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Welcome to the timeless classic – *Annie*. Whether your favorite melody is *The Sun Will Come Out Tomorrow*, *It's a Hard Knock Life*, or any other of the memorable tunes from this show – I guarantee that you will be walking out of the theater tonight humming. This is truly a family show in the best SVCT fashion, on and off the stage. I know you will enjoy it.

Our 2006-2007 season will present the productions of 1776, California Suite/Plaza Suite, the teen production of School House Rock, the children's production of Treasure Island, and the family show – The Music Man. To guarantee that you will receive audition, performance and season ticket notices, please add your mailing information to our mailing list. Sign up sheets are located in the lobby. Your participation onstage, behind the scenes or in the audience is encouraged and most welcome.

SVCT is a non-profit organization and all of our performers, staff, and support crew are volunteers. We exist through the support from you, the audience. In addition to attending performances, you can further support us by becoming members of SVCT. Membership, in addition to helping SVCT financially, brings additional benefits including discounted tickets and voting privileges at our annual "Members Choice" awards — which will be on July 8th for this past season. Hope to see you there.

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Cast

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Warbucks	Alan Chipman
Miss Hannigan	JoAnna Evans
Grace	
Rooster	Tom Hepner
	Joy Reynolds
President Roosevelt	Jay Hanson
Molly	Emmy Farese
	Alexandra Mandel
Duffy	Nicole LaJeunesse
July	McKenzie Kehrer
Kate	Danielle Moore
Tessie	Megan Corbridge
	Haussler, Molly Cooper, Lexie
	ariah Derry, Alex Lotko, Eleanor
	Lauren Yehle, McKenna Miles,
	a Roberts, and Maddie Hanson
	Manuel Silva
	Donna Cowan
	Susan Farese
	Megan Kinkel
Annette	Hannah Curd
	Arribere, Alissa Eves, Natasha
	nda Frey, Jessica Frey, Jessica
	Brewka, Deborah Parks, Randy
	er, Greg Casper, Tyler Damron,
	ea Camua, Mikul Ericsson, Kim
	ristel Yehle and David Almevda
	Greg Casper
	Dominick Lucido
	Kat Hepner
	Amanda Frey
Connie Boylan	Alissa Eves
Sound Efforts Man	Tyler Damron
	Danny Chipman
	Donald Cowan
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	Ray Trimble
Appleseller	Randy Eves
Eddie	Mike Damron
Sophie	Kim Kehrer
Bundles	Ray Trimble
NYC Actress	Victoria Arribere
Ward	Tyler Damron
Lt. Ward	Jason Cooper
Marine	Randy Eves
Judge Brandeis	Donald Cowan
	Rebecca Reynolds, Laura Doughty,
A	Alexis Maiwald, Kimberlee Maiwald, Eric
Tracy, [Dominick Lucido, Caiden Kehrer, Tiffany
	Lotko, Terri Miles and Lori Paolini

With Hank as "Sandy" and Buster as "other dog"

Mrs. Pugh understudy	Bea Camua
Bert Healy understudy	Peter Mandel
Ickes understudy	Larry Tom
Orphan understudy	Laura Doughty

"Annie" scene list

Act I

Scene 1—Orphanage (Bedroom)

"Maybe" Annie

"Hard Knock Life" Annie, Orphans

"Hard Knock Life" reprise Orphans

Scene 2—New York Streets

"Tomorrow" Annie

Scene 3—Hooverville

"Hooverville" Annie, Hooverville

Scene 4—Orphanage (Front Door)

"Little Girls" Miss Hannigan

Scene 5-Warbucks' Mansion

"I Think I'm Gonna Like It Here"

Annie, Grace, Servants

Scene 6—New York Streets

"N.Y.C." Warbucks, Annie, Grace,

NY Actress, Ensemble

Scene 7—Orphanage (sewing room)

"Easy Street" Rooster, Lily, Miss Hannigan

Scene 8-Warbucks' Mansion

"Why Should I Change A Thing?" Warbucks

"You Won't Be An Orphan For Long" Grace, Drake,

Servants, Warbucks

"Maybe" reprise Annie



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Act II

Scene 1—Radio Station

"Maybe"

"Fully Dressed"

Scene 2—Orphanage

"Fully Dressed"

"Easy Street" reprise

Annie

Bert Healy, Boylan Sisters

Orphanage

Miss Hannigan, Rooster,

Lily

Scene 3—Cabinet Room

"Tomorrow"

Annie, Warbucks, Roose-

velt.

Ickes, Perkins, Cabinet

Scene 4-Warbucks' Mansion

"Something Was Missing" Warbucks

Scene 5-Warbucks' Mansion

"I Don't Need Anything" intro

Grace, Drake, Servants

"I Don't Need Anything But You"

Annie, Warbucks

Scene 6-Warbucks' Mansion

"Maybe"

Annie

"Deck The Halls"

Miss Hannigan, Orphans,

Warbucks

"A New Deal For Christmas"

Warbucks, Grace, Annie, Molly, Roosevelt, Ensembl

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The Orchestra		

The Orchestra

James Chipman—conductor

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Diane Gehling—Saxophone/Clarinet/Flute

Cast Biographies

David Almevda (Ensemble)

David has teched in a few other plays, including *Once Upon a Mattress* and *Company*, and he played in the orchestra in *Footloose*. This is his first time onstage and teching. He would like to thank his family for their support.

Victoria Arribe (NYC Actress, Ensemble)

Victoria Arribere has enjoyed music through theatre and other means since she was young. She currently sings wih the Chamber Choir and plays flute with the Wind Ensemble at Gilroy High. She hopes to pursue her passion for singing by continuing her involvement with this company and others.

Julia Brewka (Ensemble)

Currently Julia is a freshman at Archbishop Mitty High School and love it! She enjoys being on track and field and hanging out with friends. She loves going to the beach and doing plays with SVCT. Julia is also excited for her Buster, who is making his debut with SVCT.

Bea Camua (Ensemble, Mrs. Pugh understudy)

Originally from Manila, Philippines, Bea holds a BA in Interdisciplinary Studies from the Ateneo de Manila University. Her background spans TV, film and theater. She moved to California to pursue a Master of Fine Arts in Dance. *Annie* marks her comeback to the performing arts scene after an extended hiatus.

Greg Casper (Bert Healy, Ensemble)

Greg is very pleased to be doing his second show with SVCT. He last appeared as "Nicely-Nicely" in 2004's *Guys and Dolls*. A seasoned actor and singer, Greg would just like to thank all the orphans for making *Annie* such a great show! And a special shout out to Alan "Cueball" Chipman.

Alan Chipman (Warbucks)

"It's too good a role to pass up. And who wouldn't want to be a billionaire—even if it's only for four weekends." Alan has been

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performing with SVCT since the 2002 season when he was the music director for *My Fair Lady*. In 2004 he played "Big Jule" in *Guys and Dolls*. Alan only commits to full involvement every other year, as he keeps very busy in other family, professional, church and community activities.

Melanie Chipman (Ensemble)

Melanie is usually happy to be involved with *Annie*. This is her debut on stage, though she has been involved in other SVCT productions, such as *The Fantasticks, Disney's Aladdin Jr.*, and *Company*, both before and after birth.

Jason Cooper (Hull, Lt. Ward, Ensemble)

Jason is a writer with two screenplays advancing to quarter finalists in two different competitions this year. He is also a musician/songwriter and has just completed his second album with his wife Natasha. He has now decided to give acting a shot in order to encourage his daughter's passions.

Molly Cooper (Orphan)

Molly lives in Morgan Hill. This is her 2nd performance with SVCT. She was recently in *Narnia*. Molly is 8 and enjoys singing and acting. She loves her family, friends and anything to do with puppies.

Megan Corbridge (Tessie)

Megan is a 7th grade student at Britton Middle School. She has been in 5 SVCT shows and her favorite parts include "Jasmine" in *Aladdin* and "Jane" in *Peter Pan*. In her free time she enjoys

snowboarding, singing, and hanging out with friends. She had a lot of fun in this show and hopes you enjoy it.

Donald Cowan (Ickes, Judge Brandeis, Ensemble)

Don has performed in local community theatres since 1978. He has also appeared as an extra in feature films and television. Don was the Live Oak High School varsity wrestling coach from 1976-80 and freshman football coach from 1976-78. He has taught Math at Live Oak since 1976, and has been a realtor since 1981. He is presently a broker/associate with Butler Properties in Morgan Hill.

Donna Cowan (Mrs. Pugh, Ensemble)

Donna has performed in local community theatres since 1978. She played the lead role of Miss Minchin in Gilroy's Family Musical Theatre's 1997 production of *A Little Princess*. Donna has appeared as an extra in feature films and television, and is presently the Announcing Chair for the Morgan Hill 4th of July Parade. She has taught English and Speech at Live Oak High and Gavilan College since 1977 and 1979, respectively.

Hannah Curd (Annette, Ensemble)

Hannah is 16 years old and a sophomore at Live Oak High. *Annie* is her 9th production with SVCT. She enjoys going to local shows, listening to music, and driving the golf cart with Jess Elsie. "I hope you enjoy the show!"

Jessica Damron (Ensemble)

Jessica is 15 years old and in her 7th onstage performance with SVCT. Her favorite role was "Twin 2" (one of the lost boys) in *Peter Pan*. She would like to thank her friend Mono (who's been her sidekick in all 7 shows) for being her best friend.

Mike Damron (Perkins, Ensemble)

This is Mike's 4th onstage performance with SVCT. He was last seen as the "Headless Horseman" in *Sleepy Hollow*. He also performed in *The Wiz* and *Grease*. Mike wants to thank his girlfriend, Helena, for being so supportive and helpful.

Tyler Damron (Johnson, Ensemble)

Tyler Damron loves to do theater and this is his seventh show with SVCT. Tyler enjoys playing hockey and entertaining kids at Chuck

E Cheese. He hopes you enjoy the show and that you get your money's worth.

Mariah Derry (Orphan)

Mariah Derry (13) is excited to reprise her role as an orphan in *Annie*. Mariah LOVES acting and playing soccer. As a youngster she played an orphan in STAR theatre productions & a penguin in *Mary Poppins*. She looks forward to singing and dancing in this year's SVCT's production of *Annie*.

Laura Doughty (Ensemble, Orphan understudy)

Laura is 12 years old. She is in 7th grade at Brownell Middle School. She has played the piano for four years. She likes to knit, ski, rock-climb, and hike. This is her 2nd performance with SVCT. She has only performed with STAR.

Mikul Ericsson (Ensemble)

Mikul Eriksson is 16 and a junior at Palma High School. *Annie* is his second show being involved with SVCT. He would like to say, "I don't know what to say ha ha. OWM ROFL WTF."

Jo Anna Evans (Miss Hannigan)

Annie marks the 9th production Jo Anna has had the honor of being involved in for SVCT. She has a Master's degree in theater and has directed and performed in such shows as *Company*, A Midsummer Night's Dream, Lend Me A Tenor, Blithe Spirit, and too many others to list. She wants to thank Colleen for the opportunity to abuse orphans in public (and have people be OK with that). Most of all, she thanks the best 3 kids a woman ever





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had the privilege to be a mother to and would like to say "I love you Mom & Dad, and wish with all my heart that you were here."

Alissa Eves (Connie Boylan, Ensemble)

Alissa is currently a film student at Gavilan, where she is attempting to complete her general education before transferring to UCLA. She has been in 11 shows during the last seven years, doing anything from performing in the cast to orchestra to tech crew. She enjoys every minute of the stress-filled theatre life. Alissa also enjoys playing the piano, the flute and percussion. During the fall, she spends her free time teaching auxiliary percussion for the Gilroy High School Marching Band.

Randy Eves (Appleseller, Marine, Ensemble)

This play is Randy's first play with SVCT. He was in a few plays a long time ago, and he is also currently in the Gilroy High School Chorus and in the Gilroy High Chamber Choir. He has also been in gymnastics for about eight years.

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Emmy Farese (Molly)

Emmy is a 2nd grade student at Silver Oak School (San Jose). This is her 2nd SVCT production, after recently playing "Glimfeather the Eagle" in *Narnia*. Credits also include AMTSJ's *Wizard of Oz* as a "Lullaby Baby Munchkin", "Poppy" and "Dear Edwina Jr". She loves performing, jamming on the piano, and enjoying her cat Chloe.

Susan Farese (Mrs. Greer, Ensemble)

This is Susan's 1st SVCT production after a very long hiatus from performing (circa 1970's!). She was "forcefully recruited" to audition by daughter Emmy ("Molly"). Susan has danced in lots of remote recitals, has several voiceover credits, is the author of <u>Poetic Expressions in Nursing</u> and is a P/T Legal Nurse Consultant with 25+ years of nursing experience in military and civilian roles.

Amanda Frey (Bonnie Boylan, Ensemble)

Amanda Frey is 16 years old and a sophomore attending San Benito High School. This is her fifth performance and her first with SVCT. Amanda enjoys golf, singing, dancing, and acting, and would like to dedicate this performance to her friends and family.

Jessica Frey (Ensemble)

Jessica Frey is currently a freshman at San Benito High School. Although this is her first play with SVCT, she has performed in many plays in the past. Jessica loves acting and dancing. She would like to dedicate this performance to her parents.

Jay Hanson (President Roosevelt, Ensemble)

Jay is having a great time acting with his two daughters. Previous SVCT plays include *Narnia*, *Oklahoma!*, *The Music Man*, and *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum*. He would like to

dedicate this performance to his stunning and ever-patient wife, Cami

Macy Hanson (Annie)

Macy is enjoying playing "Annie". She has also performed in Narnia, Tom Sawyer, Annie Jr., The Emperor's New Clothes, and Rats. Her favorite food is fruit, and she loves to sing, act, dance and play the piano. She attends Oakwood Country School and loves hanging out with her friends. She is grateful for all the help her mother gives her. She hopes you enjoy the show!

Maddie Hanson (Orphan)

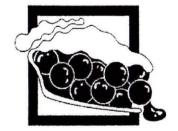
Maddie is enjoying being in her second SVCT production. She recently played "Lucy" in *Narnia*. She has also played "Jasper", the Evil Henchman in 101 Dalmations as well as roles in *Tom Sawyer* and *Rats!* Maddie loves playing the piano and taking dance lessons. She likes reading and hanging out with her friends. She is enjoying performing with her dad and her sister in this show.

Eleanor Harnett (Orphan)

Eleanor Harnett is a 3rd generation performer with SVCT. She has appeared in the SVCT productions of *Narnia* and *Follow That Rabbit*. Besides acting, Eleanor loves reading, playing chess, knitting, Girl Scouts, Harry Potter, and playing with her 5th grade friends at Paradise Valley.

Madison Haeussler (Orphan)

Madison has been acting since she was five years old. This is her first play with SVCT, and it's been great! In Madi's free time, she enjoys dancing, playing soccer, running and acting. Madi's favor-



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ite parts were "Fern" in Charlotte's Web and "Mrs. Gloop" in Charlie and the Chocolate Factory.

Tom Hepner (Rooster)

This production of *Annie* marks the 22nd year Tom has worked with SVCT. In addition to other local South Valley theaters, he has appeared in several San Jose Civic Light Opera productions. Tom would like to thank the hard-working production staff of *Annie* as well as his wife and family for all their support.

Caiden Kehrer (Ensemble)

Caiden Kehrer, 6, enjoys riding his bike, soccer, skipping rocks on the lake, and playing with all his friends. *Annie* is Caiden first performance with SVCT. Thank you for coming!

Kim Kehrer (Sophie, Ensemble)

Kim Kehrer cherishes performing with her three children. Kim dedicates this performance to her wonderful husband who has been the essence of her happy life and ability to enjoy every moment with her children. Thank you to all those who have helped on our behalf. You are stupendous!

McKenzie Kehrer (July)

McKenzie Kehrer, 12, is grateful to her music teachers- Faith, Mr. Robb, and Lori Paolini for taking the time to inspire her. *Annie* is her 4th show for SVCT. Her favorite subjects are Algebra and Rhetoric. May we bring laughter to your hearts, smiles to your faces and tears to your eyes!

Sierra Kehrer (Ensemble)

Sierra Kehrer, 9, enjoys singing, laughing, reading, jazz and tap dancing and spending time with her friends. This is her 3rd SVCT show. Thank you to all those who helped put *Annie* together. She says "HI" to everyone and may you enjoy the show.

Megan Kinkel (Cecile, Ensemble)

Annie is Megan's sixth time being on stage with SVCT and her eighth time being part of an SVCT production. When she is not onstage she can usually be found backstage teching, playing/

listening to music, reading, writing, or with her friends. Smile, be happy and enjoy the show!

Nicole LaJeunesse (Duffy)

Annie is Nicole's second SVCT show. She's performed in other shows with CMT and Mad Friday. *Annie* is one of Nicole's favorite shows and she is excited to be playing the role of Duffy. She enjoys acting, skiing, traveling and swimming. She hopes that someday she will be on Broadway!

Natasha Leyba (Ensemble)

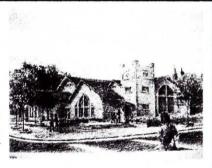
Natasha dedicates this performance to Jason and Molly. This is her debut with SVCT. Natasha is an artist that lives in Morgan Hill with her family where she writes and sings her own music with her husband and takes care of her daughter.

Alex Lotko (Orphan)

Alex is making her debut performance with SVCT! She has been in several school plays. She is 8 years old and does karate and plays soccer. Alex would like to be an actress now and a marine

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biologist when she grows up! She especially likes feeding dolphins and stingrays!

Tiffany Lotko (Ensemble)

Tiffany is coming out of retirement for her debut performance with SVCT! She is excited to be performing with her daughter Alex, the dirty, messy orphan named "Cucumber".

Dominick Lucido (Wacky, Ensemble)

Dominick is in the 5th grade at Nordstrom Elementary. He is also a black belt in karate. He enjoys doing stunts, gymnastics, and acting. This is his 2nd play with SVCT. Dominick was in *Aladdin*. He would like to make a shout out to his friends and family. "Ask me to sing the llama song."

Lexie Mallette (Orphan)

Lexie Mallette has been singing since she was tiny. She made her stage debut at age 5 singing a solo in the El Toro Elementary School's annual talent show. Lexie is 12 years old and goes to Martin Murphy Middle School. She has loved her first experience with SVCT and hopes to do more shows in the future!

Alex Mandel (Pepper)

Some of Alex's favorite parts with SVCT have been "Wilbur" in *Charlotte's Web* and "Spritely" in *Snow White*. Being in *Annie* has been awesome. In Alex's free time, she enjoys playing soccer, do-

ing gymnastics, drama, playing trumpet and piano, and hanging out with her friends. She thanks her parents for driving her.

McKenna Miles (Orphan)

McKenna Miles, 11, is in the fifth grade. This is her second SVCT production, the first she loved singing and dancing in *Aladdin*. She has been performing since she was three and takes voice lessons. She enjoys playing the trumpet and rock climbing. Broadway is her goal!

Terri Miles (Ensemble)

This is Terri's first on-stage production with SVCT, after having been involved with community theater for three years. She loves supporting all the actors backstage, with make-up, prop building and costuming. When not being a mom she enjoys cycling, skiing and sewing.

Danielle Moore (Kate)

Annie is Danielle's debut with SVCT. She enjoys singing, dancing, and swimming, and is interested in pursuing Musical Theater. She's in 4th grade, attends St. Mary's School in Gilroy, and sings with the Jr. Choir.

Deborah Parks (Ensemble)

Deborah Parks is a freshman at Live Oak High School. This is her third show with SVCT and she is having a blast. She would like to thank her friend Alex for getting her involved with SVCT, and her friend Marissa for helping her through life. "I love you guys!!!"

Tami Piper (Grace)

This is Tami's second show with SVCT and she loves every minute of it! Favorite roles she has played are "Ado Annie" in *Oklahoma* and "Abby Brewster" in *Arsenic and Old Lace*. Offstage Tami does her best to keep up with her three sons. Love and thanks to Jeffrey for his support!

Joy Reynolds (Lily St. Regis)

Joy has been an active member of SVCT for the last five years.

This is her 4th onstage performance; she was last seen as "Adelaide" in *Guys and Dolls*. She is so excited to be doing this show with all four of her kids!

Rebecca Reynolds (Ensemble)

This is 5 year old Becca's first show ever, 'though she's no stranger to the theatre. She is so excited to be in this production of *Annie* with her sister, Jessica, her two brothers, Mike and Tyler, and her mom, Joy.

Jessica Roberts (Orphan)

Jessica, 12, is graduating from Nordstrom School this year and entering the 7th grade. She absolutely loves to be on stage and wants to be a professional actress someday. *Annie* is her third show with SVCT, and second show with Colleen. Jessica would like to give a shout out to all of her friends.

Manuel Silva (Drake, Ensemble)

Hello, this is Oswald, Mr. Manuel Silva's bio. I would like to tell you that after starting up with SVCT last year Manuel has been involved in eight of the nine shows including and after *Once Upon a Mattress* although I, Oswald, have only appeared in three programs including *Annie*. Oh yeah, Manuel likes to hang out with his friends and work on computers in his spare time. Lastly, "enjoy the show!" from both of us.

Eric Tracy (Ensemble)

Eric Tracy is 12 years old and in the 6th grade. He likes to play with his friends and go fishing in his spare time. Eric has been in numerous plays such as *The Emperor's New Clothes*, *Rats*, and *Tom Sawyer*. He has also participated in *Jungle Book* here at the playhouse. He is also on a competitive class one soccer team.

Ray Trimble (Mr. Bundles, Howe, Ensemble)

This is Ray's first attempt ever at musical theatre. He's hoping it won't be the last.

Christel Yehle (Perkins, Ensemble)

This is Christel's debut performance with SVCT. She spends most of her time raising 3 children, volunteering at Jackson Ele-

mentary, and enjoys triathlon/marathon training with her friends. She wants to thank Dave for his continuous support, her parents for making the trip from Richmond, VA and Cindy who believes "Anything is Possible"

Lauren Yehle (Orphan)

This is Lauren's second show. She's been in a choir for one year and has been skating for four years. She loves to read, write, and sing. She wants to thank her family, her Omie, Mrs. Anderson, and Miss Nuefeld.

Patrick Yehle (Ensemble)

This is Patrick's first show with SVCT. He is a first grader at Jackson Elementary. Patrick loves karate, animals and participating in St. Catherine's church choir. A special thanks to his Omie and Opie for coming from Virginia to see him in this production.

Buster (other dog)

Buster is a 1-year-old Jack Russell Terrier/Chihuahua. He decided to follow his older 'sisters', Jessica and Julia, and make his stage debut. Buster enjoys long walks, playing fetch with his 'people', playing with his kitty friend, Winnifred, and his doggy friend, Maggie. Buster thanks his family, especially his Mom, for all their support. Woof!

Hank (Sandy)

Hank, aka "Sandy", is a $2^{1}l_{2}$ year old golden retriever. He just finished his career in obedience, earning a CD & CDX title. He is a registered therapy dog and frequently participates in dog shows with his handler Emma Fladeboe. Hank hopes to be in more plays in the future.



Staff Biographies



Colleen Chipman (Director)

Colleen is thrilled to have been given the opportunity to work with such an incredibly talented cast. She has directed many youth shows in the area, including *Peter Pan* and *Disney's Aladdin Jr.*Along with directing, Colleen enjoys many aspects of musical theatre, especially performing with various companies in the Bay Area. Most recently, she has been seen onstage with SVCT as "Amy" in *Company* and "Luisa" in *The Fantasticks*.

James Chipman (Music Director)

James has enjoyed his involvement with SVCT over the last four years. He has participated in various capacities as actor, music and vocal director, lighting designer, the director's right arm, and trumpet player. His Music Director credits include *Peter Pan, Disney's Aladdin Jr.*, and *The Fantasticks*. He has also been seen on the SVCT stage recently as "Bobby" in this season's *Company*.

Kat Hepner (Choreographer, Ronnie Boylan)

Kat is excited to be a part of "Annie". She has thoroughly enjoyed working with such talented children and adults! She is thankful to her husband Tim for his ongoing support through yet another production. She hopes that everyone enjoys the show, and wishes to tell the cast "Break a Leg!"



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Stephen Porter (Co-Producer)

Steve worked technical theater during his school days in the 1950's and then gave it up for college and work as an electrical engineer. In 1989 his high school age daughter convinced him to come out of "retirement" to do sound design for her Saratoga High School production of *Oliver* where she was Stage Manager. Since then, Steve has designed sound for more than 25 musical productions for various schools and community theater groups. *Annie* is his first (and possibly last) attempt to produce a musical. He hopes you enjoy the show!

Larry Tom (Co-Producer)

This is Larry's third time producing a show for SVCT. He has also co-produced *How To Succeed in Business Without Really Trying* and *Run For Your Wife*. Larry is usually seen onstage: he has been in many productions with SVCT, Lyric Theatre of San Jose, and West Valley Light Opera in productions ranging from musical comedies to opera. His recent appearances have been in SVCT's *Company, The Fantasticks,* and *Guys and Dolls*. He especially enjoys productions—such as this one—where he gets to work with his whole family.

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