She Kills Monsters: Young Adventurers Edition

by Qui Nguyen (performs Nov. 16-23)

High school cheerleader Agnes Evans deals with the death of her younger sister Tilly by exploring Tilly’s Dungeons & Dragons notebook, catapulting her into a journey of self-discovery and action-packed adventure that was her sister’s refuge. Acclaimed playwright Qui Nguyen offers a heart-pounding homage to the geek and warrior within us all in this high-octane dramatic comedy laden with homicidal fairies, nasty ogres, and ‘90s pop-culture!

Fall play auditions: Tuesday & Wednesday, Sept. 3 & 4, 2:15-4:00

Hairspray the Musical Book by Thomas Meehan & Mark O'Donnell; Music by Marc Shaiman; Lyrics by Marc Shaiman & Scott Wittman; Based on the New Line Cinema film, written and directed by John Waters (performs March 26-29)

Baltimore, Maryland in 1962, and quirky, plus-sized, teenage Tracy Turnblad wants to dance on The Corny Collins Show. Tony Award-winning Hairspray has a beautiful message of acceptance and progress, showing Tracy’s dream developing into a quest to integrate TV, and by extension society. The catchy score includes "Good Morning Baltimore," "I Know Where I've Been," and "You Can't Stop the Beat." The bright, energetic story teaches us all to look past the color of one’s skin and fight for every human being’s equal rights.

Spring Musical auditions: Mon.-Thurs., Dec. 2-5 by appointment

Atholton High School Theatre activities 2019-2020

6/18/2019 edition *revised dates since the last edition No Food, Drink, Candy, Gum or Backpacks in the auditorium

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Mon., Tues., Wed., Dec. 2-5 2:30-9:00  Spring Musical auditions
Su., Dec 8  1:30-2:30  Individual Post-Audition Feedback (by appointment)
      2:30-5:30  Drama Boosters General Meeting & Spring Musical read thru:
            REQUIRED meeting for parents of musical cast members; orchestra, tech & their parents encouraged to attend
M., Dec 9  2:30-3:00  Spring Musical TECH meeting
Wed.-Thurs., Dec. 11-12  7:00 PM  AHS Band, Orchestra Concerts
Tues., Dec 17  7:00 PM  AHS Choir Concert
Wed., Dec. 18  7:00 PM  Wednesday Night Live! AHI Tuna Improv Performance
                  Sat., Dec. 21-Wed., Jan. 1: winter break

Tu, Jan. 7  7:00 PM  Drama Boosters Meeting in C-144
Th, Jan. 9  8:00-3:00 PM  HCPSS Theatre Festival @ HCC
Fri., Jan. 10  7:00 AM-11:00 PM  Maryland Thespian Festival (Towson University)
                  7:00 PM  AHS Dance Concert
Sat., Jan. 11  3:00 PM & 7:00 PM  AHS Dance Concerts
                  7:00 AM-8:00 PM  Maryland Thespian Festival (Towson University)
M, Jan. 13  8:00-3:00 PM  HCPSS Theatre Festival @ HCC (SNOW DATE)
F, Jan. 17  7:00 PM  ACI (All County Improv) @ HCC

Tu, Feb. 4  7:00 PM  Drama Boosters Meeting in C-144
Wed, Feb. 12  2:30 PM  deadline for ONO Director’s applications, including script
Mon., Feb. 17  President’s Day, NO SCHOOL

Tu, Mar.  7:00 PM  Drama Boosters Meeting in C-144
Wed., Mar. 25  11:30 AM  Spring Musical preview for elementary & middle schools
Th.-Sat., Mar 26-28  7:00 PM  Spring Musical performances
Sun., Mar. 29  2:00 PM  Spring Musical matinee
Mon., Mar. 30  2-5 PM  Spring musical take down

Sat, April 4-Mon., April 13: SPRING BREAK

Tu, April 14  7:00 PM  Drama Boosters Meeting in C-144
Su., April 26  Drama Boosters NYC Trip

Wed.-Thurs., May 1-2  7:00 PM  AHS Band, Orchestra Concerts
Sat., May 4  AHS Prom
Fri. @ 7 & Sat. @ 3 & 7, May 8-9  AHS Dance Concerts
W., May 13  6:30 PM  Drama Banquet (cafeteria)
                 7:30 PM  Annual ADB general meeting & department awards (auditorium)
Sat., May 16  7:00 PM  One Night Only! Student-Directed Performance

Tu, June 2  7:00 PM  Drama Boosters Meeting in C-144
Mon., June 15  Last day of school (or as late as June 22)

Approximate dates:
Folger Shakespeare Library High School Festival

AN IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT MUSICALS:  Some of you sing well (or very well). Some do not sing well yet. Most leading roles in musicals (and some supporting roles) require solo singing. More than 95% of people improve their singing with instruction and practice. There are many fine voice teachers in the area. Start now! Check our website for some of your classmates’ teachers. Ambitious people will work on their voices now. Some people will have the leading roles, folks… will it be you? Find a choir and join it. Dancing also improves with practice. There’s a lot of that in musicals as well.

Websites: The internet has a lot on theatre: how and where, who, etc.!!! Use it!!

We’re Thespian Troupe # 1739. For information on the International Thespian Society (ITS), theatre training options, acting tips, tech theatre ideas, and Thespian gear, go to http://www.edta.org/default.asp

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