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BYE BYE BIRDIE

YOUNG PERFORMERS' EDITION

Book by Michael Stewart Lyrics by Lee Adams Music by Charles Strouse

Originally Produced by Edward Padula

*Adaptation and support materials for the Young Performers' Edition Developed by iTheatrics
Under the supervision of Timothy Allen McDonald*

*BYE BYE BIRDIE is presented by arrangement with TAMS-WITMARK
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CAST

ALBERT PETERSON.....Eli Stein
ROSIE ALVAREZ.....Bella Rosado
MRS. MAE PETERSON.....Audrey Levenson
CONRAD BIRDIE.....Jeremy Tam
KIM MACAFEE.....Kady Finegan
HUGO PEABODY.....Greg McFarland
MR. HARRY MACAFEE.....Daniel O'Keefe
MRS. DORIS MACAFEE.....Lauren Rocco
URSULA MERKLE.....Mia McDermott
MRS. MERKLE.....Cristina Stefanizzi
RANDOLPH MACAFEE.....Mason Sznip
THE MAYOR.....Matthew Doka
THE MAYOR'S WIFE.....Annie Tolan
GLORIA RASPUTIN.....Audrey Leung
HARVEY JOHNSON.....Kenneil Laroche
MR. JOHNSON.....John Gould
MRS. JOHNSON.....Lydia Whalen
MRS. BEECHMAN.....Lucette Ow
ALICE BUCKLEY.....Leah Sherbansky
DEBORAH SUE.....Grace Kiamie
ED SULLIVAN/PARENT.....Sean McCormick
FIRST REPORTER.....Abigail Miyake
SECOND REPORTER.....Kirsten Agbenyega
CONDUCTOR/POLICEMAN.....Antonio Golfo
TRAINMAN/POLICEMAN.....Asa Mallach

TELEPHONE HOUR KIDS

Leila Brady, Sophia Cipolla, Leo Garcia, Grace Kiamie, Nellie Koonce,
Maddy Lyons, Matt Michailoff, Milan Otondi, Kate Powers, Ava Pursel, Ines Rollan,
Claire Van Praagh, Shannon Winston, Cameron Wanuga,
Annabelle Zusin, and Elizabeth Zusin

SAD GIRLS (PUT ON A HAPPY FACE):

Julia Findikyan, Kira Findikyan, Annabelle Zusin, and Elizabeth Zusin

SWEET APPLE KIDS:

Skyler Austin, Jada Lynn Baez, Sarah Barsanti, Kaylie Blatt,
Lisette Charlton, Chloé Choulet, Justin Cohen, Adriana Craig,
Lucy Dolan, Taylor Green, Olivia Hefner, Catherine Hearle,
Maddie Horner, Dari Jeffries, Uma Kancharla, Lark Martin, Melani Maselli,
Olivia Oguz, Jessica Perez, Eva-Marie Romano,
Phoebe Schwarz, and Charlotte Seligman

SWEET APPLE ADULTS:

Bates Bland, Sabine Bushong, Emily Cullen, Jasmine Duffus,
Sarah George, Sara Harris, Clare Pachuta, Rory Pannuti, Robbie Shepherd,
Ava Vitale, Sydney Wright, and Andrew Woodward

PRODUCTION STAFF

Director.....Mr. Thomas F. Beck, Jr.
Assistant Director.....Ms. Arshia Panicker
Music Director.....Mr. George Croom
Choreographer.....Mr. Jesse Pellegrino
Producers.....Ms. Jeanette Connolly and Mr. Neil Schleifer
Technical Director.....Mr. Brian Wedeking*
Stage Managers.....Elise Aronson and Jack Hopkins
Assistant Stage Managers.....Zach Altschiller, Andrew Kelly, Austin Kelly,
and Vanessa Rosado

Set Design.....Mr. Joseph J. Egan
HS Set Crew.....Daniela Cherner, Siobhan Joyce-Farley, James
Findikyan, Max Giantelli, Brendan Jones, Ciara
Lawless, Luca Rivera, and Audrey Snarr

MS Set Crew.....Rediet Assefa, Claudia Brown, Katie Connolly,
Paloma Gonzalez, and Henry Yuen

Props.....Ayden Bent, Alexandra Herzog, and Elayna McMahon

Lighting Designer.....Mr. Brian Wedeking*

Spotlight Operator.....Natalie Pursel & Alec Ross

Costume Designer.....Mr. Neil Schleifer

Costume Crew.....Casey Creutz, Michael Domenici, Jane Falvey,
Martina Saljanin, Madeline Smith, and Courtney Valente

MicrophonesFour Horsemen Theatricals

Sound Designer.....Mr. Bryan McPartlan

Sound Operator.....Mr. Bryan McPartlan

Art Crew.....Brett Bober, Ella Burns, Daniella Cherner, Siobhan
Joyce-Farley, Jakob Ferrara, Ciara Lawless, Max Giantelli,
Eliana Herzog, Mattie Johnson, Emmy Kelly, Ciara Lawless,
Sophia Leung, Nick Lieggi, Violet Massie-Vereker, Brian
McFarland, Malia McLellan, Arthur O'Sullivan, Alex Parker,
Charlie Pedorella, Natalie Pursel, Johannes Riehl, Luca Rivera,
Vanessa Rosado, Alec Ross, Angelica Samuel, Katie Scott,
Audrey Snarr, Oliver Tam, Haley Wall, and Caitlin Winston

Concessions Crew.....Lisette Charlton, Michael Domenici, Celia Parent,
and Abigail Rodriguez

** indicates Guest Artist courtesy of the FPA*

SPECIAL THANKS

Ms. Lynn Sabia, Mrs. Jeannine Clark, Mr. Sean Llewellyn, Mrs. Cindy Finegan, Ms.
April Clapp, Mr. Steve Rovida, Mr. Tristan Ansoerge, Mr. Matt Falvey, Mr. Julian Na-
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SONG LIST

Overture.....	Teens
“An English Teacher”.....	Rosie
“The Telephone Hour”.....	Telephone Hour Teens
“How Lovely To Be A Woman”.....	Kim
“We Love You Conrad”.....	Albert & Girls
“Put On A Happy Face”.....	Albert & Teen Girls
“A Healthy, Normal, American Boy”.....	Albert, Rosie, Teens, Parents & Reporters
“One Boy”.....	Kim, Alice, Rosie, & Girls
“Honestly Sincere”.....	Conrad, Teens, Parents, Albert & Rosie
“Hymn For A Sunday Evening (Ed Sullivan).....	Mr. MacAfee, Mrs. MacAfee, Kim & Randolph
“One Last Kiss”.....	Conrad & Teens
“What Did I Ever See In Him?”.....	Kim & Rosie
“A Lot of Livin’ To Do”.....	Conrad, Kim, & Teens
“Kids”.....	Mr. MacAfee, Mr. Johnson, & Parents
“Reprise: An English Teacher”.....	Rosie

There will be one 10 minute intermission
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A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR

“Those darn kids! I’ll never understand that music they listen to,” said every parent who’s ever lived.

That’s not hyperbole. There are actual cave paintings of a pre-historic father named Grog with his hands over his ears from the “music” the caveman’s teenaged children made by rolling a large rock over a dinosaur’s foot. Thus, rock and roll was born!

In 1963, Michael Stewart, Lee Adams and Charles Strouse created their tribute to this generational conflict. They poked fun at their own generation’s musical phenomenon -- Elvis -- and turned him into Conrad Birdie. For nearly half a century since, America has been putting on a happy face as they remembered the struggles of being a parent to a teenager or what it was like to be a misunderstood kid.

Finally, our trip to Sweet Apple, Ohio is a bittersweet one for us. Sadly, David Pentz, who had been the resident Lighting Designer for both our middle and high school theatre productions for the past fifteen years, passed away in December. *BYE BYE BIRD-IE Young Performers’ Edition* marks our first production since his loss ... and his loss has been felt by everyone in the Pelham theatre community. As a guest artist, David’s presence in your children’s lives was sponsored by the Friends of the Performing Arts. If you would care to honor his memory and the tremendous impact he has had on our theatre program, we hope you will consider making a donation to FPA in his memory.

Thank you, and enjoy the show.

--T. Beck

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