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BEETLEJUICE JR.

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PRESENTS

BEETLEJUICE, JR.

Music & Lyrics by
Eddie Perfect

Book by
Scott Brown & Anthony King

Based on the Geffen Company Picture, with a story by Michael McDowell & Larry Wilson

with

OLIVIA COOK	AARON QUICK	AGGIE YOUNG
LEVI VEST	LAURA RUSSELL	GINGER SHORT
TYLER SMITH	ELLA MCCORKHILL	EMBER FITZSIMMONS
PIPER MCKAY	ARABELLA DENISON	ARABELLA EARLS
SAWYER F.	AVA ANTRAS	NEV BRITTON
	REAGAN LYON	

Choreographed by
Erin Antras

Directed by
Kayci Schmidt & Elise Gillespie

Orchestrations & Incidental Music
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David Dabbon

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SONGS

Act 1

Prologue: Invisible	Lydia, Charles, Priest, Ensemble
The Whole "Being Dead" Thing	Beetlejuice, Ensemble
Ready, Set, Not Yet	Adam, Barbara, Beetlejuice
The Whole "Being Dead" Thing (Part 2)	Beetlejuice, Adam, Barbara, Ensemble
The Whole "Being Dead" Thing (Part 3)	Beetlejuice, Adam, Barbara, Ensemble
Let's Clean Up	Lydia
Dead Mom	Lydia
No Reason	Delia, Lydia
Invisible (Reprise)	Beetlejuice, Lydia
Say My Name	Beetlejuice, Lydia, Adam, Barbara, Clones
Day-O (The Banana Boat Song)	Delia, Charles, Maxie, Lydia, Ensemble
Showtime!	Lydia, Beetlejuice
Girl Scout	Sky, Girl Scouts
That Beautiful Sound	Beetlejuice, Lydia, Girl Scouts, Clones
What I Know Now	Miss Argentina, Ensemble
Home (Part 1)	Lydia, Charles
Home (Part 2)	Lydia, Charles, Ensemble
Jump in the Line	Lydia, Charles, Barbara, Adam, Delia, Ensemble

SONG CREDITS

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CAST

Cast Members

Lydia Deetz	Olivia Cook
Charles Deetz	Aggie Young
Beetlejuice	Aaron Quick
Adam Maitland	Levi Vest
Barbara Maitland	Laura Russell
Delia Schlimmer	Ginger Short
Maxie Dean / Clone	Tyler Smith
Sky	Ella McCorkhill
Miss Argentina / Clone	Ember Fitzsimmons
Maxine Dean / Clone	Piper McKay
Otho / Girl Scout	Arabella Denison
Juno / Girl Scout	Arabella Earls
Priest / Girl Scout	Sawyer F.
Clone	Ava Antras
Girl Scout	Reagan Lyon
Girl Scout	Nev Britton
Ensemble (Cheerleaders / Mourners / Lawyers / Recently Deceased)	Ava Antras, Nev Britton, Arabella Denison, Arabella Earls, Sawyer F., Ember Fitzsimmons, Reagan Lyon, Ella McCorkhill, Piper McKay, Tyler Smith

Production / Creative

Director	Kayci Schmidt
Music Director	Elise Gillespie
Artistic Director	Penny Britton
Choreographer	Erin Antras
Set Designer	DJ Gillespie

CREW

Crew Members

Backstage	Lindsey Lawson, Steve Graham, Tyce Britton
Tech	Griffin Bashara, Lindsey Lawson, Mac Bilyeu, Marlo Tague, Mattingly Russell
Hair & Makeup	Adrienne Bennett, Alexandra Miller, Calleigh Hubbard, Jordyn Howard, Layla Ellis
Costuming	Wes Cook, Elise Gillespie
Set	Angela Cook, Lindsey Lawson, Ryan Britton
Lobby	Mandy Bilyeu, Tara Fischer
Photography	Angela Cook, Kelly Fielman

WHO'S WHO



Olivia Cook

as Lydia Deetz

Olivia is honored to be in her first production with Rivertown Players, and to perform in her first lead role, as well as one of her dream roles! This is her 31st production with recent performances at Rise Up Performing Arts, Badin High School, and Performing Arts Inc. She is so excited to be performing as Lydia and is very grateful for this opportunity!



Aggie Young

as Charles Deetz

Aggie, 13, loves everything creative! Living in Aurora, they fill their days with art, online gaming, The Sims, and watching musicals with dark humor. A lifelong homeschooler, they've taken theatre and improv classes across the tri-state. Passionate about cosplay and fan art, Aggie brings favorite characters, like those from FNAF and The Amazing Digital Circus, to life.



Aaron Quick

as Beetlejuice

Aaron Quick, a 14-year-old homeschooler with a niche for unique voices and singing, is excited to add Beetlejuice to his growing list of roles. Known for his unusual sense of humor, he brings a unique flair to every performance. When he's not on stage, you'll find him perfecting his craft or enjoying all kinds of games.



Levi Vest

as Adam Maitland

Levi Vest (Adam) is 11 years old and a 6th grader at Conner Middle School. This is Levi's second production experience with his first being the role of Marlin in Nemo Jr. Levi is also a member of his school's choir and was selected to participate in the most recent NKY Honor Choir and as a member of Viva Voices. He is thankful to the members of Rivertown Players.



Laura Russell

as Barbara Maitland

Laura Beth Russell is a 7th grader at East Central Middle School. She has been in numerous shows, such as: Little Mermaid Jr., Beauty and the Beast Jr., Lion King Jr., Alice in Wonderland, and Shrek Jr. She is also in Show Choir and Creative Dramatics at East Central.

WHO'S WHO



Ginger Short

as Delia Schlimmer

Ginger just celebrated her 16th birthday and is a sophomore at LHS. She loves performing in musicals and show choir. Ginger is also in broadcasting and military club. When she's not at school working hard at maintaining great grades or performing, you can catch her working part time as a barista at Spire Book and Coffee Co in downtown Aurora!



Tyler Smith

as Maxie Dean / Clone

Tyler Smith is a 14-year-old 8th grader. He plays Maxie Dean in this show and has been in others. He has been in Seusical Jr as a Wickersham, Anastasia as Dimitri and Mary Poppins as ensemble. Outside of Drama Tyler likes to do things like hanging out with friends and taking piano lessons. He would like to thank his Mom and Dad for supporting and encouraging him.



Ella McCorkhill

as Sky

This is Ella's third production with Rivertown! She absolutely loves her cast mates, who have all become great friends, and cannot wait until the summer to do Annie! In addition to theater, she loves being involved with Girlscouts, snuggling with her cat biscuit, and hanging out with friends and family!



Ember Fitzsimmons

as Miss Argentina / Clone

At 13 years old, Ember Fitzsimmons has discovered a love for drama and singing that she plans to develop further. She enjoys cosmetology, watching suspenseful films, reading and writing books! While homeschooling she has been able to participate in 3 talent shows. This being her first theater performance she hopes to bring Miss Argentina to life on the stage!



Piper McKay

as Maxine Dean / Clone

At age 11, this is Piper's fourth theater performance. With Voices of Broadway, she played a munchkin and snowman in Wizard of Oz; then in Godspell, she was Master 1 and several ensemble parts. Her personal favorite, Piper played Colin Craven in Missoula Theater Corps' The Secret Garden.

In Beetlejuice Jr, Piper plays Maxine Dean. She hopes you enjoy the show!

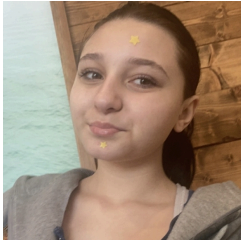
WHO'S WHO



Arabella Denison

as Otho / Girl Scout

Arabella Denison is excited to portray Otho, as well as other ensemble roles, in her third performance with Rivertown Players. Offstage, she loves creating art, exploring all things crafty, and finding inspiration in the world around her. She would like to thank her family, friends, and the cast and crew for their endless support. Enjoy the show!



Arabella Earls

as Juno / Girl Scout

Arabella is excited to be a part of Beetlejuice Jr, her second show with RTP. Her first was Stone in the Road, last Spring. She has also been in Beauty & the Beast Jr. Arabella hopes to be in more shows. She enjoys playing volleyball & softball. She likes art, music, & being with her friends. Arabella would like to thank the cast, crew, & production team of Beetlejuice Jr.



Sawyer F.

as Priest / Girl Scout

This is Sawyer's second production with RTP Junior, and her first musical. She has completed acting, vocal, and dance classes at The Children's Theater Cincinnati. She is excited to be back on stage with the Rivertown Players, and is always looking forward to the next opportunity to perform! She enjoys crocheting and being creative with her personal style.



Ava Antras

as Clone

This is the debut performance of Ava Antras. She is 11 years old and a fifth grader at South Ripley Elementary. Watch this girl. She has a bright future on the stage!



Reagan Lyon

as Girl Scout

Reagan is a 4th grader at Central Elementary School. She loves singing and is a fantastic speller. She has 2 pet cats and enjoys reading about felines.

WHO'S WHO



Nev Britton

as Girl Scout

Nev is excited to be in Beetlejuice, Jr.! She has also been in RTP, Jr.'s Stone in the Road. She would like to thank the directors and her family for the support.



Kayci Schmidt

Director

Kayci is thrilled to be co-directing this amazing show! She is a native Hoosier, but now resides in Hebron, KY with her two precious fur babies, Merlynn and Calliope. Kayci, a current board member, has been involved in theatre for over 30 years. When not on or behind the stage, she works at Stephens Elementary as paraeducator in the ASD room.



Elise Gillespie

Music Director

Elise is so excited to be a part of this production. She has been a member of the board for Rivertown Players for two years, and has been a part of many musicals in the past. This is her first time in a Directing role, and she is so proud of the work that the cast and crew have done to bring this show together!



Penny Britton

Artistic Director

Penny is so excited to be a part of another awesome RTP Jr show, they are her favorites! Penny is a Jackie of all trades in theater, she says she does everything but acting, including serving on Rivertown's board of directors. When she's not doing theater stuff she enjoys spending time with her 5 kids and husband Ryan, all whom she thanks for their support of her art.



Erin Antras

Choreographer

Erin is excited to be working on this show as her first foray into being on the production side as choreographer. She was previously in RTP's production of The Addams Family. Erin would like to thank the cast of the show for their amazing attention and quickness in learning, and to the rest of the production staff for their faith and encouragement in "seeing the vision"

CREW WHO'S WHO



Calleigh Hubbard

Calleigh Hubbard is a 16-year-old Sophomore at William Henry Harrison High School doing hair and makeup for this production of Beetlejuice Jr. She has been in many productions in the past but has previously done hair and makeup for Harrison Junior School's productions of Seussical Jr. and Anastasia. Calleigh would like to thank the team for this opportunity.



Jordyn Howard

Jordyn is an artist local to SouthEastern Indiana. She has been a facepainter at the Cincinnati Zoo for the last 4 years. She has also done makeup for a few productions.



Mac Bilyeu

Mac is super excited to be a part of a tech crew for the first time! They have been doing theater for over seven years now and are working towards going to school for production design. Mac is a sophomore in computer science at the Ignite Institute and loves to draw and play guitar.



Marlo Tague

Marlo has been heavily involved in theatre for most of their life. They love to perform; however, they also greatly enjoy working behind the scenes. They plan to attend Northern Kentucky University for production. This would include both stage and studio work. They have a particular interest in lighting as they have a lot of catwalk experience.



Mattingly Russell

Mattingly Joshua Russell is a freshman at East Central High School. This is his first show that he is doing tech and other backstage things for. Mattingly is very involved in Boy Scouts and Hockey as well. He is excited for this new experience.

CREW WHO'S WHO



Tyce Britton

Tyce is excited to be a part of the stage crew for the first time! His previous on stage roles include Stone in the Road with RTP, Jr., as well as Shrek, Jr. and the Great North Pole Bake Off with the ECMS drama department. Tyce is thankful for the directors and his parents for encouraging him to be in the theater/musical departments.

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We would also like to thank all of the parents and guardians of our cast members. Without them, this show would not be possible. THANK YOU for sharing the talents of your family with us for this production.

And lastly, thank you to all of YOU for coming out to support this show. This cast has done an amazing job "rehearsing this nonsense for weeks", and we are so thrilled to have you experience their hard work.

Well, with that... it's SHOWTIME! We truly hope that you enjoy the show!

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

- **Aaron** - We are so proud you took this challenge & excited to see you bring Beetlejuice to life! - Mom & Dad
- **Aaron** - The ghost with the most! Your Beetlejuice is hilarious and unforgettable!
- **Aggie** - You make us proud every day to be your parents. We love you so much! Love, Mom and Dad
- **Aggie** - You bring charm and comedy to Charles—Lydia's got a great dad!
- **Arabella D.** - Otho has never been more fabulous! Your flair is unmatched!
- **Arabella D.** - Go big, go bold, & make the Netherworld proud! You are a rockstar Arabella! Love Aunt Beth & Peyton
- **Arabella D.** - Break a leg (not literally)! Love Uncle Mark & Aunt Tina
- **Arabella D.** - Remember nervousness is the precursor to excitement. We are so proud of you!! Love Mom & Bonus Dad
- **Arabella D.** - Best of luck! We're so excited for you. You're a natural! Love, Daniel, Jackie, Clara & Molly
- **Arabella D.** - Have fun with it, live in the moment, and enjoy the experience to the fullest! Love, Michelle M.
- **Arabella D.** - Reach for the stars, have fun, & remember that any struggle makes you stronger. Love, Gary & Joyce
- **Arabella D.** - You were born to be a star! Grandpa and Grandma Stenger
- **Arabella E.** - Juno runs the afterlife like a boss! You're killing it!
- **Arabella E.** - We love watching you on stage, and are so proud of you! Love Mom and Dad
- **Arabella E.** - Good job and have fun. We love you. Conner and Riley
- **Ava** - You bring life to every moment on stage! Bravo!
- **Elise** - So proud of you and all the work you've done for the show. Love, Joella
- **Ella** - Sky's got heart—literally! You make every moment shine!
- **Ember** - You bring attitude, style, and power to Miss Argentina! Bravo!
- **Ember** - We are SO PROUD of you for stepping out and trying something new and hard! Love, Mom & Dad
- **Ginger** - SUCKS-YES! Your Delia is the ultimate life coach!
- **Laura** - Your performance makes us all want to be better ghosts!
- **Levi** - Adam is the most lovable ghost around! You nail it!
- **Nev** - We are so proud of you Nev! Break a leg! Love- Mom, Dad, Sean, RyAnn, Jake and Tyce
- **Nev** - You bring energy and fun to every number! Keep it up!
- **Olivia** - A hauntingly brilliant Lydia! Your performance is mesmerizing!
- **Piper** - You bring such a unique spark to the show! Bravo!
- **Piper** - Piper, you're our bright shining star! You made us proud every day. We love you bunches! Mom & Dad
- **Reagan** - You make the show shine—every moment counts with you!
- **Sawyer** - You bring the Netherworld to life with your talent!
- **Tyler** - A standout in every scene! Keep up the amazing work!
- **CAST AND CREW** - You have all done an amazing job! I'm so proud of your hard work. - Kayci
- **CAST AND CREW** - You are the best, thank you for bringing your talent here to shine! Break a leg! - Penny