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CULTURAL
CONVENTION

TAIPEI • 2010

DANCE, DRAMA, FORENSICS, AND DEBATE

IASAS Cultural Convention 2010
Auditorium Performance Schedule

Thursday-Friday-Saturday, Drama & Dance

Thursday, Matinee, March 4th	Thursday, Evening, March 4th
1:30 TAS Dance	7:15 ISB Drama
2:05 ISKL Drama	8:15 ISM Dance
3:05 SAS Dance	

Friday, Matinee, March 5th	Friday, Evening, March 5th
1:45 ISM Drama	7:15 SAS Drama
2:45 JIS Dance	8:50 ISB Dance
	9:05 JIS Drama

Saturday, Matinee, March 6th
12:15 TAS Drama
1:10 ISKL Dance

- Please turn off cell phones, Ipods, beepers, watch alarms, no flash photography, tape recording, or videotaping during performances.
- The audience is to remain seated during all performances.
- All performances are being videotaped by TAS personnel and each school will receive a copy.
- **Absolutely No food or drinks in the auditorium.**
- Intermissions are 15 minutes, you will have 10 minutes to stretch, please be back in your seats quickly; doors will close 5 minutes before curtain time. Thank You!!!

Saturday, Forensics & Debate Finals

In addition to the above stated rules, during the final competition no one is allowed to leave the room during Impromptu and Debate. All finals are videotaped and each school will receive a copy.

8:40-9:35	Extemporaneous Speaking Final	Auditorium
9:45-10:40	Impromptu Final	Auditorium
1:45-2:40	Oral Interpretation Final	Auditorium
2:50-3:55	Debate Final	Auditorium
4:05-5:05	Original Oratory Final	Auditorium

On behalf of all IASAS Dance/Drama Participants, Directors, and Taipei American School students, we would like to extend a special Thank You to Our Guest Directors:

<p><u>Dance:</u> Indah Boyle, Robert Tsai, Walter Kennedy</p> <p><u>Drama:</u> Tara Brodin</p>
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.....for sharing your expertise.....
and love of Drama and Dance with us!!!

Drama/Dance Coordinator: Aaron Gray

A Special Thank You to our Dance Support Staff

Dance Site Director:	Cheryl Lagerquist
Dance Workshop Assistants:	Mel Vicars, Carol Hoehn
Dance Student Site Director:	Daphne Ho
Dance Workshop Assistants:	Emily Katz, Max Hsu
Theater Technician:	Thomas Chia
Sound Supervisor:	Martin Robinson

A Special Thank You to our Drama Support Staff

Drama Site Director:	Stephen Abernethy, Gary Flach
Student Site Director:	Gordon Fan
Theater Assistants:	Eric Nelson, Tom Agostine
Theater Technician:	Thomas Chia
Sound Supervisor:	Martin Robinson

Media Services Support

A Special Thank You to our AV Director
Mr. Glenn Wolfe
and the AV staff

Wei Kay Yeh, Leslie Liu, Cindy Kao

for all of their hours videotaping and copying of videos for Drama/Dance performances and all Forensic/Debate Finals.

We really appreciate all the time and care you give in recording the events.

Drama/Dance Technical Crews:

Team A (Thursday Matinee & Friday Night)

Control Room Crew

Jennifer Lee, Manager

Sophie Chen

Nick Yeh

Sound

Adrienne Hong

Stage Crew

Ken Chen, Manager

Eugene Ho

Wesley Lien

Iris Hsu

Kendra Flemming

Team B (Thursday Night & Friday Matinee & Saturday Matinee)

Control Room Crew

Charles Fong, Manager

Henry Cheng

Derek Ma

Sound

Jessica Huang

Stage Crew

Tiffany Chou, Manager

Kali Hoang

Alicia Lee

Jessica Cooper

Ryan Chin

Ushers: Thespians Society

Dance/Drama Block 1

Tiffany Chou, Richard French, Min Jun Park

Dance/Drama Block 2

Ken Chen

Dance/Drama Block 3

Ryan Chin, Eugene Ho, Cenga Tse

Dance/Drama Block 4

Louis Levy, Min Jun Park

Forensics Finals 1

Ken Chen, Richard French, Jack Moran

Dance/Drama Block 5

Eugene Ho, Louis Levy, Jack Moran

Forensics/Debate Finals 2

Ken Chen, Jack Moran

DANCE



ISB IASAS Dance Presents:

วันอังคาร

Tuesday's child has far to go...

Choreographed and Performed by:

Alex DeVries, Miyuki Jitsuyama, Dominique Jones, Kyrena Krekel,
Cynthia Liu, Phuc Nguyen, Pammy Thavornvanit & Nate Vorapharuek

Understudies: Carrie Burke, Mallory Meyer, Janet Neufeld



Dance Director: Jaleea Price

Lighting Design: Jaleea Price and Yotam Ben-Yaacov

Set/Props Construction: Richard Kennedy

ISB Student Stage Manager: Amir Bareket

Music Editing: Jaleea Price

Soundscore:

Tuesday by Motohiro Takashima

It's a Wonderful Li(f)e by The Real Tuesday Weld

Jump by Flo Rida feat Nelly Furtado

I'm the Supervisor by Infected Mushroom

Asphyxia by Akira Yamaoka

Sense of Decay by Asphyxia

Program/Poster Design: Incident Design



THE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF KUALA LUMPUR IASAS DANCE PRESENTS:

Africa

"AFRICA'S PLIGHT IS A SCAR ON THE CONSCIENCE OF THE WORLD."

-TONY BLAIR



Maddy
Browning

Pauline Del
Val

Kevin
Jang

Hannah
McAlindon

Branden
Cha

Seira
Fujii

Carmen
Kromhout

Emma
McNamara

Alternate:
Rueben Tiow

Dance Director:
Karen Palko

Tech: Fadzil Md. Saad & Aishah Ghazali

Music Credits: Mashup by Bboy Issue, Hunger OST Black Hawk Down, Living Darfur
by Mattafix, Grasslands Hunt OST The Lion King, Mbube by Mariam Makeba, Lioness
Hunt OST the Lion King, Touch the Drums by Nofnerini

Thanks to Paz Molina, Gary Piech, Nikolai Joyce, Paul Ubl, Linda See, Nathan DeSouza,
Thea Kromhout, Brian Candler, Donna Lyon, Peggy Peters, Bilqis Hijjas, Kit Ong, Tim Howe,
Elke McAlindon, Erik Richardson, Dave Goetz, Adib Anas, Vincent Periasamy, Melissa Yip

"See the
nation through
the people's eyes. See tears
that flow like rivers from the
sides. Where it seems there are only
borderlines, where others turn and sigh,
you shall rise, you shall rise. There's
disaster in your past, boundaries in your
path. What do you desire when you lift
you higher? You don't have to be extraordinary,
just forgiving. Those who never heard your
cries, you shall rise, you shall rise. And look
forward
to the sides. Where others
fall, you prevail in times.
You shall rise. You may
never know if you lay
low, lay low. You
may never know if
you lay low, lay low.
You shall rise. You
shall rise. Sooner
or later we must
try living. Sooner
or later we
must try...
living."
-Matale

Imagine. A world where our favourite anime characters come to life. Unrestrained by their bodies, unshackled from gravity and unchained from the limits of reality itself. Welcome to a world where anything is possible. Where fantasy blends seamlessly with reality. Where each character holds a unique story that longs to be told and awaits to break through the barrier of your video screen. Theirs a story of love, hate, friendship, battles, conflicts and courage. Let their stories free your mind. All you must do is add colour.



解放

KAIHOU (liberation)

Dancers/Choreographers

Chloe Alcid	Kristine Crouch	Mara Javier
Marissa Mes	Karin Osuga	Jacqui Pisano
Richelle Diaz Tsai		Sam Villanueva

Alternate: Bianca Romero-Salas

Costume Design: Jacqui Pisano and Marissa Mes
Technical Directors: Kinno Norojono and Butch Maddul

Technical Consultant: Brian Ong
Dance Director: Yek Mabaquiao-Barlongay

Music Tensile Involvement by Alwin Nikolai, Jigoku Shoujo by Ake ni Somaru, True Light by Miyamoto Shunichi, Mononoke by Joe Hisaishi, Panic/Nervous by Mitsumune Shinkichi, Soramimi Cake by Oranges and Lemons, Strong and Strike by Toshiro Masuda, I Question Mark by Wade Robson

Mixed by Marissa Mes

We would like to thank the following:
 ISM Anime Club for their technical and artistic support.
 Mr. Idris Vicuna for the facilities and equipment.



Dancers:

Verena Nicola Budiman
 Georgina Davies
 Clarine Karyadi
 Patricia Limansubroto
 Jenna Mitchell
 Jasmine Thio
 Maria Wibawa
 Erin Wolff



Jakarta International School Presents:

...Where are you, Alice?

“Nothing would be what it is
 Because everything would be what it isn’t”

Music:

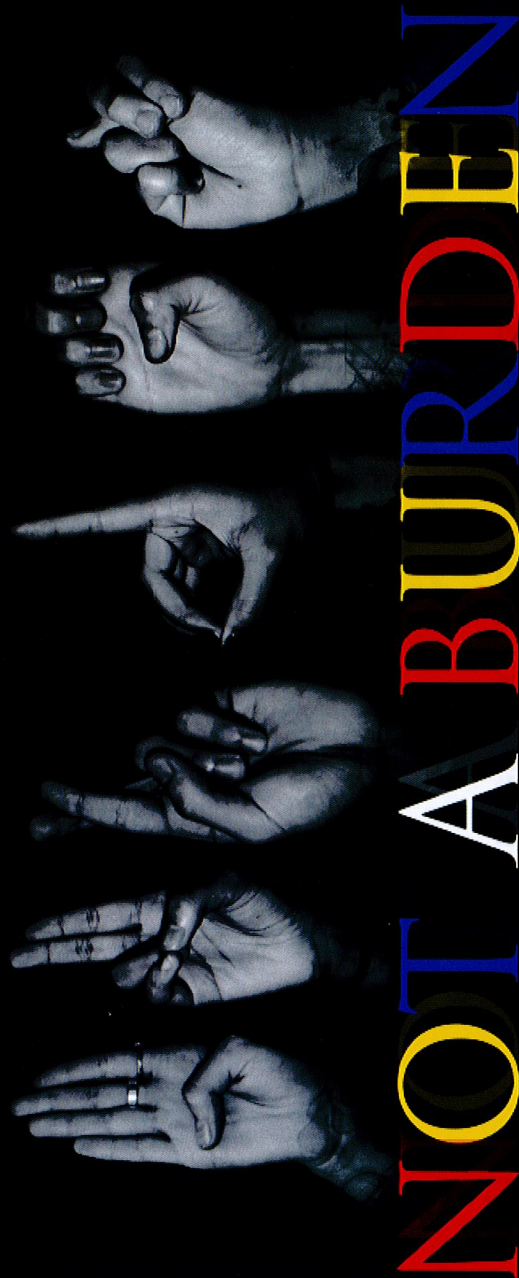
Night of the Dancing Flame-Roisin Murphy, Headlock-Imogen Heap, Mad House Rhianna-Rhianna, Bring Me to Life-Evanescence, I Still Have-Meredith Monk, Atlas Santogold, Carmina Burana

Alternates:



SAS IASAS DANCE 2010

DIRECTED BY: TRACY NAGESH
DANCERS/CHOREOGRAPHERS: BRITNEY BAILEY, LAUREN BETTS,
ALISTAIR CHEW, BRITNEY DIMOND, STEPHANIE KENDALL, KARINA LO,
HEATHER MORRIS & MICHAEL TOO, KENDALL COVINGTON & CARRIE DWYER
CULTURAL CONVENTION TECHS: CARSON DEBERRY & CIAN L'FOW
MUSIC: METICULOUS - YOU DEE
WE OWN THE SKY (UDACHI REMIX) - M83
SYMPHONY NO. 9 - BEETHOVEN



NOT A BURDEN

TAS Dance presents:

FOR SALE

Dancers/Choreographers:

Alec Harris
Io Ide
Jong Min Lee
Natasia Sun

Jed Hsu
Angeline Jeng*
Jennifer Ma
Minori Yamada

Max Hsu*
Emily Katz*
Faith Schombs*
Alex Yu

Narrator: Jenna McElroy



Voices

LtIp by edIT

Stories

She Moves She by Four Tet

Promises

Human Trafficking Awareness Video PSA by Emma Thompson

www.youtube.com/watch?v=x-NBjX2FS14

World of Illusion by Pretty Lights

Released

Send Me An Angel by Alicia Keys

Technical Crew: Jennifer Lee, Sophie Chen, Nicholas Yeh, Adrienne Hong

Set Design & Construction: Aaron Gray

Costume Design: Cheryl Lagerquist

Costume Construction: Atsu Chen

Director: Deborah Flemming

Modern-day slavery is the second largest criminal industry in the world. According to a United Nations report, over 12 million people world-wide are trafficked for forced labor or sexual exploitation. www.polarisproject.org

*alternates

DRAMA



INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL BANGKOK MASTERPIECE

by Nathan Metcalf

THE ARTISTES

THE ARTIST

BLUE
GREEN
ORANGE
CERISE
TURQUOISE
PURPLE
YELLOW
RED
GOLD
PINK

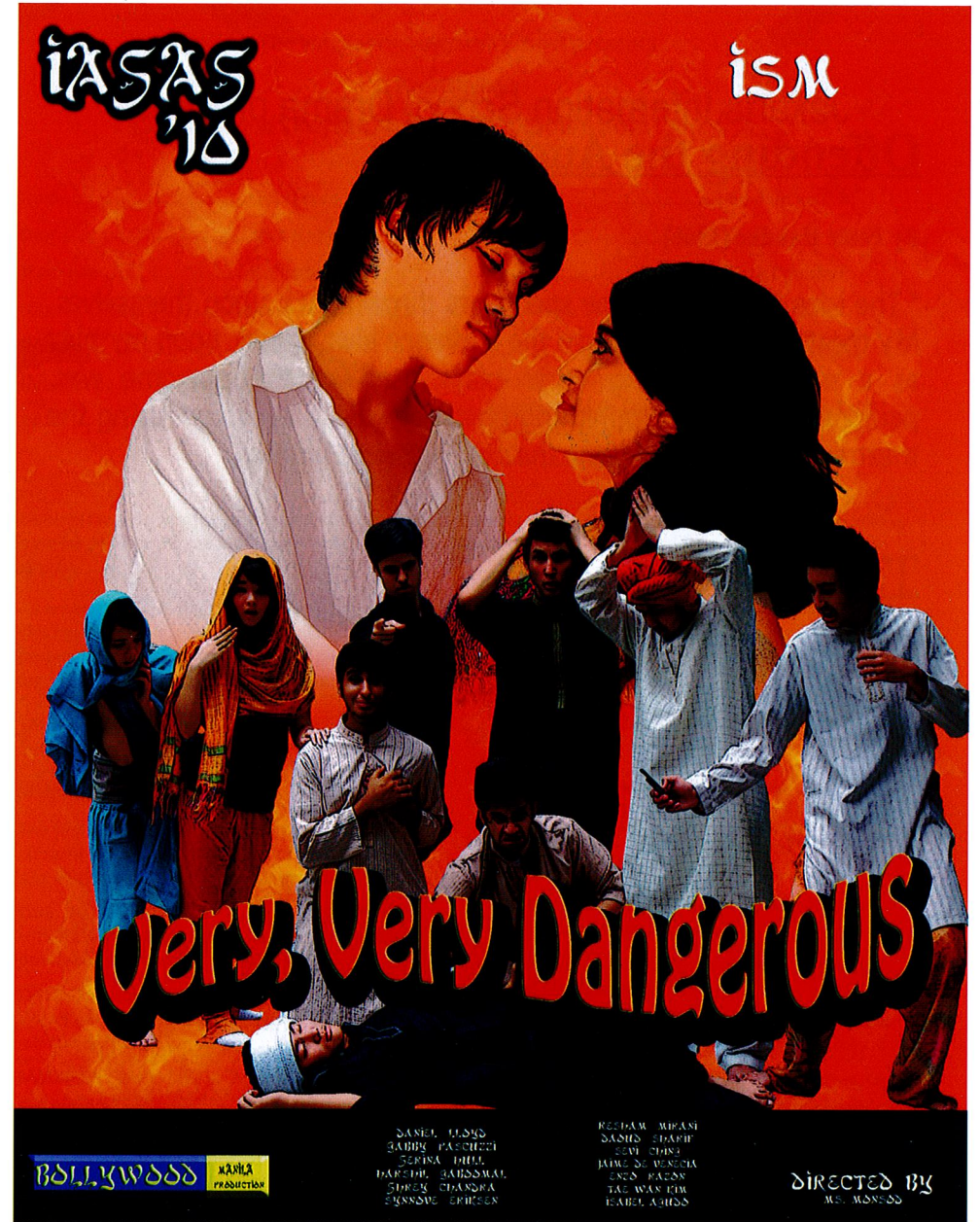
Marian Spencer
Shea Barnett
Ben Henderson
Yotam Gotal
Tanya Stickle
Shannon Roberts
Jessica Williams
Lindsey Coffey
Mick Laksanakorn
Claudine Torres
Sarah Ashley

Directed by
Lighting Design
Set Design/Construction
Daydreamer Portraits
Child's Paintings

Jo Hanson & the Cast
Yotam Ben Yaacov
Rick Kennedy
Michael Sissons
ISB 1st Graders

Music Composed & Played by *Marian Spencer*

Masterpiece is a parable of life, highlighting each person's struggle to find meaning and a place to belong. In our fast-paced, ever-increasingly technological world, it is often hard to find our identity, our quiet centre, our sense of self-worth, our purpose, our passion. The playwright states, "The biggest problem with society, in my opinion, is the downfall of the arts in our culture. I wanted to write a story about the glory of art ... [Masterpiece] is happy and life-affirming."
Winner of *The Wells Fargo Spotlight on the Arts Award for Excellence* in 2005, the play was praised for its visual elements, innocence and whimsy. The physicality and creativity required in staging this play have been exciting challenges for us. We have mirrored The Artist's journey, pushing ourselves beyond our comfort zone to find the joy and artistry in physical expression and...we have had fun!
Picasso said, "All children are born artists. The problem is how to remain an artist when [we] grow up." We hope this play inspires the artist in you all.



Jakarta Internation School Drama presents:
Offending the Audience

By Peter Handke (1966)

" The idea was to have the spectators thrown back upon themselves. My theatrical plan is to have the audience always look upon my play as a means of testing other plays. And so the outcome was, paradoxically, doing something onstage against the stage, using the theatre to protest against the theatre." – Peter Handke

The Speakers:

**Akhil Menon
Kelsey Swyter
Nic Eve**

**Casey Tjahaja
Laura Detwiler
Nick Swyter**

**Jose Gamo
Natasha Gott**

Directed by Tom Schulz

The Singapore American School presents

Paul Zindel's

EVERY SEVENTEEN MINUTES THE CROWD GOES CRAZY!

Dave.....Alvi Hasan	Steve.....Ben Adickes
Dan.....Max Robertson	Josh.....Surya Giri
Maureen.....Kelly Schuster	Cora.....Kate Penniall
Ulie.....Jesse Scarborough	Directors: Tracy Meyer & Michael Clark
Wendy.....Yuvika Tolani	Technical Crew: Paula Silverman (Theatre Coordinator), Paul Koebnick (Theatre Engineer), Leo Lie & Lucy Luo (Theatre Staff), Carson Deberry (Student Technician) Cian Leow (Assistant Stage Manager)
Gabby.....Barbara Hoffer	
Ann.....Olivia Auerbach	

Children (ranging from 11 to 19 years of age) are left to fend for themselves by their mother and father – who have taken off to pursue forever a life of betting at trotter racetracks and playing blackjack in Native American casinos.

An ensemble piece, this one-act play is set in the living room of an American home in chaos, as though a lot of kids have been living there for two months with no supervision – which is exactly the situation. Sounds like the perfect life? This "poignant legend of parental abdication" will help clarify that. Today we even have a name for it: PAS (Parental Alienation Syndrome).

The play was originally created for the Young Conservatory at the American Conservatory Theatre in San Francisco.

CHARACTERS

The first 6 are brothers and sisters, children of the (absent) Peter and Jessica. The others are friends, and also comprise the "Oprah-Speak Gap Chorus."

ULIE: 11, highly vulnerable, he breaks our hearts with his need – desperate to be loved. His greatest pain is that the family is breaking up.

DAVE: The oldest – sardonic, great sense of humor. We love him on first sight and would like him to be our son or friend.

MAUREEN: She's lost in her own articulateness and she's terribly cunning with her beauty. Caring and bewildered, troubled.

DAN: He's glad the family is broken. He'll take over, happily and seeks the position of leader.

GABBY: A babbling actress who has "a problem with food." Tied at the hip to Wendy.

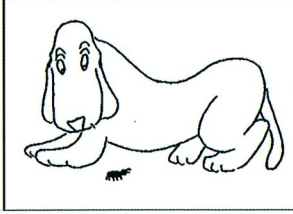
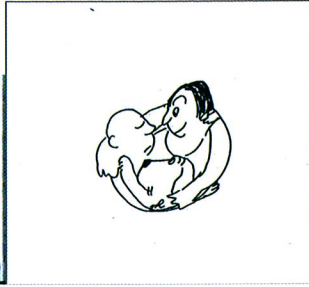
WENDY: Shops and attends school with spirit, bulimic. Tied at the hip to Gabby.

STEVE: A neo-hippie, disheveled rocker, he's out to make a buck off this.

JOSH: He's an "anything for a party" sort of guy; envies his parentless friends.

CORA: Serious-minded; she cares about the world and wants to be accepted into Brown University.

ANN: Wants to be a dancer despite her fledgling talent *and* all the family problems in her own life.



A Thurber Carnival

text & illustrations by JAMES THURBER

Production by the TAIPEI AMERICAN SCHOOL

James Thurber (1894-1961) was best known as an American short story writer and illustrator for *The New Yorker* magazine. However, he loved the theatre, and near the end of his life, he fulfilled a dream: mounting a revue of his stories and illustrations on Broadway for an 88 show run in 1960 (he even got to play himself on stage). This collage of his work reveals a human wrestling with the opposites in life: the mundane vs. the fantastic, the common vs. the sophisticated, the male vs. the female.

THE SCENES

WORD DANCE 1...

Three Fables...

THE WOLF AT THE DOOR

THE UNICORN IN THE GARDEN

THE LITTLE GIRL & THE WOLF

THE MACBETH MURDER MYSTERY

THE LAST FLOWER

MR. PREBLE GETS RID OF HIS WIFE

THE SECRET LIFE OF WALTER MITTY

WORD DANCE 2...

Lighting and Sound

Direction

THE PERFORMERS

Chloe Aiani, Nicole Chu, Johnson Deng, Leah Grande, Mahesh Harwani, Wesley Lien, Jenna McElroy, Sanders McMillan, Gorby Shih, Jeniffer Yuan

Chloe, Nicole, Wesley, Gorby, Jen

Johnson, Jenna, Gorby, Jen, Mahesh

Chloe, Jenna, Mahesh

Interlude: THE PET DEPARTMENT 1: Leah

Nicole, Johnson

Interlude: THE PET DEPARTMENT 2: Leah

Chloe, Johnson, Sanders, Jen

Interlude: THE PET DEPARTMENT 3: Leah

Nicole, Wesley, Jen

Interlude: THE PET DEPARTMENT 4: Leah

Mahesh, Jenna, Wesley, Nicole, Chloe, Leah, Sanders

Johnson, Jen

The Full Cast

Charles Fong, Henry Cheng, Derek Ma, Jessica Huang

Douglas Bishop

Cultural Convention 2010

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Sarah Dolan
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Yotam Gotal

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Brittney Dimond
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