



Collège Garden City Collegiate Report to the Community

Musical Theatre Department – New York Trip – January 2020

In January several Garden City students had the unique opportunity to travel to New York City with students from Maples Collegiate and West Kildonan Collegiate for the ultimate musical theatre experience! The trip was jam packed with lessons and activities, including dancing and theatrical training at the Broadway Dance Centre, a workshop with a cast member of the musical *Wicked* and tours of famous dance schools and performing arts programs. The students also got to take in the beautiful sights and rich performing arts culture of New York, including tours of Julliard and attending a Broadway performance of *Wicked*. The trip brought three groups of Seven Oaks School Division students together to experience the performing arts capital of the world and make everlasting memories.





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Matilda The Musical – June 2020

This May, Garden City was set to be one of the first schools in the world to perform Matilda the Musical! Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the musical theatre program has decided to postpone the show until fall 2020. Matilda follows the story of a young girl with extraordinary abilities who is neglected by her parents. Through the love and support of her teacher Ms. Honey, Matilda is able to harness her powers for good and overcome the evil headmistress of the school, Ms. Trunchbull. The musical is a story of the power of kindness and love, the strength of friendship and the importance of community – an important message in our challenging times. The Musical Theatre Department looks forward to the day we can perform this wonderful show!

