

Make Sure to "Take a Chance" on Irvine High School's Mamma Mia!  
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Set against the beautiful backdrop of the Greek Taverna, Irvine High School's Mamma Mia is filled with music, energy, and a lot of "Dancing Queens."

The big day is coming up, Sophie's wedding, but without a clue to who her dad is she tries to decipher the question herself. When three possibility's show up on the island, Sophie is excited as that means she can begin to find her dad; however, when Donna finds out she panics. "Mamma Mia, here we go again" as Donna will have to relive her past. Who is the dad? What will Donna do? All is revealed at Irvine's Mamma Mia.

Alisha Zuberi as Sophie Sheridan is excellent with consistently clear vocals, and strong vocal control. Zuberi exemplifies Sophie's playful and energetic persona, especially when she first sees her dads. Additionally Naksha Srinivasan as Donna Sheridan stuns with powerful vocals. Srinivasan owns the stage in songs such as "Money, Money, Money" and "The Winner Takes it All" with her dynamic, energetic performance. Zuberi and Srinivasan do an amazing job portraying the mother-daughter relationship, especially in the song "Slipping Through My Fingers."

The dads: Sam (JT Armstrong), Bill (Maddox Kreil), and Harry (Dillon Nihipali) all represent different stages in Donna's life, with their different personalities and characteristics. JT Armstrong does an excellent job portraying Sam Carmichael through strong stage presence, as well as great vocals in songs such as "I Do, I Do, I Do" - showing how he is in love with Donna. Maddox Kreil as Bill Austin exemplifies a nature loving explorer through his bold physicality and unique, but charming persona. Lastly, Dillon Nihipali brings Harry Bright to stage with his consistent accent and vocals - revealing how he cherished his past memories with Donna.

The Greek architectural set brings the show together as not only does the style complete the look of the show, but the levels and tiny details add to the show. Additionally, Harry's guitar is handmade with glass mosaic, tying it into the overall look of the set.

The publicity by Raha Yekta is excellently done, especially with the playbill collaboration with Scenic Design to paint the cover of the program - combining multiple tech elements together.

"Thank you for the Music" Irvine High School! "I Do, I Do, I Do" want to see Irvine's Mamma Mia again!