BISHOP CHATARD HIGH SCHOOL
THEATRE PRESENTS

# Charlottes Web



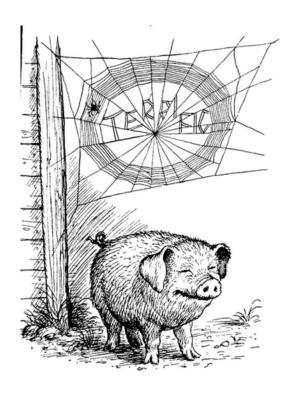
#### Bishop Chatard High School Theatre Presents

# Charlotte's Web

Based on the book by E.B. White Adapted by Joseph Robinette

Nov. 6th, 7th, and 8th

Director: Tristan Zavaleta Artistic Director: Holly Stults



"Produced by special arrangement with THE DRAMATIC PUBLISHING COMPANY of Woodstock, Illinois"

Please no use of cell phones, flash photography, or unauthorized video recording during the performance.

# **CAST**

Charlotte	Molly Faris
Wilbur	Katie Schaffer
Fern	Emma Clare Becker
John Arable	Oliver Lam
Martha Arable	Morgan Rusbasan
Avery Arable	Elizabeth Burrows
Homer Zuckerman	Huck Armbruster
Edith Zuckerman	Olivia Krause
Lurvy	Andie Papesh
Templeton	Madi Robinson
Goose	Annika Eble
Gander	Sean O'Gara
Sheep	Emmy Bobenmoyer
Lamb	Clare Murphy
Narrator 1	Juliette Hatcher
Narrator 2	Maria Dudley
Narrator 3	Lily Dangler
Uncle	Jace Henderson
Reporter/Spectator 1	Bailey Gorr
Photographer/Spectator 2	Sofia Strashovskiy
Announcer	Caden McQueen
Fairgoer 1	Eli Acklin
Fairgoer 2	Avery Weaver
Fairgoer 3	Maddie Welty
Baby Spider 1	Ava Littrell
Baby Spider 2	Addy Valiquett
Baby Spider 3	Virginia Rush

# **CREW**

**Stage Managers:** 

Georgia Kramer

Trent Blume

**Assistant Stage Manager:** 

Max Kramer

**House Crew** 

Gracie Isakson

Lily Conard

Ava McCurdy

**Building Crew** 

Crew Head: Maria Gejdos

Eli Acklin

Ava Martin

**Emilie Martin** 

Lizzie Randolph

Sophia Shultz

Graydon Pivec

**Painting Crew** 

Crew Head: Amia Collins

Matilda Pachciarz

Natalie Stringfield

Angelica Sak

Kaydence Williams

Libby White

**Costuming Crew** 

Crew Head: Kate Lowry

Rylan Brodzik

Emma Bishop

Sally Timpe

Brooklyn McCurdy

Leila Myers

Oella Berty

Isabella Gonzalez

<u>Lights Crew</u>

Crew Head: Graydon Pivec

Mikhailo Wentworth

Ben Hitze

**Andrew Taylor** 

Gracie Isakson

Owen Felts

Griffin Krause

Sound Crew

Crew Head: James Ferris

Marcus Pivec

Patrick Burke

Natalie Stringfield

Special Thanks

**TO GOD** who makes all things possible.

TO OUR WONDERFUL STUDENT PERFORMERS
AND CREW MEMBERS. Thank you for sharing
yourselves and your amazing talents with our
Bishop Chatard Community.

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**TO JUDY LAM** for making our costumes look terrific and radiant

**TO JEN TIMPE** for the borrowed costumes. **TO ELIZABETH BATH** for humbly leading the painting crew.

**TO BOOTH TARKINGTON CIVIC THEATRE** for all the borrowed props.

#### **Meet the Cast**

**Addy Valiquett** is a sophomore and is very happy to be playing a baby spider. She participates in all the school theatre productions she can, dating back to her elementary school years, and is glad to add Charlotte's Web to the list!

**Andie Papesh** is a junior at BCHS and is so excited to be playing Lurvy in Charlotte's Web! One of her favorite memories is dancing backstage with her friends, something she looks forward to for every show. She would like to thank her parents, Nana, Oella and Elijah for showing her so much love and support. And to Mr. Moore, who she dedicates every performance to. "We hope you enjoy the show!"

**Annika Eble** is a junior and is so hyped to be a part of Charlotte's Web as the Goose. Annika has fun goofing around with her theater friends and entrenching herself into her roles by talking with her fellow animals. She's excited to continue being part of Bishop Chatard's Theatre and hopes everyone reading this enjoys the show!

**Avery Weaver** is so excited to be playing the role of Fairgoer 2 in this year's production of Charlotte's Web! Avery is a sophomore and fell in love with theater in 3rd grade. Avery loves all of the memories she has made with her amazing cast mates. She would like to thank her best friend Maddie and her family for all their love and unconditional support. She hopes you enjoy the show!

**Bailey Gorr** is a freshmen at BCHS and is so excited to be a part of Charlotte's Web. She is acting as the Reporter and a Spectator in the play. One of her favorite memories from rehearsals has been playing games, like I'm a Tree and Zip Zap Zop, to warm up. This has been a great first experience in a show at Chatard and she can't wait to be involved in future productions. She would like to thank her family, especially her Mom, for helping her practice her audition and for supporting her in everything that she does. A few other people that she would like to thank are Mr. Z, Ms. Holly, her friends, and all of the cast and crew for being so welcoming to the freshmen.

**Clare Murphy** is a sophmore and is so excited to be playing Lamb. She loves to just have fun laughing with her friends on stage! She has made so many memories that she will cherish forever!

**Elizabeth Burrows** is a sophomore and is so excited to be playing Avery in this year's production of Charlotte's Web! Elizabeth grew up reading the book and enjoying the animated film and cannot wait to perform this adaptation of the classic novel. Some of her favorite memories are doing little dances with her cast members and laughing with her friends behind the scenes. Some people she would like to thank are the cast and crew members who have made the show for what it is, the wonderful directors, her amazing friends who have made the experience really fun, and her family who have always been supportive throughout the process.

**Emma Clare Becker** is a sophomore at Chatard. This is the second Chatard theatre production after starting as Molly in Annie. She plays the role of Fern and is over joyed to be a part of the cast. She would like to thank her director, cast, and family for always supporting her. Special shot out to her parents and grandma who ran lines with her. Finally she hopes everyone enjoys the show!

**Emmy Bobenmoyer** is a sophomore this year and is playing the role of Sheep. This is Emmy's 11th show, third at Chatard with some highlights being Rusty in Footloose, Rachel in Godspell, and Aunt Phylis in Leaving Iowa. She is also involved in mock trial, speech and debate, model UN, improv, choir, and student ambassadors. Emmy is so grateful for all her friends, family, and scene partners and can't wait for the rest of her sophomore year!

**Huck Armbruster** is a sophomore and is absolutely thrilled to bring you Charlotte's Web as Homer Zuckerman!

**Jace Henderson** is a freshman and is so excited to be playing Uncle! This is his very first time being on stage so lets give him a big round of applause.

**Juliette Hatcher** is delighted to perform in the 2025 production of Charlotte's Web as Narrator #1. Juliette uses her voice nonstop, even when it's not appropriate to use one's voice and she is more than happy to participate in telling the story of a pig, spider, and how sometimes using the correct words can save your life. She's "some narrator"!

**Katie Schaffer** is a sophomore and so excited to be playing Wilbur in her very first play for Bishop Chatard! She has loved her experience so far and plans to continue as a cast member in future high school productions. She would like to thank her family, friends, and Mr. Z for encouraging her to audition and pursue theatre.

**Lilly Dangler** is a Junior and is excited to be a part of her 5th show at Chatard!! She is excited to play the 3rd Narrator. Lilly has always loved theatre and is incredibly proud of all of her fellow cast and crew members, for all their hard work. She would like to thank her mom, her dad, her sisters, and all of her friends for their support and encouragement. Enjoy the show!!

**Maddie Welty** is so excited to be playing the role of a Fairgoer in this year's production of Charlotte's Web! Maddie is a junior and has loved all the memories she has made with the cast. She would like to thank her best friend Avery for always supporting her. She has loved getting to know so many new people. She hopes you love the show!

**Madi Robinson** is absolutely ecstatic to be playing Templeton the Rat in Bishop Chatard's production of Charlotte's Web. She is a junior and has been doing the plays and musicals since her freshman year. Her favorite memory of the show is when the cast went on the stage for the first time and it was all coming together. Madi would like to thank all of her friends, Molly, Lilly, and James as they helped her memorize her lines and helped with nerves. She would also like to thank her parents for supporting her and driving her to rehearsals.

**Maria Dudley** is a junior and is so excited to be playing Narrator #2. Her favorite memory is having fun with the cast moving the chairs and stands in the music room to make space for rehearsal. She also enjoyed the community and fun that comes from being part of the cast.

**Molly Faris** is a junior and is SO excited to be playing Charlotte in this show! Her favorite memory of BCHS Theatre is being inducted into the Thespian Society last year. She would like to thank Moosie, her acting coach, and Clara, for being Moosie's voice. She would also like to thank YOU, for being here and supporting the BCHS Theatre program! Enjoy the show!

**Morgan Rusbasan** is ecstatic to participate in her 3rd Chatard theater production of Charlotte's Web! She was previously seen in Leaving Iowa as the Cart Chaser, and as Joanne Johnson the Radio Announcer in Annie. Along with Chatard, she is a part of several theater plays during the summer, and played Leanne in Puffs at the Westfield Playhouse. Morgan is a sophomore and along with participating in year round theater, is involved in thespian society, improv team, mock trial, Model UN, and Vox Troiano. She would like to thank Mr. Z and Ms. Holly, her family, and everyone who made this show possible!

**Oliver Lam** is very excited to be returning to the stage for Charlotte's Web! After playing the lead in last year's play, Oliver is playing Mr. Arable for his junior year! Oliver's favorite memory of Bishop Chatard Theater is all of the long car scenes in Leaving Iowa. Oliver would like to thank his family for supporting his journey in theater and his older brother for inspiring him to pursue acting.

**Olivia Krause** is a senior and is so excited to be playing Aunt Edith in her last play at Chatard! Her favorite Chatard theater memory is playing tag at Broad Ripple Park before Annie. She would like to thank her parents, her friends, and Georgia who keeps her from going crazy.

**Sean O'Gara** is a junior and he is so excited to be a part of Charlotte's Web as the Gander! He has been involved in the school play and musical every year, as both cast and crew. His favorite theatre memory is getting to cuss repeatedly during the read-through of Leaving Iowa, before all of the curse words were cut. He hopes you have a great time watching this show!

**Sofia Strashovskiy** is a sophomore and is excited to be playing the role of Photographer and Spectator 2 in Charlotte's Web. Her favorite memory is everyone getting to know each other at the read-through and making jokes together throughout the rehearsals. Sofia would like to thank her family for making being a part of the cast possible, her friends for their countless support and help, and Mr. Zavaleta for all of the work he has done for this production.

**Virginia Rush** is a freshman and is super hyped to be part of the show! She is playing the part of one of the baby spiders. She has had so much fun getting to know the cast and wants to thank all of them for being amazing humans to her! She wants to also thank her Mom, Dad, and friend Adelaide. She hopes you enjoy the show!

**Eli Acklin** is a sophomore currently attending Bishop Chatard high school and is exited to perform in this years play. He hopes that you sit back, relax, and enjoy the show!

**Caden McQueen** is sophomore at BCHS and is super duper excited to be playing the role of announcer! His favorite theatre memory is performing on stage during show nights. He'd like to thank his family and the theatre crew!

**Ava Littrell** is a freshman and is super excited to be playing a baby spider in this production of Charlotte's Web. She hopes you enjoy the show.

#### **Meet the Crew**

**Amia Collins** is a junior and is so excited to be a part of painting crew. Her favorite memory is when the cast is getting ready for the show and are singing songs or just chatting about the most random things. She would like to thank her best friend Avalynn for being there for her and loving her no matter what. Amia would also like to thank Sally and Andie when she was at her lowest time they were always there for her.

**Andrew Taylor** is a kid that really lights up a room, has a light heart, and a million watt smile with a bright future. He is making his debut on the crew as a member of the lights crew and can't wait to make those on stage shine.

**Angelica Sak** is a sophomore at Chatard that has been involved in the painting crew in last year's "Leaving Iowa" play. She is also excited to be a part of this year's "Charlotte's Web." Her favorite memory of crew is getting to talk about random things to her friends. She wishes all her friends and people involved with the play have fun and the audience to enjoy the show!

**Ava McCurdy** is glad to be part of this show and all the other shows her past four years at Chatard. Theatre has been an exciting part of high school!

**Ben Hitze** is a sophomore and is so excited to be a part of the crew of Charlotte's Web this year! My favorite memory is being able to spend time with friends and be more involved in the BCHS community.

**Brooklyn McCurdy** is a freshman and is excited to help with costumes. Her favorite memory from BCHS theater is theater arts class. She'd like to thank Mr. Z and Mrs. Lam.

**Emma Bishop** is a sophomore and is so excited to be Costumes Crew for this year's production of Charlotte's Web! Her favorite memory was getting to make the animal's hats, and she is proud of how they all turned out, especially the Lamb hat that she made.

**Emma Turner** is a senior and is so excited to be a part of house crew for the play again.

**Georgia Kramer** is a senior and is the head of crew, serving as the Stage Manager. One of her favorite memories is sneaking snacks backstage with Liv and Trent and continuing all the theater traditions! She misses last year's seniors very much and hopes she is making them proud.

**Graydon Pivec** is a junior at Chatard who is exited to be working on lights crew for his 2nd production. This year he is taking on his first time running the board during the show, as while as getting some of the younger lights crew members accustomed to the setup. His favorite memory from theater would have to be going to Graeter's after the final show.

**Griffin Krause** is a freshmen and is very excited to be a part of the crew for Charlottes Web. One of his favorite memories from the show is watching his older sister perform in shows from previous years. Some people he would like to thank are his mom, his dad, and his sister.

**Isabella Gonzalez** is a part of the costume crew and greatly appreciates being able to have this wonderful experience with the kindest people.

**James Ferris** is a junior and is so excited to be the head of sound crew. This is a new role for him he is more than happy to take up.

**Kate Lowry** is so excited to be costumes crew head in Charlotte's Web! In the past she has helped with costumes for The Addams Family and Leaving lowa, and is excited for future productions!

**Emilie Martin** is a senior who is really excited to be a part of build crew this year! Her only regret is not getting involved with it sooner and would like to thank Maria Gejdos for convincing her to join!

**Leila Myers** is a 9th grade student and is so excited to be in the costume crew for Charlotte's Web. She likes to spend time with her friends. She is so thankful for her supportive parents and friends always being there for her. She is so grateful to be at this amazing school and have many amazing teachers. Her favorite movie is Tangled. Her favorite color is pink. Thank you to everyone who supports her.

**Libby White** is a freshman and loved helping painting the set. Her favorite memory is being introduced to the behind the scene side of BCHS theatre, and also the new friends she made.

**Lily Conard** is a senior and is so excited to be a part of house crew again for Charlotte's Web.

**Lizzie Randolph** is a freshman and is happy to be part of the crew. She had fun helping make the set for Charlotte's Web and is excited to continue to participate in the shows.

**Marcus Pivec** is a junior and this will be his first year on sound crew at BCHS theatre. He is very excited to be a part of the show. His favorite BCHS theatre memory is late night tech week McDonald's runs.

**Maria Gejdos** is a senior and is super excited about working on her last fall play at Bishop Chatard, Charlotte's Web! This is Maria's fourth production on build crew and as crew head, she would like to extend her thanks to all the crew members who helped build the set!

**Matilda Pachciarz** is a freshman and is so happy to paint the sets. She is glad she was able to help with painting. Her favorite memory is getting to talk to the other painters.

**Max Kramer** is a freshman and is honored to be an assistant stage manager, underneath his older sister, Georgia. He is privileged to be in crew at the same program as his eldest sister, Megan, and serve alongside his other sister Georgia. He wishes to make them both proud.

**Mikhailo Wentworth**, often referred to as 'Miko' is glad to be a part of the show, at least behind the scenes. Miko helped work the lights you see above the curtains, to assist the focus on the actors from everything else on set. As a freshman, this is Miko's first time working in theatre, and even more so in crew. He's thankful for his family, but most importantly his sister, who once was a part of the Chatard theatre department, for motivating him to pursue theater, only in the crew for now.

**Nat Stringfield** is a sophomore who is in both paint and sound crew for Charlotte's Web. This is her first time being a part of sound crew, and she's had a wonderful time, along with hanging out with her friends the whole time. She is very excited to be helping in the show!

**Oella Berty** is thrilled to be trying out costumes crew for the first time. She is a junior and has loved being a part of this show. Her favorite memories from BCHS theater are going up to the costume loft to pretend to shop for prom dresses and hanging out with her friends during rehearsals. She would like to thank her family for all their support and her best friend, Andie, for always being there for a good laugh.

**Owen Felts** is a senior and thinks the lights board is too confusing.

**Patrick Burke** is a junior and he is so excited to be a part of the crew helping the sound crew with the play and to actually be a part of something for once.

**Rylan Brodzik** is a freshman and she is very excited to be on costuming for her first high school play! Her favorite memory is when she created Charlotte's/Molly's fascinator (headband) and she also enjoyed watching all of the costumes come together. She would like to thank her mom, Mrs. Lam, all of the costume crew, both directors, and Daniel for all of their help and support!

**Sally Timpe** is a sophomore at Bishop Chatard and is excited to be a part of the costumes crew. This is her first show at BCHS, and her favorite memory from this show is visiting the costume loft and looking at all of the fancy dresses. She would like to thank her mom for inspiring her to join the costumes crew.

**Sophia Shultz** is a freshman and is part of the build crew. Her favorite memory is taking pictures with random props when we were supposed to be looking for burlap. She will also never climb another ladder just in case she might fall again

**Trent Blume** likes to eat a lot of food and enjoys all the memories he's made. Also he's "like that".

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## **OVATIONS**

#### **Oella Berty**

Oella, We are so proud of you! Terrific, radiant, humble, and more! Love, Mom & Dad & Anna

#### **Kate Lowry**

We are proud of you Kate! Mom, Dad, and Jack

#### **Addy Valiquett**

We're so proud of you, Addy! Break a leg! Love Mom, Dad, and Elijah

#### **Avery Weaver**

Avery, we are SO proud of you! Shine bright sweet girl! Love, Mom, Steve, Genevieve & Cecelia

#### Sean O'Gara

Sean, we are so proud of you and look forward to another great performance! Love, Mom, Dad & family

#### **Maria Dudley**

Congratulations, Maria! It is a delight to watch you challenge yourself and grow. Cheering you on!

#### Maxwell Kramer

Hope you're enjoying your first run at stage managing. You're learning from the best! Looking forward to seeing you in action! Love, Mom, Dad, Georgia and Megan

#### Georgia Kramer

You're the best stage manager around, can't believe this is your second to last show. We're so proud of you! Keep up the great work!! Love, Mom, Dad, Megan and Max

#### Eli Acklin

Eli - We are so proud of you! We cannot wait to see you on stage you helped build and now as an actor! Break a leg! Love - Dad, Mom, Lucy & Graham

#### Oliver Lam

"Then came the word 'terrific.' And he is. Look at him!" Oliver, we're so proud of you and love seeing you onstage! Break a leg! Love, Mom, Dad, Ben, & Nico

#### **Bailey Gorr**

Congratulations, Bailey! We are so proud of you for the hard work you have put in for your first high school production!

Mom, Dad, Riley, and Zoey

#### **Lilly Dangler**

We are so proud of you Lilly! Keep shining and doing what you love! Love Mom, Dad, Aleah, and Maddie

#### Caden McQueen

Shoutout to our favorite Announcer Caden. We love seeing you onstage - it's so stretch! Love, Mom, Dad, Maeve, Lulu, and Shenan

#### **Emmy Bobenmoyer**

We love seeing YOU do what you love, Emmy you're our superstar! Love, Mom, Dad & Hunter

#### **Molly Faris**

We know you will be "terrific", "radiant", and "humble".
Love you,
Grandma and Grandpa Faris

#### **Andie Papesh**

We are proud of our amazing actress. Keep doing what you love and break a leg! Love, Nana and Papa

#### Liv Krause

Liv,
We have loved
watching you perform
the last four years! We
are so proud of you!
Love. Mom & Dad





#### **Annika Eble**

Annika, we love you and your enthusiasm!
You shine as bright as the spotlights on stage!

Huck Armbruster
We are proud of YOU
and all of your hard work.
Love, Mom and Dad





#### **Morgan Rusbasan**

To our little farm girl,
Morgan! We can't wait to
see you be utterly
amazing in Charlotte's
Web. Break a leg (or
eight)! Love, Mom, Dad,
& Cameron

Emma Clare Becker
Kudos for a star
performance. So very
proud of you.
Grandad and Gogo





#### **Emma Clare Becker**

You were a great Charlotte, but we are excited to watch you as Fern!

Love your biggest fans!!

#### **Molly Faris**

You are a "terrific" and "radiant" Charlotte! Grandma and Grandpa





#### **Molly Faris**

Can't wait to see our radiant girl do what she loves!

We love you and are so proud of you, Molly! Love, M, D, C & A

#### **Avery Weaver**

Avery, break a leg! We believe in you and can't wait to see you shine on stage. Love, Dad, Lindsay, Kathryn, Caroline, Charlotte, Elizabeth





#### **Set Crew**

A huge thank you to our talented and hardworking set crew.

# Salutations! Congratulations to Bishop Chatard Theatre on your performance of *Charlotte's Web*This is Some Show!



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