

Meet the Cast:

Erica Perwitz

For all three years of her high school career, Erica has been a proud member of Quirk's Players. *Thoroughly Modern Millie* is her fifth show and she says, "This is actually my favorite show so far."

This time around, Erica will portray a hotel girl named Rita along with journalist Dorothy Parker. She is known among the cast for having a strong voice, singing and screaming. Come see the show to find out what that means!



Michael Mankiewicz

Throughout his time as a Quirk's Player, Michael has taken on many forms. This fall, his character was a female impersonator and for this show, Mike will be stepping even farther outside of his comfort zone as he plays Chinese henchman Ching Ho.

He describes this show as challengin, noting that, "Learning a new language is pretty difficult."

Despite the challenges, Mike is excited to open the show and looks forward to two more years of performances after this one.



Look for more cast profiles in the days leading up to *Thoroughly Modern Millie*!

Free throw spree carries Comets past stubborn Raiders

They say that charity begins at home, and that was certainly the case on Tuesday night when top seeded and homestanding Carthage used a 36-14 advantage at the charity stripe to surge past Fulton 81-55 in the second round of the Section III boys basketball tournament. Fueled by a school record 52 point performance by Peyton McLaurin that included 26 connections from the free throw line, the Comets used a 33-13 fourth quarter edge to finally send the Raiders home at 12-8 on the season.

McLaurin went to the line 15 times in the fourth quarter, making good 12 times to go with 17 rebounds as he shattered the Carthage school record of 44 points in a game set by former SU lacrosse standout Mike Powell. Josh Capers, a familiar name to Raider fans for his football exploits, joined Jerry Willis and Jake Redmore with eight points apiece for a 19-1 Comet team that will now face Jamesville-Dewitt on Sunday in the third round of the Class A tournament.

Fulton trailed 14-8 after one quarter and 34-22 at the half before staging a third quarter rally that saw them battle to within six points heading into the decisive final stanza. But from there it was all Carthage in a 33-13 run that featured 23 points off the hand of McLaurin.

Cody Green and Josh Hudson led the way for Fulton with 16 points apiece while senior Chris Jones closed an outstanding career on the Red Raider hardwood with 10 points.

Come play in the snow this Friday

When life gives you lemons, make lemonade it has long been said. And with that in mind the French Club is inviting students to join them in making the best of the current snowy situation this Friday after school from 2:30 to 5 pm to create snow sculptures.

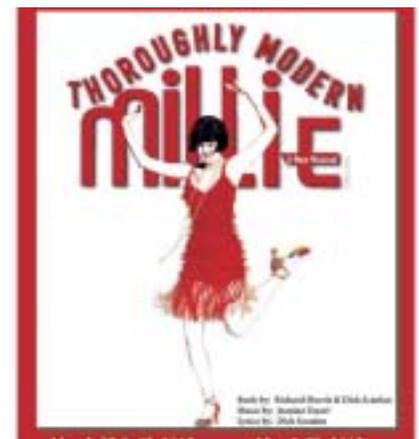
Pizza will be served at 4 pm and the event is open to all language club members and students who would like to join. Students are reminded to dress for the occasion as it is bound to be cold.



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Days until
Quirk's Players
present:

**Thoroughly Modern
Millie**
Thurs & Fri March 5-6
@ 7:30 pm
Sat March 7
2 pm & 7:30 pm
GRB Auditorium



Freshmen note adjustments to high school life

After two years at the junior High, the ninth grade students have joined the ranks at G. Ray Bodley High School. Now into the third quarter of their freshman year, members of the Class of 2018 have had time to adjust to the differences between the two schools and have noticed just how different they are. Some students are quite happy and thankful about the differences.

A freshman student, Sammy Diezel feels that it's a little more stressful at the high school but the teachers are more willing to work with the students on their assignments and are "so much nicer." She also feels that "it's harder to get from class to class in the hallways," which is why she is thankful for the extra minute between bells. Sammy is happier here at the high school for many reasons including "the more time we have during lunch, I love hanging out with my friends and just relaxing." All in all, Sammy is happier to be at the high school.

Another student, Hunter Beman is grateful that it is "bigger at the high school," and he doesn't worry about getting lost because "the teachers are always happy to help bring us to our classes." He,

unlike Sammy, feels that it's less stressful because the classwork is easier and the teachers are better. He is also very happy to say "there are more privileges here at the high school and it's so much less strict."

Norman Richardson, another ninth grade student, agrees about it being bigger at GRB. He feels that the work is harder and the teachers nicer. "They are definitely a lot nicer over here," he commented. Norman loves the fact that the classes are less crowded, which means he can have more individual learning.

The differences between the two schools are big and small. But they impact people in different ways. Some become happier; others have less stress and more relaxation, and some others are just happy to be somewhere different.

By Kimberlee Bennett

Quote of the day:

"A winner is a dreamer who never gives up."
-Nelson Mandela

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What's happening at G. Ray Bodley High School?

Calling all seniors! The first payment for the senior trip to New Jersey is due by Friday, February 27. The amount due is \$94 to Mr. Lacey. If you are interested in going or would like more information please see Mr. Lacey in room 125 for more details

The class is also starting a Gertrude Hawk chocolate bar fundraiser. All funds will go toward the Senior trip and Senior Dinner Dance. Anyone interested in selling should see Mr. Lacey in room 125.

The next meeting of the **Fultonian Yearbook** will be on Wednesday after school in room 102.

The **Senior Class** officers meet every Monday after school in room 125 and all seniors are welcome to attend.

Physicals for spring sports will be available at GRB on March 4. Signups are currently underway in the nurse's office to make an appointment.

HOPE Club mentors are reminded that there will be mentoring today after school at Fairgrieve Elementary. Let Mrs. Cronk know if you cannot attend.

What's for lunch?

Today: Pizza with side salad, baby carrots and fresh apple

Thursday: Soft taco with salsa and cheese, corn, green beans and strawberry applesauce

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dinner dance!**

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School of Thought

What do you think about two-hour delays?



"I feel like they should just cancel."

Scott Litleton



"It's nice to sleep in."

Miwa Burdick



"I love it."

Sean Carroll



"I kinda like them, because I get to sleep in."

Casey Jones

Meteorology and you

By Carson Metcalf



Today:



Cloudy with snow showers.

18°

Average: 36°
Record: 66° (1957)

Tonight:



Cloudy with snow showers.

-3°

Average: 19°
Record: -10° (1993)

Tomorrow:



Cloudy with snow showers.

12°

Average: 37°
Record: 64° (1976)

Former GRB student and current SUNY Oswego junior Carson Metcalf is an aspiring Meteorologist. Look for his daily weather forecasts for Fulton on RaiderNet Daily.