

Interlochen, Michigan 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th Program of the 61st Year

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# Cinderella

Music by Sergei Prokofiev

Choreography by Joseph Morrissey

Music Recording: *Prokofiev: Cinderella* by The Cleveland Orchestra, Vladimir Ashkenazy

Costume Design by Amanda Lifvendahl
Additional Costume Designs by Peter Cazalet and Galina Krasovskaya
Lighting Design by Adam Hamdy
Scenic and Projection Design by Stephanie Baugher

Dance Division Faculty: Katie Dorn, Rachel James, Jurijs Safonovs, Leslie Williams Ballet Rehearsal Pianists: Steve Larson and Elena Stavropoulos

Friday, February 10, 2023 Saturday, February 11, 2023 Saturday, February 11, 2023 Sunday, February 12, 2023 7:30pm, Corson Auditorium 2:00pm, Corson Auditorium 7:30pm, Corson Auditorium 2:00pm, Corson Auditorium

**CAST** (in order of first appearance)

# ACT I

Cinderella	Vivian Boyden (2/10, 12/11 matinee)
	Kate Hall (12/11 evening, 2/12)
Stepmother	Anne Maust Chloe Cowgill, Jayla Stafford
Stepsisters	Chloe Cowgill, Jayla Stafford
Graveyard Keepers	Matthew Williamson*, Rueby Wood*
	Leah Morawa
Merchants	Aimee Craig, Leah Hager,
	Lola Pimentel-Barker, Lindy Sloan
Ballet Master	Asher Ekhardt
Violinist	Rowan Barber
Prince Charming	Heath Voy (2/10, 12/11 matinee)
	Matthew Jacome (12/11 evening, 2/12)
Prince Charming's Companions	Asher Ekhardt, Vince Mardirossian
Tutor	Jurijs Safonovs**
	Matthew Williamson, Rueby Wood
Tea Party	Rowan Barber, Aimee Craig,
	Joey Gelman, Leah Hager, Jesse Harrington,
	Isabelle Jones, Maxwell Pfluger
	Lola Pimentel-Barker, Anna Vaughn,
Orange Juice (Pas de Trois)	Julia Birkenstein,
	Isabella Brady, Lilly Coate
	Nami Chung Vastine, Asher Ekhardt
Summer	Emma Pearl,
	Matthew Jacome (2/10, 12/11 matinee)
	Heath Voy (12/11 evening, 2/12)
Autumn	
	Cosette Jaquish (12/11 evening, 2/12),
	Maxwell Pfluger (2/10, 12/11 matinee)
	Vince Mardirossian (12/11 evening, 2/12)
Winter	Mana Shirai, Alek Nawrot
Frogs	Rowan Barber,
	Vince Mardirossian (2/10, 12/11 matinee)
	Maxwell Pfluger (12/11 evening, 2/12)
Ghost of Time	Jessie Harrington
	Matthew Williamson, Rueby Wood
Woodsprites	Leanne Chi, Joey Gelman,
	Cadence Glenzy, Isabelle Jones,
	Lindy Sloan, Anna Vaughn

### **ACT II**

Master of Ceremonies	Jurijs Safonovs
Photographers	Matthew Williamson, Rueby Wood
Courtiers	Rowan Barber, Leanne Chi,
	Nami Chung Vastine, Asher Ekhardt,
	Cadence Glenzy, Jessie Harrington,
	Cosette Jaquish, Vince Mardirossian,
	Alexis Monreal, Alek Nawrot,
	Emma Pearl, Maxwell Pfluger
Cobbler	
Cobbler's Apprentice	Patrick Michaels***
Cobbler's Customers	Julia Birkenstein, Lilly Coate,
	Chloe Cowgill (as Stepsister),
	Kristianna Eremita, Leah Hager,
	Anne Maust (as Stepmother),
	Lola Pimentel-Barker,
	Jayla Stafford (as Stepsister),
	Anna Vaughn
Spain	• •
	Isabelle Jones, Maxwell Pfluger,
	Lola Pimentel-Barker, Anna Vaughn
Far East	
	Joey Gelman, Leah Hager,
D. H. G.	Jesse Harrington, Thi Phan
Butterflies	
	Cadence Glenzy, Isabelle Jones,
	Lindy Sloan, Anna Vaughn

<sup>\*</sup> Denotes IAA theatre students \*\* Denotes IAA dance faculty \*\*\* Denotes local supporting cast

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#### Cinderella

Synopsis by Joseph Morrissey

#### **ACT I**

## Scene I: The Graveyard

Cinderella arrives at the gravesite of her beloved parents to visit her recently deceased father and her mother who passed away many years ago. She is reluctantly accompanied by her overbearing stepmother and two conniving stepsisters. Cinderella's stepmother insists she cease her grieving and move onward. Cinderella follows her stepfamily back home.

#### Scene II: The Next Morning, in the Kitchen

It has been announced that Prince Charming is holding a ball this evening to find his princess.

While Cinderella cleans, her stepsisters taunt her. When they discover a scarf Cinderella made, they tear it in half. Disturbed by the ruckus, the stepmother dances her frustrations out. A beggar appears at the door and Cinderella kindly helps her get warm by the fire. However, the stepfamily scoffs and rushes the beggar outside before merchants arrive with clothing for the stepfamily to try on for the forthcoming ball. A hired ballet master and his violinist arrive. The instructor hopelessly attempts to teach the excited stepsisters how to dance properly for the ball, but gets frustrated at their ineptitude. When the instructor leaves, he spots Cinderella in the corner, mastering his ballet steps. The stepfamily rushes off to get attired, leaving Cinderella to clean their mess and dream about the ball. The beggar reappears, revealing herself to be Cinderella's Fairy Godmother, and guides her through the mirror toward a magical evening ahead.

# Scene III: Prince Charming's Study

In his study, Prince Charming is bored with life as a royal and sends his tutor away. Guests arrive for afternoon tea and the Prince arranges to have delicate oranges brought forth for refreshments and games. Horrified by his behavior, the tutor insists the tea party properly dance together. Eventually the Prince is alone again, and longs for freedom and true love. He has a vision of Cinderella—they dance together before she disappears.

# Scene IV: The Magical Garden

The Fairy Godmother has guided Cinderella to a magical garden with frogs and woodsprites. The four seasons dance for Cinderella and present her with gifts for the ball: a dress, a cape, a tiara, and a pair of glass slippers. The Ghost of Time warns Cinderella that these magical gifts will last only until midnight before they are taken away and Cinderella will return to her rags. The Fairy Godmother transforms a pumpkin into a carriage and the frogs escort Cinderella to the ball.

#### -15 MINUTE INTERMISSION-

#### **ACT II**

#### Scene I: The Ball

At the ball, Cinderella's stepmother and stepsisters enter in a loud and obnoxious fashion. Prince Charming arrives to much fanfare. Each of the stepsisters clumsily dance for the Prince while he jokingly encourages his companions to entice their affections. Magical chimes are heard as the Fairy Godmother announces Cinderella's entrance, who is unrecognizable to all. The Prince immediately becomes enchanted by Cinderella's beauty, poise, and grace. Cinderella accepts the Prince's invitation to dance. The stepfamily makes another clumsy attempt for Prince Charming's attention, but are eventually escorted outside before Cinderella and the Prince dance together alone. When the clock strikes midnight, the Ghost of Time appears and the magic vanishes. Cinderella appears in her rags, humiliated and recognized by her stepfamily—still, the Prince tries to catch her as she flees away, leaving only a shoe behind.

### **Scene II: The Cobbler Shop**

Several members of the kingdom arrive at the cobbler's shop and order replicas of Cinderella's shoe. The greedy cobbler and his apprentice are happily overwhelmed with the increase in business.

#### Scene III: Traveling the World

Prince Charming and his companions travel the world to find the woman he met at the ball. They journey from Spain all the way to the Far East. Princesses of each land try to prove they are the woman the Prince is looking for.

#### Scene IV: Cinderella's Attic

Prince Charming returns from his travels and attempts to find the mysterious woman amongst his kingdom.

Cinderella is locked away in the attic for humiliating her stepfamily at the ball and hides her remaining shoe. The stepsisters enter and demand Cinderella's shoe so they can trick the Prince into believing it is one of them whom he danced with at the ball. Together with the bitter stepmother, they find the shoe and throw it back and forth. Cinderella has a brief moment of revenge and gets the shoe back, before she is hidden behind a dressing screen. The Prince and his companions arrive and try the shoe on each member of the stepfamily, without success. While laughing at the stepmother attempting to try on the shoe, the stepsisters back into the dressing screen where Cinderella is revealed. The Prince recognizes her from the ball and his earlier vision. He matches his shoe with hers and realizes he has found his true love. The Fairy Godmother arrives and whisks Cinderella and the Prince to the castle.

#### Scene V: The Castle

The Fairy Godmother conjures magical butterflies outside the castle. Prince Charming and Cinderella dance passionately together. They are then escorted in a carriage toward the castle, where they live happily ever after.

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#### SUPPORTING CAST FROM THE ARTS ACADEMY THEATRE DIVISION

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#### LOCAL SUPPORTING CAST

Patrick Michaels

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### PRODUCTION CREDITS

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StitcherSarah Koontz
Costume Technician in Residence/Wardrobe Supervisor Katie Glenn
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Jake	Jonesco, Ohio; Anne Maust, Mich.;
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