

# PRODUCTION STAFF

Producer.....Chris Wilson  
 Director.....Haley Wilson  
 Assistant Director.....Denise Delvin  
 Music Director.....Elora Maniatis  
 Choreographer.....Claire Hughes John  
 Assistant Choreographers.....Elliot and Hope Hughes John  
 Sound.....Elora Maniatis  
 Lights.....Chris Wilson  
 Costumes.....Denise Devlin  
 Sets.....Nikki Kunca  
 Wireless Mics.....Jim Moorman & JM Audio  
 Graphic Designer.....Laura Galindo H.  
 Parent Volunteers.....We thank you so very much for all you do!

## ♥ A NOTE FROM CHRIS

As we prepare to take the stage for Mean Girls Jr., I want to take a moment to reflect on this incredible journey. This is our 33rd musical production, and I couldn't be more proud of what our Academy has accomplished. Every show is special, but there's something particularly magical about this one. The energy, talent, and dedication from our cast, staff, and community have been inspiring.

A special thank you to our amazing creative team.

To our talented cast – you all have poured your hearts and energy into this production, and it shows.

Thank you to the parents, families, and friends for your unwavering support.

Finally, thank you to our entire Academy family for continuing to support the arts and being a part of this incredible community. Whether this is your first production or your 33rd, we're so proud of everything we've accomplished together.

Here's to another magical show, and to many more to come.

Warmly,

*Chris Wilson*

The Academy of Music and Art

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# THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC AND ART'S PRODUCTION OF



**Book by**  
Tina Fey

**Music by**  
Jeff Richmond

**Lyrics by**  
Nell Benjamin

Based on the Paramount Pictures film *Mean Girls*

Original Broadway Production Produced by  
Lorne Michaels Stuart Thompson Sonia Friedman

Paramount Pictures Marisa Sechrest Ars Nova Entertainment Berland Productions  
 Steve Burke Scott M. Delman Ray Furman Robert Greenblatt Ruth Hendel Jam Theatricals  
 The John Gore Organization The Lowy Salpeter Company James L. Nederlander  
 Christine Schwarzman Universal Theatrical Group  
 Executive Producer David Turner

## MARIO PARENTE THEATRE

1S325 Ardmore Aven, Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181

Thursday, August 14 at 7:00 PM | Friday, August 15 at 7:00 PM |  
 Saturday, August 16 at 7:00 PM | Sunday, August 17 at 3:00 PM

### MEAN GIRLS JR

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# NOTES FROM THE DIRECTOR

Welcome to Mean Girls Jr.!

This junior adaptation captures all the humor, energy, and heart of the original, while sharing an important message: kindness and empathy matter. Yes, there are cliques, drama, and plenty of laughs—but at its core, this show is about lifting each other up.

Our cast has worked so hard, learning choreography, mastering harmonies, and bringing these unforgettable characters to life. I'm proud of their talent, dedication, and the joy they've poured into every rehearsal.

Thank you to our amazing team, supportive families, and you—our audience—for being part of this journey. Now sit back and enjoy your trip to North Shore High (and don't forget, on Wednesdays we wear pink!).

*Haley Wilson*

Director

## MEAN GIRLS JR. CAST

Cady Heron.....	Vera Madhiwala
Regina George.....	Emilia Galdun
Gretchen Wieners.....	Olivia Mulloy
Karen Smith.....	Vivian Friess
Janis Sarkisian.....	Olivia Held
Damian.....	Dexter Davis
Aaron Samules.....	Lucy Wielenberg
Kevin G.....	Beckett Wilken
Ms. Norbury.....	Ellie Schueler
Mr. Duvall.....	Cora Starks
Mrs. George.....	Violet Held
Mrs Heron.....	Nadia Streeper
Mr. Heron.....	Emma Gomez
French Teacher.....	Gwen Crews
Coach Carr.....	Alice Bossard
Taylor.....	Emily Grimestad
Caitlyn.....	Amelia Murphy
Rachel.....	Willa Callaghan
Sonja Acquino.....	Brynn Scharping
Glenn Coco.....	Emma Gomez
Shane Oman.....	Nadia Streeper
Dawn.....	Alice Bossard
Grace.....	Gwen Crews
Lizzie.....	Kaylee Chavez

Sophie.....	Avery Plathow
Teary Girl.....	Olivia Gomez
Martin.....	Olivia Gomez
Tony.....	Aubrey Petersen
Jason.....	Olive Murphy
Mathletes Moderator.....	Avery Plathow
Marymount Captain.....	Kaylee Chavez
Marymount 1.....	Emily Grimestad
Marymount 2.....	Amelia Murphy
Marymount 3.....	Willa Callaghan
Caroline Krafft.....	Brynn Scharping
Ensemble.....	Avery Plathow, Violet Held, Nadia Streeper, Olivia Gomez, Emma Gomez, Emily Grimestad, Amelia Murphy, Olive Murphy, Brynn Scharping, Alice Bossard, Gwen Crews, Kaylee Chavez, Willa Callaghan, Aubrey Petersen
Dance Team.....	Avery Plathow, Alice Bossard, Gwen Crews, Kaylee Chavez
Debate Team.....	Emily Grimestad, Amelia Murphy, Willa Callaghan, Brynn Scharping
Harmony Leaders.....	Brynn Scharping, Willa Callaghan, Beckett Wilken, Cora Starks
Dance Captains.....	Avery Plathow, Alice Bossard, Gwen Crews
Student Assistant Directors.....	Violet Held, Kaylee Chavez, Aubrey Petersen

## SCENES & MUSICAL NUMBERS

Mean.....	Janis, Damian, Show Choir
It Roars.....	Cady, Students, Taylor, Caitlyn, Rachel, Mr. Duvall
It Roars (Reprise).....	Cady, Students
Where Do You Belong?.....	Damian, Cady, Janis, Ensemble
Meet the Plastics (Part 1).....	Regina, Gretchen, Karen
Meet the Plastics (Part 2).....	Regina, Gretchen, Karen, Cady
Stupid With Love.....	Cady
Apex Predator.....	Janis, Ensemble
What's Wrong With Me?.....	Gretchen
Revenge Party (Part 1).....	Janis, Damian, Cady, Ensemble
Revenge Party (Part 2).....	Janis, Damian, Cady, Ensemble
Rockin' Around The Pole.....	Regina, Gretchen, Karen
Fearless.....	Gretchen, Karen, Cady, Ensemble, Taylor
Whose House Is This?.....	Party Guests, Kevin G
More Is Better.....	Cady, Aaron
World Burn.....	Regina
I'd Rather Be Me.....	Janis, Ensemble
I'd Rather Be Me (Tag).....	Janis, Ensemble
Do This Thing (Part 1).....	Cady, Kevin G, Mathletes, Ms. Norbury, Mathletes Moderator, Marymount 1, Tony, Martin, Marymount 2, Caroline Krafft
Do This Thing (Part 2).....	Cady, Ms. Norbury, Ensemble
I See Stars.....	Cady, Janis, Regina, Gretchen, Karen, Jason, Ensemble

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