

NARNIA

THE LION, THE WITCH AND THE WARDROBE



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Director's Notes

When one has found an old piece of furniture, say a wardrobe or such, set aside all by its lonesome in a back room, curiosity piques. This seems odd...Why is it here, unused? What is that mysterious lettering entwined through the doors and side panels? But if that person is a child, playing hide and seek, such a wardrobe provides simply the perfect hiding place~ as long as one does not shut the door entirely. For everyone knows "it is very silly to shut oneself into a wardrobe." And so WWII refugee Lucy Pevensie, age 8, journeys into the wondrous Land of Narnia. A land void of humans but filled with talking animals, fauns, dryads and naiads, and Aslan, the absent but Regent Lion, Son of the Emperor Across the Sea.

Imprisoned in perpetual Ice and Snow, with no hope of holidays or spring thaw, the animals of Narnia carry on their days in dread of the reigning White Witch. Her joy in turning dissidents to stone has created efficacious submission throughout the land. Secretly, the true Narnians long for the Prophecy of Old to come true. "When Adam's flesh and Adam's bone sits at Cair Paravel in throne, The evil time will be over and done." A deep magic can hold a land in chains, but "deeper magic still" dethrones even the most effectual tyrant when the appointed time and figures intertwine.

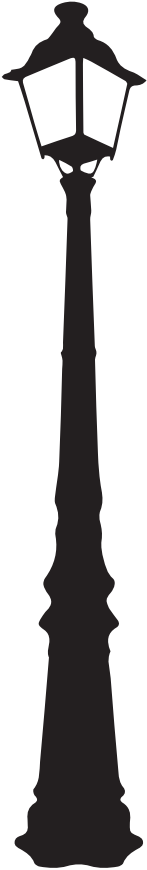
Since its first publication in 1950, 120 million copies of the "Chronicles of Narnia" have been printed. I was happily surprised to note that the choice of Narnia as our spring show has brought more excitement to the studio than any other show previously done. Whether folks were currently reading the Chronicles out loud as a family, or had done so already, or had fond memories of a parent reading to them as a child, there has been a common joy in being able to celebrate such a beloved novel on stage. Immediate questions of "who would play the children, Tumnus, and Aslan?" and "how are you going to do the Stone Table?" only confirmed a vested interest.

As you know, we love throwing ourselves into stage productions- the more details the better the fun- and yet there has been a sense of solemnity about producing Narnia. There is something that resonates with the story of children playing a critical role in such a mammoth task as overthrowing a dictator, and of a hero willing to pay the ultimate price for his people. In Narnia, the battles the children and Aslan face are real and scary and dire. They require courage and grit, faith and, in Aslan's case, real sacrifice. CS Lewis' "Narnia" embodies real life, real pain, and the courage to confront the challenges we sludge through in our lives.

AND SO...as we read the novel, we too identify, we empathize with struggles and we yearn for faith in the future... Luckily, childhood can possess an eternal flame of hope. Most children do possess a trust that truth will overcome lies, that freedom can turn statues back to life, that in the end, everything will work out and the good guys will win. I don't know where you are in your life, but I do know we all need hope in our hearts, and at some points of our lives we find we need it most of all. If you are there now, this show is for you, if you have been there, may your heart resonate with its resolve, and if you are headed there may this give you future peace under pressure. **Martina C. Price**

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Director: Martina Price

Assistant: Addie Price

Set Design: Bill Aikman

**Set Builders/Painters: Bill Aikman,
Dennis Delay, Steve Smith**

**Set Crew: Bill Aikman, Tom Kellogg,
Dennis Delay, Steve Smith**

House Manager: Mary Beth Kellogg

Backstage Coordinator: Paige Kaleita

Head Runners: Katie Jewett/Sara Popawski

Props: Josilyn Adams

Costuming: Martina Price

Poster/Tshirt Art: Addie Price

Quick Change Assistants:

Jessica Phelan/Meagan Buckley

Sound/Lights: Alec Kozlowski

Videographer: Jenny Purvee/Tom Astle

Photographers: Dave Dall/Laura Kanya

Arabesque Teaching Staff

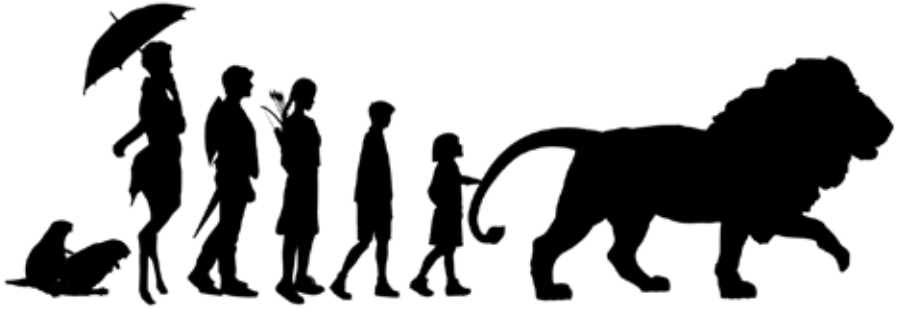
Rose Bedard, Allison Pineault, Adelaide Price, Martina Price,
Jenn Reust, Laura Moltz, Maria Naumann, Caitlyn Henck

Student Teachers

Sophie Kellogg, Haley Kaleita

CAST

IN ORDER OF APPEARANCE



PETER PEVENSIE *played by Kingston Cherry*

SUSAN PEVENSIE *played by Haley Kaleita*

EDMUND PEVENSIE *played by Elise Cournoyer*

LUCY PEVENSIE *played by Sophie Kellogg*

MR. TUMNUS (the Faun) *played by Zoey Van Duyn*

JADIS (the White Witch) *played by Geneviève Wasser*

GINNARRBRIK (Chief Dwarf) *played by Cali Rankin*

THE CARDINAL *played by Reese Phelan*

MR. BEAVER *played by Ava MacDonnell*

MRS. BEAVER *played by Sadie Poplawski*

MAUGRIM (Chief Wolf) *played by Emily Waninger/Smith*

ASLAN (the Lion) *played by Molly Heath*

PLEASE NOTE: In the second dance we use the actual soundtrack of Air Raid sirens from WWII London.

I wanted to pre-warn people in case this stirs up memories for family members.

ACT 1

— Scene 1 —

1. Swing! Swing! Swing! (Advanced Ballet A)

Macy Aikman, Kingston Cherry, Elise Cournoyer,
Haley Kaleita, Sophie Kellogg, Zoey Van Duyn,
Geneviève Wasser

2. The Jitterbugs (Musical Theater)

Lily Barber, Willow Barber, Makinley Foran, Willa Rich,
Molly Roberts, Lucy Kate Senick, Lindley Vautier

AIR RAID SIREN

— Scene 2 —

3. Operation Pied Piper

Children: Caro Adams, Emily Dall, Sophia Dubuc,
Caroline Dunn, Sierra Hamilton, Clara Lesh,
Willa Loomis, Willa Rich, Freya Rich, Molly Roberts

Mothers: Lillian Mirrissette,
Emily Waninger-Smith, Zoey Van Duyn
Lady gathering the children: Geneviève Wasser

— Scene 3 —

4. Hide and Seek: Lucy Looks Into a Wardrobe

The Pevensie Children: Peter, Susan, Edmund and Lucy

5. Edmund's Gambol

Lucy, Edmund, the White Witch, Ginarrbrik the Dwarf

6. The Real Adventure Begins

Peter, Susan, Edmund, Lucy and the Cardinal

7. Cheeky Chickadees (Beginner Jazz)

Annabelle Farr, Elizabeth Lefebvre,
Willa Loomis, Lillian Morrisette

8. (Leave it to the) Beavers (Hip Hop 3)

Lily Barber, Willow Barber, Isabella Henck, Mae Rich,
Hazel Risi, Lindley Vautier, Bellamy Wyatt
Mr & Mrs. Beaver: Ava MacDonnell/Sadie Poplawski

9. The Prophecy Unfurled

Peter, Susan, Edmund, Lucy and Mr. & Mrs. Beaver

10. The Witch's Icicles (Intermediate Jazz 1 & 2)

Sophia Belaski, Cora Hegg, Olivia Marin, Reese Phelan,
Wyatt Robertson, Rose Schnakenberg, Lucy Kiruthi,
Ava MacDonnell, Sadie Poplawski

11. Edmund's Gamble

Edmund, the White Witch, Ginarrbrik, Maugrim

12. The Ice Cage (Peer Jazz)

Kingston Cherry, Elise Cournoyer, Haley Kaleita,
Sophie Kellogg, Geneviève Wasser

13. Spring Sunshine (Ballet Pointe Prep 2/Advanced B)

Sydney Brown, Cala Jewett, Ava MacDonnell,
Sadie Poplawski, Cali Rankin, Emily Waninger/Smith

14. Fatigue

15. Squirrels (Hip Hop 3B)

Ingrid Aiken, Adalie Farr, Archie Hegg,
Abigail Morrisette, Willa Rich, Samuel Sanborn

16. The Chase!

Maugrim, the White Witch, Edmund, Ginnarbrik

17. Racoons (Intro to Hip Hop) {**Sunday 12pm**}

Lexi Henck, Zanne LaRose, Rosalie MacKinnon, Taylor Monte,
Harper Strazza, Skylar Weir, Brooklyn Yannus

18. Father Christmas!

Father Christmas, Peter, Susan and Lucy



19. River Break Up (Intermediate Contemporary 3/4)

Linnea Dailey, Lucy Kiruthi, Ava MacDonnell,
Madeline Poehlmann, Sadie Poplawski,
Cali Rankin, Emily Waninger-Smith

20. Naiads' Celebration (Beginning Contemporary)

Caroline Adams, Ruby Allgaier, Francisca Beittel,
Sydney Brown, Emily Dall, Sophia Dubuc,
Siena Hamilton, Calla Jewett, Clara Lesh,
Willa Loomis, Elena Preston, Ada Schwartzkopf

21. Spring Zephyr-The Herald of Spring (Advanced Contemporary)

Kingston Cherry, Elise Cournoyer, Haley Kaleita,
Zoey Van Duyn, Geneviève Wasser

22. Ferns (Ballet 3)

Lily Barber, Willow Barber, Rowan Crawford,
Elise Henault, Isabella Henck, Avery Kinney,
Lolita Ritchie, Lindley Vautier, Bellamy Wyatt

23. Daffodils (Beginner Ballet 2)

Stella Hall, Brynn Henault, Anna Mae Parris,
Mae Rich, Hazel Risi, Alyssa Stewart

24. Foxes (Hip Hop Intermediate 1 Tues)

Ruby Allgaier, Sydney Brown, Rowan Crawford, Sophia Dubuc,
Sienna Hamilton, Calla Jewett, Eleonor Kanya, Willa Loomis,
Elena Preston, Ada Schwartzkopf

25a. Tulips {Sunday 12pm} (Intro to Ballet 1)

Jacqueline Areson, Brooke Bertelsen, Haven Bristol, Vera Burke,
Charlotte Dirmaier, Vivi Anna Milles, Fern Stanger-Smith

25b. Tulips {Sunday 5pm} (Beginner Ballet 1)

Sadie Boyd, Raegan Deutsch, Lily Kennedy,
Evelyn Owens, Fiona Owens, Isla Weintraub

26a. Lady Bugs {Sunday 12pm} (Tiny Tots Ballet Fri)

Mae Bellerose, Emily Jane Capps, Sage Carpenter,
Noa Long, Mira Morano

26b. Lady Bugs {Sunday 5pm} (Tiny Tots Ballet W/Th)

Annabel Deutch, Genevieve Deutch, Charlotte Hall,
Alice Wickles, Nellie Wickles, Azalea Cheney, Emma Hill,
Johanna Hill, Anora Renauld, Nora Whelan

27. Ravens (Hip Hop Intermediate 2)

Sophia Belaski, Cora Hegg, Elizabeth Lefebvre, Olivia Marin,
Lillian Morrisette, Rose Schnackenberg

28. Woodland Birds (Tap 2)

Sydney Brown, Avery Kinney, Lucy Kiruthi,
Abigail Morrisette, Reese Phelan, Wyatt Robertson

29. Purple Lilacs (Ballet Intermediate 1)

Caroline Adams, Emily Dall, Annabelle Farr,
Sienna Hamilton, Clara Lesh

30. Perky Blue Birds (Ballet Intermediate 2)

Sophia Belaski, Sydney Brown, Elena Dunbar,
Robyn Fucile, Calla Jewett, Elizabeth Lefebvre, Olivia Marin,
Lillian Morrisette, Wyatt Robertson, Molly Waters

31. Narnian Animals Frolic in the Sunshine (Tap 1)

Lily Barber, Willow Barber, Isabella Henck, Cora Keidel, Vivi
Anna Milles, Anna Mae Psaros, Lea Schumaker, Alma Stebbins,
Nora Stebbins, Lindley Vautier, Nelle Waters, Bellamy Wyatt

 
INTERMISSION
 

32. Meeting at Aslan's Howe

Peter, Susan, Lucy, Mr. & Mrs. Beaver, Aslan

32a. Naiad/Dryad Dance

Francisca Beittel, Sydney Brown, Siena Hamilton, Calla Jewett, Elizabeth Lefebvre, Liam Leonard, Clara Lesh, Willa Loomis, Olivia Marin, Lillian Morrisette, Reese Phelan, Elena Preston, Wyatt Robertson, Rose Schnackenberg, Ada Schwartzkopf

32b. Beavers introduce

Peter, Susan & Lucy to Aslan

33. Black Wolves (Addie's Hip Hop)

Linnea Dailey, Lucy Kiruthi, Ava MacDonnell, Madeline Poehlmann, Sadie Poplawski, Cali Rankin, Emily Waninger-Smith

34. Consequences

Kate Lamantia, Arianna Stewart, Maddie Astle, the White Witch, Ginnarbrik, Edmund

35. Unstoppable Love

Peter, Susan, Edmund, Lucy

36. The Contract

Aslan, Peter, Susan, Edmund, Lucy, the White Witch

37. Weeping Dryads (Contemporary Intermediate 1/2)

Sophia Belaski, Elizabeth Lefebvre, Liam Leonard, Olivia Marin, Lillian Morrisette, Reese Phelan, Wyatt Roberston, Rose Schnackenberg

38. Evening Mist (Advanced Ballet A/B)

Kingston Cherry, Elise Cournoyer, Molly Heath, Haley Kaleita, Sophie Kellogg, Ava MacDonnell, Sadie Poplawski, Cali Rankin, Zoey Van Duyn, Emily Waninger Smith, Geneviève Wasser

39. Bats (Hip Hop Intermediate 1/2)

Emily Cambridge, Annabelle Farr, Robyn Fucile, Reese Phelan

40a. Evil Spirits (Hip Hop 5)

Kingston Cherry, Haley Kaleita, Sophie Kellogg, Kate Lamantia, Zoey Van Duyn, Arianna Stewart, Geneviève Wasser

40b. Witch Kills Aslan

Evil Dwarves, Ginnabrik, the White Witch, Aslan

41. Mice (Hip Hop 1 & Hip Hop 2)

Grayson Cambridge, Lillie Kennedy, Caroline Dunne, Ella Frye, Freya Rich, Ellie Sinew, Aylssa Stewart

42a. Rosy Light of Dawn (Ballet Advanced A/B)

Susan, Lucy, Aslan

42b. Transformation

Susan, Lucy, Aslan

43. What happened About the Statues

Aslan, Susan, Lucy and various Narnian Creatures

44. The Battle

Lily Barber, Willow Barber, Sydney Brown, Rowan Crawford, Elena Dunbar, Adalie Farr, Annabelle Farr, Robyn Fucile, Siena Hamilton, Cora Hegg, Cala Jewett, Elizabeth Lefebvre, Liam Leonard, Willa Loomis, Abigail Morrisette, Lillian Morrisette, Reese Phelan, Madeline Poehlmann, Sadie Poplawski, Elena Preston, Wyatt Robertson, Samuel Sanborn, Rose Schnackenberg, Ada Schwarzkopf, Emily Waninger-Smith, Molly Waters

45. Lucy's Gift

Wherein Lucy uses cordial to heal the wounded
Aslan knights Peter and Edmund

46. Aslan's Frolic

The Animals Rejoice in Aslan's Return

47. The Coronation

Aslan, Peter, Susan, Edmund, Lucy and Mr. Tumnus

Many Years Later....

48. Back Through The Wardrobe

Peter, Susan, Edmund and Lucy

49. Finale

THE END



5 PM Performance Only

Dance to the Seniors

Elise Cherry, Elise Cournoyer, Haley Kaleita,
Zoey Van Duyn, Geneviève Wasser

Senior Farewell

Macy Aikman, Sophie Kellogg

