# Nickelodeon Based on the series by Stephen Hillenburg SPONGEBOD Book by Kyle Jarrow **MUSICaL**

# Original Songs by

Yolanda Adams, Steven Tyler and Joe Perry of Aerosmith, Sara Bareilles, Jonathan Coulton, The Flaming Lips, Lady A, Alex Ebert of Edward Sharpe & The M agnetic Zeros, Cyndi Lauper, John Legend, Panic! At the Disco, Plain White T's, They Might Be Giants, T.I.

And Songs by David Bowie, Tom Kenny & Andy Paley | Additional Lyrics by Jonathan Coulton Additional Music by Tom Kitt | Musical Production Conceived by Tina Landau



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# THE SPONGEBOB MUSICAL

#### **Artistic Team**

Cathy Wilmot – Director Keri Minty – Choreographer Jeremy Hoffman – Music Director Brian Ball – Set and Costume Designer Silvana Acosta – Assistant Costume Designer Hina Nishioka – Lighting Designer Kayli Taylor – Assistant Lighting Designer Matthew Goncalves – Sound Designer

#### Cast

Brett Williams - SpongeBob SquarePants Lauren Gibbs - Patrick Star Ava Stark - Sandy Cheeks David Longas Orozco - Squidward Q. Tentacles Tony Dizon – Eugene Krabs Sandrine Boudrias - Pearl Krabs Eric Timuss – Plankton Sarah Dimas – Karen the Computer/Ensemble Ainslee Dalzell – Patchy the Pirate, Ensemble (Sandy US) Rhianna Mathers - Perch Perkins/Gary, Ensemble Natasza Ptak – Mayor of Bikini Bottom/Pirate Emma Herding – Old Man Jenkins, Ensemble, Foley (Karen US) Julianne Biegler - Mrs Puff, Ensemble, (Squidward US) / Dance Captain Livia Cohen – French Narrator, Foley, Ensemble (Mayor US) Sam Eaves - Larry the Lobster, Ensemble (Krabs US) Troy Banks – Electric Skate, Ensemble (SpongeBob & Patrick US) Owen Connolly - Electric Skate, Ensemble Zoe Chow - Electric Skate, Ensemble (Plankton US)

> Eleanore Smith – Sardine/Ensemble (Pearl US) Madison Raybould – Ensemble/Swing

#### Band

Toshi Milardo – Keyboards Tyler Murray – Percussion Jennifer Innanen – Reeds Monica Sumulong Duma – Bass Brian DeCicco – Guitars Jeremy Hoffman – Music Director, keyboards

#### Production team

Production Manager Technical Practicum Supervisor Props and Paint Supervisor Stage Manager Assistant Stage Managers Mark "Sparky" Lawrence Mat Herrmann Michel Ostaszewski Kayla Nielsen Ryan Ghasemikian Bella Rose

Head Electrician Head Props Lighting Operator Follow Spot Operators

Sound Operator FOH Mix Monitor Mix Lav Mic tech Fly Operators

Carpenters, Props, Paint, Lights

Kyra Erickson Cole Getz Kris Valencia Alex Buckley Cienna Pyke Stefan Semke Kyra Erickson Matthew Goncalves Nicole Iwaasa Primo Chua Ewan Moullin Miles Murphy

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# **Costume Department**

Costume Instructors	Marija Djordjevic Corrine Larson
Lab Supervisors	Sharon Dallas
Assistant Costume Designers	Megan Wiebe Silvana Acosta
Costume Coordinators	Alex Beilin Kat Bounds
Assistant Coordinators	Arthur Traynor Lydia Holland Kaylis
Cutters	Caitlyn Baird, Gracie Berger-Poll Bri Chen, Michelle Couture Sealynn Cummings, Emily Krahn May Ging Humphrey, Nadia Ross Tyler Korst-Macdonald
Stitchers	Madeline Emmonds, Diba Golbarg Des Hale, Harris Lue Khalil, Cassidy Perrin
Heads of Dyeing + Breakdown	Gwyneth Steiner Grace Worosz
Assistant Dyeing + Breakdown Accessories	MariaTheodoropoulou Rowan Adams Vienna Tambre
Heads of Millinery/Wigs	Bianca Brioschi Sarin Kendall
Assistant Millinery/Wigs	Katie Baskerville Addie Sharp
Shoes	Michelle Blaine Emily McKay
Shopper/Budget	Emma Horgan
Assistant Shop Manager	Alex Boski
Head Dressers	Kat Bounds, Arthur Traynor
Dressers	Alex Boski, Des Hale Lydia Holland, Emma Horgan Vienna Tambre, Lue Khalil Emily McKay, Addie Sharp Kaylis, Maria Theodoropoulou

#### **Production Bios**

### Cathy Wilmot - Director

Cathy Wilmot is an accomplished interdisciplinary theatre artist and educator who has won multiple awards for her work in the Arts and holds an MFA from The Boston Conservatory. Select Directing credits include: Carrie, Urinetown, and Secret in The Wings (CapU Theatre) Proof, Riverview High, Vagina Monologues, A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum, and Good News.

Cathy has performed across Canada and the U.S., including Fringe Festivals, The Revolver Festival, and the International PuSh Festival. Favourite performance credits include Rosie in Mamma

Mia and Les Miserables (Arts Club), Paulette in Legally Blonde (TUTS), Dragon in Shrek the Musical (Align Entertainment), Shindel Kamzoil



in Fiddler on The Roof (Gateway Theatre), and Pennywise in Urinetown (Boston Conservatory). Cathy is a proud member of Canadian Actor's Equity, the National Association of Teachers of Singing (NATS), and the Voice and Speech Trainers Association (VASTA). She could not be prouder of her students here at Capilano where she is a member of the Theatre faculty.



### Keri Minty – Choreographer

Keri Minty is a versatile director/choreographer/movement director and dance educator. She is currently on faculty at Capilano University as a dance and movement instructor for the theatre programs as well as teaching, performing, and adjudicating widely. Choreographer/Movement Director highlights: Oliver!, Joseph... (Theatre Un- der the Stars), A New Brain\* (Pipedream), Carrie, Anne of Green Ga- bles\*, Cabaret, Secret Garden, Hello Dolly, Weasel (Cap U Theatre). Direction: The Secret in the Wings (CapU-codirector) Amélie, You're A Good Man Charlie Brown (Arbutus Studio) and Arts Club's Red Rock Diner (assistant director/choreographer). \*Winner of Ovation Awards for Best Choreography. Performance highlights: Featured tap

dancer in The Urban Tap Squad and in the 2010 Olympic Opening Ceremony. "This show is dedicated to my research team and my best creations: L and T."

#### Jeremy Hoffman – Music Director, Keyboards

Jeremy is an award winning pianist, session musician, composer, arranger, performance coach, and music director. He has performed in over 1,000 shows throughout North America. Select musical theatre credits include: Cabaret, Beauty & the Beast, SUDS, Silence: The Musical, The IT Girl, Wizard of Oz, and The Lightning Thief: A Percy Jackson Musical. Jeremy also works as a film and TV actor. He is so grateful to do his first show with Capilano U and is thrilled to have such an amazing team and cast. Have the best day ever in Bikini Bottom! @therealjerhoffman





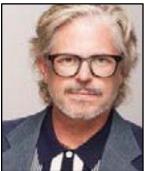
#### Hina Nishioka – Lighting Designer

Originally from Japan, Hina enjoys exploring projects with a variety of cultural backgrounds. Her recent lighting design credits include A Wonderheads Christmas Carol (Wonderheads Theatre), Hurricane Mona (Touchstone Theatre/Ruby Slippers Theatre), Yaga (Touchstone Theatre). As an assistant lighting designer, she recently worked on Magic Flute (Vancouver Opera) and Bard on the Beach main stage 2023. She holds BFA in theatre from University of Victoria. hinalighting.com.

#### Kayli Taylor – Assistant Lighting Designer



Kayli is in her final year as a TECT student at Capilano University, and is thrilled to be an Assistant Lighting Designer under Hina Nishioka for Spongebob The Musical! Her previous credits at Cap include stage managing The Wolves and Weasel, monitor tech for Carrie, and light op. for Twelfth Night or What You Will. She is happy to be diving deeper into the world of lighting, and is looking forward to life after grad.



#### Brian Ball - Set Designer and Costume Designer

Born and raised in Newfoundland, Ball moved BC to complete his MFA in Theatre set and Costume design at UVIC (Victoria). After many years of working in film and TV he returned to theatre (set and costume design), and has been designing full time across Canada from British Columbia to Newfoundland. Locally Brian has designed for CTORA, the Arts Club, Gateway Theatre, Theatre Under the Stars, Firehall Theatre, Douglas College, Capilano U, Pacific Theatre and Royal City Musical Theatre.



#### Matthew Goncalves - Sound Designer

Matthew Goncalves is a second-year student in the technical theatre program at Capilano University. He is taking on the role of sound designer for the first time in a professional setting, previously he was a sound designer for P.L.A.Y Society in 2021 for Beetlejuice the Musical, Mama Mia!, and more. During his time at Capilano, he has worked on shows such as Urinetown, The Penelopiad, She Kills Monsters, TBH, Clue, and Spongebob.



# Kayla Nielsen – Stage Manager

Kayla is a first-year tech student and is thrilled to be stage managing SpongeBob the Musical. Her past experience includes Assistant Stage Managing Weasel, Stage Managing Matilda, and Lighting Design and Stage Managing You're a Good Man Charlie Brown. She is so proud of everyone who helped bring this show to life, and she hopes you enjoy the show!



#### Ryan Ghasemikian – Assistant Stage Manager (Props)

Ryan is a first-year tech student and ecstatic to be assistant stage managing the musical. His past experience includes stage managing a multitude of his high school's productions. In the future, he hopes to work in the entertainment industry with aspirations to work on film sets and London's West End.



#### Bella Rose – Assistant Stage Manager (Costumes)

Bella is a first-year technical theatre student who is very excited to have the role of Assistant Stage Manager. She has a passion for technical theatre and had crucial roles in all of her high schools' major productions. She hopes to become a technical director and work on exciting productions all over the world.



# **Cast Bios**

#### Brett Williams – SpongeBob SquarePants

Previously Brett graduated MacEwan University's Theatre Arts program, now furthering his education in his 3rdyear at Capilano. Recent credits include: The Lightning Thief: The Percy Jackson Musical (CTORA), Carrie: The Musical (CapU), Cabaret (CapU Arbutus Studios). Brett is thrilled to be in Spongebob alongside an amazing team and hopes you enjoy the show!

#### Lauren Gibbs – Patrick Star

Lauren is absolutely thrilled to be playing Patrick Star! When she was little, her dad built her a stage in her basement, and she's never left it! She fell in love with theatre when she joined her high school's drama program, and always knew the CapU MUTH program was calling her name. She hopes you enjoy the show!

#### Ava Stark – Sandy Cheeks

Howdy! Ava is so excited to be a part of this Bikini Bottom adventure! She grew up watching SpongeBob, and always loved Sandy Cheeks. Ava's favourite thing to do is sing, and she's been performing on the stage and screen her whole life.

Ava is grateful to the team of directors, and all of her teachers, for the amazing past 3 years. Enjoy the show, y'all!

#### David Longas Orozco – Squidward Q. Tentacles

David is a Latino performer who loves sharing his culture and energy with the rest of the world. Having performed at Capilano University and outside on film and theatre, David is beyond excited to get four legs on, tap shoes and share his energy in this amazing show. He feels grateful with everyone who has been part of this process.

#### **Tony Dizon - Eugene Krabs**

Tony Dizon is a third-year Musical Theatre student at Capilano University and is excitedly scuttling to be part of SpongeBob SquarePants: The Musical. He is thankful for the support of his friends and family in his journey through CapU and thanks all those involved in SpongeBob for this amazing opportunity.











#### Sandrine Boundrias – Pearl Krabs

Sandrine is a French-Canadian performer originally from Montreal. She is excited to be part of The SpongeBob musical as Pearl Krabs. Her previous credits include Ernst Ludwig in Cabaret. Sandrine would like to thank the creative team that made this wonderful show happen.



#### Eric Timuss – Plankton

Eric is having a blast in Spongebob the Musical and hopes you enjoy his performance as Plankton! Past credits include Billy Nolan in Carrie (Blueshore Theatre) and Cliff Bradshaw in Cabaret (Arbutus Studio). He can't wait to SEA you in the audience and hopes that you enjoy the show!



#### Sarah Dimas – Karen the Computer/Ensemble

Sarah Dimas, is in her final year in the Musical Theatre program at Capilano University. A trained singer, dancer, and actor. At Capilano University she played Frenchie in 'Cabaret' and was also chosen as the soloist soldier. She is more than excited to be cast as Karen in the musical 'SpongBob' this season.



#### Ainslee Dalzell - Patchy the Pirate, Ensemble (Sandy US)

Ainslee graduates from the Musical Theatre program this semester, and she is excited to be a part of SpongeBob! Recent credits include Weasel (CapU Theatre), June, July, August and Cabaret (CapU Studio), and Merrily We Roll Along (Arts Umbrella). Talk like a pirate day is September 19th!! Mark your calendars!!

### Rhianna Mathers – Perch Perkins/Gary, Ensemble

Rhianna is graduating from the Musical Theatre Program this April, and is thrilled for her BlueShore debut in the SpongeBob Musical! Previous CapU credits include June July August (Harper) and Cabaret (Fraulein Kost). She'd like to thank her castmates, the creative team and crew for bringing this wacky show to life. Enjoy the show!

#### Natasza Ptak – Mayor of Bikini Bottom/Pirate

Originally from Poland, Natasza (they/them) is excited to dive into the aquatic world of Bikini Bottom. Currently in their final year at Capilano University's Musical Theatre program, Natasza's credits include performances in "Cabaret" and "Trapped At The Murphy Inn". Natasza is thrilled to make a splash in the whimsical world of SpongeBob and take you with them on this heartwarming journey.

#### Zoë Chow – Electric Skate, Ensemble (Plankton US)

Zoë is ecstatic to be a part of this production! She is making her debut on the Blueshore stage as an Electric skate! Recent credits include: June, July, August (CapU studio) and Cabaret (CapU studio). Enjoy the show!

**Troy Banks – Electric Skate, Ensemble (SpongeBob & Patrick US)** Troy is incredibly excited to be a part of SpongeBob the Musical! He would like to thank everyone who helped put on this show! Past Capilano credits include Cabaret (Emcee), Carrie (ensemble/ swing), and June July August (Atticus). I hope you enjoy the show!

Now come Bikini Bottom Boogie with us!











# Owen Connolly – Electric Skate, Ensemble

Owen has had an absolute blast being apart of this musical and diving into the vast world of SpongeBob. Owen is excited to be graduating from the Acting for Stage and Screen program this spring and cannot wait to see where his career takes him!



**Emma Herding – Old Man Jenkins, Ensemble, Foley (Karen US)** Emma is so, so, so excited to be a part of SpongeBob as Old Man Jenkins. She is a third year musical theatre student, and some of her previous credits include Cabaret at CapU and Seussical the Musical at LSS Theatre. Thanks so much to Cathy and the directing team, and please have a great time under the sea!



#### Livia Cohen – French Narrator, Foley, Ensemble, (Mayor US)

Livia is delighted to be making her BlueShore stage debut after having played keyboard for Carrie last year! Her previous credits include Cabaret (CapU Studio) and Into the Woods (BTG). Many thanks to everyone who worked on this show for bringing it to life with so much silliness and heart!



#### Julianne Biegler – Mrs Puff, Ensemble, (Squidward US), Dance Captain

Julianne Biegler will be graduating from the Musical Theatre Program this coming spring. Her previous credits include Lulu in Cabaret in the Arbutus Studio, and Julia in Annette is a Bimbo at Riser Regina. She is thankful to the creative team, crew and cast who make this show possible!

# Sam Eaves – Larry the Lobster, Ensemble (Krabs US)

Sam is elated to be performing in his first musical. Singing and dancing are two of his life's many joys and he's very lucky to share them with so many wonderful people. He's in his third vear in the ASAS program at Cap U and will be graduating this spring.

# Jessica Kelly – Buster Bluetang/Ensemble (Patchy and Perch US) **Dance Captain**

Jessica is thrilled to be a part of this fin-tastic show! Recent credits include Ensemble in The Prom (TUTS) and Sally Bowles in Cabaret (Arbutus Studio). Jess would like to thank the cast and crew for all the laughs and she hopes you have a crabulous time in Bikini Bottom!

# Madison Raybould – Ensemble/Swing

Madison is so excited to be a part of SpongeBob! She started performing at a young age and is a second year Musical Theatre student at CapU! Recent credits include The Prom (TUTS), The Sound of Music (TIC), Catch Me If You Can (TIC), Beauty and the Beast (Pulse Productions).

# Eleanore Smith – Sardine/Ensemble (Pearl US)

Eleanore is excited to be a part of The SpongeBob Musical. After being the Emcee in last year's production of Cabaret, she is happy to be taking on the lighter role of Sardine Devotee. She is finishing her final year of Musical Theatre and is looking forward to, but slightly frightened of, what comes next.









#### Band



#### Toshi Milardo - Keyboards

Ever since he was a child, Toshi Milardo has enjoyed a lifelong affection for making noise. This unusual inclination was cultivated into a musical education, culminating in jazz piano studies at Capilano University. Today, Toshi makes piano noises for audiences around the world on cruise lines such as Royal Caribbean and Princess Cruises.



#### **Tyler Murray - Percussion**

Tyler Murray is a musician who is just as passionate for the music he plays, as he is the wonderful people he gets to play it with. Through years of studying with local legends such as Craig Scott and getting the opportunity to learn from international ones such as Greg Hutchinson and Ulysses Owens Jr, Tyler has developed a unique and genuine sound that is rooted in his love for tradition and groove. He received his Bachelor's degree in Jazz Studies in 2021 majoring in percussion. Since then he has established himself as an in demand session drummer in Vancouver and continues his love for learning and music by playing a vast range of different genres at venues around town and nationally.



#### Jennifer Innanen - Reeds

Jennifer, a Vancouver-based reed musician, boasts 15 years of playing Musical Theatre. She holds a degree from Kwantlen Polytechnic University for Clarinet and has performed with TUTS, RCMT, Align Ent. and is excited to be back with Capilano U in the Bikini Bottom!

# Monica Sumulong Dumas - Bass

Monica is excited to be returning to her alma mater to play SpongeBob Squarepants, the New Musical! Graduating from the Jazz Program at Capilano University in 2016, she primarily performs in musical theatre productions across the Lower Mainland. Most recently with CTORA (The Lightening Thief), Theatre Under the Stars (Matilda & The Prom) and Arts Club (Little Shop of Horrors).

### Bradan DeCicco - Guitars

Bradan is a guitarist from North Vancouver, BC. He has been composing and performing in bands since he was in high school, graduating in 2017 from Capilano University with a Bachelor of Music in Jazz Studies. His musical credits include Shrek (Align Entertainment), Something Rotten (Theatre Under the Stars), Carrie (CapU Theatre), and The Lightning Thief (CTORA). You can often find Bradan playing various styles of music in duo, trio, and big band settings, but his most active project is the dream pop band SUGARFUNGUS.



