

BECK CENTER FOR THE ARTS

YOUTH THEATER presents

THE WIZARD OF OZ

Senney Theater

May 10-19, 2024



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HOUSE INFORMATION

ACCESSIBILITY: Wheelchair ramps, an elevator, and accessible restrooms make Beck Center accommodating to patrons.
Theatergoers in wheelchairs should request seats in Row J.

RESTROOMS: Can be found on the ground floor outside the Senney Theater, the garden court at the west end of the Galleria, and on the second floor just outside the elevator.

SMOKING: Beck Center is a non-smoking facility. Smoking is permitted outdoors away from the entrances.

PARKING: Convenient, free, on-site parking.

FIRE: Exits indicated by red lights are the shortest route to safety. In case of an emergency, please walk to the nearest exit.

CAMERAS AND RECORDING DEVICES: Copyrights strictly prohibit the photographing, audio or video recording of all productions. Cameras and cell phones may be confiscated.

CELL PHONES: Please turn off all cell phones and audible devices as the sound and screen light are distracting to the audience and especially the cast. Texting is not permitted during performances.

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CUSTOMER SERVICE HOURS: 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday; 12 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday; and open through intermission on performance dates. For ticket information visit beckcenter.org or call 216.521.2540.

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ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES (ALDS): Amplify and clarify sound by cutting down or eliminating ambient noise. Assistive Listening Systems are installed in both the Senney Theater and the Studio Theater and were completely overhauled during the summer of 2021 to improve sound quality and performance. Headsets may be used at any seat and, with the upgrade, induction neck loops are also now available for patrons who use hearing aids and cochlear implants with a “T” switch. Ask your audiologist whether your hearing aid or cochlear implant has a “T” switch (telecoil) and how to use it with an assistive listening headset.

WHO CAN USE AN ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE? Everyone! While induction neck-loops are only compatible with hearing aids and cochlear implants that include a “T” switch, the ear speaker can be used by anyone who wants a little volume boost.

WILL THE PATRONS NEXT TO ME BE DISTURBED BY THE ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE? ALDs are designed to deliver sound directly to an individual and work using specific reserved radio frequencies so as to not conflict with any other devices or equipment in use by the theater or our patrons. In addition, the ear speakers and the neck loops are designed to be as inconspicuous as possible. It’s likely no one will even know you’re using one.

ARE ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES AVAILABLE FOR EVERY SHOW AND EVENT AT BECK CENTER? YES! As long as the event is held inside the Senney or Studio Theater.

DO I NEED TO REQUEST AN ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE IN ADVANCE? You do not need to request an ALD in advance of arriving at the theater and an ALD can be requested at any time during an event. ALDs are distributed on a first-come-first-served basis free of charge. You may request your ALD at the Customer Service desk in the Beck Center lobby.

IS THERE A COST FOR USING AN ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE? No, ALDs are distributed free of charge on a first-come-first-served basis.

DO I NEED TO SIT IN A SPECIFIC PLACE TO USE AN ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE? No, all of our ALDs will work from any seat in any of our three theaters.

DO YOU CLEAN YOUR ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES? Yes, we follow the manufactures maintenance recommendations and use antimicrobial wipes to clean all earpieces and neckloops when they are returned before placing them back into storage.

DO I NEED TO ARRIVE EARLY TO OBTAIN AN ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE? While obtaining an ALD will not take very long, we strongly recommend that all patrons arrive AT LEAST 20 minutes before the performance to allow time to park, get to the theater, and find your seat.

I HAVE A HEARING AID OR COCHLEAR IMPLANT, WILL AN ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE WORK FOR ME? Induction neckloops are also now available for patrons who use hearing aids and cochlear implants with a “T” switch. Ask your audiologist whether your hearing aid or cochlear implant has a “T” switch (telecoil) and how to use it with an assistive listening headset. Patrons find this to be the best way to use the ALD’s.

I HAVE SEVERE HEARING LOSS, WILL AN ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE WORK FOR ME? ALDs will generally help anyone who can understand normal conversation either without aid or with a hearing aid. For more severe hearing loss, an ALD alone may not be enough.

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THEATER ALLIANCE OF BECK CENTER (TABC)

TABC is comprised of families of students enrolled in Theater Education courses and/or who perform in the Youth Theater productions at Beck Center. Our primary responsibilities are to support and enrich the youth student theater education experience and to provide hands-on support to Youth Theater productions and events throughout the season.

Through simple fundraising efforts and amazing volunteers, we are able to provide support to our students and Beck Center. Some of what we contribute with funds raised are funding the pit orchestra for the spring musical, hosting end of semester and opening night receptions, and purchasing new equipment for the Theater Education department. Recent TABC purchases include booster seats for our younger theater patrons and upgrades to youth theater department equipment. Our many volunteers provide countless hours of service each year by planning special events for theater students, organizing dinner for cast and crew during Youth Theater tech weeks, designing and implementing Youth Theater cast tables and cast boards, and so much more.

We are grateful for each of our members and we can't do what we do without your help! Please consider joining TABC. For more information on joining and volunteering with us, please contact **Jessica Tischler** at **BeckTABC@gmail.com**.

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The Wizard of Oz

By L. Frank Baum

Music and Lyrics by Harold Arlen and E.Y. Harburg

Adapted by John Kane for the Royal Shakespeare Company

CAST

Dorothy Gale	Ceci Whiteamire
Aunt Em (w/s Glinda*)	Caroline van Raalten
Uncle Henry/ Winkie General	Fergus Donnelly
Toto	Emaline Bubnick
Wicked Witch/Almira Gulch	Sarah Bahr
Scarecrow/Hunk	Sergio Lucey
Tinman/Hickory	Joshua Browning
Cowardly Lion/Zeke	Will McLoney
Wizard of Oz/Professor Marvel	Logan Cerrito
Glinda, Good Witch of the North (w/s Dorothy*)	Cannon Conley
Emerald City Guard/Ensemble	Axel Schmidt
Nikko/Ensemble	Ayla Schmidt
Toto (in Kansas)	Pippa Gaertner
FEATURED DANCERS	Lily Ansllokken, Penny Guzowski, Charlotte Hofelich, Iris Hunt, Eve McLoney, Lyanna Payton, Hazel Petrasek, Tessa Ritchie, Lucille Scali

ENSEMBLE

Zahra Abbas, Jack Arra, Lucy Bryan, Gus Gibbs, Maeve Gibbs, Liv Hoffman, Laney Hurtuk, Reid Judkins, Audrey Meyer, Lyla Meyer, Peighton Motil, Ellie Pallett, Kendall Pallett, Rory Petrusis, Evie Ritzert, Declan Robertson, Desmond Stevenson, Aislin Tischler, Piper Weinzimmer, Melina Zavagno

MUNCHKINS

Mayor	Louis Guzowski
Coroner	Aria Sova
Barrister	Clementine Brinich-Bratz
Lullaby League	Lena Barbicas, Cosette Brinich-Bratz, Annie Corrigan, Eliza Greene, Madelyn Mayer, Camille Pangrace, Reese Sabin, Daphne Westfall
Lollipop Guild	Benton Bloom, Jay Bloom, Raylen Brown, Xavier Carney, Logan Kelly, Will Mayock

MUNCHKIN ENSEMBLE

Isabelle Behrend-Rose, Tommy Bullock, Kate Copeland, Leo Cornett, Cael D'Andrea, Theo DeWine, Greta Gartland, Annie Groza, Josie Hoffman, Piper Kane, Madeleine Male, Annie McGettrick, Tess McGettrick, Olivia Robinson, Ally Roth, Katie Schramek, Luke Spitzig, Charlotte Stafford, Clare Stafford, Gracie Szy, Grace Wilson

*Understudies listed will perform the roles noted for the 5/16 7:30 pm and 5/17 7:30 pm performances.
Any other understudies will only perform in case of illness or other actor emergency.
We will always announce if any not listed understudy will be going on.

PRODUCTION STAFF

Director	Carolyn Demanelis
Choreographer	Sarah Heffner
Music Director	Heidi Herczeg
Stage Manager	Joy DeMarco
Assistant Stage Manager	Beth Gaertner
Set Designer/Technical Director	Mark DeVol
Assistant Technical Director	Simon Sedmak
Sound Designer	Maggie Bantner
Lighting/Projection Designer	Patrick Ciamacco
Costume Designer	Betty Pitcher
Costume Assistants	Joy DeMarco, Clara Edleman
Associate Stage Manager	Alessandra Rovito

Makeup Designer	Sarah Clare
Munchkin Production Aid	Laura Gaertner
Munchkin Production Assistant	Clara Edleman
Lighting and Projection Assistant	Noah Hrbek
Stage Crew	Anna Buehrle, Laszlo Mallin, Steve Mallin, Emily Shaffer, Reuben Shaffer, Analiese Young
Spotlight Operators	Oona Louis, Kyle Wunderle
A2	Elle Gallagher
Costume Crew	Sarah Bahr, Syma Darr, Julie Greene, Mary Lou Huntz, Ava Lotz, Aislin Tischler, Jessica Tishler
Makeup Crew	Kate Coleman, Axel Scott
Set Construction	Daniel Telford
Scenic Painter	Micaela Barrett
Producer	Sarah Clare
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ORCHESTRA

Music Director/K1	Heidi Herczeg
Conductor/Keyboard 1	Joel McDaniel
Flute	Jackie Wood
Trumpet	Matt Wirfel
Violin	Maria Viñas
Bass	Jason Stebelton
Drums	Tim Hampton

MUSICAL NUMBERS

ACT I

Overture	Orchestra
Over the Rainbow	Dorothy
The Cyclone	Orchestra
Munchkinland/Ding Dong!	Dorothy, Glinda & Munchkins
Yellow Brick Road	Dorothy & Munchkins
If I Only Had a Brain	Scarecrow, Dorothy & Crows
We're Off to See the Wizard	Scarecrow & Dorothy
If I Only Had a Heart	Tinman, Dorothy & Trees
We're Off to See the Wizard (rep.)	Tinman, Dorothy & Scarecrow
Lions, Tigers and Bears	Dorothy, Tinman & Scarecrow
If I Only Had the Nerve	Lion, Tinman, Dorothy & Scarecrow
We're Off to See the Wizard (rep.)	Lion, Tinman, Dorothy & Scarecrow
Poppies	Glinda & Ensemble Voices

ACT II

Entr'Acte	Orchestra & Ensemble Voices
The Merry Old Land of Oz	Dorothy, Scarecrow, Tinman, Lion, Guard & Ozians
If I Were King of the Forest	Lion, Dorothy, Scarecrow, Tinman
March of the Winkies	Winkies
Jitterbug	Lion, Dorothy, Scarecrow, Tinman & Jitterbugs
Winkies March(rep.)	Winkies, Scarecrow, Timan & Lion
Over the Rainbow (rep.)	Dorothy
Ding Dong! The Witch is Dead	Winkies

THERE WILL BE A 15-MINUTE INTERMISSION FOR THIS SHOW.

CAST



Zahra Abbas
Ensemble
12
There's no place like.....?
Westlake Porter Public
Library.



Benton Bloom
Lollipop Guild / Munchkin
9
There's no place like.....?
CYC.



Lily Ansløkken
Featured Dancer
13
There's no place like.....?
My bed.



Jay Bloom
Lollipop Guild / Munchkin
/ Chick
6
There's no place like.....?
Lake Wawasee.



Jack Arra
Ensemble
11
There's no place like.....?
Mimi and PapPap's cabin.



Clementine Brinich-Bratz
Barrister / Munchkin
8.5
There's no place like.....?
Reading a book in my bed.



Sarah Bahr
Miss Almira Gulch / Wicked
Witch of the West
15
There's no place like.....?
My grandparents house
(and Chipotle).



Cosette Brinich-Bratz
Lullaby League / Munchkin
7
There's no place like.....?
Cuddling with my puppy.



Lena Barbicas
Lullaby League / Munchkin
9
There's no place like.....?
Starbucks.



Raylen Brown
Munchkin / Lollipop Guild
7
There's no place like.....?
The soccer field!



Izzy Behrend-Rose
Munchkin
9
There's no place like.....?
A Taylor Swift concert.



Joshua Browning
Tinman
15
There's no place like.....?
London.



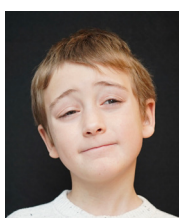
Lucy Bryan
Ensemble
 11
 There's no place like.....?
 The mall.



Kate Copeland
Munchkin
 10
 There's no place like.....?
 The outdoors.



Emaline Bubnick
Toto
 12
 There's no place like.....?
 Summer.



Leo Cornett
Munchkin
 6
 There's no place like.....?
 Home!



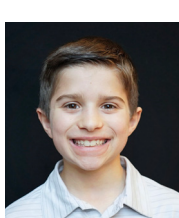
Tommy Bullock
Munchkin
 9
 There's no place like.....?
 School.



Annie Corrigan
Lullaby League / Munchkin
 9
 There's no place like.....?
 Disney.



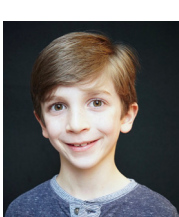
Xavier Carney
Munchkin / Lollipop Guild
 10
 There's no place like.....?
 The Stage!



Cael D'Andrea
Munchkin
 9
 There's no place like.....?
 Home!



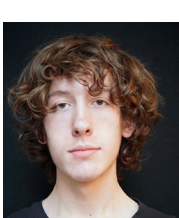
Logan Cerrito
Professor / Oz
 16
 There's no place like.....?
 Europe.



Theo DeWine
Munchkin
 8
 There's no place like.....?
 Disney World!



Cannon Conley
Glinda, The Good Witch
 16
 There's no place like.....?
 Going back to bed before I
 have to go to school.



Fergus Donnelly
Uncle Henry / Winkie
General
 15
 There's no place like.....?
 The stage.



Greta Gartland
Munchkin / Chick
7
There's no place like.....?
Cozumel! (my favorite
restaurant!)



Penny Guzowski
Featured Dancer
13
There's no place like.....?
Disney World!



Gus Gibbs
Ensemble
13
There's no place like.....?
A concert!



Charlotte Hofelich
Featured Dancer
13
There's no place like.....?
The beach!



Maeve Gibbs
Ensemble
12
There's no place like.....?
A vacation!



Josie Hoffman
Munchkin
8
There's no place like.....?
Target!



Eliza Greene
Munchkin / Lullaby League
9
There's no place like.....?
The Library and anywhere I
can dance with my friends.



Liv Hoffman
Ensemble
10
There's no place like.....?
Beck Center!!!



Annie Groza
Munchkin
10
There's no place like.....?
Beck!



Iris Hunt
Featured Dancer
14
There's no place like.....?
Lake Erie!



Louis Guzowski
Mayor of Munchkin Land
9
There's no place like.....?
The coin store.



Laney Hurtuk
Ensemble
10
There's no place like.....?
Good ol' Cleveland!!



Reid Judkins
Ensemble
13
There's no place like.....?
Barnes & Noble.



Will Mayoock
Munchkin / Lollipop Guild
9
There's no place like.....?
Home. Or the Wizarding
World of Harry Potter.



Piper Kane
Munchkin
10
There's no place like.....?
The stage!



Annie McGettrick
Munchkin / Chick
6
There's no place like.....?
Home.



Logan Kelly
Munchkin
8
There's no place like.....?
Animal Kingdom.



Tess McGettrick
Munchkin
8, turning 9 during the show!
There's no place like.....?
The theater!



Sergio Lucey
Hunk / Scarecrow
17
There's no place like.....?
Being with friends



Eve McLoney
Featured Dancer
12
There's no place like.....?
The beach, where I can relax
and listen to music.



Madeleine Male
Munchkin
9
There's no place like.....?
Hogwarts!



Will McLoney
Cowardly Lion / Zeke
15
There's no place like.....?
The mountains in Virginia
while I'm enjoying a beautiful
sunset.



Madelyn Mayer
Chick / Lullaby League
8
There's no place like.....?
Disney World.



Audrey Meyer
Ensemble
10
There's no place like.....?
Jazz class!



Lyla Meyer
 Ensemble
 13
 There's no place like.....?
 My cozy bedroom!



Hazel Petrasek
 Featured Dancer
 10
 There's no place like.....?
 Beck Center!



Peighton Motil
 Ensemble
 12
 There's no place like.....?
 Mrs. Sarah's house.



Rory Petruilis
 Ensemble
 12
 There's no place like.....?
 The Valley (The Metroparks).



Ellie Pallett
 Ensemble / Circus Person /
 Tree / Fence
 10
 There's no place like.....?
 Snuggling in my bed with
 puppy and watching my
 favorite show!



Tessa Ritchie
 Ensemble / Featured
 Dancer
 15
 There's no place like.....?
 Being with friends and
 family.



Kendall Rose Pallett
 Ensemble / Circus Person /
 Tree / Fence
 12
 There's no place like.....?
 Being with my family!



Evie Ritzert
 Ensemble
 13
 There's no place like.....?
 Being with my friends.



Camille Pangrace
 Lullabye League
 9
 There's no place like.....?
 Great Wolf Lodge.



Declan Robertson
 Ensemble
 10
 There's no place like.....?
 LCA!



Lyanna Payton
 Featured Dancer
 9
 There's no place like.....?
 Beck Center's stages to
 sing and dance on!



Olivia Robinson
 Munchkin / Ensemble
 10
 There's no place like.....?
 Beck!



Ally Roth
Munchkin
10
There's no place like.....?
Allegheny State Park with my
cousins!



Aria Sova
Coroner
10
There's no place like.....?
The theater!



Reese Sabin
Lullaby League / Munchkin
8
There's no place like.....?
Being with my dogs.



Luke Spitzig
Munchkin / Ensemble
7
There's no place like.....?
Tappan Lake.



Lucille Scali
Featured Dancer
11
There's no place like.....?
The stage.



Charlotte Stafford
Munchkin
9
There's no place like.....?
My art desk.



Axel Schmidt
Emerald City Guard
13
There's no place like.....?
Behind my drum set.



Clare Stafford
Munchkin
8
There's no place like.....?
Being with my sister.



Ayla Schmidt
Nikko
10
There's no place like.....?
Riding on my hoverboard.



Desmond Stevenson
Ensemble
13
There's no place like.....?
The Stage.



Katie Schramek
Munchkin
10
There's no place like.....?
The mall.



Gracie Szy
Munchkin
10
There's no place like.....?
Sephora.



Aislin Tischler
Tornado / Crow / Poppy /
Ozian / Monkey
10.5
There's no place like.....?
The theater.



Ceci Whiteamire
Dorothy Gale
16
There's no place like.....?
A book!



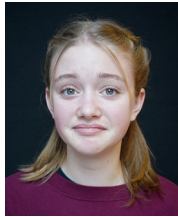
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Aunt Em
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There's no place like.....?
The theater.



Grace Wilson
Munchkin / Ensemble
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There's no place like.....?
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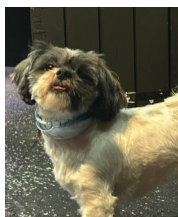
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There's no place like.....?
Nome . . . Alaska!



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There's no place like.....?
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Daphne Westfall
Munchkin / Lullaby League
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There's no place like.....?
Dairy Queen when it's freez-
ing outside.



Pippa Gaertner
Toto (in Kansas)
2.5
There's no place like.....?
Sleeping under the couch
covers!

Well Wishes

Grace Wilson

Grace we are so proud of you! Keep being a shining star! Love, Mom, Dad, James and Sailor

Lucille Scali

Lucy, You continue to be the brightest star on the stage and we are so proud! Love, Mom and Dad
Lucy, We are so proud of the actress you are becoming. We love you! Nana and Papa

Xavier Carney

Break a leg Xav! We love watching you do what you love, you are our star! Love, Dad, Mom, Molly and Eddie
Break a leg Xav, wish I could be there to see you shine! Love, Pa

Madelyn Mayer

Good luck Maddy - we are so proud of you and excited to watch you in the Wizard of Oz! Love, Mom, Dad, Brady and AJ

Hazel Petrasek

Hazel, we are SO proud of you! Great job working hard. We LOVE seeing you on stage!

Liv Hoffman

Liv- The joy you spread with your art is magical! Keep that fire and light always!! Love love love you!!!! Mom, Dad, and Bowie :)

Josie Hoffman

Josie!!!! Your first show!!! So proud of you and I can't wait to see what you bring to the stage! Love love love you!!!! Mom, Dad, and Bowie :)

Well Wishes

Ceci Whiteamire

Ceci- Wishes really do come true! Enjoy every minute! Love your biggest fans, Mom, Dad and Maggy

Will Mayock

Will, watching you on stage is the sweetest treat! We love you, Lollipop Guild Munchkin! Love, Mom, Dad, Henry and Adelaide

Reid Judkins

You are amazing! I can't wait to see what you'll do next! I love you, Mom I'm so proud of you Reid, keep being awesome! Love, Dad Good luck in the play, Reid!! You'll do awesome!! Love, Lauren and Sam Reid, we are so proud of you! Break a leg! Love, Grandma and Grandpa

Piper Weinzimmer

Piper, you aren't in Kansas anymore, you're up on stage! We love you! xoxoxo Mom, Bob, Dad, Jackson and Lincoln

Fergus Donnelly

Fergus: "If You're Not Doing What You Love, You're Wasting Your Time."
- Billy Joel

Evie Ritzert

Evie- So proud of you. Have a blast onstage. Love, Mom, Dad, Lucia and Kate

Charlotte Stafford

Charlotte Ann, break a leg! We can't wait to see you on stage again. Love you always, Mom and Dad

Clare Stafford

Clare Leora, we love seeing you on stage little Munchkin. Break a leg! Love you always, Mom and Dad

Eliza Greene

Eliza! We love you and are so proud of you! Break a leg! Love, Mom, Dad and Sadie

Penny Guzowski

Penny Mae - You've danced into our hearts since the beginning. We love you so much! Mom, Dad and Augie

Penny - You're a Dancing Queen! Have so much fun dancing in the Land of Oz - Love forever, Grandma and Papa

Penny - We're looking forward to seeing you and know you'll be great! Very proud of you - Love, Grandpa and Sharon

Penny - Follow the yellow brick road to success in The Wizard of Oz. I'm proud of you! Love, Grammy

Melina Zavagno

Melina, we are so proud of you! Enjoy the stage!

Louis Guzowski

Louis Neil - You've always been Mr. Mayor to us. We love you so much! Love, Mom, Dad and Augie

Joshua Browning

Break a leg, Tinman! We love you, always. Love, Mom and Dad

Emaline Bubnick

Emaline, We know you will be the very best Toto there ever was! Love, LoLo, PaPa and Amy

Katie Schramek

Katie - so proud of your hard work and dedication in this amazing show! We love you! Love, Mom, Dad and Joey

Rory Petruis

"A heart is shown not by how much you love, but by how much you are loved by others." Rory, you are loved by so many. Mom, Dad, Maia, Brady and Leila

Piper Kane

Piper, we are so excited to see you on the yellow brick road again! Love, Mom, Dad and Sydney

Kate Copeland

"Break a leg, Kate Copeland! Shine bright with your big heart and spirited steps. Embrace the magic of Oz! Xo, M&D

Cannon Conley

Cannon, Hard to believe you've gone from munchkin to Glinda in 10 years. You were made for this role. "You've always had the power, my dear." We love you more than you know, Mom and Dad

Jay Bloom

Jay, we are so proud of your hard work! We can't wait to watch you shine! Love, Mommy and Daddy

Benton Bloom

Benton, you are going to shine so bright during your performances each night! Break a leg! Love, Mommy and Daddy

Gracie Szy

We are so proud of the beautiful actress that you are! Break a leg, our favorite munchkin!

Well Wishes

Aria Sovà

Aria, we must aver, you are the cutest Coroner. Soooo proud of you, always. Love & xoxo - Mom, Dad and The Boys

Aria - be the best munchkin coroner you can be! Congratulations! Love you, Papa Tommy

Aria Meadow - May your passion for the stage light up the theatre! We love you to Oz and back! Love, Nana and Papa

Kendall Rose Pallett

Kendall Rose, you ARE a Wizard and a star so keep living your dream! - Love, Mommy and Daddy

Kendall, we are so proud of you--break a leg! - Love, Papa, Jen, Grandma and Dar & Family

Ellie Pallett

Ellie Belly, we wish you everything in life so just follow the yellow brick road. - Love, Mommy and Daddy

Ellie, break legs and have fun! - We love you, Papa, Jen, Grandma and Dar & Family

Tommy Bullock

Tommy B.—there's no business like show business and we're excited you're participating in it! We're proud of you! M&D

Lyanna Payton

Lyanna... I am so proud of you! Keep following your dreams down the yellow brick road! Love, Mom

Reese Sabin

I'm so proud of you, Miss Reese! You will be AMAZING! Have fun in Munchkinland. -Mrs. Walker

Reese, we're so proud of our little munchkin. Can't wait to see the show. Love, Grandma Nancy & Grandpa Ron.

Raylen Brown

Raylen, we are so very proud of you! Continue to shine bright! Sing to share! Love, Mom and Dad

Raylen, all the world is a stage and you always know how to find your light! Break a leg, Love Mimi

Eve McLoney

Break a leg Eve M.! We love you, twirl fast! Love, Mom, Dad, Will, Dyson, Sirius Black, Puma Thurman

Can't wait to see you dance, Eve M.! Love, Grandma and Papa

Will McLoney

Break a leg, Will M.! Be brave! Love, Mom, Dad, Eve, Dyson, Sirius Black and Puma Thurman

Will M., We can't wait to see you as the Lion! Love, Grandma and Papa

Annie Corrigan

Annie - Break a leg, I am so proud of your progress this year! Love, Kathrynn (sister)

Annie - May your performance shine brightly and hard work be applauded. Enjoy every moment on stage - Love, Grandma and Grandpa

Sarah Bahr

Another great performance doing what you love - Love, Gramma and Papa

Sarah - To our little pretty, what a world, what a (wonderful) world it is with you! Mom and Baba

Lyla Meyer

Lyla, We are so excited to see you shine on the Beck stage! Break a leg! Love, Mom, Dad, and Teddy

Audrey Meyer

Audrey, We can't wait to see you in your first musical! Break a leg! Love, Mom, Dad, and Teddy

Lyla and Audrey Meyer

Lyla and Audrey, We know you're both going to do a great job! We love you! Love, Grandma and Grandpa

Lyla and Audrey, We're so excited to see you performing at The Beck! Have a great show! - Aaron + Sarah

Axel Schmidt

Axel, Break a leg! We know you'll do great! Love, The Meyers
Axel and Lyla and Peighton, oh my! Excited to see you and your besties do what you do best! - Mom + Dad Peighton

Ayla Schmidt

Ayla, Have a fun time! Break a leg! Love, The Meyers
Ayla, There's no place like...sitting in the theater and watching you perform on stage! Enjoy every moment! - Mom + Dad

Peighton Motil

Peighton, We love watching you light up the stage! Break a leg! Love, The Meyers

Peighton, Is that Matilda? Or is it Chip? Oh, it's super slay Peighton, a stage star! - Aaron + Sarah

Peighton, I am so impressed with what you're doing. The singing, dancing, and memorizing lines is amazing! Grandpa

Evelyn Ritzert

Evie, We are so excited to see you on stage again! We're proud of you! Love you, Grandma and Grandpa

Well Wishes

Cael D'Andrea

Cael- We are so proud of you! Shine bright! Love, Mom and Dad
Cael- We love watching you perform on and off the stage! You're the best brother ever! Love, Vada and Emet
There is nothing more exciting than seeing you preform on stage. So proud of you Cael! Love Nana and Papa

Madeleine Male

Maddie Male - To our very own munchkin - you're a star! We're so proud of you! Mom, Dad, and Max
Maddie Male - To our favorite munchkin - have fun in Oz! Break a leg. - Aunts Cat and Michelle
Maddie Male - Congratulations, Maddie! We are so proud of you ... we love you! Grandma Cathy and Grandpa Jeff

Ally Roth

Ally, You are a STAR! Keep shining in all that you do! Incredibly proud of you! Love, Mom and Dad
Ally, You are a rock star! We love you, big sis! Love, Evelyn and Henry
Ally, our little Munchkin, Follow your dreams always! So proud of you, Grandma and Pa
Ally, Congratulations! We are so proud of your hard work. Enjoy every minute on stage and shine bright. Love, The Hogans
Allison, We are so proud of you! This is right up your 'Ally! Love, Grandma and Grandpa Roth
Ally! So proud of you! Break a leg and shine like the star that you are! Love, The Gedeons

Greta Gartland

Here's to the start of something beautiful & exciting! We love you Greta Susan! Break a leg! Grandpa and Grandma Janice
Good Luck Greta! We know you will be wonderful! Love, Uncle David, Aunt Steph and Drea
To Greta, our favorite munchkin – good luck! Aunt Kelley, Uncle Ron and the boys
Break a leg Greta! We love you so much & can't wait to see you shine! Love, Grandma and Granddad
Greta, you are so smart and talented! We love you! You'll always be our favorite actress! Rhys and Nikko
Greta, we expect an encore performance at home since we aren't allowed out! Your best buds, Pancho, Lefty, Celery and Donut
Greta, we love you somewhere over the rainbow and beyond. We are so proud of you! Love, Mommy and Daddy
Greta, we're so excited to see you on stage for your first show! Have fun! Love, Andrew and Lauren

Sergio Lucey

Sergio, Good luck, have fun and know that we are proud of our Scarecrow!! Love, Mom and Dad

Reese Sabin

Hey Reese, break a leg! Love, Piper
Reese, All the best to our shiny Star. We love you! - Gigi and Gramps
Reese, Here's to a fantastic show! Love & hugs, Aunt Linda

Gus Gibbs

Break a leg, Gus! Now fly, my monkey, fly! Love, Mom, Dad, Maeve, Ginger, Sgt. Pepper, Guster and Roxy

Maeve Gibbs

Break a leg, Maeve! And Remember we love you, our pretty, and your little dog too! Love, Mom, Dad, Gus, Ginger, Sgt. Pepper, Guster and Roxy

Caroline van Raalten

Caroline, you constantly inspire us with your talent, confidence and dedication. Congratulations! Love, Mom, Dad and Harry
Caroline, you make rainbows wherever you are! Love DeeDee and Pop
Coco, there's no place like ... the studio, with you. Love, Mom
Caroline, I'm so proud of you! Love, Dad

Cosette Brinich-Bratz

Cosette - We are so proud of our little Lullaby Leaguer in her very first show! Love, Mom, Dad and Nymphadora

Clementine Brinich-Bratz

Clementine - We are so proud of our not-so-little munchkin in yet another musical! Love, Mom, Dad and Nymphadora

Lena Barbicas

Way to go, Lena! You are amazing. Love, Granddaddy Uhl and Jen
We are so proud of your role in the Wizard of Oz! Love, GiGi and MiMi
Lena, "A heart is not judged by how much you love; but by how much you are loved by others." ~Ama
Lena, Nothing is more exciting for me than to see you on stage doing what you love! Congratulations! Ama Barbicas
Lena, You are a bright star and a talented young lady! Keep up the good work. I love you! Grammy
Lena, We love to hear you sing and we're so proud of all of your hard work! Love, Cookie Dough and Coco
Lena, You shine so bright and we are very proud of you! Keep doing what you love! Mom, Dad and Maddie

Well Wishes

Laney Hurtuk

Congrats on your exciting role in Oz, Laney! Love, Mom, Dad, Brielle and Caleb

Olivia Robinson

Break a leg, Olivia Drew! We love you! Dad, Mom & Lulu
And the dreams that you dare to dream really do come true...Love
Grandma Dee Dee

Zahra Abbas

Zahra, With your heart of gold, brains galore, and endless courage on life's yellow brick roads: we love you! Your Family

Logan Cerrito

All hail the great and powerful Logan! We love you to Galafrey and back!
Mom, Travis, Finn and Blake!

Love seeing you shine like the star you are! Love you too much! Auntie Mara, Uncle Dave, Grandma and Tata

Luke Spitzig

We are so proud of our little munchkin, Luke Spitzig, on his stage debut!
Love, Mom, Dad and Logan

Congratulations Luke Spitzig. Enjoy your journey on the Yellow Brick Road. Remember: There's no place like home. Grandma & Grandpa

Desmond Stevenson

You light up the stage whenever you are on it. We are so proud of you!
Love Mom, Dad, Nidea, and Victor

Congratulations, Desmond! We are so proud of you. Love you! Grandma and Papa.

Declan Robertson

Congrats Declan! Break everything! So proud of you Declan!
Declan, We always love watching you on stage! Break a leg – but not Axel's! – Aaron + Sarah

Izzy Behrend-Rose

We are so proud of you Izzy, we love you! Good luck and have fun. Love,
Mom and Dad

Jack Arra

Jack - Break a leg! We are so proud of you and all your hard work! Love
Mom, Dad, MJ & pugs

Charlotte Hofelich

Break a leg Charlotte! We love seeing you shine on stage! Love - Dad,
Mom, Jasper and Maebelle xoxo

Annie McGettrick

Can't wait to see you shine on stage for your first show! Love you lots!

Tess McGettrick

Break a leg, Tessie! Light up that yellow brick road. Love you lots!

Annie Groza

Annie, break a leg out there, girl! We'll be beaming in the audience from start to finish- we love you so much!

Your #1 fans: Mom, Dad, Bennett, Louie and Elinor

Daphne Westfall

Break a leg, Daphne! We love you and are so proud of you! Lots of Love,
Your Fan Club

Congratulations on a great run! We're so proud of you, Daphne! Lots of Love, Your Fan Club

Aislin Tischler

Aislin- Hope your trip to Oz is as wonderful as you are! Love, Grandma and Grandpa

Aislin- We love watching how much you enjoy being on stage! Love,
Mom, Dad & Rooster

Theo DeWine

We are so proud of you, Theo! Have fun and break a leg! Love, Mom,
Dad, and Desi

Camille Pangrace

Good luck Camille! We are so proud of you! Lots of love, Your Family

Lucy Bryan

Lucy (ensemble) Your light is sparkling bright! Have a blast out there!
We love you to the moon,

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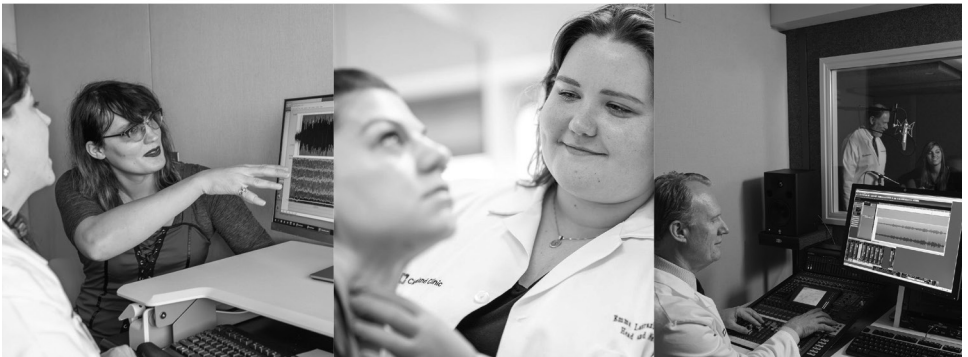
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