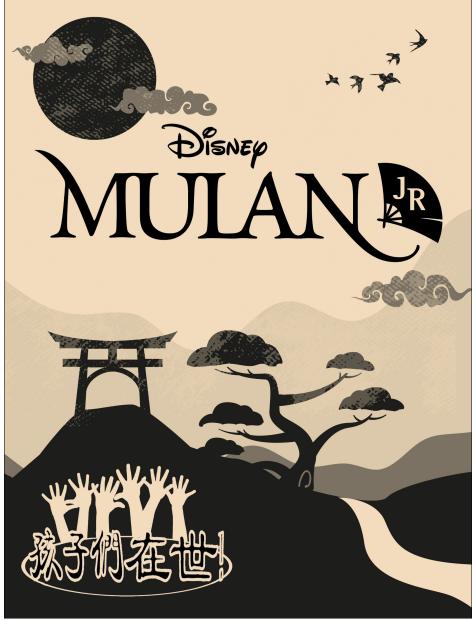
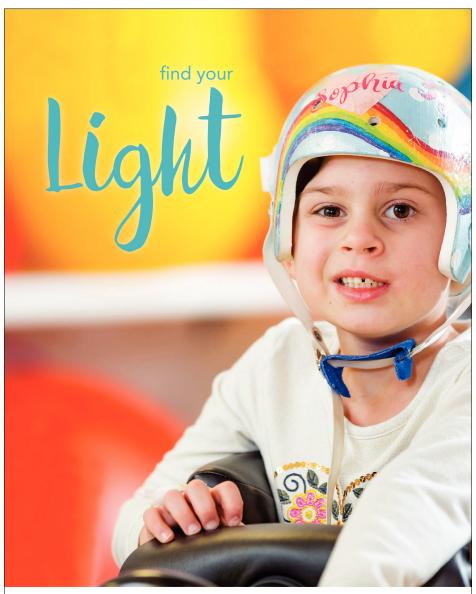
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Production of

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#### MULAN JR.

Music and Lyrics by
Matthew Wilder and David Zippel,
Stephen Schwartz,
Jeanine Tesori and Alexa Junge

Music Adapted and Arranged and Additional Music and Lyrics by Bryan Louiselle

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Based on the 1998 Disney film "Mulan" and the story "Fa Mulan" by Robert D. San Souci

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SONGS		
Written In Stone (part 1)	Laozi, Yun, Lin, Ancestors	
Written In Stone (part 2)	Fa Zhou, Fathers, Fa Li, Grandmother Fa, Mothers	
Written In Stone (part 3)	Ancestors, Mothers, Sons, Fathers	
Bride Practice	Ancestors	
Honor To Us All (part 1)	Fa Zhou, Ancestors	
Honor To Us All (part 2)	Company (Hairdressers, Groomers), Mulan, Grandmother Fa	
Honor To Us All (reprise)	Hong, Lin, Laozi, Yun	
Reflection	Mulan, Ancestor Chorus, Fa Li, Grandmother Fa	
Written In Stone (reprise)	Ancestor Chorus, Mulan	
Keep 'em Guessin' (part 1)	Mushu	
Keep 'em Guessin' (part 2)	Company, Mushu	
I'll Make A Man/lesson No. 1	Shang, Mulan, Soldiers, Mushu	
A Girl Worth Fighting For	Soldiers, Ling, Mulan, Qian-Po, Chi-Fu, Shang	
A Girl Worth Fighting For (reprise)	Mulan, Company	
Keep 'em Guessin' (reprise)	Mulan, Shang, Yao, Ling, Qian-Po	
A Girl Worth Fighting For (reprise)/Coming Home	Emperor, Company	
Honor To Us All (finale)	Ancestors, Full Company	
Keep 'em Guessin' (bows)	Orchestra	

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#### A journey of a thousand miles begins with one single step.

Welcome to Mulan's journey...

A journey which by it's very nature, reflects the journey each of us make as we consider our place and our purpose in society. With every single musical theater production, our creative team strengthens our realization that there are truly so many incredible opportunities for our kids to solidify life skills when producing these musicals.... and it's not all just because of the thinking skills developed when learning to sing, dance and act simultaneously.

The material is rampant with understanding of the human condition.

Mulan explores six Chinese virtues: Honor, Destiny, Loyalty, Love, Strength and Pathway/Change, as well as an understanding of the forces of Yin/Yang and how a necessary mix of masculine and feminine is important to our well being and ability to contribute to our families and our society.

#### One alone is not enough, you need both together.

Are most young people thrust into thinking about these types of life choices when their free time is occupied with hours of social media and video games? I think not.

And even those who are readers... and spend their time in books.... (me! me!) are still alone with their thoughts.

Musical theater performers have opportunities to sift through potential life choices with others, to see and feel live responses to words and actions that will ultimately affect their own choices when they are faced with similar situations.

The text, the music, the movement, all enhance their ability to understand the impact that individual choices can make. What a tool for societal change! We are not designed to be alone, not even at birth or death.... and yet society consistently pushes us toward that goal.

And what individuals reek the biggest havoc in society? The loners, who are crying out for contact. Any contact.

We must have opportunities to **connect** to understand the full impact of our choices on others. Mulan sets off alone on her journey, but quickly learns that she gains strength, insight and support from her friends, her family, even her ancestors.

Our creative team is passionate about what we do. We see the powerful impact that musical theater has on your children every single day. As I look out on the stage and see it filled with so many strong, confident, and **powerful** young people who just a few short years ago were just beginning to taste the benefits that music theater can provide, my heart can't help but swell with pride. To borrow sentiment from Mulan's father, Fa Zhou:

The greatest gift and honor is having the opportunity to share our passion with these young people.

And to all of the parents, friends and families, I hope you revel in knowing that your children have taken the first step. Thank you for assisting your kids to get off their couches and out from in front of their screens... and thrusting them in the midst of a hardworking, goal driven musical theater ensemble, where they can understand that their actions have real value.

They are changing the course of their lives. Forever.





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#### **The Cast**

One of our goals at KidsAlive! is to create a strong and vibrant Ensemble. Ensemble members give us a solid foundation to perform from and play multiple roles. Most of them never leave the stage.

<b>Strength</b> Friday, 7pm and Saturday, 2pm	<b>Honor</b> Saturday, 10am and 7pm	
	<u>Honor</u>	<u>Strength</u>
Laozi, Ancestor	Rylie Eisenhauer	Marisa Scott
Yun, Ancestor	Lizzie Case	Hannah Blair
Lin, Ancestor	Elizabeth Maimo	Lizzie Blair
Hong, Ancestor	Chloe Davis	Ethan Swartz
Zhang, Ancestor	Elle Cove	Olivia Ritchal
Fa Zhou, Mulan's father	Parker Case	Parker Case
Fa Li, Mulan's mother	Anya Zmaila	Mia Lashley
Grandmother Fa	Aubrey Zmaila	Hannah Koeper
Cricket	Gwen Ritchal	Gwen Ritchal
Mulan	Lucia Corredor	Kennedy Vanover
Mushu, dragon	Kennedy Day	Ellie Ritchal
Matchmaker	Sawyer Schultheis	Halle Manuel
Chi Fu, Chinese bureaucrat	Stella Hardy	Crayton Haney
Young Xiao, villager	Bonnie Camp	Bonnie Camp
Young Yi, villager	Jamie Thompson	Jamie Thompson
Shan-Yu, Hun leader	Joe Kelley	Joe Kelley
Magyar, Hun soldier	Emily Nelson	Emily Nelson
Subar-Tu, Hun soldier	Macy Rapson	Macy Rapson
Captain Shang	Carter Haney	Carter Haney
Yao, Chinese soldier	Kinzey Shirazi	Brenna Leeds
Qian-Po, Chinese soldier	Hannah Duckworth	Ava Rankin
Ling, Chinese soldier	Rey Tabe	Tyler Dunkleberger
Emperor	Jonah Vass	Jada Hill



Hannah Blair



Lizzie Blair



**Bonnie Camp** 



**Lizzie Case** 



**Parker Case** 



**Lucia Corredor** 



**Elle Cove** 



**Chloe Davis** 



**Kennedy Day** 



**Hannah Duckworth** 



Tyler Dunkleberger



Rylie Eisenhauer



**Carter Haney** 



**Crayton Haney** 



Stella Hardy



Jada Hill



Joe Kelley



Hannah Koeper



Mia Lashley



**Brenna Leeds** 



**Elizabeth Maimo** 



**Halle Manuel** 



**Emily Nelson** 



**Ava Rankin** 



**Macy Rapson** 



**Ellie Ritchal** 



**Gwen Ritchal** 



Olivia Ritchal



**Sawyer Schultheis** 



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Kinzey Shirazi



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**Jamie Thompson** 



**Kennedy Vanover** 



**Jonah Vass** 



Anya Zmaila



**Aubrey Zmaila** 

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### **Auditions**

Join us for our 2019 Kaleidoscope production

Auditions December 1-2, 2018

Performances April, 26-28, 2019

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#### **Creative Team**



**Chad Haney Music Director** 



Shawna Linck
Director
Choreographer



Mervin Tay
Music Director



Suzanne Ritchal Assistant Director



Alex Prather
Assistant Director



Ibis Maimo Costumer

Stage Manager Morgan Jackson

Martial Arts Choreography
Alex Prather

Swing Dance Choreography
Suzanne Ritchal

Sound

**Sound** Chad Haney **Lights** Alex Prather

**Props**Wendy Stacy
and the Stage Craft Class

**Set** Tom Linck

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