

PRESS RELEASE FROM: Washburn Rural High School Theatre Department

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SOMETHING FUNNY IS

GOING ON.....

Washburn Rural High School Presents the Broadway Musical



This Murder Mystery Musical Farce of Mistaken Identities, Millions in Diamonds, and a Wheelchair-bound Corpse will leave you dying of laughter.

Book and Lyrics by Lynn Ahrens, Music by Stephen Flaherty

Based on the “The Man Who Broke The Bank at Monte Carlo” by Michael Butterworth

January 21st, 22nd, and 23rd 2021

Washburn Rural Auditorium—7:00p.m.

All Reserved Seats \$8.00 All Live - Streaming \$8.00

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The Broadway Musical Farce

LUCKY STIFF

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Synopsis of Show: Tony Award-winning writing team, Lynn Ahrens and Stephen Flaherty's, first produced show, Lucky Stiff, premiered Off-Broadway at Playwrights Horizons. Based on the novel, The Man Who Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo by Michael Butterworth. Lucky Stiff is an offbeat, hilarious murder mystery farce, complete with mistaken identities, six million bucks in diamonds, and a corpse in a wheelchair. The story revolves around an unassuming English shoe salesman who is forced to take the embalmed body of his recently murdered uncle on a vacation to Monte Carlo. Should he succeed in passing his uncle off as alive, Harry Witherspoon stands to inherit \$6,000,000. If not, the money goes to the Universal Dog Home of Brooklyn... or else his uncle's gun-toting ex! Featuring a tuneful Flaherty and Ahrens score, an ensemble cast of zany characters and small rock combo orchestra, Lucky Stiff is an audience charmer.

Production Staff

Director: Connie S. McGinnis

Vocal Director—Michael Mills

Technical Director—Robert Owens

Orchestra Director—Melissa Sauls

Choreographer—Alex Castaneda

Stage Manager—Mackenzie Smith

Assitant Stage Manager—Jordan Elliott

Cast List

Harry Witherspoon - Canton Schenk

Annabel Glick - Chloe Easley

Rita La Porta - Rylie Swedlund

Vinnie Di Ruzzio - Casey Schenk

Luigi Gaudi/Uncle Tony - Aidan Kent

Ensemble Players:

Lily Czechanski

Madison Torrez

Calvin Schenk

Griffin Reiff

Crew List

Stage Manager—Mackenzie Smith

Assistant Stage Manager— Jordan Elliott

Lights— Braedan Miller

Sound— Dakota Schrempp

Costume— Vaughn Lolley

Bry McDaniel

Props— Camryn Clark

Hannah Johnston

Shift—Cameron Hightower - chief

Kaleb Glendinning

Tyler Hausthor

Jon Schocket

Make up/ hair— Kaylee Brandon