

STARS

Ashley High School drama club,
are they just a bunch of students,
or are they future stars?

The house lights dim, signaling the beginning of something great. On the afternoon of Wednesday, May 5, the first of three performances of the two one act plays, "A Present for the Prince," and "The Paper bag Bandit Rides Again" starts with the stage lights illuminating the actors on stage in the otherwise dark room.

"I enjoyed the performances themselves because I felt like we accomplished the goal we had been striving to reach since the beginning, and the smiles on our audience's faces after we were done said it all," commented senior Terri Kral who had a part in both of the plays.

The two one act plays were a new approach to showcasing Ashley's dramatic talent instead of the traditional three act play that the club traditionally performs. "I'm glad that we did the two one act plays because it gave everybody a chance at getting a large role, and plus it gave some people the chance to take on two different personalities," stated first year member Stacy Densmore.

When it's all said and done, the stage goes dark, the audience leaves and the sound of the applause seems to echo through the ears of all the performers as they recall the great performances of this year.

Amy Dawson



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DRAGON Just after the dragon has walked onto stage Kevin Fabus drops Aaron Grollimund as Amy Dawson looks on. "I bet that I gave Aaron a lot of bruises for how many times I had to drop him before we got through all of the performances," Kevin commented.



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LOVING MOTHER The princess (Terri Kral) is shown how much her mother (Katrina Payne) really cares about her. "When Kat gave me a big hug, she was too loving and almost squished me to death," said Terri.

BEAUTIFUL Jill Cermak checks her make-up quickly while waiting for her next line to come up.