

**Fraser Performing Arts
presents**



Friday, November 12th at 7 PM

Saturday, November 13th at 2 PM & 7 PM

The Fraser Performing Arts Center

Present

Blithe Spirit

An Improbable Farce in Three Acts

By

Noël Coward

Directed by

Nicholas Charland
& Virginia Mardeusz

Assistant Director

Beverly Dobosenski

Cast

(in order of appearance)

Edith	.....	Theresa Moronczyk
Ruth	.....	Natalie Watson*+
Charles	.....	Sean Bedore
Dr. Bradman	.....	Luke Wagner*+
Mrs. Bradman	.....	Sophia Duffy
Mystic Arcati	.....	Nolan Pieprzyk+
Elvira	.....	Paige Zuccaro*+

Stage Managers

Margo Authier*+

Jake Rapp*

Scene Synopsis

The action of the play passes in the living room of Charles Condomine's house in Kent.

Time: Summer, 1941

ACT I

Scene 1: Before dinner on a summer evening.

Scene 2: After dinner.

ACT II

Scene 1: The next morning

Scene 2: Late the following afternoon.

Scene 3: Early evening. A few days later.

ACT III

Scene 1: After dinner. A few days later.

Scene 2: Several hours later.

There will be one 15-minute intermission

* Fraser Performing Arts Career Academy Student
+ Member of the Tri-M Music Honors Society

Production Staff

Stage Crew

Hannah Platt*+
Denim Scott*+
Olivia Wittstock

Sound Design

Charlie Clark
Ryan Hunt

Sound Crew

Dallas Snay*+
Rebecca St.Onge*+
Gabby Tonn+

Lighting Design

Mr. Geoffrey Martin
Mr. Elijah Ziegenfelder

Lighting Crew

Lucas Wioskowski*+

Scenic Design

Ms. Virginia Mardeusz

Lead Scenic Construction

Ms. Karen Brown

Mr. Rich Lowe

Mr. Jerry Pokorney

Costumes

Hannah Platt*+

Kiley Robidou*

Leah Wioskowski*

Acting Coach

Ms. Virginia Mardeusz

Props & Set Dressing

Ms. Beverly Dobosenski

Program

Mr. Nicholas Charland

Set Construction

Margo Authier*+, Ryan Hunt, Mikayla Mallory, Mitch Nummer, Hannah Platt*+, Jacob Rapp*, Kiley Robidou*, Denim Scott*+, Dallas Snay*+, Rebecca St.Onge*+, Gabby Tonn+, Leah Wioskowski*, Lucas Wioskowski*+, Olivia Wittstock

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A Musical Fable of Broadway

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Who's who in the cast and crew

THERESA MORONCZYK (Edith)



SEAN BEDORE (*Charles*) is a junior and making his tenth appearance in a Fraser Performing Arts Center production. His credits include a member of the ensemble for *Mulan Jr.* ('14), *High School Musical Jr.* ('15), *Lion King Jr.* ('16), *Oliver* ('16), *Beauty and the Beast Jr.* ('17), *Seussical* ('17), and *Cinderella* ('20). Sean played the role of Captain Hook in *Peter*



Pan Jr. ('19) and Lofgren in *Harvey* ('19). He is a member of Fraser Singers, Track & Field, and Varsity Football Team and after high school he plans on attending college to study psychology or acting. "I'd like to thank Mr. Charland, Mr. Perkins, and Mr. Santamaria for introducing me to the performing arts."

NATALIE WATSON (*Ruth*) is a junior and making her sixth appearance in a Fraser Performing Arts Center production. Her credits include White Bird/Hyena *The Lion King Jr.* ('16), an Aristocratic Lady in *Beauty and the Beast Jr.* ('17), Jojo in *Seussical* ('17), a Mermaid in *Peter Pan Jr.* ('19) and a Peasant/Lady of the Court in *Cinderella*



('20). Natalie was also a cast member of The Premier Plus Production of *Alice in Wonderland The Musical Revue* ('19), The Michigan Opera Theater Production of *Hänsel and Gretel* ('19), and LCA Musical Theatre Intensive Productions of *Les Miserables* ('19) and *Anne of Green Gables* ('21). She is a member of the Fraser Performing Arts Career Academy, Symphony Band, Jazz Band, Marching Band, Fraser Singers and Tennis Team. Natalie has been awarded 3rd Place in the Michigan Music Association Pop Piano competition, a MAC Open World Series Champion, and received first division in MAC Open Jazz Test Lists. Her future plans include attend college and major as a playwright or musical theatre actor with a minor in marketing. "I would love to thank my family, especially my mom, for always pushing me to try my best, even when times seem tough, you still help me with what I'm passionate about. I would also like to thank my private teacher, Jessica Wagner, for putting me out of my comfort zone and try straight theatre for the first time, knowing I could."

LUKE WAGNER (*Dr. Bradman*) is a senior and making his seventh appearance in a Fraser Performing Arts Center production. His credits include Ling in *Mulan Jr.* ('14), member of the Lollipop Guild in *The Wizard of Oz* ('14), Mongo in *High School Musical Jr.* ('15), a member of the ensemble in *Footloose* ('15), a buzzard in *Lion King Jr.* ('16), and Noah Claypole in *Oliver* ('16). Luke has also worked backstage as a member of the crew for *Beauty and the Beast Jr.* ('17) and *Cinderella* ('20). He is a drum major for the Rambler Marching Band, President for the Tri-M Music Honor Society, a member of the Jazz Band, Fraser Singers, Student Council, and National Honors Society. Luke plans on attending college to study business with the hopes of working for offices of the MLB. "Thank you to my family, friends, and my Fraser music teachers!"



SOPHIA DUFFY (*Mrs. Bradman*) is a freshman and making her debut appearance on a Fraser Performing Arts Center stage. She is a member of the Concert Choir and hopes to attend college and study to become a psychologist. "Thank you to my parents and friends who told me to audition. Thank you to Mr. Charland and Ms. V. for giving me this opportunity."



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NOLAN PIEPRZYK (*Mystic Arcati*) is a senior and making his debut appearance on a Fraser Performing Arts Center stage. His was a member of the orchestra for *Cinderella* ('20). Nolan is a Drum Major of the Rambler Marching Band, a member of the Fraser Singers, Tri-M Honor Society Treasurer, Student Council and participates in History Day.

He has been awarded Marching Band Most Improved in 2019, Marching Band Most Responsible in 2021 and Concert Band Most Dedicated in 2020. Nolan plans on studying public policy at the University of Michigan with a focus on economics. "Thank you to my parents for their support, Luke and Paige for giving me the confidence to audition, and Mr. Rodgers and Mr. Charland for helping me grow over the last 3 years."



MARGO AUTHIER (*Stage Manager*) is a junior and no stranger to The Fraser Performing Arts Center stage. She appeared as a member of the ensemble in *Mulan Jr.* ('14), *The Wizard of Oz* ('14), *Footloose* ('15), *Lion King Jr.* ('16), *Oliver* ('16), *Seussical* ('17), and *Cinderella* ('20). Margo was also a narrator in *Beauty and the Beast Jr.* ('17) and played

the role of Mrs. Darling *Peter Pan Jr.* ('19). She is a member of the Fraser Performing Arts Career Academy, Link Crew, Fraser Singers and the Fraser Drum Line. "Thank you to all the teachers in the music department, including Mr. Perkins, Mr. Charland, Mr. Rodgers, and Mr. Santamaria. Another special thank you to Ms. V. and my mom, Ms. D! Thank you for the help in making our productions wonderful."



PAIGE ZUCCARO (*Elvira*) is a senior and making her fourth appearance in a Fraser Performing Arts Center production. She appeared as a member of the ensemble in *The King & I* ('14), *High School Musical Jr.* ('15), and *Oliver* ('16). Paige is a Drum Major of the Rambler Marching Band, a member of the Fraser Singers, Tri-M Honor Society

Historian, Symphony Band, and the Fraser Performing Arts Career Academy. In her free time, she plays softball for Finesse Fastpitch and plans on attending college to become a special needs physical therapist. "Thank you to my amazing family for always pushing me to be my best. Thank you also to God for this amazing opportunity I've been presented with."



JACOB RAPP (*Stage Manager*) is a junior and worked as a member of the crew for *Cinderella* ('20). He is a member of Fraser Singers and the Symphony Band. "I am so excited to show all of you what Blithe Spirit is all about and make this the best play the school has seen in almost two years! I would like to thank Mr. Charland and

Ms. V. for putting on this show, none of this would be possible without them. Thank you!"

The History of Fraser Theater & Performing Arts Center

1958	<i>Paint The Town Pink</i>	1978	<i>Bye Bye Birdie</i>
1959	<i>The Fakers</i>		<i>Ginger</i>
1960	<i>Best Foot Forward</i>		<i>The Fantasticks</i>
1961	<i>Our Town</i>	1979	<i>Godspell</i>
1962	<i>My Three Angels</i>		<i>My Three Angels</i>
1963	<i>Diary Of Anne Frank</i>		<i>The Roar Of The Greasepaint – The Smell Of The Crowd</i>
1964	<i>The Death & Life Of Larry Benson</i>	1980	<i>The Man Of La Mancha</i>
1966	<i>Arsenic & Old Lace</i>		<i>Annie Get Your Gun</i>
1967	<i>You Can't Take It With You</i>		<i>Junie Moon</i>
1968	<i>The Mouse That Roared</i>		<i>FACES</i>
1969	<i>The Miracle Worker</i>	1981	<i>Runaways</i>
1970	<i>The Apple Tree</i>		<i>Finian's Rainbow</i>
1971	<i>The Cat & The Canary</i>		<i>You're A Good Man Charlie Brown</i>
	<i>There's No White Chalk Dust In This Garden</i>		<i>Philemon</i>
	<i>Little Red Riding Hood</i>		<i>The King & I</i>
1972	<i>West Side Story</i>		<i>Grease</i>
1973	<i>Dracula</i>	1982	<i>Barefoot In The Park</i>
1974	<i>Don't Drink The Water</i>		<i>West Side Story</i>
	<i>Funny Girl</i>		<i>McBeth Did It</i>
1975	<i>Damn Yankees</i>	1983	<i>The Gin Game</i>
	<i>Fiddler On The Roof</i>		<i>Veronica's Room</i>
	<i>Generation</i>		<i>Carousel</i>
	<i>Prisoner</i>		<i>Snoopy</i>
	<i>Godspell</i>	1984	<i>Come Blow Your Horn</i>
1976	<i>Li'L Abner</i>		<i>Godspell</i>
	<i>God's Favorite</i>		<i>Night Watch</i>
	<i>Exit The King</i>		<i>The Sunshine Boys</i>
	<i>Diary Of Anne Frank</i>		<i>Arsenic & Old Lace</i>
	<i>O-B-A-F-G</i>	1985	<i>Dream Shadows</i>
	<i>A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum</i>		<i>They're Playing Our Song</i>
1977	<i>Mousetrap</i>		<i>Annie</i>
	<i>Haunting Of Hill House</i>	1986	<i>Murder On The Nile</i>
	<i>The Odd Couple</i>		<i>Brighton Beach Memoirs</i>
	<i>Anything Goes</i>		<i>Anything Goes</i>
	<i>The Miracle Worker</i>	1987	<i>You're A Good Man Charlie Brown</i>
	<i>You're A Good Man Charlie Brown</i>		<i>The Wizard Of Oz</i>
			<i>Harvey</i>
		1988	<i>I Believe In Make Believe</i>
			<i>The Odd Couple</i>
			<i>Dracula</i>
		1989	<i>The Little Shop Of Horrors</i>
			<i>The Diary Of Anne Frank</i>

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1990	<i>The Music Man</i> <i>Arsenic & Old Lace</i>	2009	<i>Seussical</i> <i>Fools</i>
1991	<i>Charlie Brown</i> <i>Death</i> <i>Godspell</i> <i>The Murder Room</i>	2010	<i>Annie</i> <i>Halloween Screams</i>
1992	<i>Fiddler On The Roof</i> <i>Dracula</i>	2011	<i>The Phantom Of The Opera</i> <i>Willy Wonka</i> <i>White Christmas</i>
1993	<i>Fools</i> <i>Godspell</i>	2012	<i>Clue: The Musical</i> <i>The Jungle Book: Kids</i> <i>Anything Goes</i>
1994	<i>The Sound Of Music</i> <i>My Three Angels</i>	2013	<i>The Giver</i> <i>Schoolhouse Rocks Live! Jr.</i> <i>Afraid of the Dark</i>
1995	<i>Annie</i> <i>Barefoot In The Park</i>	2014	<i>The King & I</i> <i>Mulan Jr.</i> <i>Wizard of Oz</i>
1996	<i>Peter Pan</i> <i>Don't Drink The Water</i>	2015	<i>Snoopy!!</i> <i>High School Musical Jr.</i> <i>Footloose</i>
1997	<i>The King & I</i> <i>Rehearsal For Murder</i>	2016	<i>Almost, Maine</i> <i>Lion King Jr.</i> <i>Oliver!</i>
1998	<i>Oliver!</i> <i>Knock 'em Dead</i>	2017	<i>Rumors</i> <i>Beauty and the Beast Jr.</i> <i>Seussical</i>
1999	<i>You Can't Take It With You</i> <i>Come Blow Your Horn</i> <i>Little Shop Of Horrors</i>	2018	<i>Little Women</i> <i>Mixed Nuts</i>
2000	<i>West Side Story</i> <i>You're A Good Man Charlie Brown</i>	2019	<i>Little Shop of Horrors</i> <i>Peter Pan, Jr.</i> <i>Harvey</i>
2001	<i>South Pacific</i> <i>Arsenic & Old Lace</i>	2020	<i>Cinderella</i>
2002	<i>Annie</i> <i>12 Angry Men</i>	2021	<i>Annie Jr.</i>
2003	<i>Barefoot in the Park</i> <i>Anything Goes</i>		
2004	<i>Death By Chocolate</i> <i>Bye Bye Birdie</i>		
2005	<i>Harvey</i> <i>Web Of Murder</i>		
2006	<i>The Foreigner</i> <i>The Wizard Of Oz</i>		
2007	<i>The Sound Of Music</i> <i>Frankenstein</i>		
2008	<i>The Music Man</i> <i>A Christmas Carol</i>		

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