Dear Parents and Students,

Congratulations on your decision to join the cast of Mary Poppins! This packet contains all the materials that you will need for auditions. <u>Please complete the audition form (last page of this packet) and have your child bring it to the vocal audition with an attached recent photo. Please DO NOT return audition form and/or photo to your child's teacher- have your child bring it with him/her to auditions.</u>

The week after auditions, your child will receive an invitation to join the cast with his/her part listed on the invitation. Attached to the invitation will be a commitment contract which will need to be handed in at the first full cast rehearsal on December 21, 2015.

Also, as a reminder, there is participation fee of \$50.00, payable to "LHSPTG Lloyd Harbor Theatre Arts Club" which helps to defray costs of the production. This must be paid following the posting of the cast. Please send the participation fee and your signed permission slip to the main office in an envelope addressed to: "LHSPTG Lloyd Harbor Theatre Arts Club." Include your child's name and teacher.

Finally, please see the "audition checklist" below. This year is sure to be our best show yet on the Lloyd Harbor Stage! Break a leg!

Sincerely, Christopher McKee, Director

#### **Audition Checklist**

# <u>Vocal Audition- Wednesday, December 9- 3:15-5:30-You will need:</u>

- 1) Completed Audition Form
- 2) Photo
- 3) Lyric Sheets (included in this packet)
- 4) Change of Transportation Slip

Acting Audition- Friday, December 11- 3:15-5:30-You will need:

- 1) Scene selections (you will receive this at Vocal Auditions)
- 2) Change of Transportation Slip

# **Vocal Auditions for Mary Poppins**

Below is a list of the four songs that you may choose from for Vocal Auditions next week. You may only choose ONE song for your audition, so choose the song that you feel most comfortable singing. Below, you will see instructions for finding videos of the songs on Youtube.com. Also included in this packet are the lyrics for audition songs. Happy Singing!

## "Youtube Song List"

In order to find the songs on Youtube, choose one of these two options:

- 1) You can type the link that you see below the song directly into your web browser
- 2) Go to <u>www.Youtube.com</u> and type the search words into the Youtube search bar. (Search words are listed in quotes within the parentheses below the songs.)

## Chim Cheree Prologue

\*\*\*\*There is a lengthy instrumental introduction to this song. The actual singing starts at 0:50 in the video.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=liHWv6smyqQ

(or type "Mary Poppins Prologue" directly in the Youtube search bar. It is the first video that comes up.)

## **Spoonful of Sugar**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3IBvtuZNgAM

(or type "Spoonful of Sugar Broadway" directly in the Youtube search bar. It is the first video that comes up.)

#### Let's go Fly a Kite

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bjfMBUHJS9c

(or type "Let's go fly a kite broadway" directly in the Youtube search bar. It is the first video that comes up.)

#### <u>Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious</u>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Skaoe5\_TSSA

(or type "Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious Broadway" directly in the Youtube search bar. It is the first video that comes up)

## **Lyrics for Audition Songs**

\*\*\*Choose ONE of these songs for your audition. Please prepare ONLY the sections of the songs that are listed below. Good Luck!

## **Chim Cheree (Prologue)-**

Winds in the east, theres a mist comin' in Like somethin' is brewin' and 'bout to begin.
Can't put me finger on what lies in store,
But I feel what's to happen all happened before.
A father, a mother, a daughter a son The threads of their lives are all raveling undone Somethin' is needed to twist 'em as tight,
as a string you might use when you're flyin' a kite Chim chimeny chim chim, cheree chim cheroo!

# **Spoonful of Sugar**

[Spoken] In every job that must be done There is an element of fun

[Sung]
You find the fun and snap!
The job's a game

And every task you undertake
Becomes a piece of cake
A lark! A spree! It's very clear to see
That A Spoonful of sugar helps the medicine go down
The medicine go down
The medicine go down
Just a spoonful of sugar helps the medicine go down
In the most delightful way

# **Lets Go Fly a Kite**

With tuppence for paper and strings You can have your own set of wings With your feet on the ground You're a bird in flight With your fist holding tight To the string of your kite

Oh, oh, oh!
Let's go fly a kite
Up to the highest height!
Let's go fly a kite and send it soaring
Up through the atmosphere
Up where the air is clear
Oh, let's go fly a kite!

# <u>Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious</u>

\*\*There are a few spoken lines at the beginning of the video. (Ignore them)

When trying to express oneself, it's frankly quite absurd,

To leaf through lengthy lexicons to find the perfect word. A little spontaneity keeps conversation keen, You need to find a way to say, precisely what you mean...

Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious! Even though the sound of it is something quite atrocious! If you say it loud enough, you'll always sound precocious,

Supercalifragilistic expialidocious!