

COMING ATTRACTIONS:

1996

SPA Company

Presents

Get Smart



Ensemble Concert--July 10 at 6:30
The Best of SPA Revue--July 11-12 at 8:00

General Admission: \$2.00

Please do not call show up at door.

Oliver!--July 15-18 at 8:00
Anything Goes--July 24-27 at 8:00

Regular Ticket Prices: Adults \$6.00, Students/Sr. \$4.00

CALL FOR RESERVATIONS--746-2411

Shows do sell out!!

GET SMART
(Cast List)

Maxwell Smart Tom Gillen
Students Lilia Wood, Alica Hogan,
Laura O'Leary
Professor Dante David Dickinson
Professor Zalinka Hillary Johnson
Agent 44 Matt Blumkin
Chief Scott Fladland
Miss Finch Chalise Ludlow
Hodgkins Andy Hoffarth
Man Justin Johnson
Woman/Big Sister Megan Wiersum
Little Brother Anthony E. Iwan
Garth John Arnold
Mary Wong Andrea Rogers
Shirley Wong Suzi Switzer
Betsy Wong Sarah Matteson
Mr. Big Erin Clow
Agent 99 Cathie Strecker
Agent 13 A.J. Patalano
Ann Carrie Brosseau
Jill Lindsey Wood
May Erin McMullen
Laura Tricia Evans
Princess Ingrid Jessica Thingelstad

**Please...No Flash Pictures During
Performance!**

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Performance!

SPA STAFF

Becky Bakke..... Movement/Dance Instructor/House Manager
 Shelley Bares..... Vocal Coach
 Paul Bartha..... Technical Assistant
 Chris Bartlette..... Music/Ensemble Assistant
 Joel Beyer..... Oliver! Music Director
 Angie Black..... Head Choreographer/Advanced Dance Instructor
 Mike Blake..... Jazz Instructor
 Cyndee Brown..... Workshop Instructor
 Dean Brown..... Workshop Instructor
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 Larry Damico..... High School Revue Director
 Debi Driscoll..... Revue Costumes
 Liz Eggers..... Middle School Revue Music Director
 Kris Eylands..... Jazz Instructor
 Kathy Fiedler..... High School Revue Music Director
 Chris Fosse..... Elementary Instructor
 Carol Gieszler..... Middle School Revue Director
 Michelle Hauser..... Anything Goes Costumes
 Dave Henrickson..... Vocal Coach
 Marie Hotvedt..... Revue Costumes
 Cory Johnson..... Technical Assistant/Get Smart Assistant Director
 Ryan Karels..... Technical Assistant
 Aaron Knudsvig..... Movement/Technical Assistant
 Barry Lentz..... Drama Assistant
 Pete Lochner..... Technical Assistant
 Dan Maidenberg..... Sound Technician
 Mark McLaurin..... Vocal Coach
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 Nicole Tiongson..... Administrative Assistant Make-up Director
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 Dr. Michael Weber..... Anything Goes Music Director/Troubadour Dir./Pit Dir.
 Allison Weisser..... Oliver! Rehearsal Accompanist
 Lori Young..... Elementary Instructor/Box Office Manager
 Tom Young..... Head Vocal Coach/Ensemble Director

PRODUCTION STAFF

Director..... Leif Olson
 Assistant Director..... Cory "C.J." Johnson
 Technical Director..... Greg Tiongson
 Video Director..... Casey Opstad
 House Manager..... Becky Bakke, Eric Saari
 Make-up Director..... Nicole Tiongson
 Box Office Manager..... Lori Young
 Sound Director..... Gene Durieux, Cory "C.J." Johnson
 Program..... Bradley Patrick
 Poster/Program Art Design..... Casey Opstad

PRODUCTION CREW

Lighting Technicians.....Rebecca Harris,
 Seth Hagan, Rachel Graf
 Sound Technicians.....Beth Thompson, Rachel Kossover
 Video Technicians..... Julie Fry, Rachel Niceswanger,
 Kara McCoy, Derek Johnson,
 John Forseide, Leif Pederson
 Make-up Technicians..... Kim Konerza, Kim Renick,
 Juli Garlington, Rachel Dalager,
 Becky Saari, Amelia Hoover, Kristen Clow
 Ushers..... Ashley Johnson, Esther Coston,
 Cathy Williams, Sarah Coston,
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 Tickets..... Nora Williams, Rikki Lee, Kristen Clow,
 Kim Renick, Kim Konerza

SCENE SETTING

Present time; Washington, D.C.

15 MINUTE INTERMISSION

Concessions Available

Director's Notes

As many of you here tonight have already guessed, the script for this play is based on the original television series Get Smart, created by Mel Brooks and Buck Henry. It contains many of the characters and situations that were originally engineered by these two comedic masterminds of American entertainment. We have tried to create a nostalgic atmosphere for those of you who remember the series, while at the same time, updating the production with our own personalities and little quirks which will hopefully add a few new dimensions that will keep you laughing.

Due to the short amount of rehearsal time, we worked quite hard and fast. For me, "Get Smart" represents the culmination of years of James Bond, Maxwell Smart, "Mission Impossible", and Inspector Gadget. For the kids, it represents the chance to do something they could not normally do in a music oriented program...act. We hope you have as much fun reliving old memories as we had creating new ones.

Leif Olson, Director

Superintendent's Notes

The Grand Forks Schools are proud of the growth in scope and quality that has marked SPA's development from the concept stage several years ago to the excellence demonstrated by the 1996 version.

SPA provides opportunities for students to challenge and extend themselves in an environment characterized by professional guidance and support. Inevitably they emerge from their SPA experience with increased confidence in their talents.

We greatly appreciate the community's support of SPA. Grand Forks Schools are great places to grow and learn because our community encourages programs like SPA.

*Dr. Mark Sanford
Superintendent, G.F. Public Schools*

A SPA Tradition

Following tonight's curtain call, there will be a final musical number. The rest of the students in the Summer Performing Arts Company will join the cast to perform "I Sing the Body Electric." This symbolic song ties the entire program together. It has different meanings to different students, but a common theme can be found in the literal text. The students are celebrating not only the arts, but their growth in the arts yet to come. They will go on to create their own tomorrow as they continue in theatre over the next few years. The song also symbolizes the passing of a class. This is the last summer program in which the class of 1997 will be able to participate. This "passing of the tradition" is represented by the two soloists selected to sing. Erik Hunter, a senior, will sing the first verse then turn the spotlight over to eighth-grader Casey Koop.

"And in time we will all be stars."

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