

Past Stanner Players Productions

Fall 2022	<i>Puffs: Or Seven Increasingly Eventful Years at a Certain School of Magic and Magic</i>
Spring 2022	<i>Into the Woods</i>
Fall 2021	<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>
Spring 2021	<i>The Addams Family</i>
Spring 2020	<i>Curtains the Musical</i>
Fall 2019	<i>Little Women</i>
Spring 2019	<i>Once Upon A Mattress</i>
Fall 2018	<i>The Christmas Carol</i>
Spring 2018	<i>You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown</i>
Fall 2017	<i>The Diary of Anne Frank</i>
Spring 2017	<i>The Pajama Game</i>
Fall 2016	<i>Pygmalion</i>
Spring 2016	<i>The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee</i>
Fall 2015	<i>Alice in Wonderland</i>
Spring 2015	<i>Seussical the Musical</i>
Fall 2014	<i>The Matchmaker</i>
Spring 2014	<i>You Can't Take It With You</i>



The Stanner Players' Spring 2023 Musical



Thursday, April 27	2:30 pm
Friday, April 28	7:00 pm
Saturday, April 29	7:00 pm
Sunday, April 30	2:00 pm

***Ralph DeChiaro Theater at
Archbishop Molloy HS***

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FOOTLOOSE

Stage Adaptation by

DEAN PITCHFORD

and **WALTER BOBBIE**

Based on the Original Screenplay by

DEAN PITCHFORD

Music by

TOM SNOW

Lyrics by

DEAN PITCHFORD

Additional Music by

ERIC CARMEN, SAMMY HAGAR,

KENNY LOGGINS,

and **JIM STEINMAN**



**FOOTLOOSE is presented by arrangement with
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PRE-PRODUCTION CREW

Cristina Aliperti
Arielle Balassarre
Mia Bruno
McKayla Ciulla
Lillian DeVivo
Joseph Hoermann
Anna Lampman
Caleb Lokey
Alexander Lopez
Dylan Luongo

Kristen Mussalli
Ash Proko
Elliott Romero
Christina Sbano
Ashley Tiwari
Nikitas Vlachos
Amelia Volker
Amy Vu
Jake Xuereb

SPECIAL THANKS

- Krystal Valentin '25
- Mr. Chris Autera
- Mr. Dan O'Reilly
- Mr. Joe Sommo
- Ms. Bianca Basone
- Ms. Rebecca Wagner
- Ms. Danielle Santucci-Gracchi
- Mr. Brian Klimas
- Ms. Lauren Pizzo
- Molloy's IT Department: Matt, Michele, and George
- Molloy's Admissions Department:
Heather and Jonathan
- Molloy's Maintenance Staff: Brian, Derek, Peter, Juan
and Glenn
- Molloy's Security Officers: Kevin, Alex, and Steve
- The entire Administration, Faculty, and Staff of Archbishop
Molloy

**A very special thanks to the P.O.Ps (Parents of the Players) for
their support of Molloy's Theater Program and for keeping us
fed throughout dress rehearsals and performances!**

PRODUCTION/STAGE CREW

Producers

Mr. Darius Penikas, Principal
Mr. Richard Karsten, President

Director

Ms. Shannon Winters '06

Music Director

Christopher Quintana

Choreographer

Charlie Siguenza '14

Assistant Director

Joanna Troyanos '15

Assistant Choreographer

Teej Garcia-Lawson '19

Stage Managers

Mia Bruno '25
Joseph Hoermann '25
Anna Lampman '24

Assistant Stage Manager

Christina Sbano '25

Lighting

Katarina Jewell '24
Elliott Romero '24
Amelia Volker '25

Sound

Lillian DeVivo '25
Donovin Sanon '24
Ashley Tiwari '25

Running Crew

Kristen Mussalli '25
Mateo Ramirez-Mendez '23

Set Designer

Mr. Chris Autera '16

Lighting Design

Glenn Rivano

Sound Design

Gary Colter

Prop Masters

Ash Proko '25
Ethan Yu '24

Camera Operators

Cristina Aliperti '25
Jessie-Jaymes Lee '25
Alexander Lopez '26

Hair/Make-Up

Arielle Baldassarre '24
Olivia Panza '23

Costume Masters

Madeline Accardo '24
McKayla Ciulla '26
Daniel Juarez '23

Set Pieces Provided By

Barteld Theatrical Productions Inc.

House Managers

Mr. Christopher Autera '16
Members of National Honor Society

Instagram Artwork and Playbill Cover

Mr. Chris Autera '16

Playbill Layout

Joanna Troyanos '15

CAST

Ren McCormack

Ariel Moore

Reverend Shaw Moore

Willard Hewitt

Rusty

Urleen

Wendy Jo

Vi Moore

Ethel McCormack

Chuck Cranston

Cowboy Bob

Lyle

Travis

Bickle/Cowboy Band 1/Betty

Garvin/Cowboy Band 2

Jeter/Cowboy Band 3

Uncle Wes

Aunt Lulu

Eleanor Dunbar

Principal Clark

Cop

Student 1/Featured Dancer

Student 2/Featured Dancer

Coach Dunbar

Michael O'Neill

Francesca Picarello

Michael Ramirez

Juliana (DJ) O'Keefe

Jada Alyanna Chico

Charlize Collado

Jackie Capra

Hailey Ramzan

Michelle Ramirez

Jake Xuereb

Miles Docil

David Ramirez

Sydney Pullo

Sophia Krevor

Casper Villapaz

Camila Burga-Alcon

Dylan Luongo

Megan Zapanta

Sofia Crino

Alyssa Dumalo

Alexa RuizDiaz

Ava Genna

Isabella Fortunato

Mr. Dan O'Reilly

Ensemble

Meaghan Murphy

Hubert Skrzypek

Sarah Torres

Congrats to all our Senior Stanner Players (Past and Present!)

We wish them the best in all their future endeavors!

Isabella Arias	Madeline Miller
Emily Carter	Teddy Milstead
Marcos Condo	Stephanie Mohabir
Alain Dorestant	Sophie Navarrete
Connor Fareth	Cara O'Connor
Daniel Flynn	Meghan O'Malley
Julia Goncalves	Olivia Panza
Hila Hadizadeh	Isha Patel
Justin Horvath	Francesca Picarello
Anthony LaRussa	David Ramirez
Lok-Kee Lam	Michael Ramirez
Isabella Jorge	Mateo Ramirez-Mendez
Daniel Juarez	Hailey Ramzan
Abigail Mallia	Alexa RuizDiaz
Matthew Mayor	Maggie Saffian



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BOOSTERS

Dear Francesca: Keep reaching for the stars and you'll become one! Love, Dad
Please don't fall again.

Dear Francesca: You've been my star since Day 1. I'm so proud of you! Love, Mom
To Mia, Joey, and Christina – I love being a stage manager with you guys!

Thank you for everything! -Anna

Dear Francesca: I'm so proud that you're my sister. I'm going to miss coming to
your shows. Love, Gabriella

We are so proud of you Juliana and the Footloose cast and crew! -The O'Keeffes

Dear Francesca: Break a leg, Kiddo! Love, Uncle William

Thank you Ms. Winters! We love you!

Dear Francesca: We are so proud of you! Love, Uncle Charles, Aunt Diane,
Danielle, & Deanna

Let's Hear It for the Boys!

Dear Francesca: You are the sunshine of my life! Love, Grandma

Make sure you cover your nose when her foot is loose – Mr. O'Keeffe

Dear Francesca: You bring us so much joy! We are so proud of you! Love,
Aunt Mitch

Best of Bomont for life!

Dear Francesca: We can't wait to see what the future holds for you! We love
you! Love, your biggest fans

My Little Lea Salonga

Dear Ms. Winters: Thank you for giving Francesca an amazing four years! The
Picarello Family

Get those dogs off the dance floor – Patricia, Emilie, Alyssa

Hailey is the best stage mom -Fran

To the cast & crew of Footloose: Good luck and have fun! -The Picarello Family

You gotta cut woof, foot woof! Love, Luna

"Oh, you're funny. You're like, really, funny."

Feet are pretty great – DJ

I'm Feeling Wicked



Directors Note

There are so many things we take for granted on a daily basis. While dancing may not be something everyone considers themselves good at, the prospect of having it taken away may make you look at it differently. As Ren mentions towards the end of the show how Psalm 149 says, "Praise ye the Lord. Sing unto the Lord a new song. Let them praise his Name *in the dance.*" *Footloose* is a show that celebrates the joy of expressing oneself through dance. Ren can't stand still, Ariel is holding out for a hero, Rusty wants to hear it for the boy, and even Willard tells us what Mama says – all through dance. In musical theater, characters start to sing when regular dialogue can't express their emotions, and then when song isn't enough, they start to dance. As an audience member, we hope that watching this joyful movement happen right in front of you brings a smile to your face, and hopefully even makes you tap your foot and want to join in!

This year was truly a team effort and I have to thank my fabulous production team for making this show so collaborative. Thank you eternally to Glenn Rivano and Gary Colter for always being ready and willing with their lighting and sound expertise. Thank you to Christopher Quintana for taking on the role of Music Director once again and guiding us through another challenging yet rewarding musical! Thank you to Charlie Siguenza for some utterly amazing choreography and for convincing me that we could succeed at a dance heavy show (especially given our space limitations!) Thank you to Joanna Troyanos for her skillful patience and attention to detail, for literally being where I cannot be, and for reading my mind before I even know what I need! I am so thrilled to welcome Teej Garcia-Lawson to the production team as Assistant Choreographer; thank you for your willingness to jump in and help wherever needed and for your energetic warm-ups! Thank you to Chris Autera who is able to do it all from making Instagram posts to making copies when I'm running around doing four other things to making sure the front of house is immaculate and on brand. And thank you to Dan O'Reilly for being my sounding board, for agreeing to make his Stanner Players debut with this production, and for keeping me caffeinated.

As this is the final show of the year, I must take a moment to single out a few exceptional seniors who will be graduating soon: Francesca Picarello and Hailey Ramzan have been Stanner Players since the fall of their freshman year and have been truly dedicated to the Stanner Players. Even in the midst of COVID closures, virtual performances, live-streams, and finally getting back to normal, your unwavering passion shines on stage for all to see, and I have been spoiled by your talent, but even more so by your ability to always have a smile on your faces. Honorable Mention must go to Daniel Juarez who has earned the special distinction of Assistant to the Director and who can lighten the mood instantly (which is often needed!)

For the first time in what feels like a long time, this has been the first year that things have been "back to normal." A lot of people are still trying to figure out what that means, but to be able to have a full theater of cast, crew, and audience members and just focus on the excitement and energy of live performances has at least made me feel like the storm has passed. Reflecting on the 10 years I have been directing the Stanner Players and seeing how far this program has come as well as getting to see the amazing accomplishments of our Stanner Players alumni, I have nothing but gratitude and love for this space and for the people who love it as much as I do. Now loose your blues and everybody cut footloose!

-Ms. Shannon Winters



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MUSICAL NUMBERS

ACT 1

Scene 1 – Chicago/The Town of Bomont (at Church)
"Footloose*/On Any Sunday" – Full Company

Scene 2 – The Churchyard

Scene 3 – Behind a Gas Station
"The Girl Gets Around**" – Chuck, Ariel, Travis, Lyle,
Featured Dancers

Scene 4 – Bomont High School Hallway/Around Bomont
"I Can't Stand Still" – Ren
"Somebody's Eyes" – Rusty, Urleen, Wendy Jo,
Ensemble

Scene 5 – The Moore Home
"Learning to be Silent" – Vi, Ethel, Ariel

Scene 6 – The Burger Blast Diner
"Holding Out for a Hero+" – Ariel, Rusty, Urleen, Wendy
Jo, Featured Dancers

Scene 7 – The Great Plains of Bomont
"Somebody's Eyes Reprise" – Rusty, Urleen, Wendy Jo

Scene 8 – The Moore Home
"Somebody's Eyes Reprise" – Rusty, Urleen, Wendy Jo
"Heaven Help Me" – Reverend Shaw

Scene 9 – Bomont High School Gym/The Church
"I'm Free*/Heaven Help Me" – Ren, Reverend Shaw,
Full Company

THERE WILL BE ONE 15 MINUTE INTERMISSION

MUSICAL NUMBERS

ACT 2

Scene 1 – The Bar-B-Que, a Country-Western Dance Hall
"Still Rockin'" – Cowboy Bob, Cowboy Band Members,
Featured Dancers, Ren, Ariel, Rusty, Willard
"Let's Hear It for the Boy" – Rusty, Willard, Ariel, Ren,
Cowboy Boy, Cowboy Band Members,
Featured Dancers

Scene 2 – The Moore Home
"Can You Find it in Your Heart?" – Vi

Scene 3 – The Junk Yard
"Mama Says" – Willard, Garvin, Jeter, Bickle, Ren

Scene 4 – Under the Train Bridge
"Almost Paradise++" – Ren, Ariel

Scene 5 – The Town Hall

Scene 6 – The Moore Home
"Heaven Help Me Reprise" – Reverend Shaw

Scene 7 – The Church/ The Churchyard
"Can You Find it in Your Heart? Reprise" – Reverend Shaw, Vi

Scene 8 – Bomont High School Gym
"Footloose* (Finale)" – Full Company
"Megamix (Bows)" – Full Company

All music by Tom Snow, except: *Kenny Loggins; **Sammy Hagar;
+Jim Steinmann; ++Eric Carmen
All Lyrics by Dean Pitchford, except; "Footloose" lyrics by Dean Pitchford
and Kenny Loggins