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Palo Alto High School

PRESENTS

# MAMMA MIA!

Directed By  
Alyssa Bond &  
Sarah Thermond

March 2023

## MAMMA MIA!

### CAST

*Sophie*..... Zoe Hayward  
*Ali*..... Aashi Agarwal  
*Lisa*..... Sofia Wong\*  
*Tanya*..... Annalise Belle Klenow\*  
*Rosie*..... Rebecca Helft\*  
*Donna*..... Arielle Blumenfeld\*  
*Sky*..... Gavin Thomas\*\*  
*Pepper*..... Noah Boyarsky\*  
*Eddie*..... Drew Nagesh  
*Harry*..... Kyle Xu  
*Bill*..... Kyle Vetter\*\*  
*Sam*..... Matthew Arradaza\*  
*Father Alexandrios*..... Lucas Abraham\*

#### *Wedding Guests:*

Ami Yamaguchi	Bella Gertsch	Esme Forshaw
Hadas Hart	Keira Plotkin	Nika Petryaevskaya*
Oliver Levine	Raeya Wohlmorantz	Rei Prior
	Sohan Sengupta	

#### *Taverna Staff:*

Catarina Carbone	Charlotte Anthony	Claire Shi
Claire Wu	Eloise Dumas**	Evie Kramer
Isabel Toteda	Joe Choquette	Kyndall Abraham
Lucas Abraham*	Misha Beggs	Molly Christman
Sofia Singer	Lucian Zhao	

#### *Sky's Bachelor Party Crew:*

Aaron Shone	Aether Yun*	Brendan Giang*
Jack Foster	Jason Yang	Marcello Attardi
	Trevor Axelrod*	

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#### *Sophie's Bachelorette Crew:*

Aanika Doshi*	Ana Cristina Ramirez	Sofia Vincent*
Briar Dorogusker	Carina Tong	Caroline Zhang
Cass Bui	Chista Irani	Hannah An Jensen
Jessica Halili*	Keira Mok	Lily Jeffrey
Miya Joshi	Rori Escudero	Athya Lodhia
		Paramesh*

### UNDERSTUDIES

<i>Sophie</i> .....	Ana Cristina Ramirez
<i>Ali</i> .....	Aanika Doshi*
<i>Lisa</i> .....	Athya Lodhia Paramesh*
<i>Tanya</i> .....	Evie Kramer
<i>Rosie</i> .....	Eloise Dumas**
<i>Donna</i> .....	Sofia Vincent
<i>Sky</i> .....	Trevor Axelrod*
<i>Pepper</i> .....	Brendan Giang*
<i>Eddie</i> .....	Aaron Shone
<i>Harry</i> .....	Jason Yang
<i>Bill</i> .....	Lucian Zhao
<i>Sam</i> .....	Jason Yang

<i>Dance Captain</i> .....	Cass Bui
<i>Vocal Captain</i> .....	Brendan Giang*, Sofia Vincent*

\*Indicates members of International Thespian Society Troupe 909

\*\*Honor Thespian members of International Thespian Society Troupe 909

## MAMMA MIA!

### CREW

Assistant Director.....	Jack Champlin*
Stage Manager.....	Sonja Meyers**
Assistant Stage Managers.....	Reina Ferrante*, Raz Mazor-Hoofien*
Dramaturgs.....	Anna van Valkenburg*, Rue Zadik*
Social Media/House Manager.....	Katel Fong**
Master Carpenter.....	Mireia Sainz Blasi*
Paint Charges.....	Aaron Jamil Fee*, Rue Zadik*

Costume Designer.....	Noah Boyarsky*
Co-Assistant Designers.....	Jodie Leung, An Tran
Costumes Crew.....	Aether Yun*, Caroline Jittipun, Aaron Jamil Fee*, Kyle Vetter**, Rei Prior, Sohan Sengupta
Deck/Run Crew.....	Gio Leon, Jimmy Li, Julia Yuen, Lucas Irulegui, Omkar Perinkulam, Rohit Sengupta

Hair & Make-Up Designer.....	Leo Vargha*
Assistant Hair & Make-Up Designer.....	Rae Sox-Harris
Hair & Make-Up Crew.....	Aanika Doshi*, Eloise Dumas**, Abi Friedland*, Ami Yamaguchi, Annalise Belle Klenow*, Jessica Halili*, Gavin Thomas**, Matthew Arradaza*, Michelle Fang, Rebecca Helft*, Tatum Pelczarski

Lighting Designer.....	Niles Farag*
Assistant Lighting Designer.....	Reina Ferrante*
Lighting Crew (Hang & Focus).....	Aether Yun*, Anna van Valkenburg*, Ellie Edmonds*, Eloise Dumas**, Michelle Fang, Omkar Perinkulam
Light Board Operator.....	Anna van Valkenburg*
Spot Operators.....	Ellie Edmonds*, Leo Vargha*

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### CREW

Props Designer.....Raz Mazor-Hoofien\*  
Assistant Props Designer.....Ash Brail\*  
Props Crew..... Ellie Edmonds\*, Eloise Dumas\*\*,  
Gio Leon, Hana Hassan, Julia Yuen

Sound Designer..... Mireia Sainz Blasi\*  
Co-Assistant Sound Designers.....Katel Fong\*\*, Sapphire Loomis\*  
A2s..... Jimmy Li, Rue Zadik\*,  
Sapphire Loomis\*, Sofia Vincent\*  
Sound Board Operators.....Mireia Sainz Blasi\*, Sapphire Loomis\*

#### *Build Crew:*

Kyndall Abraham, Matthew Arradaza\*, Trevor Axelrod\*, Misha Beggs, Mireia Sainz Blasi\*, Ash Brail\*, Catarina Carbone, Molly Christman, Aanika Doshi\*, Eloise Dumas\*\*, Ellie Edmonds\*, Michelle Fang, Adrian Federici, Reina Ferrante\*, Giovanni Leon, Sapphire Loomis\*, Raz Mazor-Hoofien\*, Sonja Meyers\*\*, Athya Paramesh\*, Omkar Perinkulam, Rohit Sengupta, An Tran, Anna van Valkenburg\*, Leo Vargha\*, Sofia Vincent\*

#### *Paint Crew:*

Misha Beggs, Noah Boyarsky\*, Eloise Dumas\*\*, Ellie Edmonds\*, Michelle Fang, Hana Hassan, Aaron Jamil Fee\*, Jodie Leung, Sapphire Loomis\*, Raz Mazor-Hoofien\*, Omkar Perinkulam, An Tran, Anna van Valkenburg\*, Kyle Vetter\*\*, Aether Yun\*, Rue Zadik\*

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### BAND

Director & Conductor..... Jeff Wilner  
Piano Accompanist.....Todd Billingsley  
Keyboards..... Cynthia Dong, Michelle Fang,  
Joy Ji, Milo Johnson  
Bass..... Isaac Moore  
Drums..... Jacob Bau  
Percussion..... Samhita Swaminathan  
"Thank You for the Music" Guitar Solo..... Jason Yang

### ADULT PRODUCTION STAFF

Directors..... Alyssa Bond, Sarah Thermond  
Vocal Director..... Michael Najjar  
Choreographer.....Alyssa Bond  
Band Director & Conductor..... Jeff Wilner  
Rehearsal & Production Accompanist..... Todd Billingsley  
Technical Advisors..... Drew Carpenter, Kyle Langdon  
Scenic Designer & Paint Instructor.....Teresa Dewees  
Scenic Construction Instructor..... Bob Wedemeyer  
Lighting Instructor & Advisor..... Ed Hunter



## MAMMA MIA!

### DIRECTORS' NOTES

Nearly a year ago, the Paly Performing Arts team met for the first time to discuss producing this musical. We knew that it had been nearly four years since a live musical had been done at the school, and that none of the current students had yet to have that quintessential high school musical experience. Because of that, we wanted to pick a show that was high-energy, full of fun, and would bring together our entire community: onstage, backstage, and in the audience!

Mamma Mia! Is a perfect choice in many ways. It's a musical about a celebration: a wedding that brings together family, friends, and long-lost-ex-lovers/potential fathers. It features beloved music from the Swedish band ABBA, disco nostalgia, and epic dance numbers. It gives our student performers and musicians a chance to play a more contemporary score than many Broadway shows, and our student designers chance to create something that falls somewhere in between a play and a rock concert. It's a legendary musical with a loyal fan base, including many students who were inspired to participate in their first show because of how much they love this piece.

Most of all, Mamma Mia! is a show full of heart. The characters in it teach us to accept ourselves instead of worrying about what anyone else thinks. They show us that family can be those related to you by blood, but it can also include the friends and loved ones who stick by your side no matter what. And they tell us to be true to ourselves, and especially to our dreams.

It's been truly wonderful to work on such an iconic and joyous piece together with these students and staff members. Thank you for supporting our artists in the cast, the crew, and the band! We're so excited to add the last guests to the party: all of you!

- Alyssa Bond & Sarah Thermond

## MAMMA MIA!

### SCENES & SONGS

Setting: An island in Greece, Summer 1999

#### ACT 1

##### *Scene 1: The Beach*

"I Have a Dream" ..... Sophie  
 "Honey, Honey" ..... Sophie, Ali, Lisa, Bachelorette Party

##### *Scene 2: Taverna Courtyard*

"Money, Money, Money" ..... Donna, Tanya, Rosie, Sophie, Sky,  
 Pepper, Eddie, Ali, Lisa, Taverna Staff

##### *Scene 3: Taverna Courtyard*

"Thank You for the Music" ..... Harry, Sophie, Bill, Sam, Wedding Guests  
 "Mamma Mia" ..... Donna, Harry, Bill, Sam, Taverna Staff

##### *Scene 4: Donna's Room*

"Chiquitita" ..... Tanya, Rosie, Donna  
 "Dancing Queen" ..... Tanya, Rosie, Donna

##### *Scene 5: The Beach*

"Lay All Your Love on Me" ..... Sophie, Sky, Pepper, Eddie, Bachelor Party

##### *Scene 6: Taverna Courtyard*

"Lay All Your Love on Me" ..... Bachelorette Party  
 "Super Trouper" ..... Rosie, Donna, Tanya, Bachelorette Party,  
 Sam, Harry, Bill  
 "Gimme Gimme Gimme" ..... Bachelorette Party, Sam, Harry, Bill

##### *Scene 7: The Jetty*

"The Name of the Game" ..... Sophie, Bill

##### *Scene 8: Taverna Courtyard*

"Voulez Vous" ..... Sophie, Sam, Bill, Harry, Donna,  
 Tanya, Rosie, Bachelorette Party, Bachelor Party

## MAMMA MIA!

### SCENES & SONGS

~ 15 Minute Intermission ~

#### ACT 2

##### *Scene 1: Sophie's Nightmare*

"Under Attack" ..... Sophie, Company

##### *Scene 2: Taverna Courtyard*

"One of Us" ..... Donna

"SOS" ..... Sam, Donna

##### *Scene 3: The Beach*

"Does Your Mother Know?" ..... Tanya, Pepper, Bachelorette Party,  
Bachelor Party

"Knowing Me, Knowing You" ..... Sam

##### *Scene 4: Donna's Room*

"Our Last Summer" ..... Harry, Donna

"Slipping Through My Fingers" ..... Donna, Sophie

"The Winner Takes It All" ..... Donna

##### *Scene 5: Taverna Courtyard*

"Take a Chance on Me" ..... Rosie, Bill, Taverna Staff,  
Wedding Guests

"Dancing Queen Hymn" ..... Company

"I Do, I Do, I Do, I Do, I Do" ..... Company

##### *Scene 6: The Jetty*

"I Have a Dream" ..... Sophie, Company

"Mamma Mia Bows" ..... Company

"Dancing Queen Bows" ..... Company

"Waterloo" ..... Company

## MAMMA MIA!

### SPECIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

**Thank you to all parent volunteers. We appreciate your time, talent, and energy.**

#### *Box Office:*

Anna Blasi Ribera, Sander van Valkenburg, Greg Brail

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**BJÖRN ULVAEUS**

AND SOME SONGS WITH STIG ANDERSON

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## PALY UPCOMING EVENTS

Black Box Production: Hay Fever	April 14-16
Paly Choirs Spring Concert	April 28
One-Acts	May 12-14
Paly Choirs Small Ensemble Concert	May 17
Paly Instrumental Concert	May 18
Theatre 1-3 Class Showcase	May 24
Paly Theatre Senior Showcase	May 26

