Make A Joyful Noise

Chorus students used their musical talents to entertain the community.

The Cast:

Dolly Levi . . . Vicki Cunningham and Rachel Ellison Horace Vandergelder . . . Alex Pournelle Cornelius Hackl . . . Laurie Tomlin and Matt Pugliese Barnaby Tucker ... Richie Baldwin Irene Milloy . . . Mara Davis Ambrose Kemper . . . Kent Whetsell Ermengarde . . . Anna Baldwin Minnie Fay . . . Kelly Frasier and Monica Wright Rudy . . . Darryl Bartley Stanley . . . **Bubba Crosby** Ms. Money . . . NíGer Jenkins and Wanda Williams Judge . . . Stephen Ward Policeman . . .

The chorus finished another successful with its presentation of the musical Hello Dolly!

Chorus students had a different view of the program with the advent of block scheduling. Since the regular chorus classes ended with the first semester, a new class called the Spring Musical Group had to be created. The response from the chorus members to this class was outstanding. Over twenty signed up for the group, which was responsible for everything from sets to costumes.

"I was amazed at how well this new class worked," said Choral Director Stephanie Drawdy, who has led the chorus for ten years. "This is definitely the best group of students I've had the pleasure of working with. I look for future musical performances to be even better now that we have a group dedicated to preparing for them."

The Spring Musical Group also performed at the Rice Festival along with the Beginning Singers class. During the first semester the WHS Singers, Blue Notes, and Blue Rythmns gave a Christmas concert under the direction of Rev. Paul Hill.

- Stephen Ward



Staying in Character. Junior Rachel Ellison and senior Alex Pournelle rehearse the hat shop scene in Hello Dolly. Alex was also a member of the golf team.

"Put On Your Sunday Clothes . . . " Senior Vicki Cunningham sings a song as sophomore Richie Baldwin and senior Laurie Tomlin look on. Vicki was winner of the coveted D.M. Buckner award.





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