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# Coshocton Footlight Players BACKSTAGE

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OUR  
60th  
Season!

And the  
Laugh Is  
On Us!

## GREASE

Book, Music and Lyrics by  
Jim Jacobs & Warren Casey

Grease is the All American musical based on the sub-cultures of high school life in the 1950's. The show takes place at hyperactive Rydell High School where Danny Zuko fronts his gang - the raucous T-Birds - who romance their sassy female equivalents the Pink Ladies. When "good-girl" Sandy Dumbrowski arrives in town the Pink Ladies take her under their collective wing. The production will feature the smash Casey-Jacobs songs made famous by the Broadway play including: Summer Nights, Greased Lightning, Beauty School Drop-Out and others.

Shelly Lillibridge and Lynn Jacobs team up again to direct this popular musical. Chester Boffo and Hallie Thomas will lead the cast as the torn, love-struck Danny Zuko and Sandy Dumbroski. Newcomer to the Footlight Players, Quinn Moody will portray Rizzo the sarcastic leader of the Pink Ladies. Kenikie, the first general of the T-Birds, will be played by Cody Hacker. Marissa Crawford joins the troop again this year with the coveted part of Frenchy, the beauty school drop-out. Doody, the youngest of the T-birds, will be played by theater veteran Blake Lillibridge. Colby Tarrh was recruited from the River View High School production of My Fair Lady to be Roger the "Moon King". Amanda Els portrays the boy crazy Marty. Karl Blackson plays the part of Sonny who is in constant conflict with the Principle Mrs. Lynch, played by Hannah Miller. Shelby Jacobs rounds out the Pink Ladies as the fun-loving, goofball Jan. Mackenzie Martin and Ricky Neighbor are Patty and Eugene, the Rydell High nerds who don't fit in. KaLyn Markley falls right in step as the dancing queen Cha-Cha Greggorio and Neal Fox will play dual roles as Vince Fontaine and the Teen Angel. Kayleigh Bowe, Lauren Esselburn, and Alexis Spitzer will add their voices to the production playing numerous roles. Production dates: July 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, and 18. Curtain is at 8:00 on all evening shows. The Sunday matinee on the 12th curtain will be at 3:00. There will be 2 shows on the 18th, a 2:00 matinee and the closing show at 8:00.

Tickets available, starting June 29 prices are \$10 adults and \$5 students, by calling the box office 622-2959 Monday-Thursday 7-9 P.M. and on production days 2-4 P.M.

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The Coshocton Footlight Players are proud to announce that they will hold open auditions for "Actor's Choice IV" on June 21st and 22nd, 2009 at the Triple Locks Theater. Audition times will be 2pm - 4pm on June 21st and 7pm to 9pm June 22nd. Auditioners must bring a piano score, cassette tape or C.D. for musical accompaniment for singing audition.

The premise of Actor's Choice is to give performers the opportunity to play a role in any musical they wish but never have had the opportunity to do so in the past. Ever wanted to be Maria in "Sound of Music" but someone else got the part? Or how about Sweeny Todd only to see someone else get it? Now's your chance to finally play that dream role.

Directed by Shane Pyle, "Actor's Choice IV" promises to be an entertaining evening for all! Ellen Hardesty will be stepping up to the Assistant Director's chair to add her own brand of music and fun! Produced by Ray Hardesty

For information, call Shane Pyle at his Raymond James Financial Services office at (740) 622-3110 or e-mail at [pyle.shane@gmail.com](mailto:pyle.shane@gmail.com).

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