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Layton High School

Theatre Department Presents

LHS Actors'Company

Layton High School Presents:

EMMA

From the Novel by:

Jane Austen

Adapted by:

Michael Bloom

Direction

Rachel Helwig

Technical Director

Brandon Stauffer

Company/Stage Manager

Nicolle Dominguez

Costume Design

Tatianna Steinke

Light Design

Camden "Spyder" Thompson

Prop Design

Ayden Krstich

Set Design

Taylier Jacobs

Box Office/Ushers/Concessions

LHS Students and Parents

Stage Crew

Griffin Baldwin
Zoe Moore

Light Board:

Jackson Colyar

Set Construction/paint

Stage Crew Class

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Cast List

"M" cast (4/28, 5/01, 5/05)

Emma Woodhouse- Adalyn Glissmeyer
George Knightley- Weston Bowles
Mr. Woodhouse- Lily Hurst
Miss Taylor/ Mrs. Weston- Emily Crowther
Mr. Weston- Carson Christensen
Miss Bates- Natalie Robinson
Jane Fairfax- Elizabeth Cruz
Frank Churchill- Angel Montserrat
Mr. Elton- Ethan West
Mrs. Elton- Anabelle Passey
Harriet Smith- Jocelynne Longoria
Robert Martin/ Servant 3- Boston Wilde
Servant 1- Naomi Green
Servant 2- Lauren Crookston

"A" cast (4/29, 5/04, 5/06)

Emma Woodhouse- Keeley Fadden
George Knightley- Jackson Swain
Mr. Woodhouse- Ryan Peterson
Miss Taylor/ Mrs. Weston- Isabel Saunders
Mr. Weston- Li Chipman
Miss Bates- Abbie Graham
Jane Fairfax- Lauren Crookston
Frank Churchill- Gideon Crawford
Mr. Elton- Lincoln Christensen
Mrs. Elton- Naomi Green
Harriet Smith- Moira Helwig
Robert Martin/ Servant 3- Boston Wilde
Servant 1- Anabelle Passey
Servant 2- Adalyn Glissmeyer

Scene List

ACT I

- Scene 1- Wedding of Miss Taylor & Mr. Weston
- Scene 2- Hartfield, the Woodhouse home
- Scene 3- Highbury High Street
- Scene 4- In the garden at Hartfield
- Scene 5-6- Hartfield drawing room
- Scene 7- Hartfield, Christmas Eve
- Scene 8- Highbury Village/ Miss Bates' cottage
- Scene 9- Hartfield
- Scene 10- Highbury High Street
- Scene 11- Hartfield drawing room
- Scene 12- Randalls, the Weston home

Intermission

ACT II

- Scene 13-14- Hartfield
- Scene 15- Royal Oak Inn
- Scene 16- Hartfield Garden
- Scene 17- Box Hill
- Scene 18- Miss Bates' cottage
- Scene 19- Hartfield Garden/ Randalls sitting room
- Scene 20- Hartfield Garden
- Scene 21-22 Hartfield drawing room
- Scene 23- Wedding of Emma Woodhouse & George Knightley

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Director's Note

IYKYK. Jane Austen: Brilliant, reclusive, observant, humorous. Dutiful daughter of a poor vicar, spinster aunt, adored sister. Totally underestimated writer of her time, and beloved of so many readers more than 200 years after her death. Austen captured a small corner of her world with wit and insight. Her gentle yet biting observations of her society and the people in her world give readers today an escape from today and a glimpse at a time when ladies were ladies and gentlemen were gentlemen. We love to love Jane Austen- Pride and Prejudice's Elizabeth Bennet and Mr. Darcy, Sense & Sensibility's Elinor and Marianne, so many wonderful female characters. But Emma Woodhouse is something different, someone special. Arguably Austen's favorite creation, she once described Emma as a 'heroine no one will much like besides me.' But she was wrong. Sassy, spirited, spoiled, petted and pardoned for her less than stellar behavior, Emma gives us all a chance to recognize the goodness within that is often masked by the saucy exterior, those who love her do so wholeheartedly. Learning about the Regency Era's manners, dress code, fashion, language and matters of the heart has been such great fun this year- Hopefully our students have learned to love Jane Austen a little bit more, and maybe a few new Jane-ites were born! Thanks for joining us on this delightful evening of comedy and nuance of a begone era- we love to share our love of theatre with you all!

-Rachel Helwig

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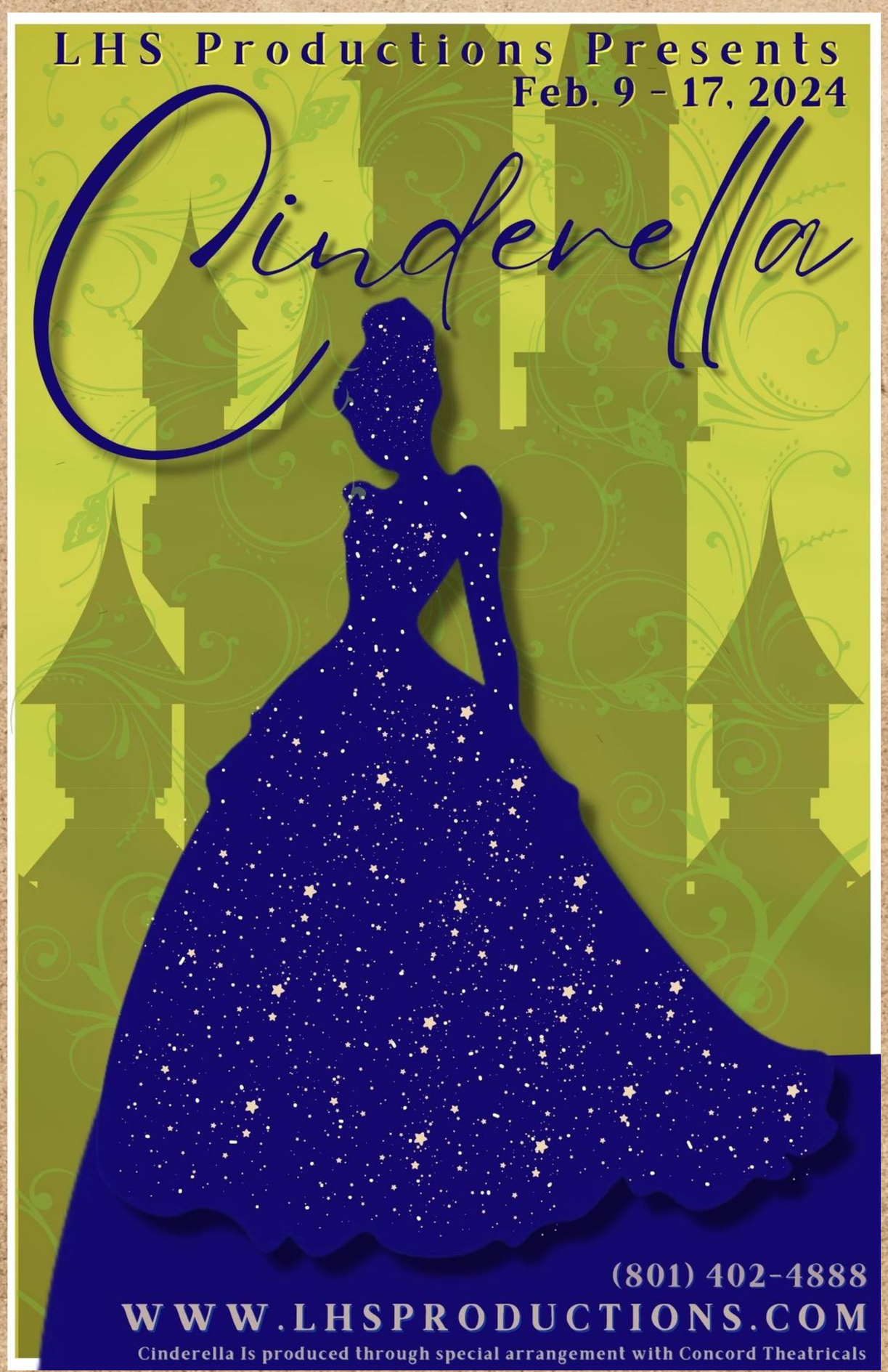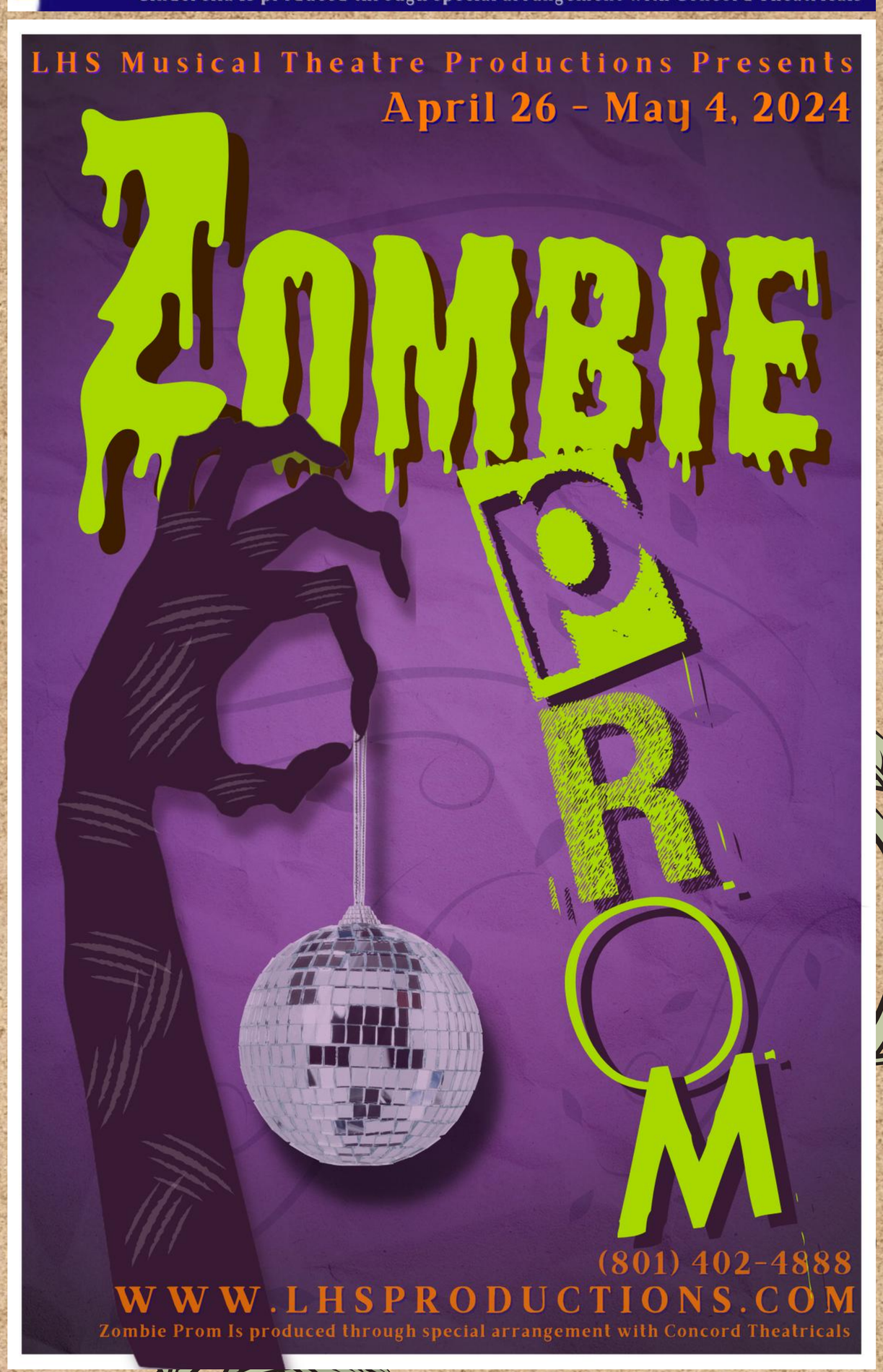
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