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- “Signed, Sealed, Delivered I’m Yours” Stevie Wonder
VARSITY CHOIR arr. Alan Billingsley
- “Reflection” Wilder & Zippel
Meredith Godsall, Vocals
- “Blues Round” Jenny Carpenter
Hayley DeJong, Sarah Frankfurt & Judith Kostroski, Vocals
- “Everytime” Spears/Stamatelatos
BEL CANTO
- “# 41” David J. Matthews
Rob Evans, Vocals and Guitar
- “Someone Like You” *from Jekyll and Hyde* Frank Wildhorn
Carah Claflin, Vocals
- “One Fine Day” Goffin & King
BEL CANTO ENSEMBLE arr. Sharon & Raugh
- “Walking in Memphis” Marc Cohn
May 4-Benta LeMunyon & Bill Rodgers, soloists arr. Mark Brymer
May 5-Stephanie Luger & Peter Michaletz, soloists
VARSITY CHOIR
- “Crush” A. Armato & T. James
Mo Berkowitz, Megan Gaard & Nicole Slomiany, Vocals
- “Finale B” *from Rent* Jonathan Larson
Cole Peterson, Soloist arr. Mac Huff
VARSITY ENSEMBLE
- “Spice Up Your Life” Spice Girls/Stannard/Rowe
BEL CANTO arr. Andy Thompson

Intermission
15 MINUTES
Refreshments in the Commons Area

- “Zero to Hero” *from Hercules* Menken & Zippel
BEL CANTO arr. David Henderson
- “California Dreamin’” John Phillips
VARSITY CHOIR arr. Ed Lojeski
- “Don’t Know Why” Norah Jones
Mo McKamey, Vocals
- “Longest Time” Billy Joel
Andy Bartz, Tom Diehl, Joe Magnuson,
Erik Nelson, Andy Wolfe, Vocals
- “Man! I Feel Like a Woman!” S. Twain & R. Lange
BEL CANTO
- “Walkin’ On Sunshine” Kimberley Rew
VARSITY CHOIR arr. John Higgins
- “All For Believin’” Missy Higgins
Ali Dahl & Angie Hartline, Vocals
- “No Rain” Shannon Hoon & Christopher Thorn
Anniessa Antar & Carolyn Triggs, Vocals
- “Gimme! Gimme! Gimme!” Andersson & Ulvaeus
BEL CANTO arr. David Henderson
- “We Go Together” *from Grease* Casey & Jacobs
VARSITY CHOIR arr. Ed Lojeski

Varsity Choir

Alexandra Aagaard
Anniessa Antar
Morgan Azbill
Brooke Baker
Andrew Bartz@
Natalie Beegle
Roscoe Bendtsen
Cashin Berard*
Melissa Berkowitz
Trevor Bisping
Greg Brill
Madelyn Brown
Marissa Buie@
Ainsley Burch
Derrick Caschetta
Lucy Cashin
Robert Cauble
Adele Chavez
Carah Claflin
Emily Cochrane
Samantha Crowther
Alisha Dahl%@
Erin Deakyne
Caitlin Deal
Hayley DeJong%
Kathryn Dickey
Thomas Diehl@*
Jennifer Dixon
John Evans
Rob Evans%
Sarah Frankfurt
Laura Frey
Sarah Friedman
Megan Gaard@
Casey Gaarder
Laura Galameau%

Brian Gilmore*
Morgan Girard
Caroline Goan
Marc Gould*
Angela Hartline
Eric Heistad
Lauren Herreid
Grace Hoene
Allison Holden
Gabriella Huerta
Margot Hurwitz
Augustine Jensen@
Amanda Jones
John Kerr
Kathleen Kincaid
Kari Klingspom
Kaitlin Kolodziejzak
Judith Kostroski
Pema Lhano
Sean Larson
Michael Laughlin
Matthew Leer*
Benta LeMunyon#
Lauren Lindeman
Stephanie Luger
Barrett Lynner
Joeseeph Magnuson*
Andrew Makredes
Arianna Marks
Thomas McCann
Maureen McKamey
Meaghan Marinovich
Meaghan McNamara
Christopher Meyer*
Peter Michaletz@*
Ashley Mulliken
Erik Nelson

Katie Oelfke
Peter O'Neal@
Natalie Pastor
Michael Peter*
Cole Peterson%
*Will Peterson**
Robert Qually*
David Reese
Anne Richards
Anthony Roberts
William Rodgers%
Mitchell Rose
Mitchell Rymes%
Elizabeth Schulze
Nicole Slomiany%@
Joseph Starkman
Gleason
Vanessa Stromberg
Monica Sullivan
Alex Sundberg*
Daniel Swendsen*
Samuel Swenson
Ashley Thayer
William Thompson*
Carolyn Triggs
Kelly Varno
Mitchell Walsh
Claire Walthour
Emily Warner
Jenna Whitbeck
*Andrew Wolfe**
Alexandra Young
Christina Zahler

* Men's Chorus
Italic-Varsity Ensemble
% ACDA Fall Festival
@ Choir Officer
All State Choir 2006-07

Bel Canto

Lauren Bank
Kassondra Benson
Jordan Brandmeier
Sydney Brunsvold
Catherine Burrows
Kathryn Carlson
Chasity Charette
Sarah Demarest
Elizabeth Elmore
Laura Ericson
Anna Essendrup
Katherine Field\$
Sammi Forbord
Alexandra Gits
Meredith Godsall
Joy Goodman
Christine Hickey

Kate Homolka
Kerry Hurley
Catherine Hutchison
Michelle Johnson
Emily Jones
Maria Kogle
Meghan Leik
Madeline Lenarz
Hooyman#
Debjani Mallick
Katherine Markman
Sara Meagher
Elizabeth Mendesh
Lindsay Michaelson
Colleen Moodie
Bailey Murphy
Brooke Opitz

Anna Presthus
Kalli Ridley
Mishawn Ring
Sara Schroeder
Johanna Smith%
Ashley Strathman
Stephanie Struzyk
Kelsey Vaaler
Abigail Wolfson

Italic-Ensemble
President
% Vice President
\$ Secretary/
Treasurer

Instrumentalists

Paul Bremer, Trumpet	Matt Griak, Trumpet
Andrew Porter, Tenor Sax	Noah Franske, Trombone
Trevor Haining, Trap Set	Peter Knutson, Guitar
Annika Grangaard, Flute	Rob Evans, Guitar
Andy Wolfe, Guitar	Chris Wulf, Trap Set
Grace Hoene, Guitar	Chris Piela, Keyboards
Sonja England, Keyboards	Paul Peterson, Bass

American Choral Directors Association Advocacy Resolution

Whereas the human spirit is elevated to a broader understanding of itself through study and performance in the aesthetic arts; and

Whereas serious cutbacks in funding and support have steadily eroded state institutions and their programs throughout our country;

Be it resolved that all citizens of the United States actively voice their affirmation and collective support for necessary funding at the local, state and national levels of education and government to ensure the survival of arts programs for this and future generations.

THE PRODUCTION STAFF

Dr. David Henderson, *Bel Canto Director*

David came to Edina High School from an active singing and private teaching schedule. He sang with many Twin Cities groups, including solo appearances with the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra, Minnesota Orchestra and Vocal Essence. He earned a Doctor of Musical Arts degree from the University of Minnesota. When not at school, he can be found at home with his wife, Kris, and their three children Ryan, 12, Erin, 9, and Megan, 7.

Christopher J. Piela, *Varsity Choir Director*

Christopher is in his first year as Varsity Choir Director at Edina High School after teaching ten years at Valley View Middle School. He earned his B.A. in Music Education from Gustavus Adolphus College and his M.A. in Curriculum and Instruction from Minnesota State University, Mankato. He has most recently served as co-chair of the Minnesota Middle School Honor Choir and was the Middle School Repertoire and Standards Co-Chair for the American Choral Directors Association of Minnesota. In addition to directing, he is an active composer and arranger. He now resides in Edina with his wife Melissa, and their two children Lauren, 3, and Andrew, 12 weeks.

Nickie Kromminga, *Choreographer*

Nickie is thrilled to be choreographing the Varsity and Bel Canto Choirs at Edina High School, as well as choirs at Valley View Middle School. In addition to her work as a freelance choreographer, she has performed as an actress at the Ordway Center for the Performing Arts, Chanhassen Dinner Theatres, Loring Playhouse, and Plymouth Playhouse. Nickie has served as live entertainment seasonal manager at Valleyfair Amusement Park and sings in the band Shock 43. Our Edina High School students have loved working with this very talented choreographer!

In accordance with state law, and in case of emergency, exits from the auditorium are located on both sides and in the back of the auditorium.

As a courtesy to the performers, please refrain from taking flash photography and silence all cellular phones and pagers.

Mark Your Calendars!

CURRENT JAM '06

May 31, 7:30 PM

June 1-3, 7:30 p.m.

June 3, 2:00 p.m.

Acknowledgements

Production Management: Omni Productions, Scott Fahy

Lighting Design: Crescent Moon Productions, Grant Ashling

Stage Manager: Hannah Nguyen

Backstage Crew: Cecily Evans

Spotlight Operators: Eric Salter and Jackson Zirbel

Light Operator: Jake Kvanbeck

Tickets: Jan Michaletz, Chair

Ushers: Sherri Gould, Coordinator

May 4: Sandra Essendrup, Kirsten Gullickson, Carol Jones, Emilee Markman,
Cindy Ridley, Sandra Ring, Lyn Schroeder, Mary Tyler

May 5: Dennis & Judy Berkowitz, Jane Cashin, Kendra Diehl, Suzanne Dixon,
Amy Frankfurt, Peggy Gaard, Jake Hurwitz

Dressing Room Captains: Dan & Lisa Hoene, Steve & Hallie Richards, Jim &
Katie Triggs, Joe & Val Varno, Jim & Jodi Young

Refreshments: Jane Hess, Chair, Amy Demarest, Greg Hess, Emily Hess,
Kristi Heistad, Lane Thompson

Concert Choir Vocal Music Booster Co-Presidents: Joan Bisping, Marde Olson

Bel Canto Vocal Music Booster President: Holly Elmore

Varsity Choir Vocal Music Booster Co-Presidents: Sherri Gould, Eda Kostroski,
Jodi Young

Vocal Music Booster Treasurer: Judy Schumeister

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Elmore, Jan Michaletz, Gretchen Hakes, Terri Johnson, Mary O'Brien, Amy
Stark, Maggie Miller, Lisa Pike, Marcia Friedman, Sue Welna, Sherre Roberts

Fruit Sale: Suzanne Dixon, Chair

Chamber Singers Costumes: Diane Darr

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Poster and Cover Artwork: Jenna Whitbeck

HEARTFELT GRATITUDE TO THE EDINA HS STUDIO VOICE TEACHERS:

Melissa O'Neill, Deb Schlager, Chad Shultis, Linda Smith and Tom Witry

SPECIAL THANKS:

Aldo Sicoli, Principal

Mary Manderfeld, Assistant Principal

Eric Nelson, Assistant Principal

Jenny Johnson, Dean of Students

Edina High School Custodial Staff

Parents and students, thank you for giving us the opportunity to work with you in making music. The process of making music is at times frustrating and exhilarating. Daily we experience both and in the end a wonderful concert is the result. It is the hope of the directors that each and every one of the young people continues singing all of their lives.

David O. Henderson and Christopher J. Piela

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