



**RIVERVIEW PERFORMING  
ARTS CENTER**

**FEBRUARY 9<sup>TH</sup> AND 10<sup>TH</sup>, 2023**

**SOUTHSIDE FOUNDATION FOR THE ARTS  
PRODUCTION OF**

# PETER PAN JR.

**A Musical Based on the Play by  
SIR J.M. BARRIE**

**Lyrics by  
CAROLYN LEIGH**

**Music by  
MORRIS (MOOSE) CHARLAP**

**Additional Lyrics by  
BETTY COMDEN AND ADOLPH GREEN**

**Additional Music by  
JULE STYNE**

**Originally Directed, Choreographed and Adapted by  
JEROME ROBBINS**



*“The moment you doubt whether  
you can fly, you cease forever  
to be able to do it.”*

*- Peter Pan, J.M. Barrie*



SSFA's Benefactor of the Arts, Dr. Pizarro & Emily Beachler, wishes the best of luck to all of Southside's performers!



Co-Chairs: Sepi Ackerman & Molly Biter

An interactive culinary event benefiting the arts programs at Southside Elementary School.

**March 31, 2023**

**6:30 - 10:00 PM**

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*The Southside School Foundation for the Arts' mission is to ensure cultural and enrichment learning opportunities to all Southside students at every grade level. Learning through and about the arts in an elementary setting is an essential part of a complete education.*

*Arts builds community....and what an amazing community we have at Southside! The annual musical is just one example of an arts experience meant for the entire Southside community to share.*

*With an inclusive approach, students bring all their efforts together, from performing to backstage technical theatre, to engage us all. The musical also demonstrates interdisciplinary collaboration and connectivity among our Arts Specials – Visual Art, Music, and Performing Arts.*

## In the Southside tradition we wanted to show gratitude to the following:

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The many **AMAZING VOLUNTEERS** and parents who helped backstage with costumes, make-up, behind and in front of the scenes.

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## Dear Cast of Peter Pan Jr.,

*Mr. Miller and I are so proud of your dedication to this performance. You have shown our school expectations in every aspect of your preparation. You have been RESPECTFUL to your castmates and director during practice. You have been ORDERLY when transitioning to various rehearsal rooms/areas. You have been ATTENTIVE when given direction or feedback to adjust and refine your role. Most of all you have demonstrated what it means to be a RESPONSIBLE panther. You have prepared and practiced! This is your moment! I cannot wait to watch you shine!*

*With admiration,  
Mrs. Hannon*



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**PERFORMING ARTS TEACHER** – SSFA has made a concerted effort to help Southside stand apart from other schools, with a particular focus to help support dance, drama and performing arts. During the year, all Southside students have experienced a rigorous performing arts curriculum inclusive of movement theory, improvisation, and composition during their specials wheel.

**ARTFUL AFTERNOONS WITH SSFA** – Free to all Southside families, SSFA, hosted a Costume-themed Halloween Workshop with a certified teaching artist, Sarasota Opera performance, and Asolo Rep workshop and performance for our 5th graders.

**THE ANNUAL SCHOOL MUSICAL**

**THE KINDERGARTEN – 1ST GRADE PERFORMANCE**

**OUR EVENTS** - Arts in Education Week (Fall), WINTER mART, "All the Arts for All the Kids" Week (Spring)

We hope you will join us at our upcoming culinary ARTS event, Cooking for the ARTS our Spring FUNDRAISER, on March 31st, 2023, 6:30PM. More great times, and many more shared experiences are ahead.

Sincerely,

SSFA Board

# DIRECTOR'S NOTE – PETER PAN JR.

Peter Pan is a well-known character who can be found in books, movies, and even at Disney World. We first learn of Peter Pan as an infant in the book "The Little White Bird," a novel written by J.M. Barrie for adults in 1902. Peter Pan only appears in a few chapters of this book, but readers fell in love with the character so much that it inspired J.M. Barrie to write a play in 1904 called "Peter Pan, or the Boy Who Wouldn't Grow Up." Once again, Peter Pan stole our hearts, and the play was loved by all audiences. This did not stop Barrie from working to make the play better, and it was not officially published in print until 1929. In 1911, however, Barrie wrote the story as a book called "Peter and Wendy."

Our show is based on the 1954 Broadway production starring Mary Martin. The show was specifically written for Martin as a play with music. When Jerome Robbins (director/choreographer), Comden and Green (lyricists), and composer Jule Styne were brought to the team, the project turned into a full-length musical. The show opened in San Francisco for four weeks and then moved to Los Angeles for eight weeks. Then in October the show moved to New York City where it ran for 152 performances at the Winter Garden Theater.

On March 7, 1955, Peter Pan was broadcast live, with the original cast and no audience. At the time there were 52 million television sets in the United States and it is likely that every one of them was tuned in to see this colorful production.

Southside Elementary has incredibly talented kids, and we present 69 of those kids on our stage today. They will bring to life the story of Peter Pan – a boy who did not want to grow up. I think we can all relate to this, wanting to go back to our childhood and be a kid again. We will take you on an adventure where we will encounter the Lost Boys, villainous pirates led by Captain Hook, Brave Girls, a British family with a dog for a nanny, and a crocodile that makes Captain Hook very uncomfortable. Peter may ask the audience to get involved when Tinkerbell is in trouble. Clap if you believe in fairies!

I could not have done this show without a strong production staff. I am very thankful for them: Music Director Sergei Glushonkov, Choreographer Tessa Cockrell, Production Manager Danielle Sobolewski, and Stage Manager Ken Junkins. I would also like to thank Principal Jamie Hannon, the SSFA Board of Directors and the Southside staff for all their support. With everyone's hard work, we were able to pull off this production. Finally, I am so grateful for our talented cast. They are amazing actors and I am so proud of them.

We hope you enjoy our show!

Kathy Junkins, Show Director



# PETER PAN JR.

## CAST

Alana Manuel .....	Peter Pan
Ela Kideys .....	Tinkerbelle
Isabelle Cooke .....	Wendy
Max Brittain.....	John
Emma Dolton Davis .....	Liza/Lost Boy
Gus Fenton .....	Michael
Estella Fairweather .....	Nana
Emma Simonville.....	Mrs. Darling
Eric Glushonkov .....	Mr. Darling
Claire Price .....	Slightly
Elsie Lyne .....	Curley
Julianna Polizzi.....	Twin # 1
Isla Finlay .....	Twin #2
Violet Slusser.....	Tootles
Josie Baldwin.....	Lost Boy
King Butler.....	Lost Boy
Daliany Campos-Saldivar.....	Lost Boy
Aevie Clarkson .....	Lost Boy
Brian Jackson.....	Lost Boy
Lea Mendoza .....	Lost Boy
Aaliya Pete.....	Lost Boy
Savannah Peters.....	Lost Boy
Mai Pham.....	Lost Boy
Ocean Wiggins .....	Lost Boy
Mason Mangino .....	Captain Hook
Adaline Tyrana-Leshko .....	Smee
Harlow Felts .....	Noodler
Luca Polito .....	Jukes
Peter Fenton.....	Starkey
John Shkor.....	Cecco
Wylder Arent.....	Pirate
Royal Devlin .....	Pirate
Adeline Eckert .....	Pirate
Ramzi Ghamra .....	Pirate
Allan Glushonkov.....	Pirate
Ari Graiver .....	Pirate
Noelle Harris.....	Pirate
Carter Harshman.....	Pirate

Austin Hasbrook .....	Pirate
Clare Hasbrook.....	Pirate
Seychelle Lawson Baker .....	Pirate
Tulum Mendoza .....	Pirate
Karim Musmar .....	Pirate
Ben Price .....	Pirate
Jack Ramos .....	Pirate
Eva Rivas .....	Pirate
Annabelle Taplinger.....	Pirate
Ella Taylor .....	Pirate
Evelien Van Exel-Evans .....	Pirate
Elsie Ward.....	Pirate
Novelle Park-Francis.....	Tiger Lily
Anna Abrahamson.....	Small Brave Girl
Elle Chevalier.....	Brave Girl #1
Giulia Lunardi .....	Brave Girl #2
Vittoria Calili.....	Brave Girl
Mila Escobar .....	Brave Girl
Reese Finlay.....	Brave Girl
Molly Gersh .....	Brave Girl
Odetta Gogclyak .....	Brave Girl
Payton Guerin .....	Brave Girl
Ma'laya Harris .....	Brave Girl
Madeleine Kucera .....	Brave Girl
Ella Lane.....	Brave Girl
Madeleine Leaf.....	Brave Girl
Sophie Leaf.....	Brave Girl
Lucy Mangum .....	Brave Girl
Maya Musmar .....	Brave Girl
Felipe Georgiadis .....	Tick-Tock Croc

## SCENE LIST

Scene 1.....	Prologue – An introduction to the Peter Pan world
Scene 2.....	The Darling Nursery
Scene 3.....	Neverland
Scene 4.....	The Next Day in Neverland
Scene 5.....	The Home March
Intermission.....	There will be a 15 minute intermission
Scene 6.....	The Pirate Ship
Scene 7.....	The Darling Nursery

**Bows**



# PETER PAN JR.

## MUSICAL NUMBERS

Neverland .....	Company
Prologue .....	Wendy, John, Michael, Nana, Liza
Tender Shepherd .....	Mrs. Darling, Wendy, John, Michael
I'm Flying .....	Peter, Wendy, John, Michael
Pirate March .....	Pirates, Lost Boys
Hook's Tango .....	Captain Hook, Pirates
Brave Girl Dance .....	Tiger Lily, Brave Girls
Wendy.....	Peter, Lost Boys
Hook's Tarantella.....	Captain Hook, Pirates
I Won't Grow Up .....	Peter, John, Michael, Lost Boys
Ugh-A-Wug.....	Peter, Tiger Lily, Lost Boys, Brave Girls, Darling Children
Distant Melody.....	Peter, Wendy, Darling Children, Lost Boys
Hook's Waltz.....	Captain Hook, Pirates
I Gotta Crow .....	Peter, Tiger Lily, Lost Boys, Darling Children, Brave Girls
Nursery Music.....	Nana, Mrs. Darling, Darling Children
Finale Ultimo .....	Company

## PRODUCTION STAFF

Show Director .....	Kathy Junkins
Production Manager .....	Danielle Sobolewski
Musical Director .....	Sergei Glushonkov
Choreographer .....	Tessa Cockrell
Set Design .....	Ken Junkins
Backdrop design .....	Amber Richter
Stage Manager.....	Ken Junkins
Riverview Coordinator.....	James Minor
Backstage.....	Madison Borland
Backstage volunteers .....	David Woodward, Lynn Woodward, Craig Cardozo, Southside Parents

## THANK YOUS

Riverview High School staff for their support of our show  
SSFA for their constant support of the performing arts program at Southside  
Southside Parents for donations and assistance with the play  
Southside After Care staff for sharing the cafeteria space so that we have the space to rehearse  
Southside Custodial staff for their support  
Players Centre for the Performing Arts for props  
Mandy McMahan for lumber donation  
Thanks to all of the parents and teachers who have made this production possible!

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A collage of four images showing performing arts activities: a person in a red cape and black outfit performing on stage; two people in elaborate costumes with large white feathered heads; a group of children in green shirts performing on stage; and a young girl in a brown top sitting at a table with a microphone.

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*Alana,*

*We are so proud of the hard work that you have put into the play. You will always be a star to us. You will be great! All you need is "faith, trust & a little pixie dust!"*

*-Love,*

*Mom, Dad & Bennett*



# SSFA's 2022 Play:

# School House Rock Jr.



SCHOOLHOUSE ROCK LIVE!



# PETER PAN JR.

Good Luck  
to Ari and The Cast  
of Peter Pan Jr.

The Graiver Family



ANNA ABRAHAMSON



*Congratulations*  
on your last musical at  
Southside!

We are so proud of our  
"Small Brave Girl." You  
may be small, but your  
big heart and big  
dreams will take you  
far!

We can't wait to see  
what's next for you!

*Love,*  
Mom, Dad, Ella & Malcolm

*Congratulations Annabelle  
and the entire cast of Peter Pan!*

*We are so proud of you.  
Today & always.  
Keep smiling!*

*xo Mom, Dad, Ross & Juliet*





# SOUTHSIDE'S FLAGS

SSFA unveiled Southside Elementary School's first Free Little Art Galleries otherwise known as FLAG. The Free Little Art Gallery is a concept born out of the Little Free Library movement, inviting communities to create and share small works of art with one another. Students are encouraged to leave something, take something, or both! The exhibits will be ever-changing as artists of all ages and abilities contribute to the revolving gallery space.

President Hilary Yunis and Southside parent Kassandra Devlin were instrumental in bringing the FLAG concept to Southside. *"Art is for everyone young and old. That's a big reason why I volunteer for SSFA, because along with providing students with a Performing Arts teacher, the SSFA works to make sure all the arts are accessible as possible. This FLAG is a playful extension of that mission and I hope it inspires families of our community to create, view, and value artwork in new ways, and more often."* ~ Hilary

After launching the FLAG last May, we have encouraged everyone to participate by giving free art supplies to students throughout the school year. Whether you are a professional artist, a dabbler, a doodler, or a finger-painter, SSFA encourages you to share your work with others. The only requirement is that each piece be no more than eight inches tall to fit the gallery space.

The FLAG 's are a piece of artwork in themselves. Created by parent volunteers Robert Hynds and Eric Fenton, the FLAG's are miniature galleries made out of wood and PVC. They include a drop box to leave your art and an accessible door to select a piece to take home. You'll often see miniature observers bringing to life a scenario often seen in a real art gallery.

Always accessible, the Southside's FLAGs are located on the east side of the Main office inside the metal fence and a second location on the northeast side in the courtyard. The hashtag #SouthsideFLAG is being used to foster a sense of community and to share artwork with people who can't visit in person. Follow along on Instagram to see what's new and be inspired by other artists @ssfa\_southside\_foundation.

# SOUTHSIDE'S FLAGS



Artwork by Mrs. DeNegriz and Mrs. Regan's 5th grade class in honor of Veterans Day.



GO GOLD Artwork by Southside Students



Artwork by Ezra (5th grade)



Artwork by Mrs. Hasbrooks 2nd grade class titled "GRATITUDE" & Fashion Show by Paloma Tucker titled "The House of Paloma"





Way to go Finn!  
- Love Mom & Dad



To our star, Estella:  
  
We are so proud of you!

Love,  
Mom, Dad & Ben



Jack, we are so proud of our pirate! We love you!  
♥ Mom, Dad, Hannah and Ella



Congratulations Molly!  
We love watching you dance!

We love you!!  
Mom, Dad, Madeline, Thurman and Pepe

We love you Ramzi and so excited to see you perform!

**Congratulations Harlow Grace! Your family is so proud to watch you on the stage in your last elementary show.**  
  
Love, Papa, Mimi, Dad, Mom and Harper



**Congrats**  
to Tootles, our favorite lost boy. We love and are so proud of you, Violet!  
Love,  
Mom, Dad, August & Franco

**Sing and dance your pirate heart out, Addy Mae. Proud of your hard work, dedication, and fearless tstage presence. We love you!**  
  
- Mom & Dad



Reese & Isla, sisters with hearts for the arts! You radiant little ladies are the light of our lives. We are excited to see you shine on stage together!

Love,  
Mom, Dad, Wylie, Grandma Cecilia, Grandpa Louis, Gami Kim & Grandpa Allan

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We are so proud of all of your hard work Mason!! We Love you!  
  
Mom, Dad and Wylder

**Go Carter H.! We are SOOO proud of you! Congratulations!**  
  
Love, Mom, Dad, Zack, and Eli



*Congratulations Luca and Southside Cast!*

WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU!

Love,  
Mom, Dad, and Eli

**So proud of our brilliant girl! Go Ella Go!**  
  
Love Mommy, Daddy, Madison, Austin and Nana

Elsie, we are so proud of you! You are an excellent pirate and an even better daughter!  
  
Love, Mom, Dad and Potato Steve



Novelle Serene,

Shine your light for all to see!  
We treasure and adore you

All our love,  
Momma, Daddy, Lalina, Coral & Rey

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