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◆◆◆ They are truly a gift ◆◆◆

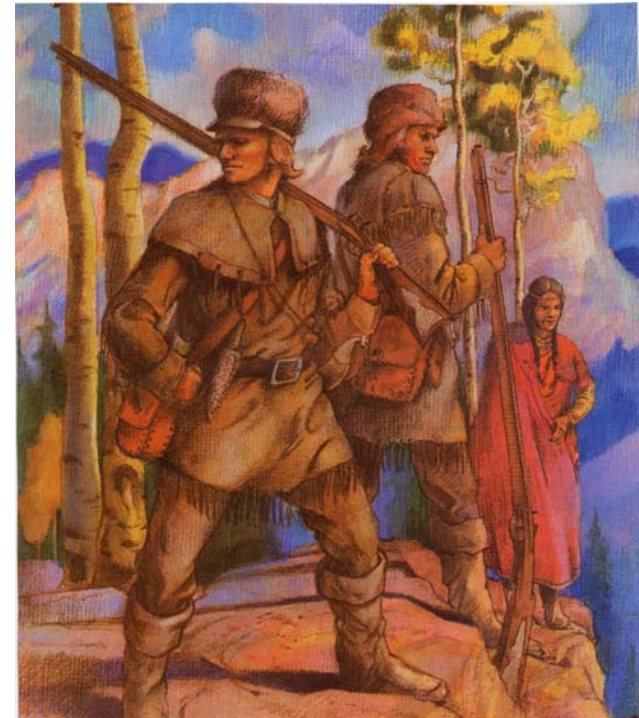


Grand View Sound Arts

PERFORMS A MUSICAL JOURNEY WESTWARD

THE ADVENTURES OF

LEWIS & CLARK



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Monday, JUNE 2nd at 10:50 a.m. & 7 p.m.

Tuesday, JUNE 3rd at 9:00 a.m. & 7 p.m.

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After the Expedition

Meriwether Lewis was only 35 when he died. It is suspected that he committed suicide just three years after his return from the expedition. Although his appointment as Governor of the Louisiana Territory was an honor meant as a reward for his accomplishments, Lewis was miscast and miserable as an executive. He was not cut out to be an administrator, and other officials frequently criticized his decisions. Governor Lewis was particularly offended when his modest, legitimate expenses were questioned by members of the new administration of President **James Monroe**.

Personal problems also plagued him. He was an unhappy bachelor whose marriage proposal(s) had been rejected. After settling in St. Louis, he was short of money and feared bankruptcy, as a result of unwise real estate investments. He had hoped to bring his widowed mother to St. Louis and provide a home for her near him but lack of funds made this impossible.

William Clark was well suited to his new responsibilities. Shortly after his return from the expedition he moved to St. Louis, where he successfully took over his duties as Brigadier General of the Militia for the Louisiana Territory. He was also delighted to serve as superintendent of Indian Affairs, a post he enjoyed for life. Because of his deep-seated concern about Indians welfare, chiefs respected and trusted him. During the War of 1812, Clark was able to keep the Indians from being influenced by British agents, who had tried to incite them against the United States. Clark was appointed Governor of the Missouri Territory three times. He held that post until Missouri became a state in 1829.

Clark married in 1809, raised a family of five (the first born named Meriwether Lewis Clark), and volunteered to act as guardian for several Indian children, (including Sacagawea's children). He died at the age of 68, in 1838.

York, who had been a valuable member of the expedition, was not given his freedom for many years. It is shocking to learn that Clark leased York to a man who misused him, and it is heartbreaking to know that York was married to a woman who was owned by another family. When Clark finally made York a free man some time before 1832, he gave his former slave a wagon and horses and set him up in business hauling freight. Clark was later told that York died of cholera, after years of drudgery.

Sacagawea and Charbonneau lived among the Mandan's for a time. Their son, Jean Baptiste (Pomp), and a daughter of Charbonneau from another wife were brought to Clark, who acted as their guardian and arranged for their education in St. Louis. When Jean Baptiste grew up he became a well-known guide for western travelers. Eventually Charbonneau and Sacagawea separated. He spent the rest of his life guiding fur traders and acting as their interpreter. No one knows how or where Sacagawea spent her remaining years. There are conflicting accounts about her death. According to a biography written by Grace Hebard in 1933, Sacagawea died at a Shoshone Indian reservation in 1884. But, according to a trader's journal, dated Dec. 20, 1812, "*this Evening the Wife of Charbonneau, a Snake (Shoshone) Squaw, died of putrid fever she was a good and the best Women in the fort, aged about 25 years she left a fine infant girl.*" Clark wrote that by 1828 Sacagawea was dead. Most historians have concluded that she died at an early age.

Little is known about the lives of most of the other men on the expedition. Some, like Sgt. Patrick Gass, Sgt. Nathaniel Pryor, and Pvt. Joseph Whitehouse, re-enlisted in the army. Others, like Sgt. John Ordway, married and settled on farms. Private John Colter, who became a fur trapper, gained fame as the discoverer of the Yellowstone Park area. George Drouillard, the expedition's expert hunter and interpreter, and Private John Potts also returned to the wilderness as fur trappers. They were killed by Blackfeet Indians in 1810.



DID YOU KNOW???

LONG HAUL

The expedition traveled over 8,000 over a period of 2 years, 4 months, and 10 days.

GOOD GUESS

When the expedition reached the Pacific, Clark estimated they had traveled 4,162 miles from the mouth of the Missouri to the Pacific. His guess was within 40 miles of the actual distance.

WHAT A DEAL

Thomas Jefferson purchased the Louisiana Territory, 820,000 square miles, for \$15 million. After interest the final total came to be \$27,267,622. That works out to be only about 3 cents an acre.

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EXPEDITION

When the expedition reached the Pacific the party voted on where to spend the winter. York, Clark's slave, is allowed to vote, nearly 60 years before slaves in the U.S. would be emancipated. Sacagawea is also allowed to vote, more than a century before either women or Native Americans are granted full rights of citizenship.

OOPS

While hunting in present day North Dakota, Lewis was accidentally shot (in the behind) by Pierre Cruzatte, a nearsighted member of the crew.

GOOD BOY

Before the expedition began Lewis purchased a Newfoundland dog, Seaman, for \$20. Although not mentioned very often in their journals, it is believed that Seaman made the entire journey.

WHAT'S FOR DINNER?

When game was plentiful, each man ate about 9 pounds of meat per day. Lewis had dried soup made that was packed in canisters. After the explorers ate the soup, they melted down the canisters to make bullets.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE UNITED STATES?

- The United States celebrated its 20th birthday.
- The second United States census recorded 5,300,000 Americans, including almost 900,000 slaves.
- Scientist Joseph Priestly identified oxygen.
- The first tax-supported public library opened.
- Shoes began to be designed specifically for right and left feet.
- Johnny Appleseed was hard at work giving away and selling apple trees.

THE CAST & CHOIR OF LEWIS & CLARK

| | <i>June 2nd</i> <small>(evenings)</small> | <i>June 3^d</i> |
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| INTRODUCTION: | Kiley Keating Ryan Whalen Jamie Brennan Sofia Cervantes Katie MacKecknie Kailey Freedman-Setaro Jacob Tan | Kiley Keating Ryan Whalen Jamie Brennan Sofia Cervantes Griffin Chodler Kailey Freedman Jacob Tan |
| CAPTAIN | | |
| MERIWETHER LEWIS | Tyler Fichman | Ryan Whalen |
| CAPT. WILLIAM CLARK | Waylon Asp | Elizabeth Leach |
| CHARBONNEAU | Max Hughes | Kiran Shah |
| SACAGAWEA | Kaiya Daniels | Jenna Colligan |
| YORK | Nathan Goldberg | Jake Henry |
| SCANNON | Isabella Camacho | Bailey Tibbetts |
| JAMES MONROE | Brielle Hamm | Juliette DeBaets |
| ROBERT LIVINGSTON | Sammy Knox | Carly Milosevic |
| NAPOLEON BONAPART | Graham McDonald | Teddy Glozman |
| THOMAS JEFFERSON | Griffin Chodler | Anthony Saliba |
| CASSIE | Kailey Dunne | Olivia Arensdorf |
| MARIE | Brooke Blake | Lily Farber |
| LISA | Kiley Keating | Kyle Lukas |
| DEVON | Elle Stoddard | Elle Stoddard |
| SAM | Megan Rodrigues | Grace Householter |
| JULIE | Gabby Meyers | Leila Clausen |
| CHERYL | Jordan Koo | Gracie Baker |
| MICHELLE | Jamie Brennan | London Mills |
| KATIE | Katie Amir | Jasmine Jonas |
| LAURA | Ryann Goldberg | Ryann Goldberg |
| SOLDIER A | Jacob Tan | Jacob Tan |
| SOLDIER C | Gracie Baker | Jordan Koo |
| SGT. ORDWAY | Katie Parks | Sofia Cervantes |
| SGT. PRYOR | Garrett Gronbach | Kai Hudson |
| PRIVATE NEWMAN | Bryson Ehrhard | Jackson Hawkins |
| PRIVATE HALL | Keil Smith | Keil Smith |
| PRIVATE GIBSON | Parker McGinley | Parker McGinley |

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| PRIVATE BRATTON | Ethan Perch | Jackson Webster |
| PRIVATE FIELDS | Luigi Salvaggio | Joseph DeBaets |
| ANIMALS | Emily Shahin Lola Nash Brooke Baudendistel Evie Salvaggio Setaro Mila Matich | Emily Shahin Lola Nash Brooke Baudendistel Kailey Freedman- Mila Matich |
| NATIVE AM. INDIANS | Roxanne Fusco Gianna Nicora Kailey Freedman-Setaro Jordan Provin Ava-Sophia Miller Bella Nash Carly Greskovics Vanessa Amaral Avanthi Pillan Alison Kokorowski Hayley Balen Katie MacKecknie Kirra Troeger Danielle Webster | Roxanne Fusco Gianna Nicora Evie Salvaggio Jordan Provin Ava-Sophia Miller Bella Nash Carly Greskovics Vanessa Amaral Avanthi Pillan Alison Kokorowski Hayley Balen Katie MacKecknie Kirra Troeger Danielle Webster |
| | Soloist: | Baden Schloss |
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| Other Explorers | Jake Henry Kai Hudson Joseph DeBaets Kiran Shah Anthony Saliba Jackson Hawkins Elizabeth Leach Ryan Whalen Jackson Webster | Graham McDonald Nathan Goldberg Garrett Gronbach Luigi Salvaggio Max Hughes Griffin Chodler Bryson Ehrhard Waylon Asp Tyler Fichman Sammy Knox Ethan Perch |
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