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The Music Man in Concert

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The Musical, or musical theatre, is a performance that tells the story of characters and their emotions through song, dance, acting and dialogue. It has three main components: music, lyrics (known as a score), and a script (known as a book). It is usually comprised of two acts with an intermission, and can run one and a half to three hours. Musicals have been part of theatre since ancient times but musicals as we know them today emerged in the 19th century with famous composers/writers such as Gilbert and Sullivan. Musical theatre gives local performers the opportunity to sing, act and dance in a Broadway performance produced in their own community.

The Music Man, the award-winning, critically acclaimed Broadway classic, is an all-American institution, thanks to its quirky characters, charmingly predictable dramatic situations and one-of-a-kind, nostalgic score of rousing marches, barbershop quartets and sentimental ballads. This production will feature Oklahoma favorite Jonathan Beck Reed as Harold Hill, and Oklahoma native and Broadway leading lady Teri Bibb as Marian. There will also be a large cast made up of talented adults, young performers and children from the community, as well as artists from the Ambassadors' Choir, University of Central Oklahoma and the 405 Quartet. It's easy to see why *The Music Man* is one of the most often-produced American musicals – it's fun for the entire family!

Let's explore some of the ways that songs are used within a musical to convey emotions. After listening to the first 30 seconds of each of the following clips, write down three (3) adjectives that describe the emotions you felt when listening to each song.

1. A Dream Is A Wish Your Heart Makes (Cinderella): <http://bit.ly/2bE5H0Y>
Emotions/Adjectives: _____, _____, _____
2. A Spoonful of Sugar (Mary Poppins): <http://bit.ly/2bQrNQW>
Emotions/Adjectives: _____, _____, _____
3. It's a Hard Knock Life (Annie): <http://bit.ly/2bA4GJP>
Emotions/Adjectives: _____, _____, _____
4. Maria (The Sound of Music): <http://bit.ly/2ccYmJY>
Emotions/Adjectives: _____, _____, _____

EXTRA CREDIT: Attend a live performance.
OCCC presents *The Music Man in Concert*, September 28-30 in the Visual and Performing Arts Center Theater.



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