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HAIR



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Music by
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Book and Lyrics by JAMES RADO GEROME RAGINI

With

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Directed by OTTO LAYMAN

Scenic & Lighting Design MIKE MADDEN

Costume Designer
LISE LANGE

Lightboard Operator
LILI BITTERS

Soundboard Operator PAULETTE ZUBATA Musical Director
JOHN DOUGLAS

Choreographer
CHRISTINA MCCARTHY

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CAST

CLAUDECritter Canfield
BERGERCole Patterson
SHEILACarlin Traxler
TRIBE ENSEMBLEHannah Choueke, John Cordero,
Kendra Costigan, Natasha Dorfhuber, Geoff Hahn, Lauren Herschorn,
Christian Juarez, Giovanni Juarez, Erica Konieczny, Sable Layman, Mi-
chael Landecker, Jana McIntyre, Kody Molitor, Eliana Mullins, Julia Olsen,
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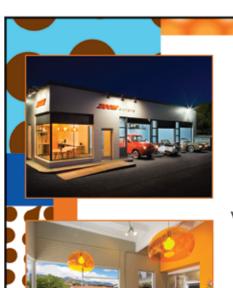
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MUSICAL NUMBERS

The play takes place in New York City and its Environs

Aquarius	Carlin Traxler, Ensemble
Ain't Got No	Kristian Sorensen, John Cordero,
	Michael Landecker
Dead End	Ensemble
I Believe in Love	Carlin Traxler and Tribe
Ain't Got No (reprise)	Ensemble
Manchester I and II	Critter Canfield
I Got Life	Critter Canfield
Hair	Critter Canfield, Cole Patterson, Ensemble
My Conviction	Zoe Raden
Easy to be Hard	
Crazy for the Red, Blue, and W	WhiteCole Patterson and Ensemble
Hare Krishna	Ensemble
Where Do I Go	Critter Canfield and Ensemble
Oh Great of Power	Ensemble
Give up all Desires	Jenny Sorgman, Carlin Traxler,
	John Cordero, Sable Layman
Three-Five-Zero-Zero	Ensemble
Good Morning, Starshine	Jana McIntyre and Ensemble
Ain't Got No (reprise)	Critter Canfield
The Flesh Failures	Critter Canfield, Carlin Traxler, Ensemble
Let the Sun Shine In	Ensemble



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WHO'S WHO

OTTO LAYMAN (Director), in his 13th year as head of the Theatre Department at Santa Barbara High School, Otto Layman has directed Beauty and the Beast (2008), Peter Pan (2007), The Pajama Game (2007), Still Life with Iris (2006), On the Town (2006) & The Wind in the Willows (2005); Carnival! (2005) & The Ash Girl (2004); Copacabana! (2004) & Mrs. McThing (2003); The Wizard of Oz (2003) & Gentlemen Prefer Blondes (2002); A Tale of Two Cities (2002) & Fright Night (2001); Into the Woods (2001) & Alice in Wonderland (which he also adapted) (2000); Once in a Lifetime & Durang, Durang (1999); A History of the American Film, On the Razzle, & At This Evening's Performance (1999); You Can't Take It With You, The Three Penny Opera, & Night of Once Acts (1998); Alice Underground, A Night of Once Acts, & The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940 (1997); and The Raven (1996). A longtime member of the Ensemble Theatre as an actor and Playwright in Residence, Mr. Layman received his A.A. in English Literature from San Diego Mesa College (1980); a B.A. in English Literature from UCSB (1982); a M.A. in Creative Writing from Boston University (1987); and a Master's in Education from UCSB (1996).

MIKE MADDEN (Scenic Design / Light Design), the resident technical director at the Ensemble Theatre in Santa Barbara, Mr. Madden comes to Santa Barbara High School Theatre for his seventh show. His first design at Santa Barbara High School was Mrs. McThing (2003), followed by Copacabana! (2004), The Ash Girl (2004), Carnival! (2005), The Wind in the Willows (2005), On the Town (2006) and Peter Pan (2007). Mr. Madden's entire professional life has revolved around technical theatre. Bit by the theatre bug in high school, he went to CSU, Chico and earned his degree in Theatre Arts. Along the way, Mr. Madden has designed and teched live theatre all over Northern and Southern California, Ashland, Oregon, and London, England. He has worked for roughly thirty different companies and worked on hundreds of shows as anything from deck hand to technical director, from designer to voice over talent.

CHRISTINA MCCARTHY (Choreographer), a graduate of Santa Barbara High School, is currently the Assistant Artistic Director of Santa Barbara Dance Theatre. She has taught ballet and modern dance and the University of California Santa Barbara and in numerous private studios in the Santa Barbara area. After the birth of her two sons, Malcolm and Nolan, Ms. McCarthy worked as a dancer with the Nina Weiner Dance Company in New York and with Santa Barbara Dance Theatre. In addition to her dance pursuits, she is a professional potter and puppet maker. Her puppets have been seen in productions in the Ensemble Theatre, Genesis West Theatre Company, and Dos Pueblos High School. Ms. McCarthy has recently choreographed the productions of *Peter Pan* (2007), *The Pajama Game* (2007), *On the Town* (2006), *The Wind in the Willows* (2005), *The Ash Girl* (2004), *Copacabana!* (2004), and *The Wizard of Oz* (2003).

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WHO'S WHO

JOHN DOUGLAS (Musical Director), a Santa Barbara native/LA transplant, is a pianist. songwriter and music teacher. He has toured with the Pointer Sisters (1983), Donald O'Connor and Eddie Fisher (1979-81), and has performed with Aretha Franklin (2005), Dizzy Gillespie (1978), Justo Almario and Alex Acuna (1982-84), and on numerous recordings. He has served as musical director and/or pianist for productions of *Guys & Dolls, Kiss Me Kate, West Side Story, Most Happy Fella* (Xaverian Brothers HS, Boston), *Moby Dick the Musical, Kiss Me Kate, Beauty & the Beast* (DPHS), *The Boyfriend, Fiddler on the Roof, Anything Goes* (GVJHS), *Once on this Island* (Laguna Blanca HS), *West Side Story* (La Cumbre JHS), *The Wiz, Alice in Wonderland, Guys & Dolls* (PVAC), and Peter Pan, Seussical, Wizard of Oz (Stage Left). Mr. Douglas wrote songs for There's a Door in My Room at PVAC, and Being Human and Esperanza's Box: Stories of Hope at City at Peace. He teaches jazz at Westmont, subs for the Santa Barbara School District, and plays jazz, salsa, blues, rock & roll and gospel with local bands. He is a retired deputy public defender for LA and Santa Barbara Counties.

LISE LANGE (Costume Designer), has designed for many shows here at Santa Barbara High School, among them *Beauty and the Beast, Peter Pan, The Wizard Of Oz, Little Shop Of Horrors, The Raven*, and others. We are more than fortunate to have someone of her talent, integrity, and creativity as a part of our design team--indeed, there is a style at Santa Barbara High School that we owe entirely to Lise.

JOHN:

We're so excited to finally see your performance in HAIR. You and your friends are such a talented group of people - it's hard to believe you just graduated high school. It's also hard to believe that if we were back in the 60's you and your friends might be going off to Vietnam... but I gigress.

Break a leg!! Cherio, pip, pip, and all that sort of rot!! Scotland

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- 3. The company name included in all outside advertising.
- 4. A plaque recognizing the company's contribution as an Underwriter to the Theatre Arts Department.
- 5. A tremendous feeling of satisfaction for donating to a worthwhile cause that will do so much for so many dedicated students.

These donations will allow Santa Barbara High School Theater Foundation to continue their goal of renovating the school theater, a benefit to the entire student body as well as the community at large, and will help in the continuing support of play productions so students from all socio economic backgrounds can enjoy a fulfilling and professional theater experience. Students will also have the opportunity to participate in special events, like this summer's trip to Edinburgh, Scotland to perform at the world famous Fringe Festival. And remember all donations may be utilized by the donors as a tax advantage to the fullest extent allowed by law.

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HAIR

A new milestone in Broadway history was set in 1968 when Hair, the first rock musical, opened to mass popularity. Tackling controversial and explosive issues of the era in a theatrically innovative fashion, the brash and exciting musical sustained a five year run at New York's Biltmore Theater. The show eventually spawned a total of fourteen national companies and produced eleven cast albums in different languages worldwide. A concept musical reflecting the anti-establishment energy of 1960s American "hippie" youth culture, Hair was seen by over four million people in its first two years of production, and the show ultimately grossed over \$22,000,000 in revenue. The revolutionary musical generated several hit radio singles and brought to public attention a number of talented performers. The enormous success of Hair paved the way for a series of ambitious rock musicals, including Jesus Christ Superstar in the 1970s and Rent in the mid-1990s.

For all its experimental bravery, Hair was met with derision by distinguished theatrical critics and lost the Best Musical Tony Award to a more traditional musical, 1776. Nonetheless, the musical brought to attention a series of gifted performers like Ben Vereen, DianeKeaton, Melba Moore, and Nell Carter, each of whom went on to greater success in areas of film, television, and music. The musical also spawned a series of spin-off albums like Disinhairted that consisted largely of outtake material that had been excised on the show's path to Broadway. As performed by groups like the Fifth Dimension and the Cowsills, infectious songs like "Let the Sunshine In," "Good Morning Sunshine," and "Aquarius" soon topped the American pop charts.

After generating an impressive number of road shows, Hair closed on Broadway in 1972. The show was revived in 1977, but by then, the material no longer seemed as topical and original as it had in 1968. In 1978, the musical became reworked as a critically acclaimed film directed by Milos Forman, and in 1988 some of the original cast members rejoined at the United Nations to celebrate the musical's twentieth anniversary reunion concert. A European tour of the musical continued to prove successful into the 1990s; and in 1998, an off-Broadway revival of Hair briefly played to commendable reviews. Yet, as evidenced by the success of the rock musical Rent in 1995, the impact of Hair has been long lasting. A document of a profoundly turbulent and explosive era in American history, Hair forever changed not only the look and the sound of the Broadway musical, but also its very possibilities.

A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR

This show has been one of the most exhilarating, powerful, and life-changing experiences I have ever been a part of in my many years in the theatre—and we haven't even boarded the flight for Scotland!

We take with us to Edinburgh a powerful piece of musical theatre, as relevant and amazing today as it was 40 years ago—in fact, it will be performed in Central Park, New York this summer and move to Broadway next year.

HAIR is both a celebration of life and an indictment of the way we view the

world—and is, at heart, an extremely patriotic and moral piece of theatre. It asks the same questions of the Vietnam era as we are agonizing over today—is war ever just? What happens when a vast majority of our citizenry says no? Who listens? What do we do if no one listens?

We choose to respond, as we have seen artists of the past respond, with those things we do best—through the symbols and iconography of the stage, to make our voices heard, and to link our imagery with the imagery of our own history—so that we do not forget the lessons of the past, and old men in suits do not forget the lessons of their youth.



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That a dedicated group of parents and their seriously talented student actors have made that leap of faith with us is overwhelming, and inspiring. Thank you to everyone who has given of their time and resources to get us to this moment—we will represent this school, you, and our own hearts with pride and daring.

Otto Layman July 2008



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