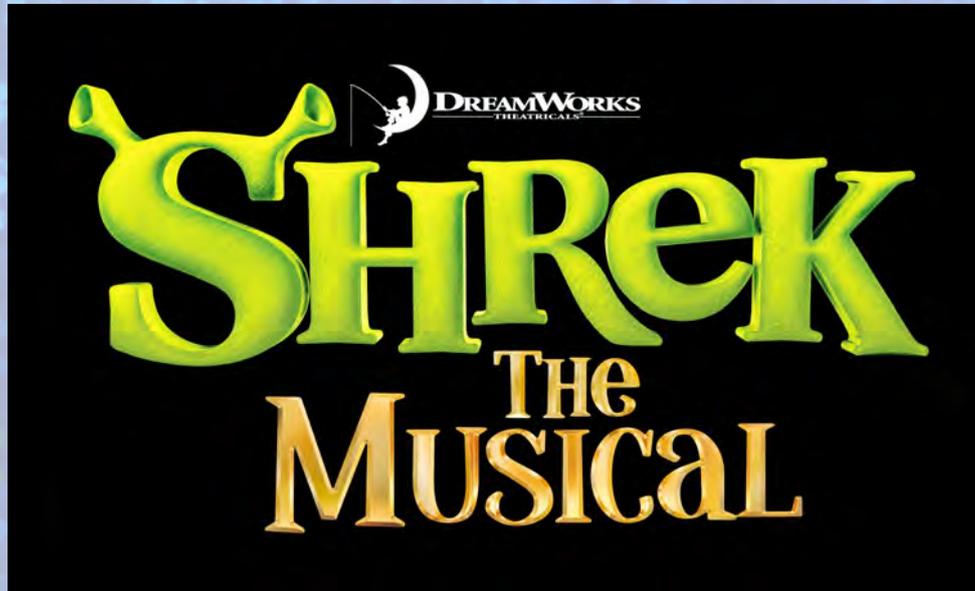


PRINCE of PEACE LUTHERAN COLLEGE

presents



Based on the DreamWorks Animation Motion Picture and the Book

by William Steig

Book and Lyrics by
David Lindsay-Abaire

Music by
Jeanine Tesori

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Director
Lisa Rachow

Working on a project such as this, reinforces to me just how amazing our students and staff are here at Prince of Peace. We are blessed with a vast array of talent in our school, but doing a show of this scale is about more than showcasing talent. I have had the pleasure of working alongside a group of dedicated, supportive, and beautiful people who have inspired me every step of the way. Making shows, makes you feel alive because of the people you work with. Working on Shrek has been fun! I have taught drama for over 20 years and learn more with every show.

We embarked on the Shrek Journey back in June of 2022 and nearly a year later we are coming to the end of the journey. Shrek was chosen because of the good humour, music and themes. We believe it suited the values of our College community and provided opportunities for many students to perform parts, and so they have. Many memories made, lots of laughs, and I am pleased to say minimal tears, and one hell of a great show! Students and staff involved should beam with pride knowing what they are capable of.

The Directorial Vision for the show was to bring it somewhat into the modern era, by stripping back some of the Medieval elements. I hope you noticed!

I give thanks to...

- My husband and my children, for supporting me and allowing me to invest in something I love doing. And my niece who assisted in costume construction.
- **Cast and Crew... I have loved working with you. I hope you have gained from this experience** because I know I have.
- Linda Brady!! You have been a rock and beautiful friend. Your honesty, humour and professionalism were key to my survival.



Music Director
Linda Brady

I come from a family of singers and I was at university before I discovered that, not everyone spends a country car trip singing in 4 part harmony and changing key on a cue from the driver. Brought up on traditional church music, I was a Qld Opera young artist and then chorister for 15 years, I have sung in a jazz trio, and I have represented Australia internationally with a 6 part vocal sextet, singing for the late Queen Elizabeth II and the late Pope John Paul II. I love the sound of voices raised together in song and its power to impact the human soul and build community. Directing the music for Shrek the Musical was an absolute joy. The songs are fun and catchy, conceived as a musical pastiche rich in popular music styles ranging from 60s pop to acoustic folk rock to jazz to RnB to dance. There are abundant Broadway references and even glimpses of Tchaikovsky. It is a musical smorgasbord, full of tasty favourites and our singers responded organically to the tangible familiarity of the music. Perhaps one day we will have enough students to run our own band but on this occasion we loved being able to enjoy the professionally produced backing tracks and focus our energy on the singing. Because of our great choral traditions and with the long standing support and input of Sherree Cudney and Jenny Howlett, we were able to draw on a wealth of vocal experience, expertise and tradition in our young singers. It was wonderful also, sharing the creative process with my dear friend and Director, Lisa Rachow, whose vision is always so strong and clear and who is always ready for a laugh. My job as Music Director was really just being ears outside of the sound, constantly reminding us all how to be our best selves and keep driving that bar even higher. Probably our biggest challenges musically will have all come in this last week as we adjusted to a new space, **microphones, our final backing tracks (which don't say "rehearsal track" every 30 seconds!)** and an audience. Thank you all for your patience and for believing in us enough to come today. It is you who will make this show come to life.

Scenes & Musical Numbers

ACT 1

Scene 1: Storybooks
Overture
Big Bright Beautiful World

Scene 2: Swamp
The Story of My Life
The Goodbye Song

Scene 3: Forrest
Don't Let Me Go

Scene 4: Farquaad's Torture Chamber
Don't Let Me Go

Scene 5: Gates of Duloc
What's Up Duloc

Scene 6: Fiona's Tower
I Know It's Today

Scene 7: Sunflower Field
Travel Song

Scene 8: Dragon's Keep
Forever

Scene 9: Fiona's Tower
This is How a Dream Comes True

Scene 10: Cliff's Edge. Star Lite Night
Who I'd Be

ACT 2

Scene 1: Forrest With Deer
Entr'acte
Morning Person
I Think I Got You Beat

Scene 2: Farquaad Torture Chamber
Ballad of Farquaad

Scene 3: Old Abandoned Barn
Ballad of Farquaad

Scene 4: Old Abandoned Barn
Make a Move

Scene 5: Inside/Outside Old Abandoned Barn
When Words Fail

Scene 6: Old Barn in the Red Woods with Sunrise
The Arrival of Farquaad
Build a Wall

Scene 7: The Red Woods
Freak Flag

Scene 8: Shrek's Swamp
Wedding Procession

Scene 9: Cathedral
Beautiful Ain't Always Pretty
Finale
Blows
I'm a Believer



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Middle & Senior Campus - Cast List

Jai Bressan.....	Shrek
Amber Paul.....	Princess Fiona / Ogre Fiona
Lilly Thom.....	Donkey
Jacob Howard-Taylor.....	Lord Farquaad
Kiara Blake.....	Wicked Witch, Duloc Greeter
Ashleigh Bleckwehl.....	Captain of the Guard 1, Sunflower
Chris Bowen.....	Three Little Pigs, Dulocian, Sunflower, Forrest Animal
Lachlan Dwyer.....	Three Little Pigs, Dulocian, Forrest Animal, Sunflower
Isabella Everitt.....	Young Fiona, Dragon Ensemble, Mice Trainer's Assistant
Jasmine Everitt.....	Teen Fiona, Queen Lillian, Mice Trainer, Skeleton, Bridesmaid
Claire Franklin.....	Three Blind Mice, Happy People, Dragon Ensemble, Dulocian, Guard
Georgia Gardner.....	Mad Hatter, Dulocian, Rat 2, Skeleton
Shaylee Godbolt.....	Captain of the Guard 2, Sunflower
Sage Handley.....	Bluebird, Happy People, Dragon Ensemble, Guard, Cow
Eloise Horsington.....	Baby Bear, Dulocian, Skeleton, Rat 4
Laura Horsington.....	Mama Ogre, Mama Bear, Dulocian, Sunflower
Nick Horsington.....	Papa Ogre, Papa Bear, Thelonus, Dulocian
Savannah Hughes.....	Three Blind Mice, Happy People, Drag Ensemble, Dulocian, Guard
Christiaan Labuschagne.....	King Harold, Humpty Dumpty, Piped Piper, Dulocian, Bishop, Sunflower
Fay Logan.....	Knight 1, Happy People, Guard, Dulocian
Mercedes Mclver.....	Sugarplum Fairy, Dulocian, Dragon Puppeteer
Cal Meehan-Black.....	Dragon, Wolf
Monte Morse.....	Young Shrek, Dwarf (Farquaad Father), Forrest Animal, Skeleton
Chelsea Pfeffer.....	Fairy Godmother, Knight 2, Dulocian, Bridesmaid
Tim Pingel.....	Pinocchio, Dulocian, Sunflower, Forrest Animal
Isla Pribilovich.....	Three Blind Mice, Happy People, Dragon Ensemble, Dulocian, Guard
Bella Richardson.....	Elf, Rat 1, Dulocian, Skeleton
Austin Schmidt.....	Three Little Pigs, Deer, Dulocian, Sunflower
Erin Scott.....	Peter Pan, Knight 4, Dulocian, Bridesmaid
Abi Tay.....	Ugly Duckling, Dulocian, Skeleton, Rat 3
Eliza Thomas-Hall.....	White Rabbit, Knight 3, Dulocian, Bridesmaid
Zara Warriner-Banner.....	Gingy, Happy People, Dulocian, Skeleton

Junior Campus Chorus - Cast List

as Dulocians and Fairytale Ensemble

Adele Assanova	Amelia Fletcher	Archer Nicol	Oskar Tuer
Sophie Attinger	Matilda Forrest	Emma Phillips	Milla Ullman
Ahana Bajaj	Bethany Franklin	Siena Piper-Iacovella	Antonia Vargas Narvaez
Sophie Bolger	Alex Hellen	Charlotte Rauber	Alyah Viegas
Dante Curtis	Lily Isles	Piper Spain	
Harper Dwyer	Lucia Johnson	Clara Schulz	
Eli Etherington	Lottie McKinnon	Zoey Speed	

Middle & Senior Campus Cast Members



Jai Bressan
(Shrek)

"Shrek is the most fun character I've had the fortune of playing."



Amber Paul
(Princess Fiona/
Ogre Fiona)

"Such an amazing opportunity and cast. Thank you everyone!"



Lilly Thom
(Donkey)

"...and in the morning I'm making waffles!!!"



Jacob Howard-Taylor
(Lord Farquaad)

"I can finally be rude without any repercussions!!!"



Kiara Blake



Ashleigh Bleckwehl



Chris Bowen



Lachlan Dwyer



Isabella Everitt



Jasmine Everitt



Claire Franklin



Georgia Gardner



Shaylee Godbolt



Sage Handley



Eloise Horsington



Laura Horsington



Nicholas Horsington



Savannah Hughes



Christiaan Labuschagne



Fay Logan



Cal Meehan-Black



Mercedes McIver



Monte Morse



Chelsea Pfeffer



Isla Pribilovich



Tim Pingel



Bella Richardson



Austin Schmidt



Erin Scott



Abigail Tay



Eliza Thomas-Hall



Zara Warriner-Banner

Junior Campus Chorus



Adele Assanova



Sophie Attinger



Ahana Bajaj



Sophie Bolger



Dante Curtis



Harper Dwyer



Eli Etherington



Amelia Fletcher



Matilda Forrest



Bethany Franklin



Alex Hellen



Lily Isles



Lucia Johnson



Lottie McKinnon



Archer Nicol



Emma Phillips



Siena
Piper-lacovella



Charlotte Rauber



Piper Spain



Clara Schulz



Zoey Speed



Oskar Tuer



Milla Ullman



Antonia
Vargas Narvaez



Alyah Viebas



Production & Creative Credits

PRODUCER/DIRECTOR.....	Lisa Rachow
MUSIC DIRECTOR.....	Linda Brady
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR.....	Caelen Culpeper
MUSIC DIRECTOR – JUNIOR CAMPUS	Sherree Cudney
CHOREOGRAPHER	Rechelle Gayler
COSTUME & WARDROBE.....	Allison Blake
COSTUME & WARDROBE ASSIST.....	Coreta Lennon, Marlie Van Vuuren
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SETS & PROPS - DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION.....	Allison Blake, Kaylene Simpson, Caitlin Chaffey, Alexis Chaffey, Mia Parry-Close, Keeley Glentworth, Lucia Hughes, Sabrina Hutton, Wren Knowles-Thomas, Mariska Adams, Sienna Chen
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PRODUCTION SUPPORT	Sarah Hoff-Zweck
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Special Notes of Thanks!

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Sharon-Lee Grimes, for her problem-solving skills and all round production support.

Rechelle Gayler and Sherree Cudney for committing to making sure our Junior Campus was involved.

Caelen Culpeper for stepping up to assist in directing this show. Your experience and creativity have been much appreciated.

And finally thank YOU, for coming to see the show, because without an audience, we wouldn't have a show!

Our sincerest thanks go to the people listed above for their sacrifice, support, and hard work in making this show happen. These people have voluntarily given up their time and energy to be a part of this production to enable this opportunity for our students.

THANK YOU! ...although it is impossible to say a big enough thank you to people who contribute, out of sheer generosity.



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