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## Production Team

Student Director ..... Sammy Smalley  
 Assistant Producer ..... Allison Willard  
 Stage Manager ..... Lisa Richter  
 Stage Crew ..... Stephanie Alpers, Brittany Powell, Synthia Lane,  
 ..... Mike and Cheryl McCorkle  
 Orchestra ..... Karen Romig ~ Piano, Tyler Tarquini ~ Drums,  
 ..... Jamey Coutant ~ Keyboard  
 Cast Supervision ..... Jacee Seyfert, Martha Smith, Teri Cassem, Parents  
 Props ..... Misty Hughes, Melissa Marion, Cathie Marble  
 Sound Design ..... Todd Nardoni  
 Sound ..... Allison Willard, Kelsey Daugherty  
 Lights ..... Melissa Whitehair, Anjene'e Marion  
 Set Design/Construction ..... Joe Lerner, Rhonda Black, Rob Hughes,  
 ..... Gary Lickfett, Liz & Dan Strader, Tamara Switzer,  
 ..... Jim & Lori Lohrberg, Brittany Powell  
 Costumes ..... Rhonda Ellis, Marsha Williams, Sue Lewis, Parents  
 Make-up ..... Lorraine Morgan, Flynn Williams, Abby Thompson  
 Program ..... Jeanne Dunn  
 Publicity ..... Gretchen Wesner & Committee  
 Ticket & Box Office ..... Teri Cassem, Sue Lewis, Cathie Marble, Susie Willard

## SPECIAL THANKS TO...

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## Danville Light Opera's Upcoming Events:

A SUMMER NIGHT OF JAZZ WITH DLO ~  
 SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 2008

*At Vermilion Place on Hazel Street, Danville*

*An evening of entertainment featuring Doc Ashton and the Root Canals,  
 a variety of vocalists, desserts, wine & beer, and dancing!*

**MY FAIR LADY** ~ November 1 & 2, 2008 ~ DHS Auditorium

**CABARET** ~ February 13, 14 & 15, 2009 ~ The Bremer Center at DACC

**DO BLACK PATENT LEATHER SHOES REALLY REFLECT UP?**

*April 24, 25 & 26 and/or May 1, 2 & 3, 2009 (exact dates TBA)*

Tickets for A Summer Night of Jazz with DLO  
 and Season Memberships for DLO's 54<sup>th</sup> Season  
 available for purchase before the show and during intermission!

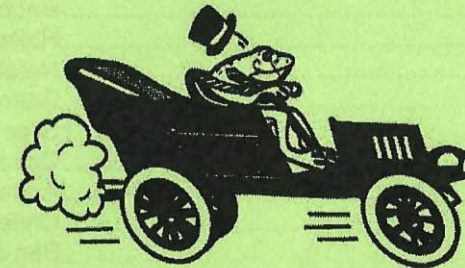
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 or call 217-431-1660

Danville Light Opera presents...

# The Mad Adventures of Mr Toad

Book by Vera Morris

Music and Lyrics by Scott DeTurk



Directed by **Amanda Coutant** Musical Direction by **Jamey Coutant**  
 Produced by **Angie Mansfield and Susie Willard**  
**Karen Romig**, Accompanist

### Performances

Friday, July 25, 2008 ~ 7:00 p.m. Saturday, July 26, 2008 ~ 7:00 p.m.  
 Sunday, July 27, 2008 ~ 2:00 p.m.

in the Bremer Conference Center at Danville Area Community  
 College.

Performed by special arrangement with Pioneer Drama Services, Inc.



# Cast

(in order of appearance)

Mole .....	Patrick Strader
Rat .....	Shelby Dale
Badger .....	Wes Billings-Wilson
Mouse 1 .....	Lauren Ellis
Mouse 2 .....	Brianna Hughes
Mouse 3 .....	Elizabeth Lerner
Mouse 4 .....	Helen Dale
Toad .....	Brian Coutant
Housekeeper .....	Justine Whitehair
Chief Weasel .....	Bryan Jenkins
Weasel 1 .....	Becca Lewis
Weasel 2 .....	Dakota Nale
Weasel 3 .....	Zayne McCorkle
Weasel 4 .....	Kalen McGowan
Weasel 5 .....	Demi Richter
Neighbor 1 .....	Megan Seyfert
Neighbor 2 .....	Taylor Ellis
Neighbor 3 .....	Karis Romig
Neighbor 4 .....	Rachel Parker
Neighbor 5 .....	Hailea Braaten
Neighbor 6 .....	Natalie Mahoy
Salesperson .....	Dalton Chrzanoski
Nurse .....	Gracie Black
Cynthia .....	Casey Marion
Bertie .....	Anna Lerner
Red Lion Owner .....	Christian Cunningham
Judge .....	Ben Lohrberg
Clerk .....	Richie Berner
Police Officer .....	Druhan Parker
Wife .....	Kennedy Hempel
Polly .....	Rachael Lewis
Washerwoman .....	Kayla Cassem
Barge Woman .....	Meredith Black
Fox 1 .....	Alexis Simmons
Fox 2 .....	Bailey Williams
Extra Fox Guards .....	Amanda Calton, Josh Cassem
Townpeople Ensemble .....	Kaitlyn Clark, Raenen Pettit, Sara Switzer, Lauren Powell, Eryn Marble
Animal Ensemble .....	Lane Warren, Natalie Dale, Samantha Wesner, Honor Morgan, Madison Thompson, Cora Lamb, Augusta Mansfield, Brooke Parker

# Synopsis of Scenes

## Prologue

Come to the Wood ..... Company

## ACT I

### Scene One: On the River Bank

Mr. Toad ..... Toad

### Scene Two: Night, the Wild Woods

Come to the Wood – Reprise ..... Weasels  
The Good Life ..... Chief Weasel, Weasels

### Scene Three: A Country Lane

A Danger to Society ..... Neighbors 1 – 6

### Scene Four: Terrace at Toad Hall

A Danger to Society Reprise 1 ..... Rat, Badger, Mole

### Scene Five: Night, A Country Lane

Down With Toad ..... Chief Weasel, Weasels

### Scene Six: Toad Hall

Mr. Toad – Reprise 1 ..... Toad

### Scene Seven: A Country Lane

A Quiet Drive in the Country ..... Cynthia, Bertie

### Scene Eight: A Courtroom

Don't Do the Crime If You Can't Do the Time ..... Judge, Company

## ACT II

### Entr'acte

#### Scene One:

A Sucker for a Pretty Face ..... Toad, Polly

#### Scene Two: Along the River

Mr. Toad – Reprise 2 ..... Toad

#### Scene Three: The River Bank

What Can Be Done? ..... Rat, Badger, Mole  
Down with Toad – Reprise ..... Foxes  
Mr. Toad – Reprise 4 ..... Toad

#### Scene Four: The Tunnel

#### Scenes Five and Six: Toad Hall

Let's Have a Feast ..... Housekeeper, Company

### Epilogue

Come to the Wood – Finale ..... Company