



TO ALL ROCK 'N' ROLLERS :



CONGRATULATIONS and WELCOME TO THE JUNGLE! We are so excited about Rock 'n' Roll XXI! Mark your calendars now for the 7 shows: Fri. Mar. 12, Sat. Mar. 13, Sun. Mar. 14 (1:00 and 6:00 shows), Thu. Mar. 18, Fri. Mar. 19, and Sat. Mar. 20. **Please also reserve Tuesday, Mar. 16 as an additional show date. There will most likely be a show that day but a final decision will be made based on ticket sales.** Evening shows begin at 7:30p with a cast call at 6:00p. **The Sunday matinee begins at 1:00p with a cast call at 11:30a. There will be a second show that evening at 6:00p. Cast members are required to stay at the school between shows. A luncheon between shows will be provided.** We are looking forward to a great production including an incredible set, costumes, dances, lights and sounds, and a wonderful Rock 'n' Roll band!

This is a very important package containing a lot of information, so please be sure to **read each sheet carefully!**

CAST CONTRACT & CAST FEES: Your signed cast contract and cast fees of \$50 are **due by Monday, January 11** (turn in at the Parent Meeting)! The cast fee pays for a variety of show related expenses. Please make checks payable to **Falcon Drama Boosters**. (If this is a financial burden, please see Ms Germanos).

PARENT MEETING: There is a MANDATORY parent meeting for all cast parents on Monday, January 11 at 7:00p in the cafeteria. If no parent will be able to attend this meeting, they must e-mail Ms. Germanos at amgermanos@yahoo.com by Jan 10 to inform her of the reason for this absence. Ms. Germanos will respond with their committee assignment.

SENIOR BIOS: Seniors - you will be asked to write a Senior Bio to be placed in the program AND to bring in a picture for the showcase. Senior Bios and pictures will be **due January 31**. E-mail your bio to Ms. Germanos at amgermanos@yahoo.com. Failure to meet the deadline will result in omission from the RnR program. There is a 40-word limit to the Senior Bio (example -"Suzie Snodgrass is a 17-year-old senior at SPHS and has been in RnR for 3 years. She loves singing & dancing and wants to thank the RnR Staff and her family for their support. Enjoy the show!")
IMPORTANT NOTE: The R 'n' R staff reserves the right to review, revise or omit inappropriate Senior Bios. Please do not incorporate your religious or political views into your Senior Bio. The Bio should be about you!

CAST / CREW / BAND / STAFF TICKET PREORDER: Tickets for Rock 'n' Roll XXI may be pre-ordered by the cast, crew, band, & staff beginning on January 11 at the Parent Meeting. Similar to last year, there will be a limit on ticket preorders of 25 tickets **PER FAMILY** (10 tickets maximum for the following shows: Sat, Mar 13, Sun, Mar 14 (1:00p show only), Fri, Mar 19 and Sat, Mar 20).

EARLY-BIRD STUDENT-ONLY SALE: **There will be an early-bird student-only ticket sale at lunchtime in the cafeteria on Thu, Jan 28 and Fri, Jan 29. Orders accompanied by payment will be accepted from students and school staff only at this time. No actual tickets will be distributed. Tickets will be available for pick-up at Will Call the night of the show or on two special pick-up dates in late Feb/early Mar. (specific dates yet to be determined).** Students will be limited to purchasing 4 tickets. **Family and general public orders will not be accepted at this sale.**

PUBLIC TICKET SALES: General public ticket sales will begin on Monday, Feb 1. **Ticket sales will be accepted by U.S. mail or in the drop box in the SPHS office only!. There will be no public walk-in sales this year!!!**

STAY INFORMED & MAKE REHEARSALS YOUR PRIORITY! **The best way to stay informed is by regularly checking www.sphsdrama.com or <http://new.schoolnotes.com/rocknroll>. All cast members are asked to register for "notify me" on the Rock 'n' Roll page of the schoolnotes website.** Important announcements and schedule updates will be posted there, including schedule changes and inclement weather announcements. **We expect that you will always make rehearsals a priority.** The other people in your song and the entire cast are depending on you. In the event that you cannot attend a rehearsal, please e-mail Miss Germanos at amgermanos@yahoo.com in advance or put a written note in her mailbox in the Main Office. Many songs and dances only rehearse for two days. **If you miss those rehearsals, we will recast your part to someone else.** If you have a pre-scheduled conflict such as a college visit, you must give Ms. Germanos a written note at least one week in advance of the conflict. **Brush-up practices will be from 12p – 2 p on Sundays.** If you are unable to attend you must notify Ms. Germanos. We also expect that you will take some time on your own to memorize your songs and dances.

All egos should be checked at the door. "Star complexes", "prima donnas", "poor temperaments", and other such attitudes will not be tolerated. We need to support and encourage each other. While we are in for some fun times, we are also headed for stressful and tense times. This show will only be possible if we function as a team. Please help, respect, and love each other- all cast, band, crew, parent volunteers, and staff. All directives by the RnR staff are strictly enforced and failure to comply will result in disciplinary action. It is our desire to encourage and challenge you as a performer. We want you to dig deep and work hard. With excellence as our goal, mediocrity is not an option! Please approach this show with sincerity and dedication to make this a rewarding and memorable experience.

ROCK 'N' ROLL COSTUMES

Dear Parents,

We are working hard to create costumes for the cast and band. The quantity of costumes required for a production this size is a large undertaking. We appreciate your help in making sure that we accomplish this goal.

The following are some of the items that **you might** need to provide, once we decide how each song will be costumed. For the most part, we will provide all other costume pieces.

Girls:

Flesh colored dance tights
Nude body suits with clear straps
Strapless bra
Bras with clear straps
White Keds
Black or tan dress sandals (with backs so they don't slip)
Hair accessories and jewelry
Dance pants and /or jeans

Boys:

Black dress shoes, black dress socks
Pants (khakis, jeans, etc)
Accessories such as belts, ties, hats, etc

If you know your child has a hard to find shoe size or pant size you won't want to wait till the last minute. Keep any tags on purchases until tech week so you can return them if they are not used. Please keep them handy at home. We will let you know later exactly what the cast will need and when to bring them in.

If your child has a lead and you want to provide their costume you can do so, provided we have approved it. You need to let us know **now** if interested in doing this before we move forward.

Once costumed practices begin, each cast member needs a laundry basket or clear bin with lid to keep all their costume parts and personal belongings in to take back and forth to school. **Label everything with the cast members name using masking tape until you know for sure it will be used in the show. This includes shoes!** It is a good idea to have extras of socks and tights.

Keep checking www.sphsdrama.com for updates and specific items we may be looking for.

Thank you

Beth Deitrick and the Costume Committee Questions? Email deitrick6@aol.com

ROCK 'N' ROLL HOSPITALITY TABLE

All RnR cast members will be requested to bring a box of packaged snacks or drinks to contribute to the hospitality table for tech week and shows. The hospitality table is set up in the cast hallway with snacks and drinks available to and consumed by the cast, band, & crew during tech rehearsals and shows. The hospitality contribution list indicating the specifics of what each cast member needs to bring and when they should bring it is attached and will also be available at the Parent Meeting.

THE CAST CONTRACT BELOW AND CAST FEES ARE DUE AT THE PARENT MEETING ON MONDAY,
JANUARY 11 AT 7PM IN THE CAFETERIA.

CAST MEMBER CONTRACT FOR RNR XXI

YES! I have read the attached information and I understand what is expected of me. I also understand the consequences of non-compliance.

Cast Member's Printed Name _____

Cast Member's Signature _____

Cast Member's E-mail _____

Cast Member's Cell Phone _____

Parent's Printed Name _____

Parent's Signature _____

Parent's E-mail _____

Parent's Cell Phone _____

Home Phone _____ T-Shirt Size (adult sizes) _____

Remember to enclose \$50 check payable to **Falcon Drama Boosters**

This **form and payment are due at the Mandatory Parent Meeting on Monday, January 11 at 7pm** in the Cafeteria.

Dear Parents,

There are many ways in which you too can get involved in this production. We need many parent volunteers in the areas listed below. **We encourage all parents to get involved in some way!** It is expected that each family will sign up for one or more of the committees listed below at the mandatory Parents Meeting on Monday, January 11. If you have questions please call Ms. Germanos at 410-544-0900.

Costumes

Publicity (Newspaper & Poster
Distribution)

Ticket Sales (Lunchtime sales, evening will
call, will call at shows)

Ushers/Security

Hospitality Table for Cast/Band/Crew

Cast Luncheon (between the 2 Sunday
shows)

Chaperone Tech Week Rehearsals

Chaperone Performances

Cast Party