

**KIRWAN STATE HIGH SCHOOL**  
**PRESENTS**

# ALL SHOOK UP

**A Rock & Roll  
Musical Comedy**

**MAY 31 - JUNE 2  
Townsville Civic Theatre**

Inspired by and featuring the  
songs of Elvis Presley.

Book by Joe Dipietro.

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**THE STORY IS ALL NEW. The music is all *ELVIS***



## PRINCIPAL'S NOTE...

Kirwan High continues its tradition of outstanding musical entertainment with this year's production of *All Shook Up*. Last year's performance of *Back to the 80's* was so enthusiastically received. I hope this year's production with its wonderful Elvis music will be just as successful.

When Murray Hill started this tradition with *O What a Lovely War* in 1984 he would only have dreamed that twenty-five musicals later Kirwan High would have established such an outstanding record and provided so much entertainment to the Townsville community.

And of course, Andrew Higgins has played a key role in sixteen of them. He heads a huge team of talented, hard working people who have committed themselves to producing Kirwan High excellence at the Civic Theatre.

Thousands of hours of work have gone into this production. The talent, creativity and hard work have been rewarded by a fantastic show.

Every student will contribute their piece of magic. You will all be well entertained and we will be proud.

Best wishes and good luck for a great show!

**John Livingston**

EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

## DIRECTORS' NOTE...

Welcome to *All Shook Up*! Hold onto your seat as you are transported back in time to America in the 1950s; a time where neckin', dancin' and singin' are strictly forbidden.

The process began in late February when auditions were called for all interested Kirwan High students to demonstrate their acting, dancing and singing skills in order to impress the production team in the race for lead roles. There were a vast number of students who brought exciting energy and passion to the stage. After careful deliberation, the lead actors and understudies were chosen for the main characters of the musical.

The production team then went to work every Sunday choreographing dances and rehearsing the songs of the one and only 'Elvis Presley'. There is no denying that these songs were complex to learn and perform; however, our ensemble has worked extremely hard to perfect every note. But let's not forget those famous moves of Elvis which have been choreographed and executed with style to help tell this intricate love story of many errors (a plot that resonates closely with Shakespeare's *Twelfth Night*). Countless hours were also dedicated by our lead cast in order to bring this script alive.

The cast has put in tireless effort these last few months and we are very proud to call this a Kirwan High musical.

**Tara Hausmann, Jamie Hunt and Julie Scull**

THE DIRECTION TEAM



## SYNOPSIS...

The songs of Elvis Presley form the backdrop for this musical comedy about Chad, a mysterious, leather-jacketed stranger who shakes up a small Midwestern American town in the 1950s. Natalie will go to drastic lengths to win Chad's affections but seems oblivious to Dennis who is in love with Natalie. Romance is in the air as the other characters all try to win hearts as rock and roll fever hits town, much to the disgust of the Mayor and the Sheriff. Don't worry though, there is a happy ending...

## CAST LIST...

### Chadettes

Sharnay Bregonje  
Ashley Fien  
Bianca Folbigg  
Danielle Lindsay  
Paige Matthews  
Mia McLeish  
Stephanie Mee  
Grace Royle  
Hannah Royle  
Keliena Seaton  
Ainsley Sloman  
Eloise Thompson

### Chadsters

Brad Moore  
Nathan Simmons  
Callan Smith  
Kyron Day

### Country Girls

Lauren Carvolth  
Sabrina Dobe  
Jessica Keasey  
Alex Lynam  
Harley Murdock  
Danielle Quantrill  
Aira Salvador

### Housewives

Brianna Martin  
Melissa Nicholson  
Maddy Northeast  
Stephanie Reid  
Courtney Searston  
Rhiana Vaughan

### Henrietta

Matao Atutahi

### Letterman Kids

Stephens Aka  
Kayley Broad  
Michaela Grant  
Daniel Hales  
Jayden Parsons  
Mackenzie Parsons  
Christine Weber  
Jordie Zahner

### Mayorettes

Melissa Fazel  
Brooke Gordon  
Bianca Hall  
Katelyn Simmons  
Stephanie Sloman  
Tegan Wilken

### Mean Girls

Theresa Eltagonde  
Lauren Filbee  
Kelsey Fysh  
Jordyn Keough  
Sophia Kruegel  
Jasmine O'Brien-Miller  
Ashleigh Pollard  
Katya Prideaux  
Taylah Ticehurst  
Lauren Conti  
Letitia Cummins  
Suzie Braeckmans

### Outsiders

Ayla Ferguson  
Aydin Hammond  
Summer Murdock  
Ian Zaro

### Town Council

Tristian Brooker  
Zackery Limmer  
Jordan Lomman  
Connor Milne  
Shane Murphy  
Udom Poojan  
Dylan Weiske

### Warden

Owen Bloomfield

### Guy

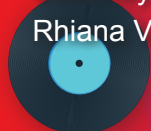
Connor Milne

### Bus Driver

Chris Nai

### Town Folk

Brandon Arthur  
Amanda Birnie  
Laura Groves  
Vanessa Jennings  
Alex McDougall  
Mikkayla McLeod  
Tiffany Weldon



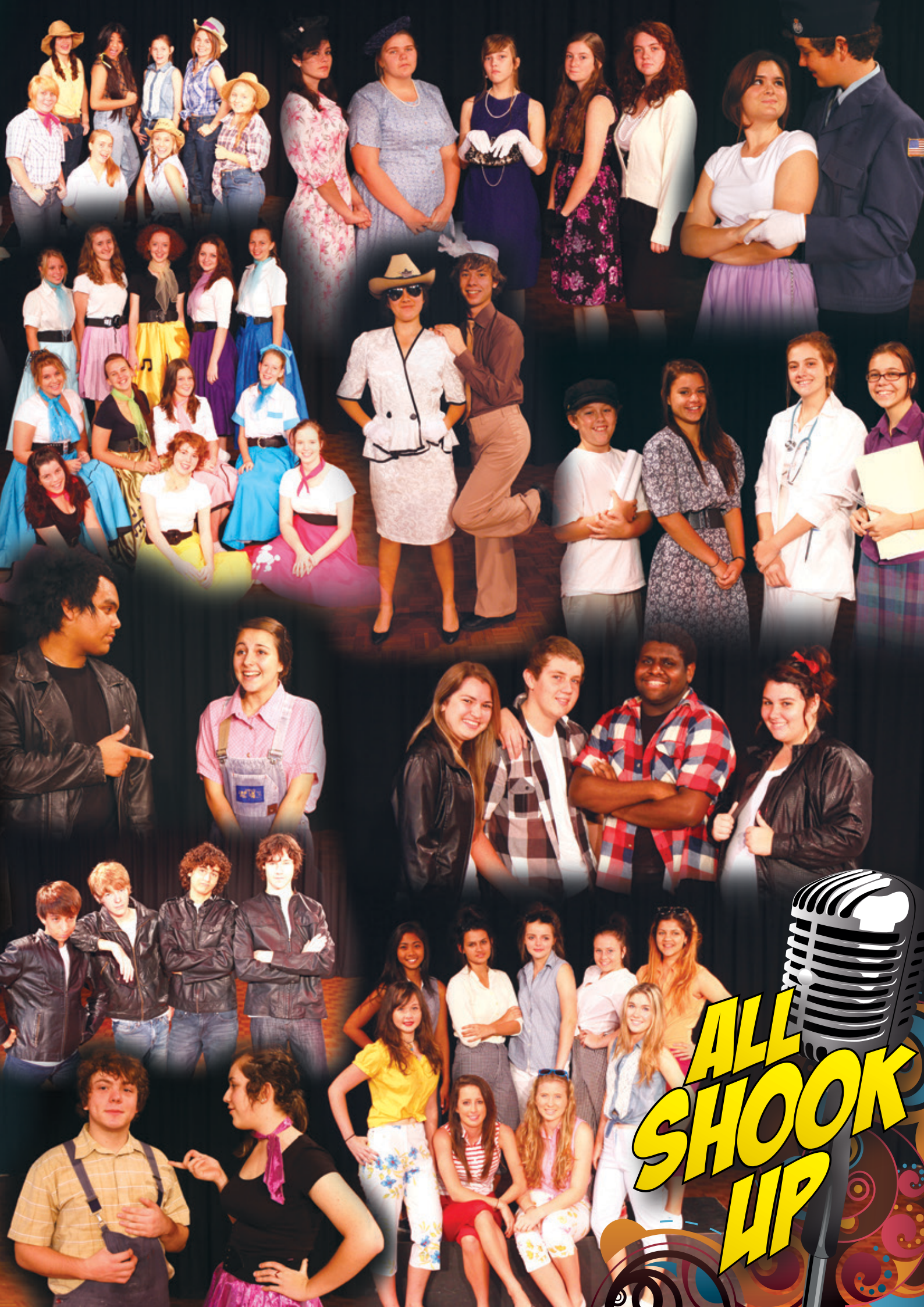


# **PAST PRODUCTIONS...**

- 1984 O What A Lovely War
- 1985 Oliver
- 1986 West Side Story
- 1987 The Boyfriend
- 1988 King and I
- 1989 Oklahoma
- 1990 Evita
- 1991 Puttin' on the Ritz
- 1992 Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat
- 1993 Bugsy Malone
- 1997 Oliver
- 1998 Dazzle
- 1999 Wizard of Oz
- 2000 Viva Mexico
- 2001 Pirates of Penzance
- 2002 Back to the 80s!
- 2003 Annie
- 2004 Grease
- 2005 Oliver
- 2006 Disco Inferno
- 2007 Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat
- 2008 The Sound of Music
- 2009 Grease
- 2010 Pirates of Penzance
- 2011 Back to the 80s!







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# PRINCIPAL BIOS...

## Natalie / Ashley Gregori

Ashley is currently performing in her fourth Kirwan High musical and is loving every second of it. This is her second lead, but first time at giving the main lead a shot. Ashley did *Mime Show* as a kid and that's what kick started her love for musical theatre. In her spare time, she loves to sing and dance, but most of all to perform in musicals. Ashley just got accepted into Creative Generation in Brisbane where she will be dancing non-stop for 7 days. Ashley and Natalie hope everyone has a great time, and just remember to clap and laugh as loud as you can.



## Chad / Erick Flores

This is Erick's first musical and first lead role. He is a talented year 12 student and is thrilled to be performing in *All Shook Up*. He is a keen guitarist in his spare time. One of his highlights has been working with the other cast members. Erick hopes you find the show to be a memorable experience.



## Dennis / Jason McMillan

*All Shook Up* is Jason's third musical, and his first lead role. He has had a blast performing in *All Shook Up* and really enjoys Elvis music. Jason has played violin for 9 years, and is also in the Kirwan Choir. Jason hopes you have as much fun watching the musical as he had preparing and performing it.



## Jim Haller / Brett Northeast

Brett is currently performing in his second musical on stage. He has had lots of fun this year playing the role of Jim Haller. A year 12 student at Kirwan, he was on stage last year and in the pit the year before. He is heavily interested in music, playing trombone and singing. He wishes all the cast good luck and gives them lots of love.



## Sylvia / Emma McDougall

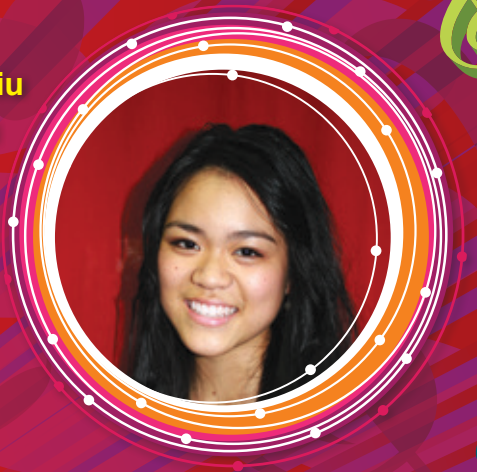
*All Shook Up* is Emma's fourth school musical and her first principal role, although she was a featured vocalist in last year's *Back to the 80's*. This year 11 student is also the resident vocalist for the Kirwan High Big Band and plays the clarinet in her spare time. Emma loves the challenge of a new musical each year and always believes in performing a wonderful show. She wishes the cast and crew the best of luck and hopes you will enjoy this amazing musical.





### Miss Sandra / Michelle Liu

Michelle is currently in year 11 and is performing in this year's school musical in her third lead role. Aside from taking part in musicals, she also enjoys piano lessons, and recently achieved her Diploma in Violin. Michelle has been accepted into Queensland's School Spectacular – Creative Generation – as a featured vocalist and is excited for the show, which is to be aired on television. As well as this, she leads both Kirwan Senior Strings and Pops Orchestra. Michelle hopes you enjoy the show, sit back, and giggle and wiggle to the music of *All Shook Up*.



### Lorraine / Bonnie Zaghini

Bonnie has been performing on stage since she was 2 years old and has always had a passion for musical theatre. She also enjoys playing the violin and guitar and composing her own songs in her spare time. This is her second and final Kirwan High musical. She is enjoying working with such an amazing cast and crew. Everyone involved has made this year's musical the highlight of the year so far. Bonnie wishes the cast and crew good luck and for everyone to enjoy the show. Let's get *'All Shook Up'*!



### Dean Hyde / Zac Parkes

This is Zac's third musical and second as a lead. He is in year 10 and has been a music freak for his whole life. He is a member of numerous school orchestras, and is also in a rock band that performs inside and outside of school. Zac hopes you enjoy the show as much as he has enjoyed being in it.



### Mayor Matilda / Cheyanne Pay

This is Chey's third musical, but her first as a principal. She's really enjoyed embracing her character and getting to know everything Elvis! Chey has been performing in Drama since grade 9 and is really looking forward to bringing *All Shook Up* to life! Chey thanks you all for coming and hopes you enjoy the show!



### Sheriff Earl / Aiden Barker

Since Grade 8, Aiden has been performing in Kirwan High musicals both on stage and in the orchestra. His musical theatre life ran a big debut in 2011 playing the lead role of Corey Palmer Junior in *Back to the 80s*. However he takes another lead role this year as the Town Sheriff following the Mayor around. His music passion began in 2006 when Aiden began trumpet. Since then he's earned awards for Australia's best cornet player, music captain and just recently, the conductor of Kirwan High's Wind Band. Aiden wishes you the best time in the audience, having as much fun as he has performing in the production.



## UNDERSTUDIES...

Matao Atutahi, Chris Nai, Grace Royal, Stephanie Sloman, and Nathan Simmons



## BEHIND THE SCENES...

Producer	Andrew Higgins
Vocal Director	Suellen Johns
Directors	Tara Hausmann Jamie Hunt Julie Scull
Musical Director	Dale Hosking
Choreographers	Chris Davis Katrina Mills
Vocals	Ivy Wu Malcolm Hume
Repetiteur	Malcolm Hume Tyler Chin
Costumes	Lisa Murray Debbie Downie Anne Sperring Carole Ogilvie Helen Groves Sally Sinclair Frances Warren Emily Strickland Townsville Choral Society
Props	Alyssa Beaufoy
Sunday Legends	Raelene Frantz Gary Gage Alex McKean Ash Eddison Nigel Martin
Publicity	Joanne Thomson John Livingston Kirwan office staff

## THE BAND...

Musical Director:	Dale Hosking
Reed 1:	Scott Simmons
Reed 2:	Alexia Hanschen
Reed 3:	Mitchell Sheppard
Reed 3:	Marissa Bonnell
Trumpet 1:	Dale Hosking
Trumpet 2:	Kelly Clarke-Flesser
Trumpet 2:	Ari Orro
Trombone:	Tangiora Armstrong
Guitar 1:	Paddy Higgins
Guitar 2:	Deklan Howden
Bass:	Bradley Quantrill
Drums:	Paul Nielsen
Keyboard 1:	Luty Kiyngi
Keyboard 2:	Spencer Cliff

## THE CREW...

Stage Manager	Kate Hennelly
Assistant Stage Managers	Angie Webster David Gallagher
Crew Chief	Carole Ogilvie
Backstage Crew	Students of KSHS
Lighting	Nate Leslie
Follow Spots	Rebecca Stanton-Cook Nicola Lucas
Sound	Mark Campbell
Hair and Makeup	Peta Hamilton Anne Sperring Katrina Mills Melanie Baxter
Set Design	Glenn Shield
Set	Kate Hennelly Dave Gallagher Sarah Potts Angie Webster Alex McKean Eli Thaiday Alyssa Beaufoy Adriana Hering Nicholas Hering Nicola Lucas Peta Hamilton Sarah Hamilton Townsville Choral Society
Photographer	Sally Sinclair
Hospitality	Rochelle Jones KSHS staff
TCT staff	Emily Molloy Rohan Thomas Terry Brown

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