

Patterson River Secondary College presents...



IMPORTANT DATES:

SCHOOL HOLIDAY REHEARSAL	Monday 9 th July 9am-4pm	Cast only required (No band required)	The Monday rehearsal is compulsory however the working bee is optional. We are hoping to finalise costumes, props, sets etc. so if anyone is able to help we would love to have you come along.
	Tuesday 10 th July 9am- 2:00pm	Working Bee (optional)	Lunch will be provided for those who attend
TERM THREE WEEK ONE	Tuesday 17 th July 3pm-5pm	Afterschool rehearsal	Students are required to bring any costumes or shoes from home that they intend to wear for the production. They are to leave it in the costume room to avoid forgetting it during production week.
	Wednesday 18 th July 1:00pm-5pm	Period 5-6 and afterschool until 5pm	As this is a professional Broadway show, the music and cues are more intricate than anticipated so this rehearsal will be to master the band and cast's cues. VCE students who need to attend VCE classes are allowed to miss this rehearsal but must come to the afterschool rehearsal.
TERM THREE WEEK TWO <u>PRODUCTION WEEK!!</u>	Tuesday 24 th July 9am-5pm	All day rehearsal until 5pm	This tech and dress rehearsal will be running the show with all the hired equipment such as lights, microphones. This is a full-dress rehearsal but make-up will not be required. If students are wearing wigs they must be worn for this rehearsal. Lunch provided for all cast and crew members.
	Wednesday 25 th July	NO REHEARSALS	To ensure the students are well rested, there will be NO afterschool rehearsal on this date.
	Thursday 26 th July Friday 27 th July Saturday 28 th July	11am Performance 7pm Performance 11am Performance 7pm Performance 1pm Performance 7pm Performance	Due to our matinee shows starting at 11am, students will need to be at school at 9:30am. The Thursday and Friday matinee performances will finish at 2:30pm and we are encouraging students to go home and rest before the next performance. Students will then need to be at school at 5:30pm for all the evening performances. If students have no way of going home, there will be a few student members supervising in the PAC for those students. At 5:30pm we will start hair and make-up, vocal and physical warm up, sound checks etc.

LAST FEW REMINDERS:

- Production t-shirts can be worn to school on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday with appropriate bottoms.
- ALL costumes should be left at school ready for the performances and NO costumes should be taken home after or in-between the performances.
- Everyone needs to supply their own shoes, mascara and eye liner for health and safety reasons.
- Anything students bring are their own responsibility. We encourage students to leave their laptops, school books and unnecessary items at home to avoid extra clutter or items going missing.
- Please bring a bottle of water and some snacks but please do not eat in your costumes.
- Do not wash your hair the morning of the first show as it is easier to work with hair when it's dirty.
- The Thursday and Friday night performances will finish around 9:30pm however once the students clean up their area and put their costumes away, it might be a little later. All students must be picked up at the PAC around this time and under no circumstances can students walk home at this hour.
- On the Saturday night performance, students will be required to stay back until 10:00pm-10:30pm to help bump out. Bump out is the process of dismantling sets, putting props away, packing up costumes, cleaning the Centre, ensuring costumes are returned, packing away lights etc. This is a group effort and many hands make light work. We will encourage the students to clean as they go, but no one will be dismissed unless a staff member allows them to leave. Parents can wait in the foyer of the theatre whilst this is occurring.
- Lastly, stay healthy, eat good food, get lots of rest and don't do anything silly that could cause injury!
- Programs at the discounted cost of \$6 can be purchased at the office otherwise they will be \$10 on the night. We recommend you pre-purchase so you're guaranteed a program.
- Pre-purchased roses will be \$10 with a lovely keepsake card. Limited stock on the night, so please make sure you get your order forms in. Forms can be collected at the office or through the website: <https://prscperformingarts.weebly.com/forms.html>
- The doors to the foyer won't open until 30 minutes before the show's starting time. Refreshments can be purchased in the foyer and the theatre doors will be opening 15 minutes before the show's starting time.
- No videography is permitted of this show due to licensing. PRSC will be filming and will have a viewing evening where the kids can come and watch the taping of the show.
- Tickets can still be purchased for some of the shows at <https://prscperformingarts.weebly.com/>

We are all extremely exciting for the students to take to the stage and we can't wait for our family and friends to see all of our hard work.

Many thanks,
2018 Production Team