day."

**Nicole Stromberg, Stage Manager**



Nicole is a longtime resident of Herriman and has been involved either on the stage or behind the scenes of most of Herriman's summer musicals, including the very first production.

# PRODUCTION TEAM

## **Emily Berbert, Costume Designer**



Emily has not grown out of her love for dressing up dolls. She just dresses up people now. She has volunteered on the HAC for the last seven years and loves performing and creating costumes. Emily loves her family, sewing, singing, and anything active. She gives many thanks to her wonderful helpers.

## **Gail Robinson, Costumes**



This is Gail's third Herriman production helping the best costumer in the business (well, fourth if you count a hat for *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang*). She has lived in Herriman for 21 years and still loves it. She gives thanks to her patient family during this busy time which allows her this wonderful opportunity.

## **Sherry Smith, Set Designer**



Sherry enjoys designing a set that allows the message and magic of a production to shine on stage.

## **Greg Fisher, Set Construction Lead**



Greg is a man of many talents. Notice he did not write this - he is too humble! Greg is a hero to the HAC and to the cast because there isn't anything he can't do and always delivers an amazing set.

# PRODUCTION TEAM

## Angie Chapman, Assistant Stage Manager



It has been such fun for Angie to work with the cast members in *Newsies*. She says thanks to those cast

members who helped here. Her past roles have been Mama Bear in *Shrek*, Rebecca in *Our Town*, and Eleanor Dunbar in *Footloose*. Her favorite role is the one where she gets to work with her kids. "Love you, Emma."

## Shelby Walles, Makeup



Shelby is excited to be back with her HAC friends and for you to see all the magic that has been created. This

is her fourth year with the HAC and third as a makeup artist (previously *The Little Mermaid* and *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang*). *Newsies* has been a bucket list production for several years and she is glad to be able to check it off.

## Deven North, Lighting



Deven has been a part of Herriman Arts Council productions on and off for the past 15 years. There

isn't a part of a show he has not tried, from onstage to offstage and now the production team. He has participated in other community projects as well and always loves to be a part of another show.

## Becki Holt, Prop Director

Becki is happy to be working on another Herriman City show. She likes to keep behind the scenes and is happiest when she's allowed to be creative. She has enjoyed working with old and new friends on *Newsies* and can't wait to see the magic in action.

# PRODUCTION TEAM

## Tonia McPeak, Ticketing and Photographer



Tonia is happy to be a part of such a wonderful production again. She loves capturing the magic that takes

place on stage each night as well as in the audience. Special thanks to her family for loving the arts!

## Kim Fisher, Merchandising



Kim is a long-standing member of the Herriman Arts Council and has been involved with many produc-

tions. Kim loves to help in any way she can and enjoys finding merchandise that captures the message and magic of Herriman productions.

## Bill Black, Marketing



Bill enjoys working with a wonderful team and being a part of the Herriman magic that takes place on stage each summer.

# ORCHESTRA

## Conductor

Amy Stytznegger

## Reed

Lori Green

## Trombone

Dustin Treseder

## Trumpet

Melissa Rankin

## Violin

Meagan Thorup

Emma Shirts

Brianne Bedingfield

Stacy Bartholomew

Tabitha Daugherty

Jamie Jackson

## Cello

Michelle Willis

Sheri Rose

Madison Balser

## Guitar

Daniel Barfuss

## Bass

Nathan Dietrich

## Keyboard

Kristin Kerr

Jovan Jeffs

## Drums

Mandee Nelson

## Percussion

Angel Williams



HERRIMAN *Arts* COUNCIL