



Welcome to tonight's performance of "Annie." The energy of the little girls in this show—all 20 of them—is enough by itself to run a small power plant, not to mention the incredible versatility and diligence of the adults who have had their shoulder to the yoke for these past two months. This is the story of America in its hardest, leanest times, and of the indomitable spirit of one little girl. It illustrates how love can leap over economic and social barriers, and how the sheer force of hope can drive a relationship and a country forward.

I hope as you watch the show you can appreciate what I have appreciated for the past two months—the hard work and the loyalty of this crew and cast, including people who readily took on multiple small parts when we came up short on actors. Also, please take note of our artfully designed and decorated Warbucks' mansion and Hooverville, among the many other bits of magic our production crew performed. And as you watch, remember that what you don't see behind the scenes is a small army of people who make everything work.

Thank you for being a loyal Village Players patron, now and for shows to come.  
**Carol Light, Director**



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# Annie

**Book by Thomas Meehan      Music by Charles Strouse      Lyrics by Martin Charnin**

Original Production Directed by Martin Charnin    Presented on Broadway by Mike Nichols

Produced by Irwin Meyer, Stephen R. Friedman & Lewis Allen

Alvin Nederlander Assoc. Inc. / The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts / Icarus Productions

Based on "Little Orphan Annie"

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The story of a little girl with **BIG** dreams...

**Nov. 10 & 11 / 17 & 18 at 8pm.**  
**Nov. 12 & 19 at 2pm.**



Directed by: Carol Light / Produced by: Helen White

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## Annie Cast

Molly.....Meegan Ellis  
 Pepper.....Crystal Lauer  
 Lucy.....Tori Neal  
 Tessie.....Andrea Neal  
 Abby.....Erin Wadlinger  
 Duffy.....Liz Krainchich  
 Julie.....Lisa Beckwith  
 Kate.....Lindsey Llewellyn  
 Annie.....Hannah Sloat  
 Miss Hannigan.....Beth Champagne  
 Bundles the Laundry Man.....Tom Bickford  
 Dogcatcher.....Bob Light  
 Apple Seller.....Alice Tuttle  
 SANDY.....Sammy (Reithel)  
 Lt. Ward.....Harry Lauer  
 Radio Announcer.....Harry Lauer  
 Grace Farrell.....Joyce Wood  
 Drake the Butler.....Ernie Bass  
 Mrs. Pugh.....Mary Borckardt  
 Mrs. Greer.....Helen White  
 French Maids.....Christine Beckwith(Cecile)  
 Elizabeth Carl(Annette)

### ORPHANS

Kalee Burrows, Kelsey Crathern, Athena Ellis, Cassie Herbert,  
 Clara Hodges, Sara Hodges, Erica Reithel, Anjie Sardonicus,  
 Ariel Sardonicus, Elizabeth Siracusa, Arielle Winchester

### HOOVERVILLE CHORUS

Carol Bense, Megan Brady, Chris Ferrell (Fred), Steve Ferrell (Ira), Millie Gawlicki (Peggy),  
 Nate Grondin (Artie), Bob Light, Amanda Michael, Willie Mork, Jane O'Meara (Sophie), Helen White,  
 Elizabeth Carl, Christine Beckwith, Katrina Ferrill, Laura Cooper

Daddy Warbucks.....Corky Mork  
 NYC Stars To Be.....Megan Brady, Amanda Michael  
 Rooster Hannigan.....Michael Wilfert  
 Lily St. Regis.....Caitlin Corson  
 Radio Sound Effects Man.....Bob Light  
 Bert Healy, Radio Star.....Jeff Gregoire  
 Fred McCracken the Ventriloquist.....Nate Grondin  
 Jimmy Johnson, The Masked Announcer.....Harry Lauer  
 Boylan Sisters.....Megan Brady, Katrina Ferrill,  
 Amanda Michael

### WARBUCK'S HOUSE STAFF

Bickering Maids.....Katrina Ferrill, Cheyenne Herbert  
 Man Servants.....Chris Ferrill, Steve Ferrill,  
 Jeff Gregoire, Nate Grodin  
 Woman Servants.....Beth Krainchich, Laura Cooper,  
 Katrina Ferrill, Cheyenne Herbert  
 F.D.R.....Dan Charlton  
 F.D.R.'s Cabinet.....Chris Ferrill, Steve Ferrill,  
 Harry Lauer, Willie Mork, Tom Bickford



## Crew

**DIRECTOR**.....Carol Light  
**PRODUCER**.....Helen White  
**PRODUCTION ASSISTANCE**.....Carol Bense  
**ACCOMPANIMENT**.....Wayne Gehman, Jean Kemp  
 Dean Richardson

**CHOREOGRAPHY**.....Kelly Eggers  
**DANCE CAPTAINS**.....Sharon Bornstein, Ashley Kelly-Tate,

Natan Daskal, Amanda Michaels, Nate Grodin

### STAGE MANAGERS

Diane Ducret, Jay Sydow, Scott Hooper

### STAGE CREW

Jean Kemp, Ernie Bass, Jane O'Meara, Jeff Gilligan, Matt Johnson, Russ Ellis,  
 Millie Gawlicki, Tom Bickford, John Gillette, Jeff Gregoire, Carol Bense

### SET DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION

Michael Wilkes, Richard Croteau

### SET DECOR & ARTWORK

Jay Sydow, Kathy Whitehead

### PROPS

Jane O'Meara, Annie Bunnell, Joyce Wood, Millie Gawlicki

### LIGHTING

Scott Hooper, Jeff Gregoire, Corky Mork, Matt Johnson (spot)

### SOUND

Corky Mork, Jeff Gregoire, Geoff Kemp

### MAKE-UP

Delina Ingham

Maria Kinville, Beth Knox, Amy Grant, Mary Borckardt, Maureen O'Conner and Carol Light

### MAKE-UP SPECIAL EFFECTS

Rob Eggers

### COSTUMES

Willie Mork

**Costume Assistance:** Laura Cooper, Diane Sullivan, Mary Borckardt

### HOUSE MANAGER

Betty Sherwood

### USHERS

Dean Richardson, Lise Richardson, Carol Pralle, Suzette Winchester, David Winchester,  
 Natalie Acciavatti, Eileen Sloan, Rhoda Nute, Louise Gehman, Arthur Glidden, Dorothy Glidden,  
 Jean Plummer, Cathy Johnson, Ryan Johnson, Dottie Light

### KID WRANGLERS

Maureen O'Connor, Joan Hodges, Kathy Beckwith and Priscilla Reithel

and **SPECIAL THANKS** to those who helped with this production  
 during the twilight hours just after the printing of this program.