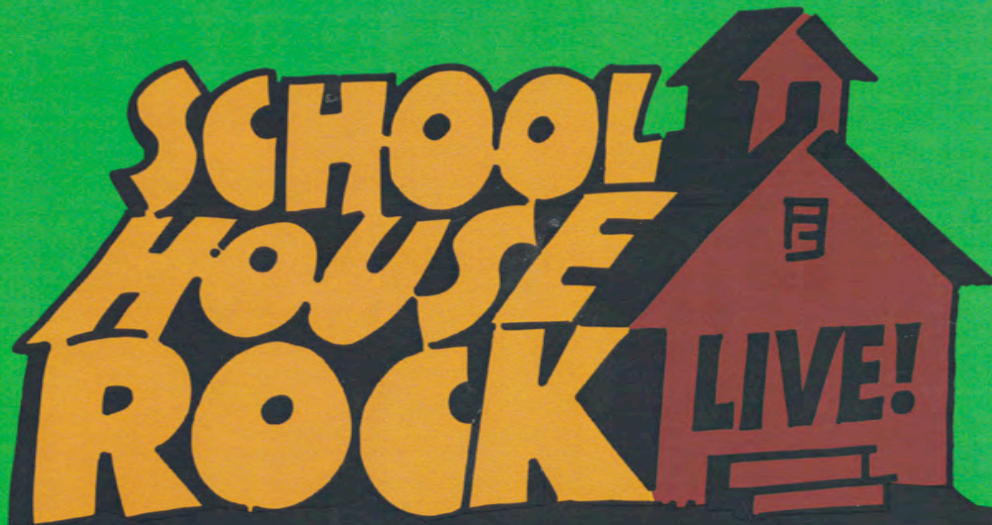


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Christian Brothers High School Theatre Department Presents



BY SCOTT FERGUSON, GEORGE KEATING AND KYLE HALL

Music and Lyrics by Lynn Ahrens, Bob Dorough, Dave Frishberg,
Kathy Mandry, George Newall and Tom Yohe

Originally Adapted and Produced for the Stage by Theatre BAM

From the Series Created by George Newall and Tom Yohe

Based on an Idea by David McCall

DIRECTED BY

Ron Slabbinck

Music Director: **Ron Slabbinck**

Orchestra Director: **Travis Maslen**

Choreographer: **Sarah Mungas**

Production Assistant: **Rebecca Wolfing**

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Tom	Logan Tipton	
George	Domenic Tavianini	
Dori	Sarah Hotz	
Shulie	Kelsey Pfirman	
Joe	Giovanni Salcedo	
Dina	Briana Lovett	
Ensemble	Karla Bernardo	Christina Lian
	Mary Coyner	Elisabetta Mazzoni
	Marcela Cuomo	Ali Rivera
	Kristen Geibel	Marika Rogers
	Kate Houston	Sydney Rodriguez
	Allison Lian	Howard Turley

INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE

Director	Travis Maslen
Bass	Travis Maslen
Piano	Scott Collard
Drums	Mike Crain

DIRECTOR'S NOTES

At the risk of dating myself, there is nothing more comforting than the thought of waking up to a bowl of Lucky Charms and watching Saturday morning cartoons. How cool was it when "As your body grows bigger, your mind grows flowers... it's great to learn, 'cuz knowledge is power!" would come on between episodes of Looney Tunes or Scooby-Doo! Schoolhouse Rock was the commercial you didn't want to miss. Little did I know that those cool cartoons with really fun songs were actually teaching me math, science, language and U.S. history. Apparently, I'm not the only one who had that experience. Teachers all over the country still use these videos in their classrooms to help their students remember that a noun is a person, place or thing.

I hope you enjoy taking a trip down memory lane as much as this cast has enjoyed putting this show together. If you feel so inclined, you are more than welcome to sing along. In fact, we hope you do!

Ron Slabbinck

1. Verb: That's What's Happening	Ensemble
2. A Noun Is A Person, Place Or Thing	Dori, Ensemble
3. Three Is A Magic Number	George, Ensemble
4. Mother Necessity	Ensemble
5. Sufferin' Till Suffrage	Dina, Shulie, Dori
6. Lolly, Lolly, Lolly	Tom, Joe, George
7. Unpack Your Adjectives	Shulie, Ensemble
8. Just A Bill	George
9. The Preamble	Dori, Ensemble
10. Ready Or Not, Here I Come	Joe, Ensemble
11. Do The Circulation	Ensemble
12. Rufus Xavier Sarsaparilla	Joe
13. Figure Eight	Shulie
14. A Victim of Gravity	George, Ensemble
15. Zero, My Hero	George, Shulie
16. Conjunction Junction	Joe, Dina, Dori, Shulie
17. Great American Melting Pot	Dori, Shulie, Dina
18. Elbow Room	Dori, Ensemble
19. Interplanet Janet	Shulie, Ensemble
20. Interjections	Dina, Ensemble
21. The Tale of Mr. Morton	Tom, Ensemble

WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST



Logan Tipton '15 (*Tom*)

Logan is very excited about being in his first musical at CB. He has previous theatrical experience in his middle school musicals *Fiddler on the Roof* and *Bye Bye Birdie*. He had seen a few of the Schoolhouse Rock cartoons before taking this role, and has really enjoyed getting to know the musical numbers.



Domenic Tavianini '14 (*George*)

Domenic is very excited to be in *Schoolhouse Rock Live!* Previously he was in *You're a Good Man Charlie Brown* (ensemble) and *The Crucible* (Francis Nurse). He is currently a member of Honors Chorale. He is active in the arts and is thrilled to have a leading role in *School House Rock Live!*



Sarah Hotz '13 (*Dori*)

Sarah is enthusiastic to participate in her first musical at CB. She has previously been a part of the technical crew for *The Music Man* and *Our Town*. She has participated in Honors Chorale and de la Femme since her sophomore year, and hopes to incorporate her "mad skills" into *Schoolhouse Rock Live!*



Kelsey Pfirman '13 (*Shulie*)

Kelsey is thrilled to be playing Shulie in *Schoolhouse Rock Live!* She has been in many theatre performances, including *The Crucible*, *Dear Edwina*, *The Pirates of Penzance*, and *Into the Woods*. She has participated in Honors Chorale and de la Femme since her sophomore year, and hopes to continue for the rest of her years at CB. She sends a big thank you to her friends and family for all of their support.



Giovanni Salcedo '13 (*Joe*)

Giovanni is extremely excited to be participating in *Schoolhouse Rock Live!* This is his first lead role in a musical. His last performance with CB theatre was in *The Music Man* (Townsperson). He also participates in Honors Chorale and CB City Rhythm. He would like to give special thanks to his friends and family for all their love and support, and to Mr. Slabbinck, Ms. Mungas, and Rebecca Wolfing for all their hard work and dedication to putting this musical together.



Briana Lovett '12 (*Dina*)

Briana has been seen in the One Acts Festival for the past three years and was also in *The Music Man* (Townsperson) during her sophomore year. She is currently a member of CB City Rhythm, Honors Chorale, and de la Femme. She is ecstatic to be acting the role of Dina in *Schoolhouse Rock Live!*



Karla Bernardo '14 (*Ensemble*)

Karla is not only a scholar, but she has also spent many of her days onstage, from appearing in *The Nutcracker* at the age of three to CB's production of *Schoolhouse Rock Live!* When she isn't lost in a book or putting on a show, she is busy being an internet singer/songwriter and graphic designer. She is currently part of the traditional Filipino theatrical revue, *Sinag-tala*, several youth groups, video production clubs, and at night, she works as an undercover super heroine.



Mary Coyner '12 (*Ensemble*)

Mary is bittersweet about being in her last musical at CB. Mary has enjoyed dancing and acting since she was young and has participated in many theatre productions, such as *Pippin* (ensemble), *The Music Man* (Townsperson), *Wake Up Jay, I'm Dreaming of Christmas* (Sweet), *This is Not Our Backyard*, *Charlie* (Stunk) and *A Comedy of Errors* (Dromio of Ephesus). Her favorite acting role was in *The Crucible* as Abigail Williams. Mary's dream role is to play Blanche DuBois in *A Streetcar Named Desire*.



Marcela Cuomo '15 (*Ensemble*)

Marcela is thrilled to be in her first musical production. She is involved in Women's Chorus and is looking forward to singing her heart out in *Schoolhouse Rock Live!* She hopes to be involved in many plays and musicals in her four years at CB. She would like to thank her friends and family for their love and support!



Kristen Geibel '15 (*Ensemble*)

Kristen is excited to be in the ensemble in *Schoolhouse Rock Live!* She thoroughly enjoys the arts and has participated in choir for many years. On the stage, she has previously been seen in *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown* (Sally), *Once on this Island* (Gossip) and *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* (Asher).

THE CAST (continued)



Kate Houston '13 (Ensemble)

Kate is thrilled to be in her sixth production at CB. Kate has been involved in theatre for 7 years and has been in many productions such as *The Princess and the Frog* (Cindy Schwartz), *Our Town* (Rebecca Gibbs), *The Music Man* (Townsperson), *You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown* (Extra Kid), *The Crucible* (Mary Warren), and the One Acts Festival. She would like to thank her friends and family for their unconditional love and support!



Allison Lian '14 (Ensemble)

Allison is elated to be in her first CB production. She has participated in many plays and musicals at her elementary school and with local community theatre, such as *Peter Pan* and *Sweeney Todd*. She has been a part of Contemporary Dance Conservatory's competitive company for three years and has appeared as Clara in the Sacramento Ballet's *The Nutcracker*. In addition, Allison participates in Honors Chorale, de la Femme, and CB City Rhythm. She loves her family and friends and hopes that everyone enjoys the show.



Christina Lian '12 (Ensemble)

Christina is extremely excited to be a part of her fourth production at CB. She has previously been seen in *The Music Man* (Townsperson), *Our Town* (Townsperson), and *The Crucible* (Extra Player). She has also participated in the Sacramento Ballet's production of *The Nutcracker* (Solider). She is currently in Honors Chorale and hopes to extend her theatrical and musical career through college. She sends her love to her friends and family and is thankful for their constant love and support!



Elisabetta Mazzoni '13 (Ensemble)

Elisabetta is very excited to be in her first production at CB! She is an exchange student from Milan, Italy and has embraced the American culture of theatre. She has put her heart and soul into 10 years of classical ballet and looks forward to dancing in *Schoolhouse Rock Live!* She would like to thank her friends and family for their love and support.



Ali Rivera '13 (Ensemble)

Ali has participated in the theatre program at CB for three years. She appeared in *The Music Man* (Townsperson) and has worked as a technical assistant behind the scenes during other productions. She is currently in Chamber Chorus and is excited to be a part of the ensemble in *Schoolhouse Rock Live*. She would like to give a huge thank you to all of her family and friends for supporting her in all of her theatrical activities.



Marika Rogers '14 (Ensemble)

Marika is exhilarated to be in her first production at CB. She enjoys singing, acting, and dancing to any type of music in her free time. She has participated in summer theatre camps at Saint Francis High School and was in choir in elementary school. Currently she participates in Chamber Chorus. She wants to thank her parents for supporting her in participating in *Schoolhouse Rock Live!*



Sydney Rodriguez '15 (Ensemble)

Sydney Rodriguez is very excited to be in her first production at CB. She also participates in choir and water polo.



Howard Turley '13 (Ensemble)

Howard is pleased to be in *Schoolhouse Rock Live!*, his first theatrical production at CB. He has previously acted in one other musical. He is also in the Chess Club and the Speech and Debate Club.

THANK YOU TO OUR TECH CREW



Back row: Kimberly Taketa, Kara Romani, Mark Wilson, Marisol Figueroa, Maura Tomassetti
Front row: Jacquelyn Ross, Daria Hoffmann, Hannah Schanberger

PRODUCTION STAFF

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Assistant Stage Manager	Marisol Figueroa
Costumes	Theresa Tavianini
Chief Carpenter	Ralf Schulz
Lighting Design	Ron Dumonchelle
Program and Poster	Sarah Mungas

Special Thanks

The cast, crew, and production staff of Schoolhouse Rock Live! would like to extend our deepest gratitude to all who continue to support our theatrical efforts, especially the administration and staff of Christian Brothers High School and Friends of the Arts for supporting the arts in our community. • Robin Hardy Communication Design • Travis Maslen, Sarah Mungas, Rebecca Wolfing, Ralf Schulz, Ron Dumonchelle, Dave Nelson, Kristen McCarthy, Brendan Hogan • Tom Franzola and the custodial staff. • Mark and Theresa Tavianini, Wylid Lian, Walter Wilson, Monica Pfirman, Tim Rogers and all of the FOTA volunteers who donate their time, energy and passion for the arts.

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Art Expo and Open House – Oct. 2

Visual and Performing Arts College Night – Oct. 26 at 6:30 p.m.

Open Mic Nights – Oct. 28 & Dec. 2 at 7:00 p.m.

Fall Musical – Nov. 11-13 & 18-20, Fri. & Sat. at 7:00 p.m., Sun. at 2:00 p.m.

Choral/Jazz Band Elementary School Tour – Dec. 1

Choral Christmas Concert – Dec. 8 at 7:00 p.m.

Christmas Music Assembly – Dec. 9

Instrumental Christmas Concert – Dec. 9 at 7:00 p.m.

FOTA Meetings – Aug. 24, Sept. 14, Oct. 19 & Nov. 30 at 6:30 p.m.

2012

Festival of One Acts – Jan. 20-22 & 27-29, Fri. & Sat. at 7:00 p.m., Sun. at 2:00 p.m.

Pre-Festival Concert – Mar. 1

Jazz Dessert – Mar. 10 at 7:00 p.m.

Golden Empire Music Festival – Mar. 17

Open Mic Nights – Mar. 23 & May 11 at 7:00 p.m.

Diocesan Elementary Choral Festival – Apr. 30

Reno Jazz Festival – Apr. 14

LaSalle Art Show – May 3 at 7:00 p.m.

Instrumental Concert – May 4 at 7:00 p.m.

Choir Alumni Dinner Reunion and Rehearsal – May 18

Choral Hollywood Bowl Concert – May 19 at 7:30 p.m.