

Spring Musical

By Savannah Forest & Emelia Morton!

This year's spring musical is

Mamma Mia and is directed by Dr.

Rogers! *Mamma Mia* is a very

popular musical. This show is

based on a girl named Sophie, a young woman who is planning her wedding on a Greek island. She secretly invites three men from her mother Donna's past who are Sam, Bill, Harry and is hoping to discover which one is her father and which one will be walking her down the aisle for her wedding.

This year's leads for *Mamma Mia* are Jillian Ritter as Donna Sheridan, Sally Seelman as Sophie Sheridan, Epson Campbell as Rosie, Skye Rhoden as Tanya, Grayson Gorney as Sam Carmichael, Dylan Sexton as Harry Bright, Kyle Agne as Bill Austin, Zee Taylor as Lisa, Jasmine Sarabia as Ali,



Donovan Boyd as Sky, Kit Romeo as Pepper, Sunny Hawkins as Eddie, Michael Kribs as Father Alexandrios!

These amazing actors will be performing this show. You will not want to miss the incredible show. These actors will be singing and dancing their hearts out and with the help of our amazing choreographer Sidney Casella. She is making all of our amazing dances for this production! Dr. Cowell is in charge of building the set. He has a wonderful crew that is helping him build as well to make the stage look even brighter along with the assistant tech director Tori Gruettemeyer!

Here's some questions for our actors/tech crew!

Q:What are you most excited for tech during this show?

A:Tori Gruettemeyer:I'm most excited for how the set turns out. I think we have an amazing design for the set. It's really a cool set and if it comes out as planned it will be really cool to see! I'll be proud to end my high school career with

this set. To top it off, seeing this amazing cast bring this set to life is also something to be really excited for.

Q:What's your favorite song in the show and why?

A:Epson Campbell: My favorite song has to be Take A Chance On Me. I'm not totally biased because that's my solo in the show, BUT it's so fun and it lets me explore my range! Being a high Soprano 1 in choir means I often don't get to explore the alto side of songs, so getting to play a character with a super spunky solo song in an alto range is AWESOME!!!

A: Jillian Ritter: I am really looking forward to Dancing queen to be honest. I'm excited to bring such an iconic song to the stage with my favorite people!

A: Jasmine Sarabria: My favorite song would have to be Thank You For The Music. I've always had music in my life

and I think music is how I've made most of my friends! So I wouldn't be able to live without it and I'm also looking forward to The Winner Takes It All!

Q: What are you looking forward to the most in the show and why?

A: Epson Campbell: I'm most looking forward to costuming!! This show is FUN. I'm so excited to get to play with the flashy, bright performance costumes and sing on stage like there's no tomorrow!!

A: Jillian Ritter: I am most looking forward to getting closer with my cast mates and crew members. Everyone is so talented! I can't wait for the lights to hit the stage on opening night and for us to share the stage together! It's my last musical at East and I've been honored to be a part of such a good community- let's do it one last time!!! COME SEE MAMMA MIA!!!

A: Jasmine Sarabria: I'm looking forward to seeing how the set comes together! I think there a lot of fun always and to see the Mamma Mia set! I'm excited to see what our tech crew does with it!

Dates:Thursday, April 23 @7pm, Friday, April 24, @7pm,
Saturday April 25 @7pm!

Mamma Mia Ticket Link!

[https://bellevilleeasttheater.ludus.com/index.php?sections=
events](https://bellevilleeasttheater.ludus.com/index.php?sections=events)

You can also purchase tickets at the door \$5 for Students
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