

The
Venue
THEATRE COMPANY

Disney

101 Dalmatians

a musical
Jan 24 - Feb 1

Directed by Amanda Dougherty
Music Direction by Sierra Bartt

The Venue Theatre
27132 Main Street
Conifer, Colorado 80433



Director's Notes



I was in 6th Grade when Disney's 101 Dalmations came to theatres. It instantly became one of my favorites and still is today. It's been a joy and pleasure working with this cast to bring our musical to life! The students have done a great job using movement and facial expressions, as well as their voices, to give depth to each unique character. I am excited for them to show off what they've learned and to tell the story their own way! I am grateful for The Venue Staff and volunteers and especially Sierra, Lillian, and Ellie for working with me to get the vision to the stage. Of course we would be frozen in place if it weren't for Zoey and the high school team for doing all the "other things" that need doing that they do...with smiles. Thank you for supporting your student and The Venue. We're happy to have you here! -Amanda

Production Team

Director/Choreographer - Amanda Dougherty

Musical Director - Sierra Bartt

Choreographer - Lillian Dougherty

Stage Manager - Zoey Runia

Lighting Designer - Ellie Griffin

Sound Board Op - Sierra Bartt, Sammie Abbey

Light Board Op - Kaylee Giese

Spot Op - Gaige Trujillo

Stage Crew - Izzy Banks, Jason Dougherty

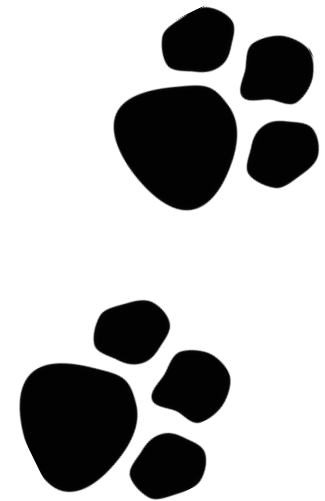
**Special thanks to all of the parents who
provided meals
to our cast and crew!**

Cast List



DALMATIONS

Reed Atwell - Pongo
Adele Evans - Perdita
Kaelyn Gray - Penny
Emma McCloskey - Pepper
Edmund Odom - Lucky
Andecy Post - Patch



OWNERS

Genevieve Beckner - Anita
Gavin Thornburg - Roger



DOG SNATCHERS

Claire McCloskey - Cruella de Vil
Fitz Roberto - Horace
Carson Thornburg - Jasper

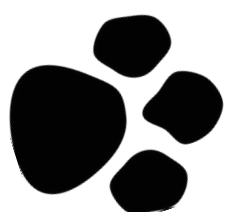
NARRATORS

Hazel Berzins - Sgt. Tibbs, Narrator
Eva Caudillo - Nanny, Narrator
Charles Osborne - Police Officer, Narrator



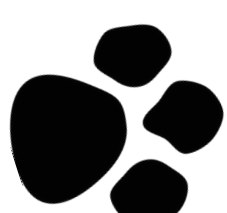
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Rebecca Shea with APEX, Chris Paschke



Meet the Cast



REED ATWELL- Pongo

Reed Atwell is a 5th grader at Elk Creek Elementary. 101 Dalmatians is his fourth play and second production with The Venue. He also played Mr. Salt and an Oompa Loompa in Willy Wonka Jr. in 2024. He has enjoyed getting to know his theater family and looks forward to more shows.



GENEVIEVE BECKNER- Anita

Genevieve is a 4th grader at Parmalee Elementary and this is her 3rd show at The Venue. Her debut was playing Michele Desserts in the world premiere of The Worldwide Dessert Contest and she's been hooked ever since! Genevieve loves trying new things and being in the spotlight. When she grows up, she wants to be a TV journalist.



HAZEL BERZINS- Sgt. Tibbs, Narrator

Hazel is pawsitively thrilled to be making her debut at The Venue Theatre! Hazel absolutely loves singing, dancing, and, above all else, cats—so playing Sergeant Tibbs feels like the purrfect fit. She's clawing with excitement to be in her very first stage play and hopes you have a meow-velous time watching! Special thanks to her family for supporting her (and to her cat muses for the inspiration).



ADELE EVANS- Perdita

This is Adele's fourth production with The Venue. For six years she has danced with Peak Academy of Dance, showcasing her love for movement and performance. She started learning to play the violin. At home, Adele has a pet chicken, Aries, and dreams of becoming a veterinarian. Unrelated, she'd trade her brother for a Subway sandwich. She's grateful to her family, the Venue staff, crew, and volunteers.



EVA CAUDILLO- Nanny, Narrator

Eva has enjoyed performing in each and every show at The Venue! She enjoys time with her family, especially playing with her little brother Marcus (who turns 5 on opening night of 101)! She is very excited for 101 as the Nanny and Narrator.



KAELYN GRAY- Penny

Kaelyn Gray is excited to play Penny! She was previously Squirt in Finding Nemo at The Venue and really enjoys musical theater. She also loves playing with her friends and puppy at the park and reading books.



CLAIRE MCCLOSKEY- Cruella de Ville

Claire McCloskey is a 5th grader at Elk Creek Elementary School. This is her 2nd show at the Venue Theatre. Her first role was in Willy Wonka Jr. Other activities she enjoys are reading and running cross country. She hopes you love the show!



EMMA MCCLOSKEY- Pepper

Emma McCloskey is in 3rd grade at Elk Creek Elementary School. This is her first performance at the Venue Theatre, and she is very excited to be performing. Emma also loves participating in gymnastics. She hopes you enjoy the show!



EDMUND ODOM- Lucky

This is Edmund's second show with The Venue Theatre. He previously played the role of Nemo in Finding Nemo. Edmund also enjoys video games, playing guitar, and soccer. When Edmund grows up he wants to be an inventor and make the world a better place. Edmund says "thank you Mom and Dad!" for signing him up and supporting him. Woof woof!



CHARLES OSBORNE- Police Officer, Narrator

Charlie Osborne is a 2nd grader at Deer Creek Elementary. This is his very first performance. Outside of theater, he spends a lot of time riding his bike, playing hot wheels and legos and spending time with his pets and family. When Charlie grows up he wants to be a veterinarian. Special thanks to all of Charlie's family for their support and he hopes everyone enjoys the show!



ANDECY POST- Patch

Andecy is thrilled to be playing Patch in this production. This is her fourth show at The Venue, and she loves the space and people here. She would like to send love to her awesome directors, her castmates, and her Mom, Dad, and little sis, Eva, for their support. She hopes you enjoy the show!



FITZ ROBERTO- Horace

Performing as Horace in 101 Dalmatians, Fitz is thrilled to take on the role of the mischievous bad guy. A budding scientist with a passion for the periodic table, Fitz loves to explore and learn about the elements. When he's not on stage or reading his favorite series, Wings of Fire, you'll find him carving turns on the ski slopes. Fitz truly shines when he's performing, embracing every moment in the spotlight with excitement and joy.



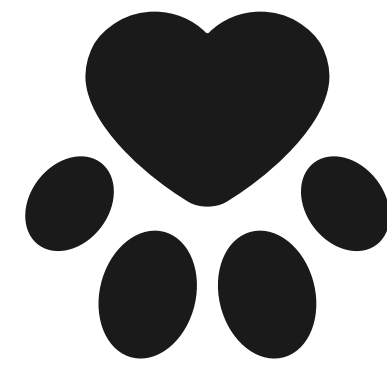
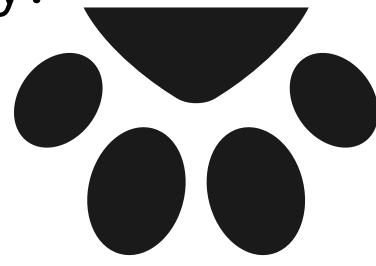
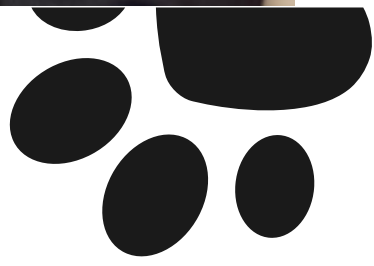
GAVIN THORNBURG- Roger

Gavin is a 5th grader at Elk Creek Elementary. This is Gavin's 6th performance with the Venue and he is excited to perform as "another Dad" - Roger! :) When not singing on stage, you can find Gavin playing basketball, soccer, skiing or boarding - often all within the same week! He would like to thank his friends and family for supporting him tonight.



CARSON THORNBURG- Jasper

Carson is a 3rd grader at Elk Creek Elementary. This is Carson's 5th performance with the Venue. He is ecstatic to be playing "one of the bad guys", Jasper, in the show tonight! When not on stage, he is busy scoring goals on the soccer field, playing Fortnite with his friends, or designing toys with cardboard boxes! He would like to thank all the staff at the Venue for supporting him and the rest of the cast every day!



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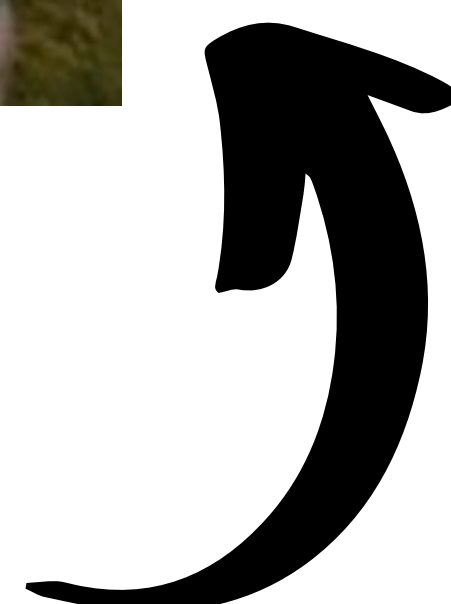


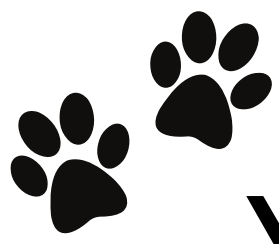


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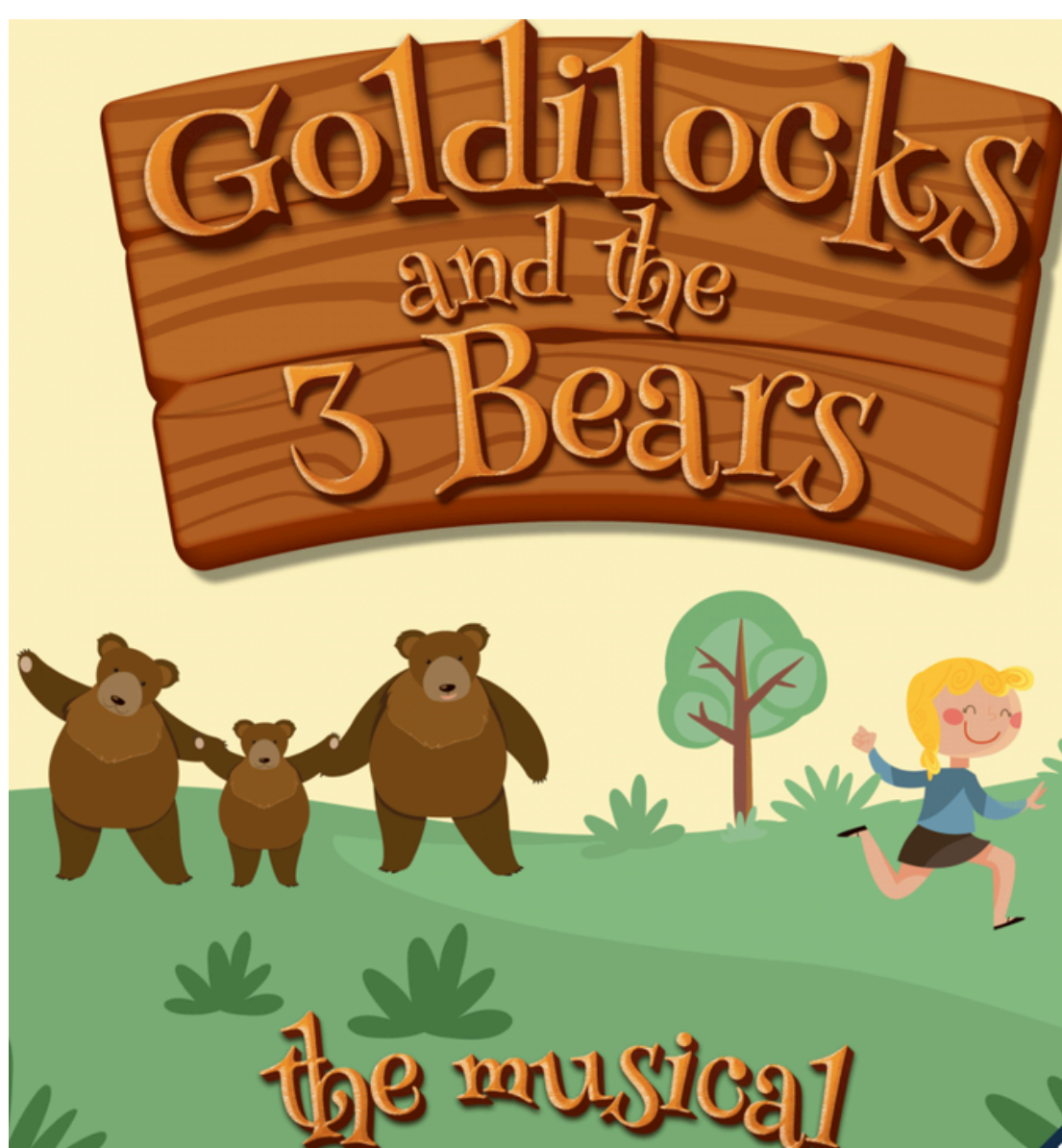
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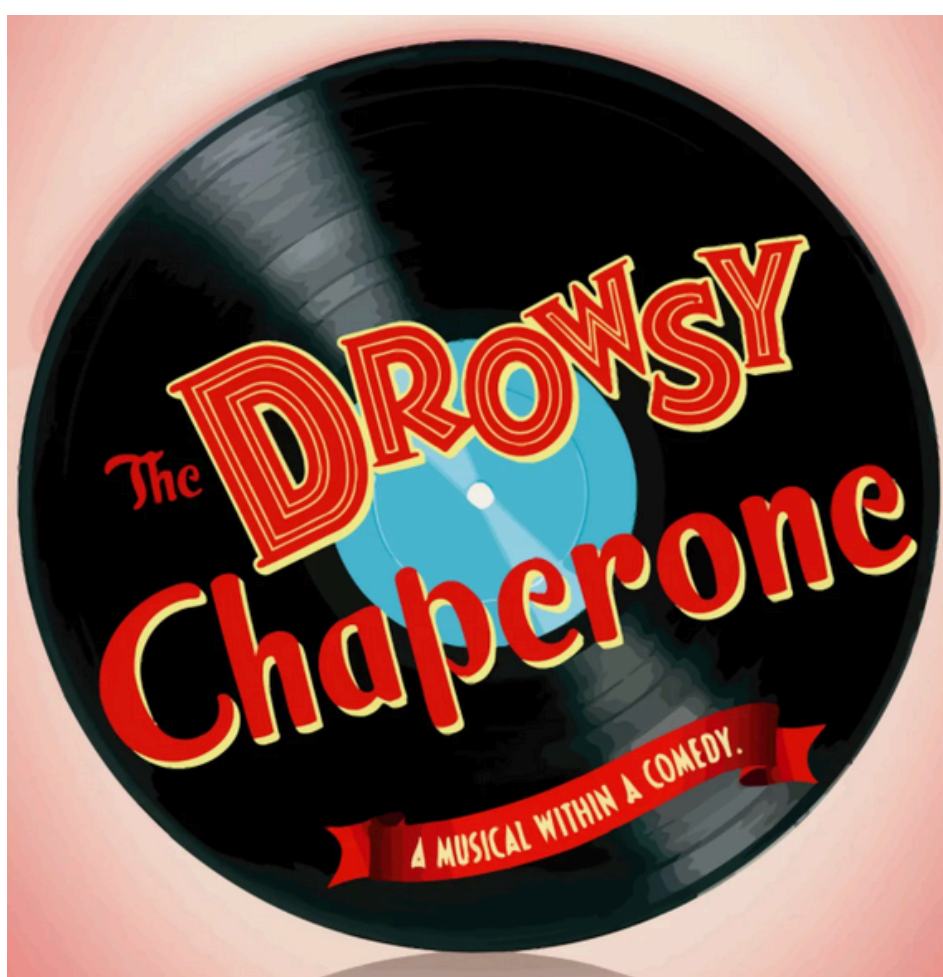
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