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Act I

- I Gotta A Feeling Adams, Ferguson, Gomez, Guetta, Lindo, Riesterer
Concert Choir
- Show Me Love Remix Hundred Waters & Skrillex
Vocals: Kodjo Kounoudji
- House of the Rising Sun Southern American Folk Song
Vocals: Audrey Anaya & Adam Hecker
- Africa Paich & Porcaro arr. Emerson
Concert Choir
- All Time Low John Bellion
Vocals: Audrey Anaya, Natalie Bartolomei, Shea Crowley, Gigi deGroot,
Tenzin Dhondup, Adam Hecker, Aiden Hengel, Annika Kelly,
Kodjo Kounoudji, Quinn Lewis, Matt McGuire, Enzo Mejia, Lukas Moore,
Mady Pham, Sydney Schroeder, Carmen Wesselman
- I Was Made for Loving You Tori Kelly
Vocals: Emma May
- Can't Take My Eyes Off of You Gaudio & Crew
- Brown Eyed Girl Van Morrison
Men's Chorus
- Lost in My Mind Williams & Zasche
Vocals: Will Burger, Isabel Busyn, Gigi deGroot, Maggie Dronen
Olivia Michel, Anders Nelson, Charlie Weldon, Charlie Wood
- New Rules Dua Lipa
Vocals: Ella Dolynchuk & Carmen Wesselman
- Eye of the Tiger Sullivan & Peterik
Concert Choir
- Down Gongol & Lloyd
Vocals: Audrey Anaya, Gigi deGroot, Lily Randall
- Before He Cheats Carrie Underwood
Vocals: Emily Rice Slothower
- Blame It on the Boogie Jackson 5
Concert Choir

Current Jam 2018
Act II

- Any Way You Want It Perry & Schon
Concert Choir
- Put Your Records On Corinne Bailey
Vocals: Mady Pham, MacKenzie Solie
- Drift Away Uncle Kracker
Vocals: Will Burger, Nathan Clifford, Billy Fischer, Nick James,
Andy Munderloh, Avery Rustad, George Sanda, Bjorn Swanson, Charlie Wood
- Best Friend's Brother Kojak, Kotecha & Justice
Concert Choir Women
- Knee Deep Brown, Steale, Bowles & Durette
Vocals: Quinn Carroll, Kevin Delaney, Jack Goetzmann, Aiden Hengel,
Brendan Kiely, Michael Shoemaker, Jack Wolfe
- I Have Nothing Whitney Houston
Vocals: Judith Costa
- Times of Our Lives Bill Lane & Roger Nichols
Concert Choir
Piano: Caleb Griffiths, May 30, June 2 Matinee
Jean Smith, May 31, June 1 & 2 7:00 PM
The annual pictorial tribute to Concert Choir Seniors
- Big Yellow Taxi Joni Mitchell
Vocals: Audrey Anaya, Isabel Busyn, Gigi deGrood,
Maggie Dronen, Olivia Michel
- You Go Down Smooth Lake Street Dive
Vocals: Evelyn Adams, Shea Crowley
Back Up Vocals: Aiden Hengel, Gillian Northrup
- In Too Deep Whibley & Nori
- Everyday The Archers arr. Chuck Beeson
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Concert Choir 2017-2018

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Isabel Busyn
Hailey Chrysler
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Alto

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Jon DeMars Victorson	Phil Krafft	Jim Stangl
Noah Franske	Brian Lewis	Tony Succio
Jon Good	John Mendiola	Erik Vanderbilt
Carl Grimsby	Geoff Michel	Stephen Wehr
Eric Hansen	Brad Montgomery	Christer Woodley
Dale Hengel	Jeff Northrup	Dave Woodley

What is Current Jam?

The first Current Jam was conducted by William Hughes in the spring of 1973. It started as a way to showcase individual talents of students performing popular music and give the choir the opportunity to perform arrangements of pop tunes. Most of the arrangements were created by the students.

Current Jam '77 was the first year with Dr. Robert Peterson at the helm. Current Jam became the Edina High School version of show choirs. Under Dr. Peterson's leadership technology was brought into the productions. The use of video projection and lighting became core to the shows.

Current Jam '99 was then turned over to Dr. David Henderson. He spent many years working with Dr. Peterson on the show. During his tenure, Current Jam has continued to remain "current". The choir still performs large group numbers with choreography and the solo groups contribute to a well-balanced entertaining show.

There have been 3 choreographers for all 40 years of the shows, Tom Amundson, Randy Winkler and John Command. All three possess the ability to come up with moves that work onstage for dancers and non-dancers alike.

The name Current Jam was suggested by Laurie Wilson Spencer, '73 and the Concert Choir of 1973. The students with the help of William Hughes started what has become a "go to event" every spring.

Tradition is a key element of the production. The senior video introduced in 1977 has had the choir singing "Times of Our Lives" every year. The closing number, "Everyday" was first used in 1982 and was arranged by Chuck Beeson, '83.

Taking the lead with Current Jam next year will be Christopher Piela.

For more information, photos and highlights please visit www.currentjam.com
Once there click the link and join us on facebook.

Production Staff

Dr. David O. Henderson, Director

David joined the EHS staff after an active professional singing and private teaching schedule. He has appeared with many Twin Cities groups, including solo appearances with the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra, Minnesota Orchestra and the Plymouth Music Series (now Vocal Essence) Ensemble Singers. He came to the Twin Cities after singing for several years in New York with the Waverly Consort, Gregg Smith Singers and the Norman Luboff Choir. He has a B. S Degree in Music Education from North Dakota State and a Masters Degree and a Doctor of Musical Arts Degree in Vocal Performance from the University of Minnesota. David, Kris and their three children, Ryan, EHS Class of 2012, Erin, EHS Class of 2014 and Megan, EHS Class of 2017 live in Edina.

John Command, Choreographer

John returns to the Edina stage for his 30th Current Jam. His most recent work as director at Bloomington Civic Theater was "Crazy for You", "Fiorello", "Man of La Mancha", "Music Man", "Scarlet Pimpernel" & Master Classes. John's last musical at Edina was "Mame". Since then he has choreographed the 1988 Super Bowl Pre-Game Show, the Disney film "Newsies", "Sleepless in Seattle" and Prince's "Purple Rain". John also danced with Barbara Streisand in the "Hello Dolly" film. His television credits include "The Golden Girls", "Step By Step", "Evening Shade", "Perfect Strangers", and "Getting By". At Minneapolis' Jungle Theater he directed "A Funny Thing Happened On the Way to the Forum", "Urinetown". He also danced in the Michael Jackson "Thriller" video.

Dr. Robert Ouren, Back up Band Director

Dr. Ouren taught at Edina High School from 1991-2000 and in 2005 returned to Edina Public Schools as the Teaching and Learning Specialist for The Arts as well as teaching 6th and 8th Grade Band at South View Middle School. Bob retired from teaching in 2011. He is currently teaching part time as a Visiting Assistant Professor of Music Education at St. Olaf College. Bob earned his undergraduate degree from Winona State University and his Masters and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Minnesota. He is a past president of the Minnesota chapter of the American School Band Directors Association, a former board member of the Minnesota Band Directors Association, and past Regional Rep. and Advocacy Chair, on the Board of Directors of the Minnesota Music Educators Association. He is very active around the state as a past MN State Arts Board panel member, guest conductor, clinician, adjudicator and teacher, and is currently Associate Director of the Minnesota Junior Winds concert band. Bob lives in Edina with his wife Karen.

Christopher J. Piela, Varsity Choir Director

Christopher is in his 12th year at Edina High School and his 22nd year in the District. He earned his B.A. in Music Education from Gustavus Adolphus College and his M.A. in Curriculum and Instruction from Minnesota State University, Mankato. He has served in various leadership positions for the American Choral Directors Association of Minnesota and was an original member of World Voices/Singers in Accord. In addition to directing, he is an active composer and arranger. He is excited to direct full-time at EHS next year. He resides in Edina with his wife Melissa, and their two children Lauren, 15, and Andrew, 12

Andy Thompson, Arranger

A 1998 graduate of Edina High School, Andy received his Bachelor's degree in Music Composition from the University of Michigan. His music has since been played in concert halls, rock venues, and on televisions around the world, including live appearances at Bonnaroo Music Festival and the Late Show with David Letterman. He is also an active session musician, arranger, producer, and recording engineer for Dan Wilson, Jeremy Messersmith, Dossa, Taylor Swift, Belle and Sebastian, Eric Hutchinson, Jason Mraz, Graveyard Club, Cloud Cult, the Minnesota Orchestra, and many others. Andy currently lives in Morningside with his wife and three solfège-singing kids.

Granville P. Ashling, Production Assistant and Lighting

Granville is happy to be returning to Edina High School for Current Jam. He is the assistant production manager and lighting designer of the show. He started his career at Edina as a student and now is the President of Crescent Moon Productions, LLC. He has also done lighting work with Prince, New Sound, Winona Judd, The office of the Dalai Lama, Minneapolis Downtown Council, Holidazzle, Living Word. Some of his producer credits include The Winners Way Broadcast, The Winners Minute, and The Wellness Minute.

Dr. Ben Franske, Production Assistant and Systems Engineer

Ben is thrilled to be back for his 19th Current Jam, something he has looked forward to each spring since his days as an Edina student. In addition to his full time job as a professor of computer network & security engineering he works as a technology and production consultant. Ben handles a variety of tasks for CJ from graphic design and photography to making sure that the various audio, video, lighting and computer systems used in the show are configured and operating correctly. Along with other volunteer work Ben is active in the Minnesota Streetcar Museum at the Como-Harriet Streetcar Line! This summer he'll also be found running cybersecurity camps for high school students and teachers as part of the NSA/NSF GenCyber program. He wishes to thank his family and friends for all their support and patience.

Jeff Litman, Arranger

Jeff is a New York City-based songwriter, recording artist, multi-instrumentalist, producer, and composer. He has released four albums of original music: 2009's *Po t cript*, 2012's *Out ide*, 2015's *Primetime*, and the 2018 release, *Crowded Hour*. Critics have hailed his songs as "ridiculously addictive" "rich and ambitious" and "the best slice of jangly American rock since Matthew Sweet's hey-day." A 1998 graduate of Edina High School, Jeff received degrees from Indiana University and Manhattan School of Music. He has been an active performer of his own original music as well as a frequent collaborator with artists across many genres in New York, Minneapolis, and across the country.

Jake Kvanbeck, Front of House Audio

Jake is excited to be returning to Current Jam for his 9th year. He has recently accepted a full time job at Legacy Production Group in Brooklyn Park, focusing his attention on designing and implementing corporate events all around the United States. Jake holds a BFA from DePaul University and a MFA from University of Virginia. In his free time he enjoys spending time with his wife Heather and their two dogs.

Scott Lehrke, Director of Varsity TTB & 9th Grade TTB

This is Scott's 14th year directing vocal music in Edina Public Schools, where he teaches Grade 9 TTB Choir and Varsity TTB Choir at EHS. He graduated *magna cum laude* with a Bachelor of Music in Music Education from St. Olaf College, and earned a Master of Arts in Music Education from the University of St. Thomas. In addition to directing choirs, he is an experienced accompanist, and has been organist, pianist, and choral conductor at several Twin Cities-area churches. Scott's teaching expertise and research is in the changing male voice, with particular interest in development of tenor-bass choirs. He has presented at Summer Dialogue of the American Choral Directors' Association of Minnesota, and in 2011, his Freshmen Cavaliers performed at the ACDA-MN State Convention. When not at EHS, he's probably at home in St. Louis Park, enjoying coffee, and keeping Peanut (the cat) happy.

Current Jam Back Up Band

Bruce Acosta, Guitar
Liam Doyle, Bari Sax
Jack Ford, Tenor Sax
Jackson Lomax, Trumpet
Henry Mans, Drums
Ian Smith, Piano

Noah Bowlin, Trumpet
Charlie Finkenaur, Trombone
Nick Gaudette, Bass
Abby Mans, Alto Sax
Lindsey McKhann, Alto Sax

Additional Instrumentalists

Evelyn Adams, Piano
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Adam Hecker, Electric Guitar
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Madelyn Pham, Acoustic Guitar
Jean Smith, Piano

Jonah Calvo, Violin
Gretchen Gilbert, Drums
Joe Hellickson, Drums
Noah Krafft, Acoustic Guitar
Emma May, Cello
Wyatt Pepin, Drums
Jenna Simon, Piano
Charlie Teien, Piano

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Lighting Design/Operator Grant Ashling
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Senior Bios

Audrey Anaya had a wonderful time participating in Chamber Singers, theater and being on the Choir Board. Memories include exploring Chicago on St. Patrick's Day and singing in "The Tunnel" with all her friends. In the fall she will attend St. Olaf College.

Will Burger played Junior Gold hockey grades 10-12, was a manager for the EHS Hockey team and Varsity Hornettes. Favorite memories include Chicago with the boys and Mr. Scaife. In the fall he will attend the University of Colorado- Boulder.

Isabel Busyn was a member of both the Varsity gymnastics Team and the Diving Team grades 7-12. She was Captain of the Gymnastics Team junior and senior years. Memories include running around Chicago as a clueless junior but knowing the ropes as a senior. She will attend the University of San Diego in the fall.

Hailey Chrysler was a Co-Leader of 350, a Link Crew Leader, a Back Pack Tutor and on the Images staff. Memories include fun time on the Current Jam Crew and small group lunches with DH. She will attend the University of British Columbia.

Nathan Clifford played Varsity Soccer grades 10-12 and House Basketball for 3 years. Memories include choir tour and St. Patrick's Day in chi-town. He will attend the University of Nebraska majoring in Business Administration.

Gigi deGrood was involved in Chamber Singers, Link Crew, Hornet Connections and on the Whigreen staff. Memories include caroling with Chamber Singers, participating in Current Jam and having a personal supply of fruit snacks and juice boxes in DH's office! She will attend Gustavus Adolphus College in the fall.

Tenzin Dhondup has been in the choirs for 3 years with Dr. Henderson and was also in Chamber Singers. He participated in Track and Field. He will attend the University of North Dakota in the fall.

Bella Dickson was involved in Black Student Union, Spanish Club, founder of the Discussions on People's Equality, a dancer with Hip Hop Dance Team and Captain of the Girls Ultimate Team. She is also a small group leader in her church. Her favorite memory is seeing "Joseph" in Chicago with old friends and new friends she made in choir. She will attend the University of San Francisco in the fall.

Maggie Dronen was a manager for Girl's Fastpitch, Varsity Football and Girls Hockey. Her favorite memories include Current Jam and Chicago. She will attend the University of Minnesota-Twin Cities.

Emily Dyrdaahl was involved in choir both at school and at church. With her church group she went on 3 mission trips to Mississippi and 1 to Mexico. She also works part time at Jerry's Foods in the Starbuck's. Her favorite memory is going to Dorian Festival at Luther College with DH. She will attend Luther College.

Lauren Ehrlich played Volley Ball, was a Peer Tutor and a Link Crew Leader. Memories include going to Chicago on tour and St. Patrick's Day. She will attend Baylor University to study Health Sciences and Pre-Med.

Billy Fischer played Baseball and was an active member of the Edina Fishing Team. Memories include singing the "cujus" part of Ave Verum and the trip to Chicago. He will attend Bemidji State University.

Leo Franklin was a member of the Track and Field team and plays piano. Memories include singing "Regina Coeli" and forgetting choreography during concerts. He will attend the University of Minnesota-Twin Cities in the fall.

Kyle Gendreau is the founder and President of the Digital Photo Arts Club. He enjoys photography, snowboarding, playing guitar and writing and composing songs. His favorite memory is DH's smile. He will attend St. John's University.

Senior Bios

Luke Glenna was a Captain of both the Varsity Football and Varsity Basketball teams and was on the Student Activity Advisory Council. Memories include learning choreography with Mr. Command and singing in EPAC. He will be attending St. Thomas University to study Business and play football.

Adam Hecker has sung for only 2 years in choirs and in that time has been in Concert Choir, the Student Director of Chamber Singers and a Bass Section Leader and was very involved in the theater. He will pursue Theater in college at St. Olaf.

Adrian Hill has written and produced his own music while at EHS. Memories include having a funny pose with DH on choir tour. He plans to focus on his musical career while starting courses at Normandale College.

Peter Holmquist was a Student leader at Jugheads Youth Juggling Company and a member of the EHS Faith Club. Memories include singing Christmas carols at DH's house on Halloween dressed as an elf. He will take a gap year at Impact 360 Institute before going to Cedarville University.

Hattie Hubbell is a Captain of the Girls Ultimate Team and has been singing since grade 7 when she realized she did not like the flute. Memories include St. Patrick's Day in Chicago seeing the river green and anytime we sang "Unclouded Day" She will attend Marquette University in the fall.

Dominick Ingram played Varsity Basketball and was a Captain this year. Memories include learning choreography in the early mornings at Men's Chorus. He will attend Augsburg University to study Business and Communications and play Basketball.

Nick James has been in choir all through middle and high school, played Football and Basketball and lettered 3 times in Community Service. He will study Business at the University of Nebraska - Lincoln.

Ali Kaju participated in Rowing with the Twin Cities Youth Rowing, was Lay Out Editor for Images Literary Arts Magazine, sang with Angelica Cantanti Youth Choirs, on the 212 Leadership Team, Girl Up Edina and the High School Ministry Team at Wayzata Community Church. Her favorite memory is jamming' with the CC ladies every Tuesday morning. She will attend Wheaton College in the fall.

Annika Lackner sang in Angelica Cantanti Choir, played French horn in the Greater Twins Cities Youth Symphonies, a member of the Harry Potter Club, in concert Band and Marching Band and was a member of the Chamber Singers her junior year. Her favorite memories are singing with Chamber Singers and going to Chicago on tour. She will attend Smith College in the fall.

Olivia LaLuzerne was as Varsity Badminton player and been in the choirs since grade 7. Her favorite memory is being on choir tour in Chicago on St. Patrick's Day. She will attend Bethel University in the fall.

Quinn Lewis was a bass 2 in Chamber Singers for 2 years and was a Sound Designer for many EHS Theater productions including "The Visit" which placed in the International Thespians Festival. He plans to continue in choir and major in Vocal Performance at Luther College in the fall.

Saumya Mangalick was a Leader of Girls Up Edina, on Edina Mosaic Initiative, the Debate Team, the Speech Team, 212 Leadership, Hip Hop Dance Team, the Academic World quest, a member of All State Choirs, has studied Hindustani singing since age 8. She is a firm believer in mixing songs of different languages and cultures and is thankful for the exposure to such a variety of cultures through choir. Her favorite memory is coming with wacky dance moves for Current Jam with friends. She will attend American University in the 3 year Public Health Scholars program

Senior Bios

Emma May played cello in Concert Orchestra and participated in many productions in the EHS Theater program. Her favorite memory is the tour to Chicago. She plans to study music and major in Biomedical Engineering at St. Olaf College.

Enzo Javier Mejia is a decorated actor, Chamber Choir tenor and a Concert Band Bass Clarinetist. He lettered in Theater and earned awards at the State level. His favorite memories are the choir trips to Chicago. He would like to thank his supporting family and as always the Full Send. He will attend Montana State University in the Pre-Med track.

Olivia Michel played Varsity Soccer and was on the Yearbook staff. Her memories include Current Jam junior and senior years and how hard "Times of Our Lives" hits her. She will attend the University of Minnesota—Twin Cities in the fall.

Lukas Moore was a member of the Chamber Singers, on the Wrestling Team and Varsity Track. He will attend Gustavus Adolphus College in the fall.

Andrew Munderloh was a member of the Junior Gold A State Championship team. Memories include his solo in Grade 9 Chamber Choir singing "Tears in Heaven" and the early mornings with Men's Chorus. He will attend Iowa State University.

Anders Nelson played Varsity Football, was a Captain on the Varsity Basketball team and spends his free time playing spike ball and Fortnite with friends. His favorite memories include fun times with choir members and going to Perkins after concerts. He will attend the University of St. Thomas in the fall.

Spencer Paugh has been singing since grade 6, been on the Link Crew and played Varsity Soccer. He gives a shout out to Mrs. Smaka! His favorite memory is exploring Chicago on choir tour. He will attend the University of St. Thomas.

Madelyn Pham was active with the Hip Hop Dance Team, made it into All State Choir, was a member of the Chamber Singers and was a full time PSEO student this year. Memories include bonding with Chamber Singers and good times with friends on choir tour. She will attend Augsburg University.

Emily Rice Slothower was in 8 EHS Theater productions, on the Hip Hop Dance Team and performed twice at the International Thespian Festival. Her favorite memories include 2 choir tours to Chicago and wearing the over-the-top costumes for Current Jam. She will attend Carleton College in the fall.

Avery Rustad played Ultimate Frisbee and was a Middle School Small Group Leader at his church. Memories include getting to know DH, the most outspoken and straight forward person he ever met. He will attend the University of Minnesota Twin Cities in the fall.

Abdi Sahal is a founding member of the EHS Digital Photo Arts Club and he was on crew for many of the EHS Theater productions. His favorite "memory" is "forgetting" notes often. He will attend North Dakota State University. Go Bison!

George Sanda played Basketball and was in Band before joining choir his senior year. Highlights include Wednesday mornings in Men's Chorus and good times in class. He will study Business at the University of Minnesota—Twin Cities.

Ethan Senna joined choir this year and has loved it. He has also been very active in the EHS Theater program and is always open to trying new things. He will attend Montana State University in the fall.

MacKenzie Solie was a member of the Hip Hop Dance Team. Memoires include the Chicago choir tour on St. Patrick's Day. She will go to Normandale College in the fall.

Jean Smith was a Section Leader in Marching Band, played horn in the Greater Twin Cities youth Symphonies for 5 years, a member of Concert Band 2 years, in Orchestra Winds, plays piano and was a Student Election Judge. She will be a French Horn Performance major at the University of Minnesota—Twin Cities.

Senior Bios

Bjorn Swanson played Varsity Hockey and Soccer while being a "Proud Frenchie" in the French Club. Favorite memories are Current Jam and the Chicago Choir tours. He will attend the University of Minnesota—Twin Cities.

Drew Vanderbilt is a proud Eagle Scout and a singer since grade 6. He has actively participated in the EHS Theater program bringing the 2017 One Act Play to the State finals, taking 2 shows to the International Thespian Festival and enjoyed every second of singing in choir. He will attend Iowa State University in the fall.

Charlie Weldon played Golf and LaCrosse. Memories include St. Patrick's Day on tour to Chicago and waking up for Men's Chorus. He will attend the University of Minnesota—Twin Cities in the fall.

Michael Willett was a Captain on the Swim Team and 2 year member of Concert Choir. Memories include Current Jam and singing "Cluck Ol' Hen". He will attend the University of St. Thomas in the fall.

Charlie Wood plays Ultimate Frisbee and was a Small Group Leader at Christ Presbyterian Church. Favorite memory is going to lunch with the seniors after Current Jam. He will attend Creighton University in the fall.

Quan York played Varsity Football and House League Basketball. His memories include having a solo sophomore year and Current Jam. He will attend North Dakota State University. Go Bison!

Mar Zacharkevics has been happily involved with the EHS Thespian Club for 3 years and had the role of Co-President this year. Memories include the Chicago trip and bonding with the Seniors of Concert Choir. She will attend the University of Minnesota—Twin Cities in the fall.

Fan Mail

Spencer + Bluetooth speakers = Incredible Concerts
Love, Mom, Dad, & Sydney

Adrian, your music fills us with so much joy!
Love Grandma and Mom

Natalie, We are so proud of you! You have the voice of an angel.
Love Mom, Dad, Anthony and Grandmommy

Ella, Love hearing you sing! So Proud!
Love Dad, Mom and Mitch

Mags-congratulations on your final concert!
We love you—Mom, Dad and Joe

P. B.—Never stop Singing!
Much love, Mom, Dad & A

Your last concert Will! We have loved hearing your voice in all the
choirs you've been in at Edina. We can't wait to see your grand finale
Current Jam 2018 We Love You!

NC—Keep enjoying the music!
Love, Mom and Dad

Annika, we'd love to sing your praises, but we're just
preaching to the choir. Love you!

Shea—thanks for filling our house with your beautiful music!
Mom, Dad and Ava

Kyle—We'll always be two of your first and greatest fans!
Love, Mom and Dad

Adam—We've enjoyed watching you sing the past 4 years.
Keep singing!
Love Mom and Dad

Hattie, you put the music in our hearts (even if it is Africa by Toto!)

Fan Mail

JMS: piano, mandolin, horn, singing,
we enjoyed all your musical threads!

Nick, follow your dreams and stay true to who you are!
God Bless! ♥DMDM

Dear Dominick, your choir class has perfected the beautiful voice God has given you. Your singing at home and in choir concerts has brought joy to your family and others. Keep up the good work! Love, your family.

We are so proud of you Matt!
We're grateful that music is a big part of your life

Bella— you're inspirational and loving.
Continue to spread your sunshine.

Olivia~we love how you shine when you sing!
We love you! M, D, E, L, C

Emma, we were made for loving you. Congratulations!
Love, Mom, Dad and Morgan

We love you Lily!
♥ Mom, Dad and Maggie

Way to go Emily RS! Who knew you were a closet country girl!
X&O Mom and Dad

We are so proud of who you are and all you do.
The Tibe Tribe

Sydney Schroeder, you are a bright shining CJ star!
We love you! XOXO M, D and E

Ethan, please don't ever freeze your brain!
We love you and are so proud of you!
Love, Mom, Dad, Adam and Oreo

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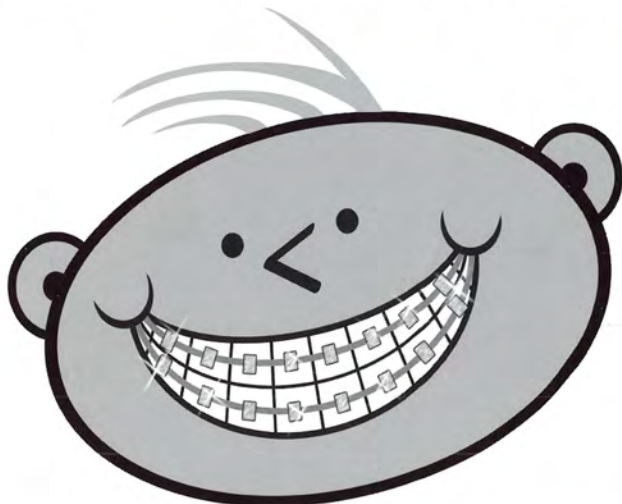
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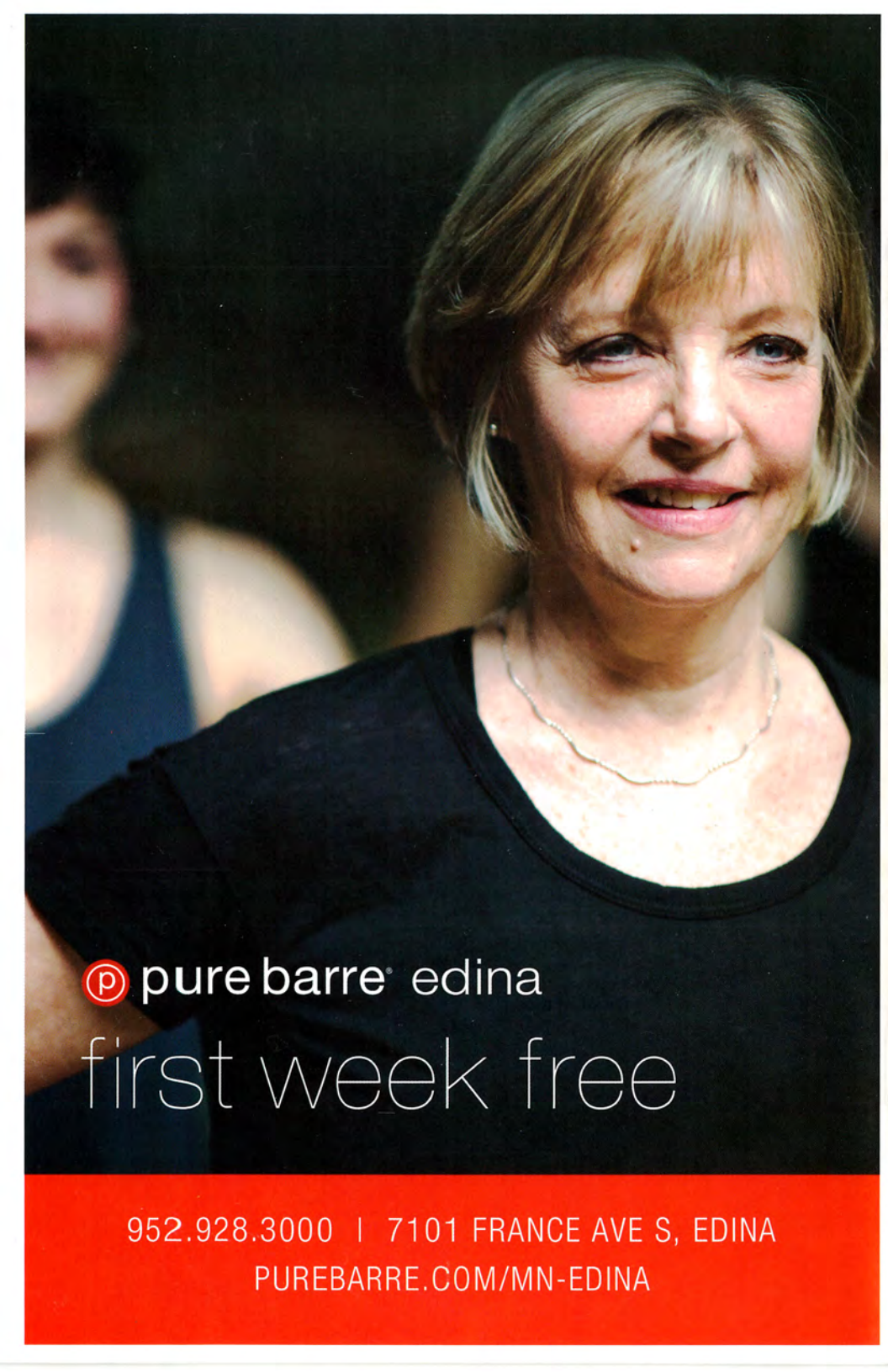
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