





April 22 & 23, 2022 / Helen Yunker Auditorium Ventura College Performing Arts Center

CAST

(In Order of Vocal Appearance)

Fairy Queen MARIAH GRUBER

Gretel ALYSSA ESCÁRCEGA

Hansel LILITH CALHOUN

Mother ANNELISE EBELL

Father GABE DUGAN

Cuckoos MARIAH GRUBER

MAE LAZAROVITS DELANEY REINEKE JESSTINA TORRES

Sandman/Dew Fairy IVY CALHOUN

Witch MARCELA CARMONA

Fairy Folk XIMENA ALVEÁR

IRVING GARIBAY *
DIEGO RAMIREZ *
REGINALD WHIGHAM
DREAMER WILSON

(* Fairy Zombies)

COVERS: Ivy Calhoun (Gretel), Dreamer Wilson (Hansel), Ximena Alveár (Mother), Diego Ramirez (Father & Fairy King), Mariah Gruber, Mae Lazarovits, Delaney Reineke & Jesstina Torres (Sandman/Dew Fairy)

SPECIAL THANKS: Helen Yunker, Jennifer Kalfsbeek-Goetz, Bernard Gibson, Noelle Neal, Luvi Avendano, Tara Eisenhauer, Vanessa Stotler, Janeene Nagaoka, Jeanne Tanner, Lisa Smith, Susan Royer, David Howarth, Jake Phillips, David Richardson

PRELUDE

- Fairy Queen, Dew Fairy, & Fairy Folk

SCENE 1: A small home on the edge of the woods

"Naughty little Susie" - Gretel, Hansel

"Stop it! I've had enough" - Gretel, Hansel, Mother

"Ra la la la" - Father, Mother

"The Evil Wood Witch" - Father, Mother

INTERLUDE: The Witches' Ride

Orchestral Interlude

SCENE 2: In the forest

"There is a funny man" - Gretel, Hansel

"We shouldn't have stayed" - Gretel, Hansel, Cuckoos

"O dearest children, hear me" - Dew Fairy

"Evening Prayer" - Hansel, Gretel

INTERLUDE: Dream Pantomime

- Fairy Folk, Fairy Queen, Cuckoos

SCENE 3: The Witches House

"The End of Night is Nearing" - Dew Fairy

"Where am I?" - Gretel, Hansel

"Look There! A Gingerbread House!" - Gretel, Hansel

"Crispy crunching" - Witch, Gretel, Hansel

"Hocus Pocus, Evil Eye!" - Witch, Hansel, Gretel

"The Time is Nigh" - Witch

"We are free" - Fairy Folk, Cuckoos, Gretel, Hansel, Father, Mother

UPCOMING EVENTS:

April 30: VC Symphony/Chamber Orchestras

May 4-6: VC Theatre, "Almost, Maine"

May 7: VC Chamber Music

May 10: VC Chorus & Singers

May 11: VC Music Final Concert (with guests from VC Dance)

May 14: Jazz Band



CREATIVE TEAM

BRIAN HOTCHKIN

Stage Director/Graphic Design

ABRA FLORES

Costume Design

CARI FRANTZ

Stage Manager

LEXI QUOLAS

Costume Design Assistant

TARA VANONI

Costume Assistant

ALYSSA ESCÁRCEGA

Makeup Key

OVANES ARAKELYAN

Rehearsal Pianist

Orchestral & Text Adaptation

by **KATHLEEN KELLY**

BRENT WILSON

Conductor/Lighting Design

JAMIE BIRKETT

Technical Director/Scenic Design

TYSON SAUTHOFF

Theatrical Technician

INGRID LUNA

Set Painter

BARB FRANTZ

Light Board Operator

JOSH STOVER KYLER BRAY

Assistant Stage Managers

ELAINA CRENSHAW

Supertitle Operator

ORCHESTRA

JULISSA BOZMAN

Violin I

SHARON COOPER

Violin II

JORDAN WARMATH

Viola

SUZANNE DUFFY

Flute

SARRA HEY

Clarinet

NICHOLAS AKDAG

Bassoon

JENNIFER BLIMAN

French horn

JORDAN CURCURUTO

Percussion

OVANES ARAKELYAN

Piano



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