## STAR VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS



Book by Michael Stewart Music and Lyrics by Jerry Herman Based on the play The Matchmaker by Thornton Wilder

Admission March 20, 21 at 7:00 pm Donation Admission March 22 at 1:00 and 7:00 pm Accepted Star Valley High School Auditorium

Original Production Directed and Choreographed by Gower Champion Produced for the Broadway Stage by David Merrick and Champion Five, Inc.

## Hello Dolly Gast

(In Order of Appearance)

Mrs. Dolly Gallagher Dewie Collard
Ambrose Kemper
Horace Vandergelder
Ermengarde
Cornelius Hackl Ammon Baird
Barnaby Tucker
Minnie Fay
Irene Molloy Olivia Burnham
Mrs. Rose
Ernestina Money
·
Rudolph Reinsenweber Porter Ludwig
Stanley Brannen Fullmer
First Cook KarLee Rosa
Second Cook
Judge Corby Collard
Policeman/ Engineer
Policeman/Engineer
Court Clerk
Paperhanger Joseph McGee

Director/Choreographer—Tami Nielsen Assistant Director/Producer—Gina Fullmer Student Stage Manager - Paisley Anderson Set Design—Tyson Balls Sound and Light Design—Dane Hepworth Costume Design—Jen Collard Rehearsal Accompanist —Katherine Harris Hair, Makeup, Wig Design—Autym Edwards Student Director-Mary Johnson Student Choreographer—Emily Hellsten Activities Director—Robert Erickson Teen Ensemble: Kimber Aitken, Erika Allred. Ainsley Bowman, Corby Collard, Brannen Fullmer, Anna Haderlie, Suzanna Engler, Ethan Eyre, Marc Harris, Emily Hellsten, William Hinton, Hallie Hokanson, Ashlee Hoopes, Aisley Ivie, Taggart Ivie, Porter Ludwig, Joseph McGee, Michelle Stucki, Rachel Thygerson

Adult Ensemble: Madeline Aullman, Aviel Bagley, Thomas Beck, Zoev Burnham, Isabella Burton, Fennec Burton, Olivia Deroche, Kayvri Dockstader, Abigail England, Piper Galvin, Luke Harris, Sydnee Hart, Cambrie Heiner, Augustus Hepworth, Symantha Hepworth, Peyton Hokanson, Isabell Hunsaker, Callie Imeson, Clark Jensen, Nicole Jensen, Jacquelyn Jeske, Claire Johnson, Jane Johnson, Lillian Keith, Duane King, Ryne Klindt, Anna Knighton, Aaron Mavy, Evelyn Mavy, Maya Mavy, Kylie Merritt, Abbie Metge, Claire Myers, Hanne Opitz, Chloe Rieb, Rebeka Rodriguez, KarLee Rosa, Brooklyn Scherbel, Amy Sessions, Nola Simpson, Savanna Sloan, Paisley Smith, Autumn Strgar, Ava Sutton, Jenna Theriault, Hallie Vickery, Tinzlie White, Emma Wolfley



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#### Scenes

#### **Act One**

**Scene 1:** Street scene in New York City in the 1890's Grand Central Station

**Scene 2:** Horace Vandergelder's Feed Store in Yonkers, New York

Yonkers Railroad Depot

**Scene 3:** New York Street and the Exterior of Mrs. Malloy's Hat Shop

#### **Act Two**

**Scene 1:** Outside the Hoffman House Hotel Harmonia Gardens Exterior

**Scene 2:** Harmonia Gardens Restaurant

**Scene 3:** Courtroom, Judge's Bench and Docket

**Scene 4:** Vandergelder's Feed Store

## Musical Numbers



**Opening Act One** Adult Ensemble

I Put My Hand In Dolly & Adult Ensemble

**It Takes a Woman** Horace, Cornelius, Barnaby & Male Chorus

**Sunday Clothes** Cornelius, Barnaby, Dolly, Ermengarde, Ambrose & Chorus

**Ribbons** Mrs. Mollov

**Motherhood March** Dolly, Mrs. Molloy & Minnie

**Dancing** Dolly, Cornelius, Barnaby, Mrs. Molloy ℰ Teen Ensemble

Parade Passes By Dolly & Chorus

#### **Act Two**

Entr'acte

**Elegance** Mrs. Molloy, Minnie, Cornelius & Barnaby

**Waiters Gallop** Chorus

Hello Dolly Dolly & Chorus
Polka Teen Ensemble

Only Takes a Moment Cornelius, Mrs. Molloy & Chorus

**So Long Dearie** Dolly

Finale



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# Gast



**Dewie Collard (Dolly Levi)** Hi! My name is Dewie Collard. I'm a senior, and theatre is my life! I've been part of every musical in my high school experience—Footloose, Cinderella—and had the honor of playing Arvide Abernathy in last year's Guys and Dolls. Performing is my passion, and it's what truly makes me happy. I'm excited to pursue it professionally after graduation. I just want to thank my director, Tami, for her incredible guidance and for giving me these opportunities! And to my mama, who always clapped so loud for me that I never noticed who didn't—v-xoxo.

#### **Bridger Wolfley (Ambrose Kemper)**

Hi, my name is Bridger Wolfley. I am 17 and a senior. I live in Grover and am the eldest son of Mitch and Cheyanne Wolfley. I have been involved in a variety of musicals—whether acting or working on the tech crew—including The Wizard of Oz, Footloose, Cinderella, Guys and Dolls, Hello, Dolly! and various community shows. Outside of the theatre, you can find me on the varsity cheer team, singing and dancing with Singcopation, competing in FFA Judging and FFA speech competitions, showing livestock around the country, or working on my family's farm.



All in all, I am stoked to be back on stage again this year, and I hope you enjoy the show!



#### **Brock Haderlie (Horace Vandergelder)**

Hello! My name is Brock Haderlie, and I am a senior at SVHS. I live in Smoot, and my parents are Dave and Shandi Major. I love music—whether singing, dancing, or being in the band—it is my favorite part of high school. This is my final musical at SVHS, and I am playing the role of Horace Vandergelder. This part has been very laid-back and easy. I feel so blessed to work with my friends and grow as an actor on this stage! I would like to dedicate my final performances to my daddy Derek, my big brother Ryder, and my nana Val.

#### Cassidi Osmond (Ermengarde)

Hi, my name is Cassidi! My parents are Travis and Maggon Osmond. I am a senior at SVHS. I am involved in the Trebletones choir, and I love everything about singing! I also love being outside in the sun. I am so excited to play Ermengarde in Hello, Dolly! this year! I think she is a very unique and fun character to play.





#### Aamon Baird (Cornelius Hackl)

I made my theatre debut when I was eight years old in the Rock Church play Fact and Fiddlesticks. I have absolutely loved performing in musicals during high school, including Footloose, Cinderella, and Guys and Dolls. I'm so excited to be a part of Hello, Dolly! this year as Cornelius. I love soccer, camping, doing flips and tricks, and spending time with my family.

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## Synopsis

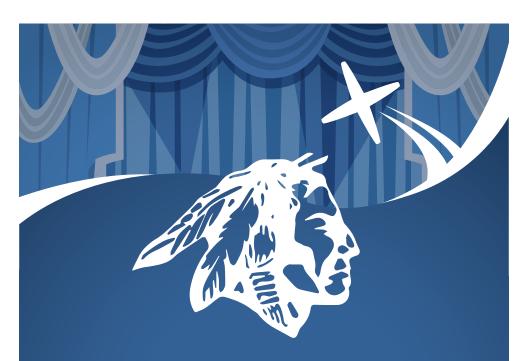
Hello Dolly! Is the story of Mrs. Dolly Levi's efforts to marry Horace Vandergelder, the well known half-a-millionaire, and send his money circulating among the people like rainwater the way her late husband, Ephraim Levi, taught her. Along the way she also succeeds in matching up the young and beautiful Widow Malloy with Vandergelder's head clerk, Cornelius

Hackl; Cornelius' assistant, Barnaby Tucker, with Mrs. Malloy's assistant, Minnie Fay; and the struggling artist, Ambrose Kemper, with Mr. Vandergelder's weeping niece, Ermengarde.

Mrs. Levi tracks Vandergelder to his hay and feed store in Yonkers, then by train back to Mrs. Malloy's hat shop in New York, out into the streets of the city where they are all caught up in the great Fourteenth Street Association Parade, and finally to the most elegant and expensive restaurant in town, the Harmonia Gardens. There, Dolly is greeted by the waiters, cooks and doormen in one of the most famous songs in the history of American musical comedy, Hello Dolly!

What happens in the end? Dolly gets her man, of course. Even makes him glad she caught him. Dolly leaves the stage at the end of Act II with a wink to the audience as she takes a peep into Vandergelder's bulging cash register, and promises that his fortune will soon be put to good use. She quotes her late husband as she says, "Money, pardon the expression, is like manure. It's not worth a thing unless it's spread around encouraging young things to grow.

Hello, Dolly! Is an ebullient and irresistible story of the joy of living, glittering with happy songs, shining with loving scenes, alive with the personality of one of the most fabulous characters on the musical stage . . . Dolly Gallagher Levi!



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#### **Braxton England (Barnaby Tucker)**

I am the son of Matt and Dawn England from Smoot. I feel fortunate to play the role of Barnaby this year! I love music—singing, dancing, and playing the drums. I am part of the SVHS Jazz Band and Marching Braves. I also love cars, motorcycles, and the outdoors. Thanks to our amazing directors and cast for making my senior year so much fun!

#### Mary Johnson (Minnie Fay)

I'm Mary Johnson, and I am a junior at Star Valley High School. My parents are Dave and Lynette Johnson, and I live in the Afton area. This is my third year participating in the musical at SVHS. I love to sing, act, read, and spend time outdoors with my family. One of my favorite parts of being in the musical is building relationships with people I wouldn't have crossed paths with otherwise.



#### Olivia Burnham (Irene Molloy)

Hi! I'm Olivia, and I am a senior at Star Valley High School. Ever since I saw my first musical, Phantom of the Opera, here at SVHS, I just knew that someday I wanted to be performing on that stage. Now here I am, playing a role I've always dreamed of! Some other activities I participate in include choir and Singcopation. I am so thankful for this opportunity that Tami and Gina have given me and for my family's support throughout this journey!

#### Evelyn Mavy (Mrs. Rose)

Hi, I'm Evelyn! I live in Bedford, and my parents are Merritt and Celena Mavy. I love being part of the musical! I was part of the ensemble in Cinderella and Guys and Dolls, but this year, I get to play Mrs. Rose, and I am so excited to have this new experience. One of my favorite things to do is be on stage—whether it's a high school musical, singing with Trebletones, playing my guitar, or karaoke at the Lincoln County Fair. I can't wait to perform in Hello, Dolly!





#### Anna Haderlie (Ernestina)

Hey, I'm Anna, and I'm a senior at SVHS. I am the oldest of six siblings, and I live with my super cool parents, Amanda and Colter Haderlie. I started musicals my sophomore year with Cinderella, where I developed my love for musical dance. I choreographed the Havana scene in Guys and Dolls last year, and I'm currently majoring in all things Ernestina and minoring in Money. Other than that, I love hanging out with my family, trying new things, and mountain biking on the weekends.

#### Porter Ludwig (Rudolph Reisenweber)

Hi, my name is Porter Ludwig, and I am a junior at SVHS. I live in Smoot, and my parents are Kirsten and Chad Ludwig. I participated in my first musical, Guys and Dolls, last year, and I loved it (I'm actually glad Gina twisted my arm!). I played the Big Apple Bum (drunk guy)—it was great! This year, I am playing Rudolph, the owner/supreme commander/head waiter at Harmonia Gardens. One thing I enjoy about the musical this year is the dancing. When I'm not at school, I like to snowmobile, golf, and hang out with my buddies.





#### Brannen Fullmer (Stanley)

Hi! I'm Brannen Fullmer. I'm 17, and I'm super stoked to be part of Hello, Dolly! this year. My parents are Gina and Kelly, and I live in Grover. This will be my seventh high school musical, and it just keeps getting better and better! Outside of performing, I love being outdoors—hunting, fishing, riding dragons, golfing, hiking, you name it. Hope you enjoy the show!

## UPCOMING EVENTS





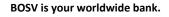
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#### KarLee Rosa (First Cook)

Hi, I'm KarLee Rosa, and I am a junior at SVHS. You may have seen me in a red dress singing with Trebletones or in other musicals and plays around town. I was also part of the cast of Guys and Dolls last year as Mimi. I'm so excited for you to watch this show and see what we've all been working so hard on!

#### **Ainsley Bowman (Second Cook)**

Hi! My name is Ainsley Bowman. I am a junior at SVHS, and my parents are Catherine Ball-Littel and Bryon Bowman. I live in Thayne. I have been in SVHS's productions of Cinderella and Guys and Dolls. I love to perform and sing and am so thankful for this opportunity! I also love hanging out with friends, being involved in different choirs, and playing soccer. I hope you all enjoy Hello, Dolly! as much as I do!



#### Corby Collard (Judge)

My name is Corby and My parents are Jennifer Wolfley and Darrin Collard. I love doing the musicals, they are always a ton of hard work, but they are always super fun to see come together! When I'm not doing musicals or singing, you can find me under the hood of a car. I especially love working on older cars. I also like working or helping people I know.

#### Fennec Burton (Policeman/Engineer)

Hi I'm Fennec Burton. I'm a senior this year, and I've participated in the musical all 4 years of high school. I was accepted to UW to major in theater, so I will continue to perform after I graduate! It's been fun, keep chasing your dreams!





#### Nicole Jensen (Policeman/Engineer)

Hi, I'm Nicole, I'm 17 and a junior at SVHS. I live in Afton with my awesome parents and my three younger brothers. I was able to convince my oldest brother Clark to join the musical this year! This is my third year doing the musical,. I have also been in Cinderella and Guys and Dolls. I loved it so much, and now the musical is one of my favorite after-school activities. This year I'm very grateful that I got to play several characters that are perfect for me and I hope that I'm making my friends, family and especially Tami and Gina proud. I don't think wouldn't have found my love for musical theater without them.

#### Claire Myers (Court Clerk)

Hi, I'm Claire Myers, I'm a freshman and I'm super excited to perform in Hello, Dolly! I've been in a couple different productions before, including The Lion King Jr. and Beauty and The Beast Jr., and I'm thrilled to be back on stage in high school. I love singing, acting, traveling, and playing sports. I can't wait to keep performing and am looking forward to what's next. Big thanks to the cast, crew, and audience for all the support!





#### Joseph McGee (Paperhanger)

Hi I am Joseph McGee a sophomore, my parents are Don and Winter McGee. I have always loved music, I play trumpet and participate in choir. Ever since I saw my first SVHS musical it was my dream to be a part of one. This is my second musical and I am so excited to be in this show.

#### Paisley Anderson (Stage Manager)

Hi my name is Paisey Anderson, I'm 16 years old and i'm a junior. I live in Afton. I'm a trumpet player for the high school band, and I'm the stage manager for the musical., This is my third year working in tech and my second year managing. I love working for the musical and being able to lead the tech crew. I'm looking forward to next year and hopefully working for a theatre in college.

#### Ben Hepworth (Tech Manager)

Hi I'm Ben, and a senior at SVHS. My parents are Dane and Brittany Hepworth. This is my 3rd year doing the musical on the technical side. I've been the Head Tech for 2 years, Lighting Tech for 3 years. I enjoy fishing, hiking, running, video games, and pulling apart electronics.



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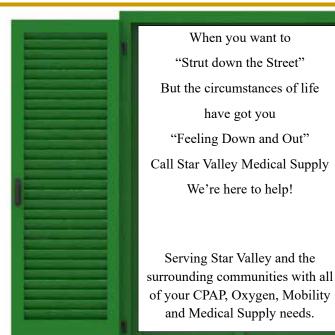
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## Director's Note

I was recently asked what was the theme of **Hello, Dolly!** I had to pause and think for a moment. As I pondered not just Dolly Levi, but all the other characters as well, it came to me. Hello Dolly is a story first and foremost about the need for human connection and love woven with funny moments and songs that many will recognize and go home humming

Dolly Gallagher Levi is one of the most iconic characters in musical theater—a woman with a sharp wit, a heart full of dreams, and a mind always racing with possibilities. She is a matchmaker, but more importantly, she is a woman who knows how to make life sparkle. From her first entrance, Dolly sweeps us off our feet, and it's her infectious energy and relentless optimism that remind us of the power of second chances, of finding joy in the unexpected, and of embracing life with open arms. This show is built on relationships: the romance between Dolly and Horace Vandergelder, the evolving bond between the young lovers, and the connections between people from different walks of life. Each scene, each song, brings a new layer of humanity to the surface, and it's this universal theme of love and connection that continues to resonate across generations. In a world that can often feel fractured, Hello, Dolly! offers a reminder that no one is truly alone.

This production of **Hello, Dolly!** is meant to be a celebration. We've approached it with the intention to bring to life not just the humor and heart of the story, but also the vibrancy of the world Dolly inhabits. From the grandiose spectacle of the Harmonia Gardens to the intimate moments between characters, we've worked to create a world that feels as full and rich as the characters themselves. So, whether you're seeing **Hello, Dolly!** for the first time or the hundredth, I hope you find something new to love in this beautiful, timeless show. As Dolly herself says, "Money is like manure. It's not worth a thing unless it's spread around, encouraging young things to grow." In that spirit, I invite you to let the joy and magic of this story spread through you as we celebrate the simple, powerful joy of being together.

Welcome to the world of **Hello**, **Dolly!**—where love, laughter, and the promise of new beginnings await.

## A Big Thank You to:

Lynette Johnson, Brooke Stucki, Becky Hart, Jamie Eyre, Michelle Metge, Brittany Hepworth, Megan Johnson, LaNece Day, Arlee Collard, Lily Keith, Angie Jeske, Brandon Burnham, Robert Erickson, Valerie Booth, Kari Allred, and Jason Nielsen

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