Hi Everyone!

Rehearsals have begun and we're off to a great start! Thanks to everyone for their patience as we get up and running.

Some important information follows. Please be sure to read until the end.

Committees

We are still in need of volunteers. THANK YOU if you've already stepped up to assist. If you haven't yet had the chance to do so, please email me and let me know if you have a committee preference. There are about 20 folks we'd still like to hear from. More hands make the workload much easier.

Front of House/Ushering

If you plan to attend one or more shows, this is an easy task. You'll be answering patrons' questions (like where's the bathroom) and showing guests to their seats. We are looking for 6-8 additional helpers in total to assist with the four performances.

Photography

We don't have anyone signed up to take photos! If you have a nice camera and enjoy taking pictures, we could use your help! Several helpers would make this job even easier. Please contact Mary Lynn if this sounds like your cup of tea.

Tickets

Tickets will be sold online this year and will go on sale in 2 weeks for all cast, crew and orchestra members. Additional information coming soon.

Location for Rehearsals

Beginning September 30, large group rehearsals will be held at Eden Christian Academy -Berkeley Hills Campus (ECA). This location is off of McKnight Road, up the hill from Bravo Cucina. The address is 206 Siebert Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15237.

Anyone attending a rehearsal at ECA is required to complete a liability waiver. Please print out the form. You will find a link to it on the WAS website. The document should be completed, printed and returned to

Miss Sarah by Thursday, September 28.

In addition, here are some guidelines associated with using the space.

- Water is the only drink allowed and snacks are permitted in the lobby area only.
- You may bring non-messy snacks. No food is permitted in the gymnasium.
- Students are only allowed in the hallway just outside the gym and the gym itself. We do not have permission to use any other spaces in the building. There are restrooms located just off the gym.
- The only shoes permitted in the gym are tennis shoes and dance shoes. No bare feet.
- Each person must complete a waiver (see link on <u>WAS website</u>) before attending any rehearsals

Participation Fee

If you have not yet done so, please submit your \$50 participation fee by check made out to *Wexford Acting Studio*. Fees should be submitted no later than Thursday, September 28 in order to continue rehearsing.

Again, Miss Sarah wants to thank you all for your patience - especially with the October schedule not yet being available. It is a huge task and is coming soon. She suggests leaving your weekends free as the best advice she can give right now.

Thank you,

Mary Lynn Dugan