

HITSBILL

BEETLEJUICE JR.

July 25 @ 7:00 PM

July 26 @ 2:30 PM

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



HITS Theatre
PRODUCTION OF

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**

Director
LUISA MENZEN

Music Director
ELIZABETH C. SHURTZ

Choreographer
BEN DELONY

Stage Manager & Props Designer
KAREN CLAYTON

Assistant Stage Manager
JOSH PERCY

Scenic Designer
SANTRY RUSH

Costume Designer
OLIVIA CLAYTON

Lighting Designer
CASSIDY STANLEY

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CAST

Betty Lark Sutton.....	Lydia Deetz
Jack Blakely.	Beetlejuice
Rey Park.....	Charles Deetz
Judah Gonzalez.....	Adam Maitland
Chloe Frazier.....	Barbara Maitland
Lexi Smith-Cooper.....	Delia Schlimmer
Caroline Le.....	Young Lydia / Ensemble
Gretchen Seghers.....	Priest / Ensemble
Everett Veal.....	Maxie Dean / Ensemble
Lena Ropp.....	Maxine Dean / Ensemble
Ella Rose Jennings.....	Sky / Ensemble
Dhruva Geyer.....	Otho / Ensemble
Yarel Reyna.....	Miss Argentina / Ensemble
Laiya Collins.....	Parachute Jumper / Ensemble
Lotus Wagner.....	Death by Toaster / Ensemble
Bethany Tesone.....	Death by Cigar / Ensemble
Emily Lyons.....	Dead Cheerleader / Ensemble
Audrey McCollom.....	Machete Groom / Ensemble
Abigail Gibbs.....	Dead Jockey / Ensemble
Atlas Sharief.....	Death by Fireworks / Ensemble
Layla Hindi.....	Juno / Ensemble
Audrey Wofford.....	Ensemble
Brennan Pratt.....	Ensemble
Clara Nester.....	Ensemble
Deon Taylor.....	Ensemble
Elle Lester.....	Ensemble
Elsie Deans.....	Ensemble
Grace Kopel.....	Ensemble
Helen Bovet.....	Ensemble

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**Bethany
Tesone**



**Betty Lark
Sutton**



**Brennan
Pratt**



**Caroline
Le**



**Chloe
Frazier**



**Clara
Nester**



**Deon
Taylor**



**Dhruva
Geyer**



**Ella Rose
Jennings**



**Elle
Lester**



**Elsie
Deans**



**Emily
Lyons**

CAST



**Everett
Veal**



**Grace
Kopel**



**Gretchen
Seghers**



**Helen
Bovet**



**Jack
Blakely**



**Judah
Gonzalez**



**Laiya
Collins**



**Layla
Hindi**



**Lena
Ropp**



**Lexi
Smith-Cooper**



**Lotus
Wagner**



**Rey
Park**



**Yarel
Reyna**

SYNOPSIS

The ghost-with-the-most comes to the stage in Beetlejuice JR., the frightfully funny musical based on the beloved motion picture turned Broadway phenomenon. Lydia Deetz is a strange and unusual teenager, still grieving the loss of her mother and obsessed with the whole “being dead thing.” Lucky for Lydia, she and her father move to a new house haunted by a recently deceased couple and Beetlejuice, a delightful demon with a real zest for life.

When Lydia calls on Beetlejuice to scare away anyone with a pulse, this double-crossing specter shows his true stripes, unleashing a (Nether)world of pandemonium. With music and lyrics by Tony Award-nominee Eddie Perfect and a book by Tony Award-nominated pair Anthony King and Scott Brown, Beetlejuice was nominated for eight 2019 Tony Awards including Best New Musical.

DIRECTOR'S NOTE

Welcome to Beetlejuice JR.!

One of the things I love most about theater is the connections we create. That's one of the reasons I love this show so much. It's full of wonderfully strange characters, but beneath the humor and chaos is a story about family, friendship, and finding where you belong. It's about embracing what makes each of us unique and discovering that even the most unexpected connections can change our lives.

Over the past two and a half weeks, this incredible cast has worked with dedication, courage, and so much creativity. They have challenged themselves, supported one another, and grown into a true ensemble, which was so inspiring to witness.

Thank you to the families for sharing your talented artists with us, and thank you to our creative team and crew who helped bring this production to life. Your passion, artistry, and hard work made this show possible and so meaningful.

Now, sit back, enjoy the strange and unusual, and welcome to the world of Beetlejuice JR.!

Luisa Menzen

MUSICAL NUMBERS

Prologue: Invisible.....	Lydia, Ensemble
The Whole Being Dead Thing.....	Beetlejuice, Ensemble
Ready, Set, Not Yet.....	Adam, Barbara, Beetlejuice
The Whole Being Dead Thing Part 2.....	Beetlejuice, Cheerleaders
The Whole Being Dead Thing Part 3.....	Beetlejuice, Barbara, Adam, Cheerleaders
Dead Mom	Lydia
No Reason.....	Delia, Lydia
Invisible (Reprise).....	Beetlejuice
Say My Name.....	Beetlejuice, Lydia, Adam, Barbara, Clones
Day-O (The Banana Boat Song).....	Delia, Charles, Maxie, Lawyers
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
Home (Part 2).....	Lydia, Charles, Ensemble
Jump In The Line.....	Full Company



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Atlas

We are so proud of you, Atlas! We love you! - Mom, Dad, & Kiernan



Bee

You got this! We love you Bee!



Betty Lark

Pardie,

We've loved watching you put your heart into this dream role as Lydia. We're all cheering for you! Break a leg, break a leg, break a leg!

Mom & the Pubbas



Caroline

From Sharpay to young India to
amazing kid, we are so proud of you!
Love Mom, Dad, and Zachary



Dhruva

Great job Dhruva! We're so proud
of you!



Helen

We are so proud of you, Helen! Break a leg, dance your
heart out, and most importantly, Have Fun! BIG
HUGS! - Team Payou Poveit





Judah

We know you're gonna kill it, kid!! Get it?
Cause it's a show about death. We love you!!!
Mama, Dad & Layla



Key

Key, on behalf of your dad, Zoe, and myself, I'd just like
to say -- ?? Work all night on a drink of rum! ?? Just
kidding, break a leg and have a blast! We love you! --
M, D, and Z

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