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Broadway Medley

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Event Highlights ........................................................................ Leslie Odom, Jr.
Medley Introduction ................................................................. Laura Osnes & Santino Fontana

Actor Medley 1
Anthony Nappier Cam Wenrich Benton Felty Bo Graham
Stephen Heller Chris Maclean Ryne Nardecchia Brian Baylor
Patrick Graham Matthew Durward Lynn

Actress Medley 2
Nicole Seefried Sarah Pierce Jana Bernard Sierra Dew
Francesca Nardone Maddison Turner Taylor Marie Sherry Sakyiwaa Baah
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Actor Medley 3
Samuel Hamashima Stirling Brenna Michael Burrell
Tim Hart Ray Winters

Actress Medley 4
Laura Girard Myha’la Herrold Natalia Vivo Sophia Macias
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Chandler Lovelle Jillian Caillouette MacKenzie Wright

Actor Medley 5
Billy Krager Hunter Schwarz Trevor McChristian Taylor Varga
Zach Malinak Connor Fallon

Actress Medley 6
Sarah Lynn Marion McKenzie Kurtz Olivia Wingate Annika Gullahorn
Anna Higginson Halle Mastronardiola Rachel Hauser
Emily Homburger Lilly Kaufmann Sarah Roach

Actor Medley 7
Benjamin Allen Rood Farhadi Austin Crute Harold E. Theurer
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Russell Lehman Kellen Schrimper

Intermission

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