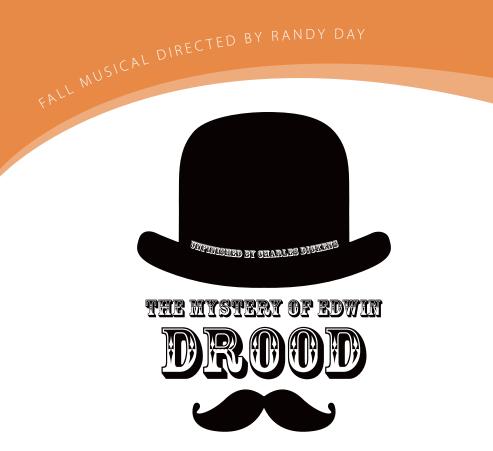
#### 2012 - 2013 theatre season BROCHURE





## BURNSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL



This wildly warm-hearted theatrical experience kicks off when the Music Hall Royale (a hilariously loony Victorian musical troupe) puts on its flamboyant rendition of an unfinished Dickens mystery. The giddy playfullness of this play-within-a-play draws the audience toward one of DROOD'S most talked-about features, which allows the audience to vote on the solution as prelude to the most unusual and hilarious series of finales!

THE MYSTERY OF EDWIN DROOD performs November 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17 at 7:30 pm and November 11 at 3:00 pm. Senior preview is November 7 at 7:30 pm.

Tickets are \$10 adults / \$9 seniors / \$8 students.

#### the dickens murder mystery Where the Audience Picks the Ending:

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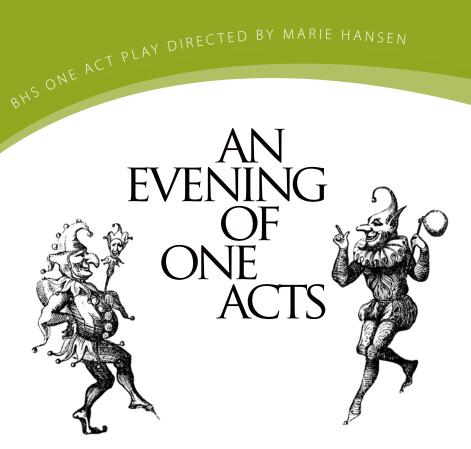
FALL PLAY DIRECTED BY RANDY DAY

This classic comedy by Neil Simon opens as a group of the guys assembled for cards in the apartment of divorced Oscar Madison. And if the mess is any indication, it's no wonder that his wife left him. Late to arrive is Felix Unger who has just been separated from his wife. Fastidious, depressed and none too tense, Felix seems suicidal, but as the action unfolds Oscar becomes the one with murder on his mind when the clean-freak and the slob ultimately decide to room together with hilarious results as The Odd Couple is born.

THE ODD COUPLE performs December 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15 at 7:30 pm. Senior preview performance is December 5 at 3:00 pm.

Tickets are \$8 adults / \$6 students.

#### The boys are back!



Each year the Minnesota State High School League hosts a competition for One Act plays. This year, Burnsville will again be participating in the competition with the dramatic play 'A Rose for Emily'. Each submitting entry to the competition features up to 8 players in a 30 minute act, with supporting help from student technicians.

The South Suburban Conference One Act Festival is January 19 from 8:30 am - 4:00 pm and is open and free to the public.

BHS's one act will also be featured in the Evening of One Acts on January 25th & 26th at 7:00 pm. This event showcases one act performances from Metcalf, Eagle Ridge and Nicollet Junior Highs, as well as the BHS theatre performance. Tickets are \$5 for all ages.

#### GOOD THINGS COME IN SMALL PACKAGES!

SPRING PLAY DIRECTED BY TERRY WALTERS

# The Taming of the Shrew

In sixteenth century Padua, Hortensio loves Bianca. But her father will not allow marriage until his eldest daughter, the extremely headstrong Katherine, is wed. Enter the arrival of the lusty Petruchio, whose father has just passed, leaving him to travel the world and marry. Petruchio agrees to court Katherine when he is told of her beauty and wit later becoming even more excited by this wildcat of a woman after meeting her. Katherine will have none of it, but in the end, has no choice but to marry him. Each starts to play sly games of oneupsmanship with each other to gain the upper hand in marriage only to find suprising results.

Shakespeare's THE TAMING OF THE SHREW performs February 14, 15, 16, 21, 22, 23 at 7:30 pm. Senior preview performance is February 13 at 3:00 pm.

Tickets are \$8 adults / \$6 students.

#### A Shakespearean Commedia Dell'arte

LICAL DIRECTED BY ANN BAKKEN



In the little village of Anatevka, Tevye, a poor dairyman, tries to instill in his five daughters the traditions of his tight-knit Jewish community in the face of changing social mores and the growing anti-Semitism of Czarist Russia. Rich in historical and ethnic detail, this musical has touched audiences around the world with its humor, warmth and honesty. The universal theme of tradition cuts across barriers of race, class, nationality and religion, leaving audiences crying tears of laughter, joy and sadness.

Presented by Nicollet & Metcalf Junior High Schools, -FIDDLER ON THE ROOF performs March 13, 14, 15 & 16 at 7:30 pm.

Tickets are \$10 adults / \$8 students.

### Shout it from the rooftops!

SPRING MUSICAL DIRECTED BY RANDY DAY



Belle is dissatisfied with life in a small provincial French town, constantly trying to fend off the misplaced affections of conceited Gaston. The Beast is a prince who was placed under a spell because he could not love. A wrong turn by Belle's father causes the two to meet and discover anything can happen when you surrender to love. This "tale as old as time" is filled with spectacular costumes, stunning set design and charming characters that will delight audiences of all ages!

Disney's BEAUTY AND THE BEAST performs April 18, 19, 20, 25, 26, 27at 7:30 pm and April 21, 28 at 3:00 pm. Senior preview performance is April 17 at 3:30 pm.

Tickets are \$10 adults / \$9 seniors / \$8 students.

a single moment can change everything.

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