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The  
Wizard  
Of  
**Oz**  
IN CONCERT



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# The Wizard Of Oz

## IN CONCERT

**FEBRUARY 9 & 10, 2019**

Adapted from the 1939 MGM film *The Wizard of Oz*  
Screenplay by Noel Langley, Florence Ryerson, and  
Edgar Allan Woolf, from the book by L. Frank Baum  
Music by Harold Arlen Lyrics by E.Y. Harburg

**Jung-Ho Pak**, Conductor

**David Kuehn/Cotuit Center for the Arts**, Producer

**Michele Colley**, Director

**Katie Koglin**, Music Director

**Jim Hoeck**, Visual Projections

**Misao Koyama**, Rehearsal Accompanist

**Tami Trask**, Costumes

**Bonnie Corliss**, Props

**Matthew White, The Trainer K-9  
Services**, Toto Wrangler

## STARRING

Dorothy ..... Jessica Curran  
The Scarecrow/Hunk .....Keirnon McDermott  
The Tin Man/Hickory ..... Anthony Teixeira  
The Cowardly Lion/Zeke.....Jeffrey Clonts  
The Wicked Witch of the West/Miss Gulch .....Eileen Fendler  
The Wizard/Professor Marvel ..... Cleo Zani  
Aunt Em/Glinda ..... Kami Lyle  
Uncle Henry/Guard .....Daniel Fontneau  
Toto ..... Finley

## ACT I

Overture  
Over the Rainbow  
Cyclone  
Munchkinland / Ding Dong! The Witch is Dead / Yellow Brick Road  
If I Only Had a Brain / We're Off to See the Wizard  
If I Only Had a Heart / We're Off to See the Wizard  
If I Only Had the Nerve / We're Off to See the Wizard  
Poppies

### INTERMISSION

## ACT II

Entr'acte  
The Merry Old Land of Oz  
If I Were King of the Forest  
Winkies March  
Jitterbug  
Reprise: Winkies March  
Reprise: Somewhere Over the Rainbow  
Reprise: Ding Dong! The Witch is Dead  
Finale Sequence



**Jessica Curran**  
Dorothy

A jazz-pop vocalist, composer, arranger, and lyricist, Jessica soaks in stories and soundscapes from the countries she's visited and connects the world through her songwriting and colorful arrangements. She will make her Provincetown Jazz Festival debut this summer.



**Keirnon McDermott**

The Scarecrow/Hunk  
An actor, singer and performer since second grade, Keirnon has been actively involved in theaters all over the region. His favorite roles include Leo Bloom, Puck, and Dr Frank-N-Furter. Keirnon is also trained in costume design and special effects makeup.



**Anthony Teixeira**

The Tin Man/Hickory  
Anthony is a local performer, producer, music director, and educator who has been seen in many shows and concerts at CCFTA, Cape Rep Theatre, Brave Horse Music, Cape Cod Theatre Company/HJT, and Theater Under the Stairs.



**Jeffrey Clonts**

The Cowardly Lion/Zeke  
Jeffrey's career highlights include Broadway productions of *Les Miserables* and *CATS* as well as numerous national tours. His Cape credits include *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum*, *A Little Night Music*, and *Jesus Christ Superstar*.

## The Wizard of Oz Chorus

Mckay Auger  
Andrew Baldasaro  
Florence Carlson  
Jacob Carlson  
Rachel Corliss  
Randy Doyle  
Jonathan Dunn  
Fiona Fayd-Waygan

Paul Fendler  
Michael Good  
Aeva Hammond  
Elizabeth Koglin  
Steve Koglin  
Shelby Locascio  
Aiden Langhorne  
Janet Leahy

Karen McPherson  
Ella Muhlebach  
James Newton  
Aberle Norton  
Laura O'Neill  
Maureen O'Neill  
Sarah O'Toole  
Martha Paquin

Meredith Richter  
Alyssa Richter  
Frank Scanzillo  
Paula Schnepf  
Sonia Schonning  
Daniel Smily  
Anne Spillane  
Alexandra Tsourides

Natalia Tsourides  
Max Wesp  
Michael White  
Thomas White  
R. Michael Wresinski

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80 years ago *The Wizard of Oz* burst onto movie screens across the country, changing not only cinema but culture forever. Today, it's considered the most influential film of all time. But did you know that one of the first places where people saw Dorothy arrive in the Technicolor Munchkinland was right here on Cape Cod?

The date was August 11, 1939, and the soon-to-be-iconic film was projected at the Cape Cinema in Dennis. According to the *Boston Globe*, Margaret Hamilton, the actress who unforgettably portrayed the Wicked Witch of the West, had appeared at the Cape Playhouse and may have had a hand in bringing the movie premiere to the Cape Cinema across the lawn. After this brief test run on the Cape and in Wisconsin, *The Wizard of Oz* opened nationwide on August 25, mere days before the outbreak of World War II, and 80 years later, it's still entrancing audiences.



### Eileen Fendler

The Wicked Witch of the West/Miss Gulch

Eileen has appeared in *Bye, Bye Birdie*, *Putnam County Spelling Bee*, and *Clue*, all at the Cape Cod Theater Company/HJT, and in CCFTA's *Anything Goes*. As part of the music duo Two Cool, Eileen performs all over the Cape.



### Cleo Zani

The Wizard/Professor Marvel

Cleo has performed on stage and screen throughout New England, and pursues his interest in theater and music around the Cape and Rhode Island, when not tied to his keyboard as Senior Software Engineer for McLane Research Laboratories.



### Kami Lyle

Aunt Em/Glinda

Kami is an award-winning singer-songwriter/pianist/trumpet player from Minneapolis, MN. A graduate of Berklee College of Music, her voice, songs, and trumpet can be heard on numerous film and television soundtracks, but she especially enjoys performing live.



### Daniel Fontneau

Uncle Henry/Guard

A long-time employee of CCFTA, Daniel has appeared in many productions at Cape theaters, including *Pirates of Penzance*, *Annie*, *Waiting for Godot*, *Urinetown*, and *Cabaret*. The *Cape Cod Times* called Daniel "a master of facial expressions."

## CCFTA's Wizards Behind the Curtain

Pay no attention to the Wizards behind the curtain. The production team from Cotuit Center for the Arts is thrilled to collaborate again with the Cape Symphony. Michele Colley is an accomplished dancer, director and choreographer who originally brought the idea of "The Wizard of Oz in Concert" to David Kuehn, the Executive Director of Cotuit Center for the Arts, who asked Jung-Ho Pak if he'd give Michele some advice on a back-up band. He did. And here we are!

Cotuit's Jim Hoeck, theatrical jack of all trades, joined in to create the projected visual imagery. "Wizard" expert and renowned harpist Katie Koglin, assisted by Misao Koyama, were tapped to prepare Dorothy, her friends, and the adorable Munchkins, Winkies, Jitterbugs, and anyone else singing. Stalwart costume and props designers Tami Trask and Bonnie Corliss came on board to accessorize and style our wonderful cast.

All of us from the production team at Cotuit Center for the Arts would like to thank Jung-Ho for this amazing opportunity and are honored to work with the production team of the Cape Symphony.

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