



Uncle Crumble!

Uncle Crumble's Mad Machine

Magic Parrot Productions UK

Price includes: photocopiable script, songsheets, CD with vocals and backing tracks, piano score, performance licence for schools

This play is very modern, popular and hilarious, suitable for any time of year. Great for schools and drama clubs. "Stagecoach" UK have used this play effectively. There are dance and movement sequences embedded in

the script e.g. belly dancers, lions, acrobats, gladiators, pop stars. You will need a cast of 15 or preferably more to make this play viable. Even with 15 players, some doubling up of roles is required. There are a number of short and non-speaking parts which are ideal for the inclusion of reticent or special needs pupils.



Exotic dancers!
St Philip's School, Surrey



Back to the 60's!
Ellingham School,
Kingston

The story: Uncle Crumble is an eccentric inventor. His latest creation is a "Celestial Sonic Fission Date Travel Converter".(A what? - A time machine, of course.) The children use Uncle Crumble's invention to make adventures through time. In ancient Rome, you will be stunned by the acrobats and amazed by the

power of the strongman who can break rocks with his bare hands. You will be mesmerized by the exotic dancers and frightened by the vicious lions. You will be appalled by the tyranny of Caesar (although the poor emperor is henpecked by the glamorous Cleo.) The children invite you back to 1967 to glimpse the "flower power" people of the swinging

sixties. Can you do easy sums such as 487×36 ? If not, watch out for Tiface the robot in the futuristic school in two hundred years' time. Will Mark fall in love with Sally? Will Fido and Jasper the lions get their din-dins? Will Larry's flared trousers ever come back into fashion? These and other vital questions will be answered in front of your eyes.

CAST LIST:

Narrators

Mark (a selfish boy)

Sally (his rude friend)

Ben (Mark's rude little brother)

Jenny (Their hypochondriac sister)

Mum and Dad

Grandma and

Grandpa

Uncle Crumble

Angie (a hippy)

and Larry (a

hippy)

Rock Concert

Compere

Raving Rocodiles Rock Band

Caesar, Cleo and Servants

Strongman, Acrobats, Belly

Dancers, Gladiators,

Lions,

Tiface the

robot, &

CHOIR

SINGER



CD LISTING (38 TRACKS)

1 Song- Mark is My Boyfriend

2 Song- Grandparents' Song

3 Song- Uncle Crumble's Mad Machine

4 & 5 SOUND EFFECTS- Mad Machine

6 Song- The Windmill Dance

7 SOUND EFFECTS- Mad Machine

8 Fiddle Music for Caesar' Dance

9 SOUND EFFECTS-Mad Machine

10 Song - Jenny, You're a Wet

Weed!

11 Acrobat Music

12 Belly Dance Music

13 Song- What Shall we do with the

Prisoners?

14 Lion Dance Music

15 SOUND EFFECTS-Mad Machine

16 SOUND EFFECTS- Mad Machine

17 Song- Tiface the Robot

18 SOUND EFFECTS- Mad Machine Out/In

19 Finale- Uncle Crumble's Mad Machine

Tracks 20-38 the same without vocals



Jenny saves the day!

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Preview songs and scripts on our website :

<https://www.magicparrot.com>

Performed in inner city schools, prep schools, church groups, drama clubs, special schools, amateur dramatic societies.

SIMPLE TO PERFORM. NO MUSICAL ABILITY NEEDED.

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