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A Christmas Story: The Musical Cast and Credits

Music & Lyrics by Benj Pasek & Justin Paul.
Book by Joseph Robinette

Based on the motion picture “A Christmas Story”.

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WOODSTOCK, ILLINOIS.*

Cast

Jean	JJ Davis
Ralphie	Landon Backhaus
The Old Man	Brendan Brown
Mother	Lauren Krupski
Randy	Addie Olsen
Miss Shields	Michelle Bester
Mrs. Schwartz / Ensemble	Rachel Smart
Santa / Ensemble	Jus. B
Flick / Ensemble	CJ Jackson
Schwartz / Kid / Ensemble	Colin Kortright
Esther Jane / Kid / Ensemble	Jayde Dorsey
Mary Beth	Lucy Beutler
Scut Farkus	Sam Rhodes
Grover Dill	Houston Fleck
Kid / Ensemble	River Klein
Kid / Ensemble	Silas Krebbs
Elf / Ensemble	Abby Sokol
Elf / Ensemble	Aaron Q.T. Butler
Waiter / Ensemble	Erin O’Hara

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Cast (cont.)

Mail Person / Delivery Person / Ensemble Jesse Wohlman
Ensemble CynFranecia Brooks
Ensemble Biannah Peji-Palm
Ensemble Sydney DeLong
Ensemble Clare Lyons

Orchestra

Conductor Jerry Brabec
Trumpet 1 Curtis Pelster
Trumpet 2 Joel Edwards
Trombone Paul Niedbalski
Reed 1 Andrea Smith
Reed 2 Michael Prucha
Reed 3 Stanton Harper
Reed 4 Mark Benson
Reed 5 Zach Stewart
Guitar Ben Eisenberg
Bass Tom Miller
Keyboard I Amy Nunamaker
Keyboard II Todd Brooks
Keyboard III Jerry Brabec
Drums Michael Pollock
Percussion Nick Swoboda

Artistic / Production Credits

Director Kathy Tyree
Music Director Jerry Brabec
Choreographer Sue Gillespie Valker
Stage Manager Meghan Boucher
Assistant Stage Manager Erin McNeley-Phelps
Scenic Designer Seth Howard
Props Designer Devon Denn-Young
Original Costume Designer Sherri Geerdes
Costume Coordinator; Hair & Makeup Designer Zach Kloppenborg
Lighting Designer Matt Benes
Sound Designer / Engineer Christy Hernandez
Run Crew Bella Loftus, Monica Moran, Ron Preston
Wardrobe Ransom Buda
Spot Op Seth Lindsey, TBD
A2 Mike Coopriider

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Artistic / Production Credits (cont.)

Artistic Director	Matt Gutschick
Director of Production	Sarah Buck
Director of Strategy & Community Impact	Kathy Tyree
Technical Director	Jackson Curtright
Resident Props Manager	Devon Denn-Young
Resident Lighting Designer & Lead Electrician	Matt Benes
Resident Sound Designer & Audio Engineer	Christy Hernandez
Resident Stage Manager	Meghan Boucher
Scenic Charge Artist	Trent Grooms
Costume & Makeup Director	Zach Kloppenborg
Costume Shop Manager	Katie Greve
Electrics & Audio Apprentice	Mike Coopriider
Stage Management Apprentice	Erin McNeley-Phelps
Production Technician	Ren Walther
Swing Tech	Aiden Carman, Abby Mutum
Stitchers	Ransom Buda
Draper	Katie Greve