

Synopsis of Scenes

ACT ONE

- Scene 1:** Cherry Tree Lane
- Scene 2:** Mary's Arrival
- Scene 3:** Practically Perfect
- Scene 4:** Jolly Holiday
- Scene 5:** Let's Hope She Will Stay
- Scene 6:** Spoonful of Sugar
- Scene 7:** The Bank
- Scene 8:** Feed the Birds
- Scene 9:** Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious
- Scene 10:** Bad News
- Scene 11:** Playing the Game
- Scene 12:** Chim Chiminey

-INTERMISSION-

Concessions are available in the lobby.

ACT TWO

- Scene 1:** Brimstone and Treacle
- Scene 2:** Let's Go Fly a Kite
- Scene 3:** Good For Nothing
- Scene 4:** Winifred Despairs
- Scene 5:** Brimstone and Treacle Revisited
- Scene 6:** George Returns
- Scene 7:** I'll Stay 'Til the Chain Breaks
- Scene 8:** Step In Time
- Scene 9:** A Man Has Dreams
- Scene 10:** Anything Can Happen, Part 1
- Scene 11:** Anything Can Happen, Part 2
- Scene 12:** Anything Can Happen, Part 3
- Scene 13:** I Love You, Mary Poppins
- Scene 14:** Family Life

Cast of Characters

Bert ☂ Jayden Swaim (12)*

George Banks ☂ Mio Legaspi (12)

Winifred Banks ☂ Sophie Murphy (12)

Jane Banks ☂ Maria Casady (11)

Michael Banks ☂ Carter Morrow (10)

Katie Nanna/Ensemble ☂ Samantha Wright (10)

Policeman/Von Hussler/Ensemble ☂ Eli Miller (11)

Miss Lark/Miss Smythe/Ensemble ☂ Olivia Saxton (12)

Admiral Boom/Chairman/Ensemble ☂ Ben Green (11)

Mrs. Brill/Ensemble ☂ Grace Oliver (12)

Roberston Ay/Ensemble ☂ Joel Whitmore (12)

Mary Poppins ☂ Chloe Crandell (12)

Park Keeper/Northbrook/Ensemble ☂ Nic Rhoads (12)

Neleus/Ensemble ☂ Alex Mona (12)

Queen Victoria/Ensemble ☂ Hannah Bailey (10)

Bird Woman/Ensemble ☂ Chayse Richman (10)

Mrs. Corry/Ensemble ☂ Kennedy Roose (12)

Fannie/Ensemble ☂ Macy Chittenden (10)

Annie/Ensemble ☂ Mariana Florez (8)

Valentine/Ensemble ☂ Isaiah Mudlaff (9)*

Teddy Bear/Ensemble ☂ Makaela Morrow (10)

Doll/Ensemble ☂ Cora Murphy (8)

Miss Andrew/Willoughby/Ensemble ☂ Emily Dykema (12)

Messenger/Ensemble ☂ Ryker Diekevers (10)

Ensemble ☂ David Tran (10)*

Ensemble: Raegan Boley (7)*, Eleanor Currier (7)*, Joleen

Denton (7)*, Sydney Estrem (8)*, Hazel Friedrichsen (8)*,

Moriah Godsey (8)*, Taylor Hawes (7)*, Molly Jingst (7)*,

Maia Koenigsfeld (7)*, Madison Lumbard (8)*,

Caroline Niemann (7)*, Maya Pieper (8), Anna Quist (7)*,

Raquel Seniva (7)*, Bella Sorensen (7)*, Eben VanArkel (8)*,

Sydney White (8)*

**denotes first DMCS production*

Crew

Director ☂ Jen Green

Assistant Director ☂ Manda Miller

Music Director ☂ Jeffrey Johannsen

Choreography ☂ Kennedy Roose, Chloe Crandell

Costume Design ☂ Zoe Murphy

Backstage

Stage Manager/Lighting Designer ☂ Max Olsen (12)

Assistant Stage Manager ☂ Lisi Main (11)

Ninjas ☂ Clayton Denton (12), Kiana Dotson (10), Keira Goranson (11)*, Teagan Harris (10), Cedahlia Manus (11), Rachel Norris (12), Charlie Olsen (10), Rachel Roggenburg (12), Amelia Samuelson (11), Gabe VerSteeg (12)

Promotion Crew

Crew Head ☂ Olivia Saxton

Hannah Bailey, Caroline Niemann, Grace Oliver, Nic Rhoads
Eben VanArkel

Costume Crew

Maria Casady, Macy Chittenden, Moriah Godsey, Kennedy Roose, Samantha Wright

Prop Crew

Crew Head ☂ Mio Legaspi

Emily Dykema, Molly Jingst, Maia Koenigsfeld, Eli Miller, Alex Mona, Sophie Murphy, Jayden Swaim, Joel Whitmore, Sydney White

Crew

Set Crew

Crew Head ☂ Jared Drefke (10), Ben Green
Raegan Boley, Eleanor Currier, Cianna Daley (11)*, Joleen
Denton, Ryker Diekevers, Sydney Estrem, Hazel Friedrichsen,
Taylor Hawes, Madison Lombard, Isaiah Mudlaff, Carter
Morrow, Makaela Morrow, Maya Pieper, Xander Quist (11),
Raquel Seniva, Avery Sterk (9), David Tran

((All Cast Members contributed to the set!))

Hair/Makeup Crew

Crew Head ☂ Chloe Crandell, Sophie Murphy
Mariana Florez, Cora Murphy, Chayse Richman, Avery Sterk,
Bella Sorensen

House Crew

Lindsay Hall (10), Ryan Hodges (7)*, Millie Grice (9)*

Sound Board Operator ☂ Oliver Sterk (11)

Light Board Operator ☂ Kacey Pierce (12)*

Director's Letter

For the second year in a row, I'm amazed at the extraordinary talent and hard work of the drama students at Des Moines Christian School. It's an honor to work with them on a production as big and magical as *Mary Poppins*. Thank you parents, family, and supportive friends who have helped these young adults become ambassadors for their program, their school, and the Lord.

It takes a small empire to put on a musical like this: my first big thank you is to the *amazing* Manda Miller. I have learned much from you, Manda, and it's been so much fun. Thanks for letting me sit in your chair.

Thank you Jeff Johannsen for putting the music in our musical—we sound magical because of you.

Jim Bagbey, Shawn Ford, Josh Lux, Troy Murphy, and Scott Crandell brought the magic of *Mary Poppins* to us with our fantastic set. Especially you, Jim. Thank you, thank you!

Thank you to Josh Curnes, Chris Timmons and Light This Productions. Your flexibility and professionalism make it a joy to work with you.

Thank you to Dan Koenigsfeld and the facilities team at DMC for putting the thrust stage up, then down, then up, then down . . . and then the bleachers up, and down and up . . . just thank you so much.

Thank you to the Des Moines Community Playhouse for graciously allowing us to use several of their set pieces.

Max Olsen and Lisi Main, our stage management team—you are both rock stars. Thank you.

Thank you, Mrs. Jahna Duda for being our biggest fan and advocate.

And finally, to all my seniors—gah, I can't even write this without tears. God has given you each such a precious gift—the talent to touch the world through singing, dancing, and performing stories. Please, keep using it for Him—He will light your way and direct your path when you do. I love you all very much. I can't wait to see how you change the world.

Thank you and God bless—

Jen Green

Cast



Jayden Swaim (Bert) Jayden is excited to portray his role of Bert, the chimney sweep, in *Mary Poppins*. When not playing this chimney sweeping jack of all trades, he can be found out with his friends, DoorDashing food and buying disposable cameras with his girlfriend, Emily Turnquist, who is totally adorable. Jayden is attending Kansas University in the fall for his after-high school plans. He is excited and hopes you enjoy the show!



Mio Legaspi (George Banks) Mio is a senior, and this is his fifth production with Des Moines Christian. He has enjoyed being involved with shows in various ways, as a props master, a co-director, or a Cowardly Lion. In his final show with DMCS, Mio takes the stage as the ornery George Banks. (While George's main personality traits consist of being orderly and British, Mio cannot attest to being either.) Outside of theatre, Mio stays busy with many other school activities such as show choir, Victory, and worship band, and he hopes to pursue a career in music after high school. He is so happy you are here and hopes you enjoy the show!



Sophie Murphy (Winifred Banks) Sophie is currently a senior, participating in her 6th and final show at DMCS. It is up for debate how she reached this point in her life, some believe it to be bribery, others tend towards some form of magic, and many just believe it to be sheer luck. No matter, she's made it this far and doesn't plan on stopping. If you'd like to support Sophie's efforts in graduating, feel free to Venmo her after the show, or even before the show if you're feeling spontaneous! Any money helps. :-)



Maria Casady (Jane Banks) Maria is a Junior and this is her third year in Drama. You have seen her as a cloud in *Peter Pan* and a sassy crow in *Wizard of Oz*. She is bringing back the sass this year as Jane (but she's not actually that snobby in real life). Other than the musical you can see her in *Light Inc.* and *Victory*. Maria hopes you don't find the show "boring" or "rotten". Also, Maria does not drink a glass of milk before bed and does not want to stay larval. Enjoy the show!

Cast



Carter Morrow (Michael Banks) Carter is a Sophomore this year and this is his 4th production at DMC. You may recognize him from the Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe as Mr. Beaver. Carter is involved in many activities Victory, Show Band, and Jazz Band. He is very excited and hopes you enjoy the show!



Samantha Wright (Katie Nanna/Ensemble) Samantha is a sophomore, and this is her fourth production. Her first year was for Peter Pan as house crew, and in eighth grade her onstage career started with Wizard of Oz. On stage she apparently looks like she has a liver complaint (haha, a joke from the show) while offstage she participates in practically all the fine arts. She has no clue what to put on this other than thanks for coming, and

enjoy the show!



Eli Miller (Policeman/Von Hussler/Ensemble) Eli is a Junior and this is his 4th show as a member of the DMCS Drama department. You may have seen him as the toothless boy/ensemble in Charlotte's Web, Pans the Lost Boy in Peter Pan, and the Barrister/ensemble in Wizard of Oz. He missed the show last year to counsel at Hidden Acres, and he is very excited to be back! Aside from drama, he enjoys being in Light, Inc, playing video games, and eating cereal. If you enjoy the show you can

Venmo him at Eli-Miller-54.



Olivia Saxton (Miss Lark/Miss Smythe/Ensemble) This is Olivia's final DMC production and she is so sad that it's her last but so happy to be doing it with a wonderful cast of friends!! We truly hope you enjoy our silly antics in the show and wait- give me a second - WILLOUGHBY!!!!

Cast



Ben Green (Admiral Boom/Chairman/Ensemble) Ben is a Junior, and this is his second show acting at DMC! If you recognize his beautiful face, you may recall his menacing performance as Fenris Ulf in Narnia! When he's not hunting down fauns, admiring the weather or counting coins, you'll find Ben in the band room, crashing on the drum set way louder than necessary. He's glad you're watching the show!



Grace Oliver (Mrs. Brill/Ensemble) Grace Oliver is a senior who is playing Mrs. Brill and is also a part of the ensemble in Mary Poppins this year. Grace loves theatre and vocal music. She has been involved in DMCS theater productions the last three years and involved in choir and show choir since seventh grade. In her free time, Grace loves to try new recipes, spend time outdoors, make jewelry, watch movies, and hang out with her friends. She is excited to perform for you today and hopes you enjoy the show!



Joel Whitmore (Robertson Ay/Ensemble) Joel is a senior, this is his 5th show at DMC. He has portrayed many characters over the years. For example, Micheal Darling from Peter Pan, Tin Man from Woz, Father Christmas from the the lion the witch and the name that's very long for a play, and many, many characters from Radium Girls. He probably has multiple personality syndrome at this point.

Other than drama Joel has partaken and currently partaking in Victory, dmcs show choir, football. He's hopes you enjoy the show, and don't take your servants for granted.



Chloe Crandell (Mary Poppins) This is Chloe's sixth production with the DMC Drama Department. She is beyond excited to play Mary Poppins this year! Outside of theater, Chloe is highly involved in her school through show choir, cheerleading, victory, National Honor society, and Student Council. Next year, Chloe will be attending the University of Iowa! She hopes you will enjoy the show and that it will be

“practically perfect in every way!”

Cast



Nic Rhoads (Parkkeeper/Northbrook/Ensemble) Nic (or Ricolos if you prefer) is a senior, and this is his third production at DMC! He's been glad for this opportunity to put on *Mary Poppins* to cap off his (comparatively short) drama career. Outside of drama, his biggest accomplishments are show choir and being cracked at *Brawl Stars*. (Please don't wish him to break a leg--he has bad knees.) He thanks you for coming out and hopes you enjoy the show!



Alex Mona (Neleus/Ensemble) Last year, Alex Mona had the pleasure of channeling his inner father figure playing the lead role of Aslan in *The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe* and Arthur Roeder in DMC's first winter production *Radium Girls*. This father trend has sadly come to an end as Alex now has the chance to channel his inner 16 year old with the role of Neleus—the son of Poseidon in stone statue form. Though it may be the hard rock life as a stone statue, Alex has decided to start with a clean slate and not take it for granite one bit. Of quartz since this is Alex's senior year, it has been very sedimental for him, but he hopes to rock your world with his very final performance at DMC with *Mary Poppins*!



Hannah Bailey (Queen Victoria/Ensemble) Hannah is a freshmen, this is her 3rd year in the DMC Drama Department. She is also involved in show choir and choir at DMC. She so happy that we could have the show this year and she hopes that you enjoy the show!



Chayse Richman (Birdwoman/Ensemble) Chayse is a sophomore, and this is her second DMCS production. Outside of the musical, she is involved in other school activities such as choir/show choir, colorguard, and marching/concert band. She is excited you're here and hopes you'll love it as much as she loves feeding her birds. :)

Cast



Kennedy Roose (Mrs. Corry/Ensemble) Kennedy is super excited to be performing in her 6th production with the DMCS drama department this year. She is a senior and over the past couple years has enjoyed becoming roles such as Susan in the Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe and Mrs. Roeder in Radium Girls. This show holds a special place in her heart with it being her final production, and she just wants her cast, crew, and

directors to know that she loves them very much and couldn't imagine working with anyone else on this show. She hopes you all enjoy DMCS's rendition of Mary Poppins!



Macy Chittenden (Fannie/Ensemble) Macy is a sophomore and this is her third production. She was house crew in Peter Pan, a munchkin in the Wizard of Oz, and an ensemble member of the Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe before covid! Off the stage she is involved in football managing, show choir, softball, and golf. She still doesn't know how to spell supercalifragilisticexpialidocious but she is excited you are here to watch the show!



Mariana Florez (Annie/Ensemble) Mariana is an eight grader, and this is her 2nd production in the DMCS Drama Department. She played last year a bear in The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe. Other than acting, Mariana is in show choir, choir, band, jazz band, and piano. She is excited for everyone to see the show. Hope you enjoy the show!



Isaiah Mudlaff (Valentine/Ensemble) Isaiah is a freshman and this is his first year in the drama department. He is a doll. Also he plays a doll in Mary Poppins.

Cast



Makaela Morrow (Bear/Ensemble) Makaela is a sophomore, and this is her 4th production at DMC. She's been in the productions of Peter Pan, the Wizard of Oz, and the Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe. This year, she is in the ensemble and plays a part as a teddy bear. She thanks you all for coming, and hopes that you like the show BEARY much!



Cora Murphy (Doll/Ensemble) Cora is currently an 8th grader at DMCS. This is her 2nd show. She is currently involved in choir, musical, roller derby (outside of school), and embezzlement! She hopes that even in high school she can be involved in these things and even more artistic classes. She sincerely apologizes for the actions of her character, and does not approve this message.



Emily Dykema (Miss Andrew/Willoughby/Ensemble)

Emily is a senior, and this is her 4th and final DMCS production. This year, Emily has the challenge of portraying a character that is the exact opposite of her. In real life, Emily enjoys spending time in the sunshine, singing worship songs with her friends, and sitting in hammocks. In the show, Miss Andrew enjoys yelling at the innocent, forcing children to drink toxic sludge, and the only thing that brings her true joy is her beloved lark, Caruso. Emily is so excited that you've come to watch the show, so sit back and relax...until Miss Andrew beats any relaxation out of you. Anyway, enjoy!



Ryker Diekevers (Messenger/Ensemble) From

Neverland to Oz and to Narnia they applause, people would come and see a production full of memories, but always saw boy up on that stage bringing such joy and awe. Ryker Diekevers has been apart of the drama department for 4 years, and is super excited to be supercalifragilisticexpialidocious on the stage this year. He has also been in XC and placed 3rd in state 2A with his whole team, achieved High honor role for many years, and has been super stoked for you guys to enjoy the show.

Cast



David Tran (Ensemble) David is a sophomore, and this is his first time doing the production in the DMCS Drama Department. David also participates in school activities including show choir and track. He is super thrilled you are here today and hope you enjoy the show.



Raegan Boley (Ensemble) Raegan is a 7th grader and this is her first production in the DMCS Drama Department. She is in lots of activities at DMC such as volleyball, cheerleading, clubs, and show choir. She is very excited for you to see all of the hard work and effort that everyone has put towards this musical. Enjoy the show. P.S. Hi mom!



Eleanor Currier (Ensemble) Eleanor is a 7th grader and this is her first time in a production. Apart from getting into acting, she loves all of her animals and loves to draw and sing. Eleanor is so excited to be in Mary Poppins and hopes you enjoy!



Joleen Denton (Ensemble) :: Joleen is in seventh grade, and this is her first year in the DMCS drama production. She would like to thank all the directors for putting together this amazing show even with Covid, but the show must go on! Thanks for coming and enjoy the show!



Sydney Estrem (Ensemble) Sydney is an 8th grade student who has just gotten into the acting/drama community. She is highly excited for you to get to watch and enjoy Mary Poppins!

Cast



Hazel Friedrichsen (Ensemble) I am in 8th grade and this is my first and last production at DMCS because I won't be here next year, but I would like to thank all of the high schoolers and fellow middle schoolers for making this a wonderful and amazing experience. I would especially like to thank Mr. J, Manda, and Jen for helping us all with the production and making it come to life. Some other activities I am in are choir, show choir, and dance.



Moriah Godsey (Ensemble). I am in 7th grade and this is my first show at DMC. When I am not on the stage doing show choir or Mary Poppins, you can find me reading, drawing, talking walks in the park, hanging with my friends, riding my horse, and flying kites in the park. I am a gingerbread addict and I make frequent visits to Mrs. Corry's shop. I am thrilled to be a part of this show and I can't wait to perform for God's glory tonight! Enjoy!



Taylor Hawes (Ensemble) Taylor is in 7th grade, and this is her first time in a DMCS production. Apart from the musical, she is in many other activities, such as jazz band, cheer, show choir, softball, and basketball. She is happy to be in Mary Poppins, and hopes you enjoy the show!



Molly Jingst (Ensemble) Molly is a 7th Grader who is really excited to be here performing for you! She wants to thank the Cast of Mary Poppins and wants you to look out for her! In the wise words of Chewbacca: HRRRRRRNNNNNNGGGG! "I'm always thinking one step ahead. Like a carpenter that makes stairs."- Andrew ernard ENJOY THE SHOW!!!!!!!



Maia Koenigsfeld (Ensemble) Maia is in 7th grade and this is her very first production here at DMC! You will see her taking a nice walk in the park, and maybe getting some conversations from Mrs. Corry. She is also involved in activities such as dance, cheer, and show choir. Maia hopes you enjoy the show and wants you to remember, it's always a jolly holiday with Mary Poppins!

Cast



Madison Lumbard (Ensemble) Madison is an 8th grader, and loves theater. This is her 1st DMCS play, but she loves doing it. Madison also is involved in show choir and middle school choir. She would like to thank her parents, Jordan & Lindsey Lumbard, for everything they've done that helped her get to where she is now.



Caroline Niemann (Ensemble) Caroline is a seventh grader, and this is her first production with the DMCS Drama Department. She is involved in cheer and choir and show choir. She would like to thank her family for everything they do for her. She hopes you enjoy the show!



Maya Pieper (Ensemble) Maya is an 8th grader, and this is her second show at DMCS. Last year she was involved in *The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe*. Maya is involved in show choir, choir, band, and volleyball. She is so excited she could be a part of this musical even though she isn't in high school yet!



Anna Quist (Ensemble) Anne is a seventh grader in the ensemble and this is her first year! She would like to thank her friends for goofing around with her and helping her. And cake because why not?



Raquel Seniva (Ensemble) Raquel is a seventh grader and she is a part of the ensemble. This is her first production and she is so excited to participate in the *Mary Poppins Musical*. She wishes the other cast and crew members the best of luck and is thankful for the directors who made this all possible.

Cast



Bella Sorensen (Ensemble) Bella is a seventh grader, and this is her first production with the DMCS Drama Department. She is involved with cheer, show choir, and choir. She is excited you are here today! Enjoy the show!!



Eben Van Arkel (Ensemble) Eben Van Arkel is an 8th grader and this is his first production in the Dmcs drama department. He thanks his parents for helping him practice and his grandma for helping him practice the songs. Apart from acting, he likes crafts and loves his hamster. He is involved in show choir and he loved it. He hopes that you enjoy the show and have a supercalifragilisticexpialidocious day.



Sydney White (Ensemble) Sydney is a 7th grader. This is her 1st production in the DMCS Drama Department. Apart from acting, Sydney is highly involved in many other activities including show choir, tennis, track, piano, and cheer. She greatly appreciates your support for the hard work put into the show! Enjoy!

TAKE A BOW!

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Throughout the year students and educators benefit from:

- **Expert Feedback** provided by theater professionals attending and reviewing a school's musical
- **Learning Opportunities** designed to provide skill-building opportunities taught by local and national theater professionals

Congratulations to the students, educators, administration and families who have played a role in making this musical production possible.

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Crew



Max Olsen (Stage Manager/Lighting Designer) This is Max's fifth show in the DMC Drama Department, his fourth time stage managing, and his second time designing lights. He's very grateful for the impact DMC Drama has had on him throughout his high school career, and he hopes you enjoy his final production here! Max is excited to continue his academic and theatrical career at Drake University next fall. Be sure to wave back at him in the

booth!



Lisi Main (Assistant Stage Manager) Lisi is a junior, and this is her 5th production with the DMC Drama Department. After being a cloud in Peter Pan and the twister in Wizard of Oz, she decided to go backstage as the assistant stage manager. In addition to theatre, Lisi is involved in show choir and cheerleading. She hopes you enjoy Mary Poppins!



Clayton Denton (Backstage Ninja) Clayton is a senior this year. And although he does want to act on stage, he still wanted to be a part of the play, so he became a backstage ninja. He loves good music (a.k.a the Dave Matthews Band, Surfaces, Frank Sinatra, Maroon 5 etc). He also loves technology and is an audiophile. He also loves cars and has been accepted in Southern Illinois University to study Automotive Design and Engineering in

the fall.



Kiana Dotson (Backstage Ninja) Kiana is a sophomore, and this is her second production in the school's Drama Department. She was a wood nymph in The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe. Kiana is also involved in band, and she enjoys playing video games. She's so glad you came and she hopes you'll enjoy your experience!

Crew



Keira Goranson (Backstage Ninja) Keira is a Junior and this her first time on Crew for the musical. She enjoys being involved in everything band related and is excited to be in crew for the show this year and hopes you enjoy it!



Teagan Harris (Backstage Ninja) Teagan is a sophomore and this is her third musical. She acted in both eighth grade and freshman year. This is her first year as a backstage ninja. She really enjoys anything music: whether it is singing, playing an instrument, or just enjoying it. She wishes you a super show!



Cedahlia Manus (Backstage Ninja) Cedahlia is a junior, and this is her 4th year being involved in the musical. She was on crew 8th grade and her Freshman year and was in the ensemble for the play last year. She also enjoys being involved in Marching, Concert and Pep band. She is excited about the show this year and hopes that you enjoy it!



Rachel Norris (Backstage Ninja) Rachel is a senior at DMC, and this is her 2nd production with the DMCS Drama Department. She is involved with other school activities such as show choir crew, NHS, and piano lessons. In her free time, she enjoys going hiking, watching Netflix, and hanging out with friends. Rachel will be attending UNI in the fall to study Pre-Nursing, and she hopes you enjoy the show!

Crew



Charlie Olsen (Backstage Ninja) This is Charlie's 3rd production at DMC! He's a sophomore you may know when he made his stage debut in *The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe* as the White Stag. But for this production, he's going backstage and doing his part as a backstage ninja just like the good ole days in *Wizard of Oz*. You can also see Charlie on the baseball field, performing in show choir, and in a practice room working on jazz. He is so grateful that you came to the show tonight, and he hopes you enjoy!!



Rachel Roggenburg (Backstage Ninja) :: I have no intention of making a spectacle of myself, thank you.



Amelia Samuelson (Backstage Ninja) Amelia is a junior that is in all the different band type extracurriculars offered at DMC, does xc when she manages to avoid injuries and sickness, and hopes that she doesn't do anything that will mess up the show for all of you here to enjoy it.



Gabe Ver Steeg (Backstage Ninja) Gabe is a senior, and this isn't his first time being a part of drama at DMC. He was a backstage ninja for *The Wizard of Oz* and is ready to do it again for *Mary Poppins*! He is a part of the concert, jazz, and marching bands and is also a part of concert choir and the crew for *Light Inc.* Gabe enjoys listening to music, spending time outside, and hopes to learn how to work on cars/classic cars after he graduates. He is thrilled that you all are here and is looking forward to making the show run smoothly!

Crew



Jared Drefke (Set Crew) I am a sophomore and have been on set for two years now. I am back again this year to make sure your child does not die on the set. Don't worry the sets are structurally sturdy and they won't break, (I have tried). I help create almost every creation that will be on the stage. I went to every set Saturday and stayed for the entire time. It is an honor to create set for the play. If your child is wanting to try out set crew, MAKE THEM, it is a good way to learn new skills and make new friends. I will be back next year to create more sets.



Xander Quist (Set Crew) Xander is a junior, and this is his 2nd year work on set crew. Apart from working on set crew, Xander is involved in many other school activities. These activities include band, jazz band, pep-band, marching band, and cross country that he just started this year. He is excited that you are here today, so please enjoy the show!



Avery Sterk (Makeup and Set Crew) This is Avery's third DMC production and has found her sweet spot in Makeup and Set Crews. She says that it's so fun to be in an environment where she can use her talents. Avery is also involved in Choir and Cheer. She would like to thank her family for always laughing at her jokes. She would like to thank everyone for coming and remind them to wash their hands!



Cianna Daley (Set Crew) Cianna is a Junior and this is her first year at DMCS. She is excited to be involved in her first production at DMCS as part of the set crew. Outside of drama, she plays the flute in band. She is very impressed by all the hard work that went into this production and proud to have been a part of it. Enjoy the show!

Crew



Oliver Sterk (Sound Board Operator) Oliver is a Junior and has been a part of the DMCS Drama program for 3 years, this being his fourth. He has helped with the productions of Peter Pan, Wizard of Oz, and The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe. Apart from helping with Drama, he is involved in Show Choir and Victory. He is overjoyed that you are here today and hopes you enjoy the show!



Kacey Pierce (Light Board Operator) Kacey is a senior, and this is his 1st production at DMCS. Kacey is in Baseball and Cross Country. He hopes you enjoy the show.



Millie Grice (House) Millie is a Freshman and this is her first year at DMC. She is thrilled to be a part of the Mary Poppins House crew. She hopes you enjoy the show!



Lindsay Hall (House) Lindsay has been in many productions but this year is helping out on house crew and hopes you enjoy the show.

Ryan Hodges (House) Ryan is a 7th grader who was sound in a play at Waukee. This is his first play at DMCS . He is on the mock trial team and is in band. He is excited to see everyone and hopes that everyone enjoys the show.

Mrs. Brill's Icing

INGREDIENTS

½ cup milk
2 tablespoons flour
pinch of salt
¾ cup sugar (add up to ½ cup extra sugar if you want it on
the thick side)
½ cup (1 stick) salted butter, softened
2 teaspoons vanilla extract

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Whisk milk, flour, and salt together in a saucepan over medium heat. Keep stirring until the mixture gets very thick and bubbly.
2. Remove from heat and let cool to room temperature.
3. In a mixing bowl using an electric mixer beat sugar and butter together until smooth and creamy. Beat in the cooled flour mixture until it is light and fluffy. Beat in the vanilla.
4. *Note* If you want it to be thicker you can add more sugar. This recipe is very forgiving and if you want it a really thick consistency keep adding sugar to it.

Mary Poppins Word Search



Find the following words in the puzzle.
Words are hidden → ↓ and ↘ .

BERT
CARUSO
CHIMNEY
GEORGE
GINGERBREAD

HEIRLOOM
HOLIDAY
JANE
JOLLY
KITE
MARY

MICHAEL
SPOONFUL
STARS
TUPPENCE
WINIFRED

Help Caruso find bird seed

