

Artistic Director

Katie Skarzynski

Musical Director

Alek Mann

Producer & Technical Director

Erin Lodes

Choreography

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Student Managers

Naomi Mosley, Rebecca Owen

Set Crew

Erin Lodes, Mike Lodes, Bill Elving, Bethany Schmitt, Alek Mann, Katie Skarzynski, Jane Mann, Naomi Mosley, Rebecca Owen, Maya Mosley, Brianna Taylor-Burch, Kevin Erlinger

Technical Crew

Kevin Erlinger, Erin Lodes, Rebecca Owen, Daniel Strowmatt, Maya Mosley, Zack Paquin, Ben Lambeth, Victor Mouschavias

Stage Crew

Naomi Mosley, Samantha Bennett, Brianna Taylor-Burch

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ONCE UPON A MATTRESS!

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Broadway on Vine present:



Once Upon A Mattress

Thursday, April 18th, at 7pm

Saturday, April 20th, at 3pm

Urbana Middle School Cafetorium

2013



<p>Congratulations to CARA THE WIZARD</p>  <p>For mixing up another fabulous performance potion!</p> <p>Mom, Dad and Fiona</p>	 <p>We are so proud of you Kobe. Break a leg!!</p> <p>Love Mom, Dad & Levi</p> <hr/> <p><i>Hannah,</i></p> <p>Have a great show! We are so proud of you!</p> <p>Love, Mom, Dad, Molly & Patrick</p>
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Musical Synopsis

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“Finale”.....The Company

Cast

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The Jester	Hannah Davis
Happily Ever After Soloist	J'Lyn Cockrell
The Wizard	Cara Munro
Lady Lucille	Hannah Sweeney
Lady Rowena	Isabella Solis
1st Knight	Lonnie Murray
2nd Knight	Kobe Armstrong
Princess No. 12	Lillian Hall
Chancellor of the Court	Joey Wright
Lady Beatrice, featured dancer	Alora Rent
Sir Harold, featured dancer	Sydney Davis

Quiet! Quiet! The Queen
insists on QUIET! Thanks
for making us proud.



Mrs. Lodes, Mr. Mann,
and Miss Skarzynski

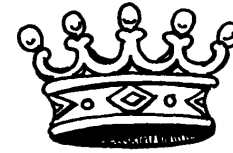
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Featured Vocalists	Gabriela Mancuso, Alora Rent, Bella Solis, Hannah Sweeney
Dublin's Irish Dancers	Elizabeth Atkinson, Maggie Shea, Hannah Sweeney
Clydesdale Tap Dancers	Rhiannon Cosper, Hannah Davis, Paris Sharp, Sarah Stelzer, Emma Taylor
Traveling Troops of Ancient Troy (gymnasts)	Alora Rent, Zoe LaVigne, Ellisa Roslee, Katie Thies
Royal Order of the Jugglers	Evan Brown, Samantha Deppa, Patrick Jamison, Lillian Hall, Katie Swartz, Alyson Trowbridge
Ballet de Aggravain	Isabella Solis
Maids of the Castle	Zoe LaVigne, Olivia Taylor
Knights of the Kingdom	Daria Brown, Evan Brown, J'Lyn Cockrell, Rhiannon Cosper, Sydney Davis, Patrick Jamison, Miles Howerton-Sweid, Tyler Knispel, Alex Poulesky, Katie Swartz
Ladies of the Kingdom	Elizabeth Atkinson, Tess Davenport, Samantha Deppa, Lana Fitzgerald, Courtney Follmer, Anna Lubienski, Gabriela Mancuso, Olivia Nelshopp, Kaylyn Nowlan, Ellisa Roslee, Paris Sharp, Elin Skottene, Sarah Stelzer, Emma Taylor, Katie Thies, Alyson Trowbridge, Erin Wright

<p>St. Matthew Wednesday Night Girls' Group congratulates:</p> <p>NATALIE BROWN, CARA MUNRO AND MAGGIE SHEA!</p> <p>* * *</p>	 <p>To Everyone: Cast, Crew, Directors, Volunteers, Thanks for making this a great show!</p> <p><i>-Fred</i></p>
<p>Proud of you,</p> <p><i>Erin!</i></p> <p>Mom, Dad, Jack & Schatzi</p>	<p>Break a Leg UMS Broadway on Vine! We are excited for a great show!</p> <p>•</p> <p>SMS & everyone else: keep smiling & have fun!</p>

Special Thanks to:

Beverly Elving	The Skarzynskis
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Vicky Pogue	Paula Dowling
Bethany Schmitt	Mike Lodes
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Directors' Notes

Thank you for joining us for today's performance! "Getting to Know Once Upon a Mattress" marks the eighth busy, fun and rewarding year for the Broadway on Vine program at Urbana Middle School. In that time, we've gone from thirteen cast members to fifty, from Russia to East High to a Medieval Castle, and from a fun experiment to a fixture in the school year.

The students in this production have been an absolute pleasure to work with. We had auditions in December, and started working on music and dance in January before taking the stage in February. Above all, this cast is full of wonderful young adults, who are kind, bright and energetic. To all of the families out there, thank you for lending them to us!

This was an important year for us in Broadway on Vine as we endeavored to fill the shoes of founding director, Bethany Schmitt. Now, Broadway on Vine may face its biggest struggle yet as the SPLASH program, which has traditionally paid two musical directors to run the Tuesday/Thursday SPLASH classes, may be coming to an end. Please be an advocate for middle school theater as we work to maintain and hopefully expand drama at Urbana Middle School in the future.

While working on this or any other production, our students have been improving their self-discipline, commitment, teamwork, confidence and performing abilities. Thank you for being part of a community that supports the arts!

To our cast members: may the mouse **always** devour the hawk! Break a leg!

~ Mrs. Lodes, Mr. Mann, & Miss Skarzynski

Synopsis

A love-sick nobleman seeking to marry his sweetheart does his best to find his ruling prince a suitable bride so that he himself may wed in this middle-school adaptation of the popular Broadway musical *Once Upon a Mattress*. No one in Prince Dauntless's kingdom is permitted to marry until the prince himself exchanges vows -- a problem hindered by the fact that the prince's overprotective mother, Queen Aggravain, has thus far thwarted all efforts to marry her son. This does not sit well with the honorable Sir Harry, a man whose heart longs to wed the fair Lady Larken, and after a long and arduous journey specifically designed to find the prince a bride, Sir Harry returns to his kingdom to present Princess Winnifred of the swamps. Immediately stricken by the princess, Prince Dauntless desperately tries to help Princess Winnifred win his mother's approval as the scheming Queen Aggravain and her wizard cook up a test that's sure to send his marital plans awry.

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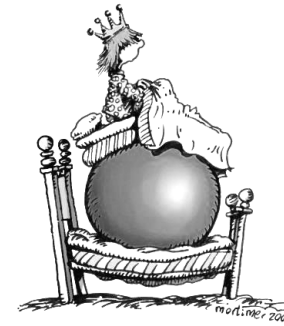
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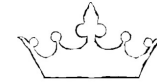
Congratulations to our spectacular 8th grader!

We are so proud of you!



Love, Mom, Dad, Lorlei, and Dylan.

Break a leg, Noah!



We love you and are super proud of our very own prince! Congrats to the entire cast!!!
Mom, Dad, Gideon and Eve

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You're a really girly Brit, but we like you anyway. Good luck and break a leg,
Gibraltar... and Gravity.



Princess, we love you so...
Congratulations, *Natalie!*
Mom, Dad, Cecilia

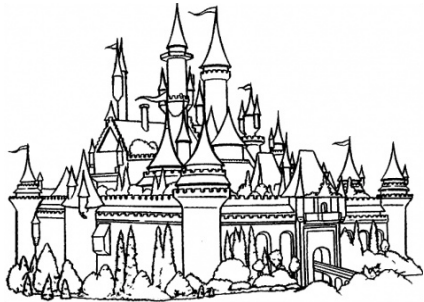
Getting to Know Once Upon a Mattress

Music by Mary Rodgers
Book by Jay Thompson, Dean Fuller and Marshall Barer
Lyrics by Marshall Barer
Adapted by Tom Briggs



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Congratulations to the wonderful cast &
crew for Once Upon a Mattress!



A huge THANK YOU to Ms. Skarzynski, Mrs.
Lodes, & Mr. Mann for making it all happen and
being so great with our kids!
- The Lubinski Family

Additional Thanks to:

Dr. Preston Williams, Superintendent of Schools
Mr. Don Owen, Assistant Superintendent of Schools
Mr. Scott Woods, Principal
Mr. Patrick Russell, Assistant Principal
Mrs. Dionne Webster, Assistant Principal
Ms. Melani Ferchow, Dean
Ms. Beth Gatsche, Dean
Mr. Kevin Helmick, Dean
Mr. Darren Hicks, Music Department Coordinator
The UMS Custodial Staff including Mr. Barry Johnson, Mr. Billy Young, Mr. Mike Williams, and ESS's Ms. Shavon Marresette
The members of the UMS Faculty and Staff in attendance
Cast/Crew parents for their continued support

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