The SDSS Equinox Theatre Proudly Presents:



Synopsis:

It's the tail end of the big, bad 1980s in Hollywood, and the party has been raging hard. Aqua Net, Lycra, Heavy Metal flow freely at one of the Sunset Strips last legendary venues, a place where legendary rocker Stacee Jaxx takes the stage and groupies line up for their chance at an autograph. Amidst the madness, aspiring rock star (and resident toilet cleaner) Drew longs to take the stage as the next big thing (and longs for small-town girl Sherri, fresh off the bus from Kansas with stars in her eyes). But the rock and roll fairy-tale is about to end when German developers sweep into town with plans to turn the fabled Strip into just another capitalist strip mall. Can Drew, Sherri, and the gang save the strip—and themselves—before it's too late? Only the music of hit bands Styx, Journey, Bon Jovi, Whitesnake and more hold the answer. ROCK OF AGES: HIGH SCHOOL EDITION takes you back to the times of big bands with big egos playing big guitar solos and sporting even bigger hair! This Tony Award -nominated Broadway musical features the hits of bands including Night Ranger, REO Speedwagon, Pat Benatar, Twisted Sister, Journey and others. Featuring quality singing, acting, live music and dancing skills, the students of South Delta Secondary are sure to have Delta students rocking out in their seats! **Running Time: 2 hours** <u>Possible Tie In Lessons</u>: Romeo & Juliet Archetypes, Friendship, Peer Pressure, Acceptance, the American Dream, Capitalism, Rock and Roll, Love is Love, Bullying, Achieving Dreams. <u>Rated</u>: PG- The majority of the story takes place in a bar, alcohol is consumed, slapstick physicality (ie:there is ONE punch), and mild young adult language (ie: "I'm pissed off"), etc. ****Please note that this is the HIGH SCHOOL EDITION of Rock of Ages, and does <u>not</u> have the same suggestive content as the original broadway show or film. The shows have been adjusted for younger audiences.

Matinee Shows:

Thursday February 20th © 12:30pm Friday February 21st © 12:30pm Doors at 12pm

Tickets are \$5 per student, with 1 Free Adult per 10 students.

All additional adults are only \$5 each, a \$15 savings!

Tickets are already going fast on this one, so please don't wait to book your seats! Please email Jackie at <u>equinoxboxoffice@gmail.com</u> to get your tickets ASAP and to receive an invoice for your tickets!

*** Cash and cheques will not be accepted at the door. Cheques should be made out to the Equinox Theatre and sent directly to SDSS via inner office mail. Every attempt to honour specific seating requests will be made, but age/height/physical abilities of the students will take priority. Any requests for additional tickets without a week's notice prior to the show will be honoured if there is available room. Any decrease in numbers without a week's notice prior to the show will still be invoiced. Theatre seating maps will be emailed out 24 hours before the show. We look forward to hosting you! If you would like to view the script ahead of time, it can be read in its entirety here: http://www.theatreink.net/ROAperusal.pdf

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