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May 6th June 30th

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2024/2025 PERFORMANCE SEASON



#### **SYNOPSIS**

#### **ACTI**

Like any young man living in Los Angeles in the 1980s, George Malion dreams of owning his own record business. George's friends support him in his endeavors.

Unfortunately, his appearance and demeanor do not appeal to the bankers processing his loan for the record store. After a disappointing visit to the bank, George is left to continue selling mixtapes on the street to survive.

George finally sells one mix tape but is once again confronted with disapproving looks by high society people leaving a Ballet. Feeling rejected, George can't help but reflect on what he needs to do to get what he wants out of life.

Just as he was starting to lose hope, George happens to walk by Higgin's School of Dance and admires an etiquette class being taught by Henrietta Higgins.

After class, George introduces himself to Henrietta and asks for her help to make him well-liked and respected by the bankers and the high society. Henrietta agrees to help him.

George is thankful for her generosity when her boyfriend Freddy walks in.

Freddy has a special dinner planned for Henrietta that evening, and when Freddy proposes to her in the restaurant she realizes she doesn't share the same feelings.

Confused, Freddy walks Henrietta home where she is able to confide in her friends about what happened that day between her and Freddy. As she reaches her door she notices George waiting to give her a thank you for her help--- a mix tape.

The walk home from the restaurant was upsetting for Freddy as he was first rejected by Henrietta and then discovered George was waiting at the doorstep.



#### ADAPTED & DIRECTED BY: MONICA PETRUCCI

#### **ACT II**

George has been preoccupied with Henrietta and learning how to be a respectable citizen that his friends are becoming worried he will forget about them.

George continues to attend class at the studio where Henrietta hands out invitations to the upcoming Cotillion.

After spending time teaching George manners, Henrietta and George begin to notice their feelings growing.

George decides to ask Henrietta to Cotillion and they both know they are falling for each other.

Excited, Henrietta heads home to tell her friends about George's invitation to Cotillion. At first her friends are shocked to hear Henrietta is going with George.

The Cotillion begins with entertainment. Freddy arrives to show Henrietta that he will be ok.

The Cotillion presentation is a success!

George's persistence and desire to impress the bankers finally pays off and he is given a loan for his record store and spark a new relationship!





#### CAST A



#### HENRIETTA HIGGINS: ATHENA WEDEL

GEORGE MALION: CHRISTOPHER BALLESTEROS

#### FREDDY EYNSFORD-HILL:

COOPER WALKER

#### SYUTYZYO

ACT I

ON THE STREETS

#### **WELCOME TO THE 80'S**

Jazz 4&5

Choreographer: Kaye Migaki

Cecilia Donan, Alicia Failla, Angelica Lopez, Monica Petrucci, Grace Samarco, Tyfannie Robison, Janeen Tugas, Katrina Yokoyama

#### A PUNK DOWN IN HIS LUCK

Choreographer: Monica Petrucci

George Malion: Chistopher Ballesteros

#### POTENTIAL FOR SUCCESS

Hip Hop 1

Choreographer: Allison Rodriquez

Maria Adame, Hannah Aquino, Lydia Aquino, Ivy Costa, Franchezka Friend, Kylie Gonzalez

#### TO THE BANK

#### SECURITY DOESN'T TRUST A PUNK

Pre-Academy A

Choreographer: Allison Rodriquez

Ava Costa, Kamilia Gutierrez, Brooke Harness, Xiomara Santoyo, Josslyn Sauceda, Itzel Sosa, Sophia Uribe

#### NO LOANS FOR A PUNK

Tap 3

Choreographer: Saima Nunez

Reginae Fordham, Isabela Gonzalez, Fallon Gutierrez, Jonathan Hofer, Hazel Ketchum, Eliahna Marquez, Carol Petrucci, Robbyn Wood

#### **BACK TO THE STREETS**

#### STREET PERFORMERS

Acro 1

Choreographer: Taylor Courter

RosaLee Maxwell, Elliryanna Mejorado-Valencia, Johnthan Peters, Leila Rangel-Rivera, Arturo Rodriguez, Mia Romero, Billieann Tizcareno, Sophia Uribe

#### **HOPE IN A DOLLAR**

Pre-Academy B

Choreographer: Kyla Major

Anahi Leon, Emma Grace Mills, Leila Rangel-Rivera, Desiree Rosales, Kaelie Santoyo

#### GEORGE MEETS HIGH SOCIETY

Ballet 2B

Choreographer: Monica Petrucci

Abbygail Adame, Ella Biggs, Austyn Bron, EliahnaMarquez, Amelia Penner

#### **HIGGINS DANCE STUDIO**

#### **SHOW REHEARSAL - 99 LUFTBALLONS**

Recreational A

Choreographer: Allison Rodriquez

Brooke Carlsen, Luna Garcia, Evelyn Rodriguez

#### SHOW REHEARSAL -HERE COMES THE RAIN AGAIN

Ballet 1

Choreographer: Allison Rodriquez

Lexy Harness, Jaynessa Mejorado

#### **AL'S RESTAURANT**

#### SETTING UP FOR DINNER SERVICE

Musical Theater Jazz 3

Choreographer: Kaye Migaki

Bartender: Jonathan Hofer Reginae Fordham, Isabela Gonzalez, Presley Hernandez, Kyla Major, Claire Palsgaard

#### DINNER ENTERTAINMENT -NO TE RAJES TIJUANA

Pre-Academy & Folklorico 1
Choreographer: Athena Wedel

Kiali Garcia, Elena Maldonado, Evie Mendoza, Arianie Perez-Carrillo

#### **DINNER ENTERTAINMENT - 9 TO 5**

Level 1 B

Choreographer: Athena Wedel

Hailynn Contreras, Dalila Diaz Sierra, Franchezka Friend, Ximena Tejeda

#### A NIGHT TO REMEMBER

Tap 4/5

Choreographer: Saima Nunez

Jacqueline Lopez, Raven Meissner-Schiotis, Kaye Migaki, Saima Nunez, Monica Petrucci

#### THE PROPOSAL

Choreographer: Monica Petrucci

Henrietta Higgins: Athena Wedel Freddy Eynsford-Hill: Cooper Walker

#### **HENRIETTA'S HOUSE**

#### A NIGHT TO FORGET

Pointe 3

Choreographer: Monica Petrucci

Henrietta Higgins: Athena Wedel Freddy Eynsford-Hill: Cooper Walker George Malion: Chistopher Ballesteros

Cecilia Donan, Alicia Failla, Grace Samarco, Beth Tritch

#### **END OF ACT 1**

(15 minute intermission)

#### ACT 2

#### ON THE STREETS

#### FROM PUNK TO PREPPY

Jazz 2

Choreographer: Athena Wedel

Julia Awbrey, Jewel Bustamante, Kiyoshi A Garcia, Fallon Gutierrez, Jonathan Hofer

#### **HIGGINS DANCE STUDIO**

#### DANCING IT OUT

Level 1 Jazz

Choreographer: Saima Nunez

Dalila Diaz Sierra, Franchezka Friend, Ximena Tejeda

#### COTILLION PRACTICE

Pointe 1/2

Choreographer: Monica Petrucci

#### Henrietta & George

Rachel Berney, Ella Biggs, Gweneviere Dewhirst, Scarlett Dewhirst, Isabela Gonzalez, Fallon Gutierrez, Presley Hernandez, Jonathan Hofer, Hazel Ketchum, Kyla Major, Eliahna Marquez, Claire Palsgaard, Carol Petrucci

#### ON HER WAY HOME

#### **CHANGE OF HEART**

Acro 2

Choreographer: Taylor Courter

Annalise Archuleta, Presleigh Astiasuain, Julia Awbrey, Jewel Bustamante, Presley Hernandez, Macee Lowery

#### **HENRIETTA'S HOUSE**

#### **SURPRISE INVITATION**

Ballet 3

Choreographer: Monica Petrucci

#### Henrietta & George

Cecilia Donan, Alicia Failla, Grace Samarco, Beth Tritch

#### COTILLION

#### COTILLION ENTERTAINMENT -YOU MAKE MY DREAMS COME TRUE

Pre-Academy

Choreographer: Athena Wedel

Kiali Garcia, Elena Maldonado, Evie Mendoza

#### COTILLION ENTERTAINMENT -CELEBRATION

Level 1 A

Choreographer: Kyla Major

Sophia Estala, Ember Harness, Kaelyn Wall

## THE HAPPY ENDING

Parade Team

Choreographers: Raven Meissner-Schoitis

& Athena Wedel

Nola Balderas, Hailynn Contreras, Kiali Garcia, Kiyoshi A Garcia, Samantha Orozco, Arianie Perez Carrillo, Miabella Villegas, Daniela Zorrilla

#### FREDDY IS FINE

Choreographer: Monica Petrucci

Freddy Eynsford-Hill: Cooper Walker

#### PRESENTATIONAL COTILLION DANCE

Ballet 4/5

Choreographer: Kaye Migaki

**George Malion:** Chistopher Ballesteros Cecilia Donan, Monica Petrucci, Grace Samarco, Katrina Yokoyama

#### THE FINAL WALTZ

Choreographer: Monica Petrucci

Henrietta & George

FINALE

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