# HITSBILL



Friday, May 17th @ 7:00 PM Saturday, May 18th @ 11:30 AM & 2:00 PM

HITS Theatre 311 W. 18th Street, Houston, TX 77008



### The Aristocats KIDS

Show Sponsor
Analie & Andrew Durham

Music by

Richard M. Sherman and Robert B. Sherman, Al Rinker and Floyd Huddleston, Terry Gilkyson

Music Adapted and Arranged and Additional Music and Lyrics by Bryan Louiselle

> Book Adapted and Additional Lyrics by Michael Bernard

Based on the 1970 Disney film The Aristocats

### Directed by BRENNAN ASHLEY

Music Directed by DENNIS ARROWSMITH

Choreographed by DANA LEWIS\*

Scenic Designed by LEXI RENFRO ASHLEY FAIRCHILD

Costumes Designed by KRISTIN KNIPP

Lighting Designed by ALLISON SMITH

Props Designed by KAREN CLAYTON

Stage Managed by KAREN CLAYTON



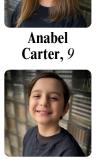
## **CALICO CAST**

ALLEY CATS		
Scat Cat	Maia Dreyfus-Ishigami	
Wacky Cat	Emma Clayton	
Mad Čat	Makenna Tapper	
Slick Cat		
Hep Cat	Ellie Wexler	
Hip Cat	Mia Bolivar	
Sharp Cat	Celeste Bureau	
Flat Cat	Eleanor Bureau	
Riff Cat		
Thomas O'Malley		
ADICTOCATO	4	
Duchess		
Toulouse		
Marie		
Berlioz.		
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MADAME'S HOUSE		
Madame	Iris Burke	
Edgar	Elizabeth Lee	
COUNTRY DOC	ng.	
Napolean		
Lafayette	Cole Smith	
Vichy	William Rushing	
Ssoise	Iane Weyler	
Vauban	William Termina	
Mochi		
Jean Baptiste.	Hannah Rorden	
Gilbert		
	Olivia Olsoli	
GEESE Abiasil Cabble	Iolo Hont	
Abigail GabbleAmelia Gabble	Sheava Daywada	
Allicità Gaudie	Siireya Puvvada	
MICE		
Roquefort	Claire Woodruff	
Bleu	Igener Pearson	
Brie	Micah Swonke	





Alexandra









Eleanor

























Jordan, 9







Max Narvaez, 10

Bolivar, 9

Swonke, 9

Kelly, 10



Olivia Olson, 10



Shreya Puvvada, 11



Tom Peters, 10



William Rushing, 10



William Termina, 11

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## **MUSICAL NUMBERS**

PROLOGUE/THE ARISTOCATSCOMPANY		
CARO MIO BENMADAME, ARISTOCATS		
SCALES AND ARPEGGIOSARISTOCATS,		
EDGAR, MICE		
'NIGHT, KITTENSDUCHESS,		
EDGAR, ROQUEFORT		
USE YOUR NOSENAPOLEAN & COUNTRY DOGS		
O'MALLEY ENTERSTHOMAS O'MALLEY		
THOMAS O'MALLEY CATTHOMAS O'MALLEY,		
ALLEY CATS		
SHE NEVER FELT ALONEDUCHESS		
THE GABBLE GIRLSAMELIA & ABIGAIL		
EV'RYBODY WANTS TO BE A CATSCAT CAT,		
THOMAS O'MALLEY, ALLEY CATS, ARISTOCATS		
TIMBUKTUEDGAR		
ROQUEFORT TO THE RESCUEROQUEFORT,		
BRIE & BLEU		
SOMEBODY IS LOOKING FOR A CATALLEY CATS		
USE YOUR NOSE (REPRISE)COUNTRY DOGS		
THE GABBLE GIRLS (REPRISE)AMELIA & ABIGAIL		
THE BUTLER DID IT! / FINALECOMPANY		
EV'RYBODY WANTS TO BE A CAT (BOWS)COMPANY		



#### **CREATIVE & PRODUCTION TEAM**

DIRECTOR	BRENNAN ASHLEY
CHOREOGRAPHER	DANA LEWIS*
MUSIC DIRECTOR	DENNIS ARROWSMITH
STAGE MANAGER	KAREN CLAYTON
SCENIC DESIGNER	LEXI RENFRO & ASHLEY FAIRCHILD
COSTUME DESIGNER	KRISTIN KNIPP
ASSISTANT COSTUME DESIGNER	OLIVIA NAOMI
LIGHTING DESIGNER	ALLISON SMITH
PROPS DESIGNER	KAREN CLAYTON
PRODUCTION MANAGER	ALLISON SMITH
SCENIC CARPENTER	SEPEDA DESIGN & PRODUCTION
SCENIC ARTISTS	LEXI RENFRO & ASHLEY FAIRCHILD
ELECTRICIANS	ASHLEY PARRA
LIGHTING PROGRAMMING & OPER	RATORASHLEY PARRA
AUDIO ENGINEER	AMY JACKSON
AUDIO TECHNICIAN	JON FORSCH
	RAE DOBROVOLSKY





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HITS TEAM		
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	ADAM WAGNER	
DIRECTOR OF ADVANCEMENT	RAE DOBROVOLSKY	
DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION	DENNIS ARROWSMITH	
DIRECTOR OF PRODUCTION & FACILITY	ALLISON SMITH	
ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION	BRENNAN ASHLEY	
ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF		
PRODUCTION & FACILITY	KAREN CLAYTON	
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# SPOTLIGHT SQUAD

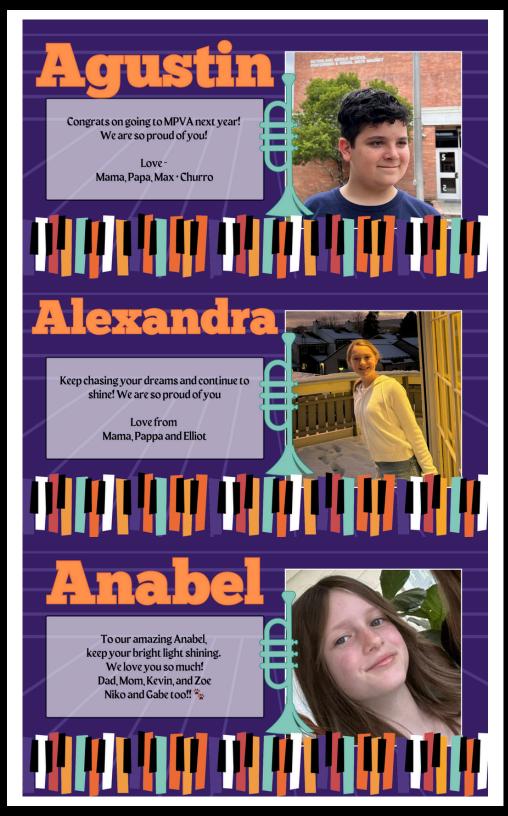
HITS group of volunteers helping elevate the 'Show Experience' and brand awareness.

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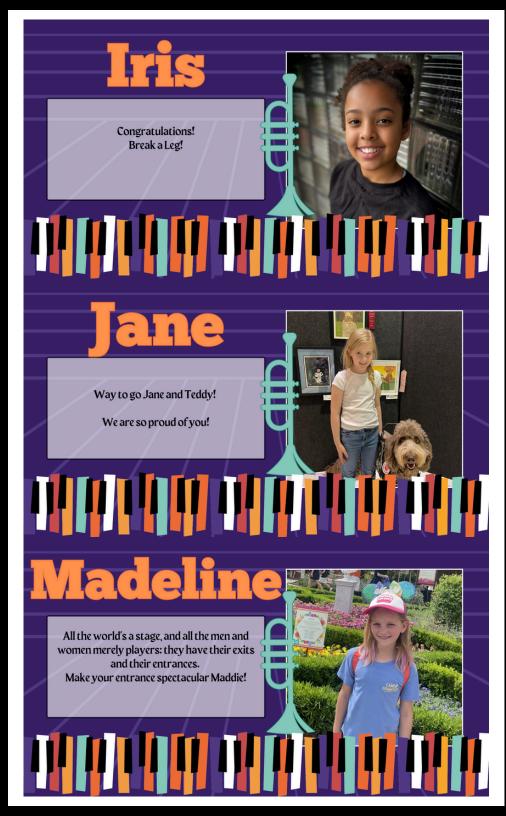
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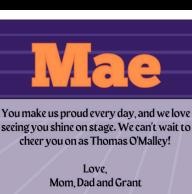














# Makenna.

So proud of you Makenna T. We love you so much and hope your Aristocats performances are great!! Much love from your family and friends!



# Max

Congratulations! Break a Leg!





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We are so proud of you and how confident you are on stage and the new things you have tried this year.

Bark bark Napoleon!

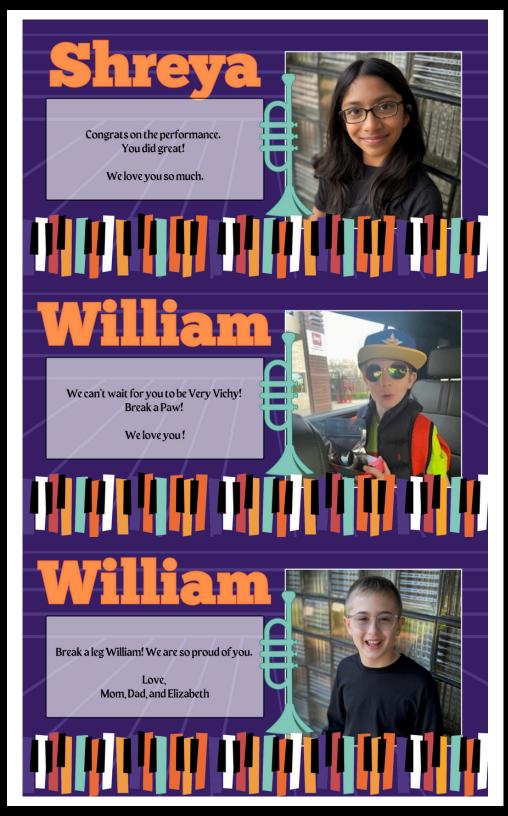


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Livvy Loo we are so proud of you! Break a paw or two.

> Love. Mom, Dad and Merritt



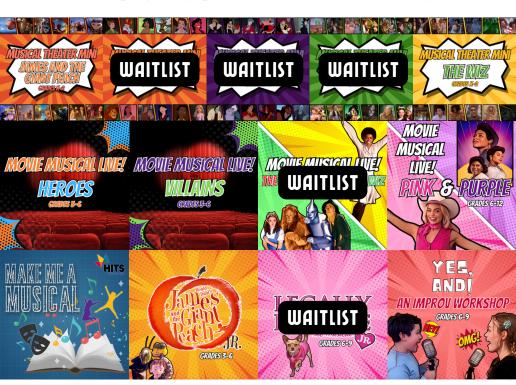




Embrace the spirit of courage this summer with HITS and embark on a journey filled with excitement and growth!

Secure your spot for an unforgettable Summer of Courage. Don't miss out on lasting memories, new skills, and connecting with an amazing community.

Click on a program graphic for more information and register!



**CLASSES ARE FILLING FAST** 



# Papa. Can You Hear Me?

A FATHER'S DAY CABARET

Join us Friday, June 7th for some BBQ, Games & Tunes as we celebrate DAD!

Papa, Can You Hear Me? - A Father's Day Cabaret will feature an eclectic mix of musical theater & pop songs, sung by HITS kids, dads, alum, and staff.

scan for tickets

BBQ & Games 6:00 pm Cabaret 7:00 pm

Adult General Admission \$30 Student General Admission \$25

