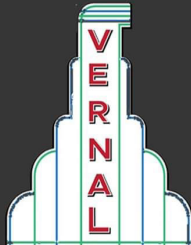



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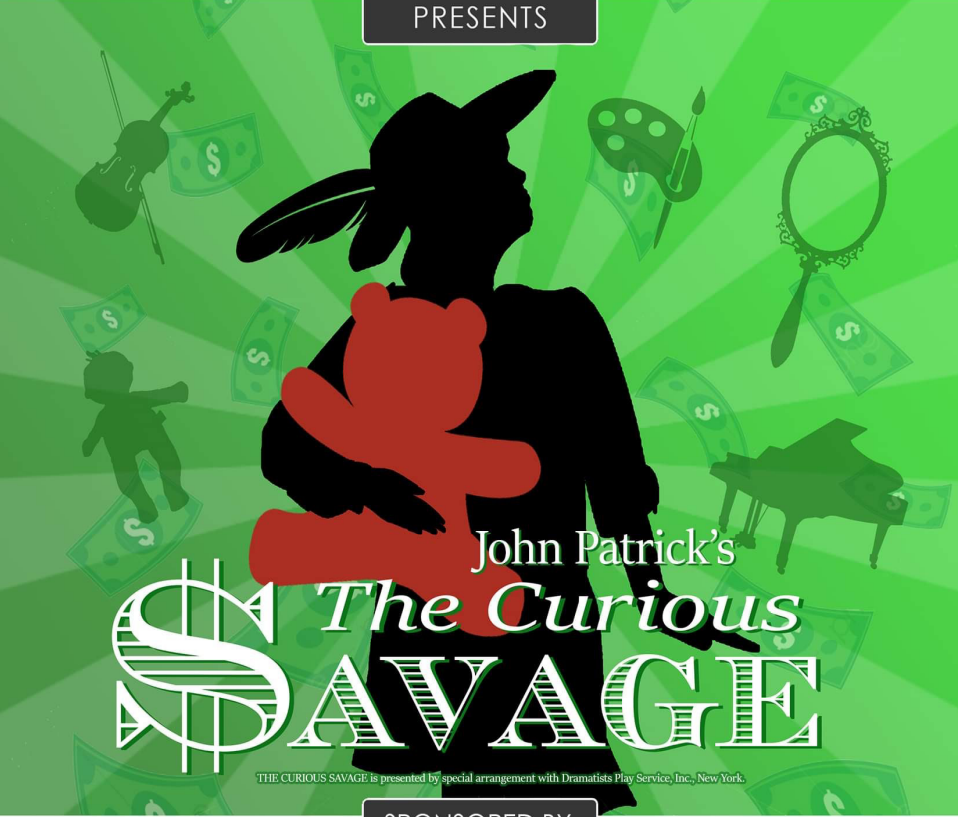
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CAST LIST

THE GUESTS

Florence Juli Miller
Hannibal Russ Pearson
Fairy May Amber Harrison
Jeffrey Justin Benson
Mrs. Paddy Ann Barker

THE FAMILY

Ethel P. Savage Sundrina Barlow
Titus Daniel Jackson
Samuel Jesse Barker
Lily Belle Korinne Peacock

THE STAFF

Miss Wilhelmina Ashley Slaugh
Dr. Emmett T.C. George

PRODUCTION TEAM

Director McKenzie Johnstun
Stage Manager Isaac Merrick
Costumes Mallary Cottam
Props Emily Walker
Sound Technician Alyssa Turner
Light Technician Parry Peacock
Set Construction Daniel Jackson, Ashley Slaugh
Isaac Merrick, T.C. George
Set Paintng Isaac Merrick, Nashelle Jackson
Headshots Joie Madison
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ACT I

Scene 1: Night.

Scene 2: The next morning.

ACT II

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ACT III

Scene 1: A few minutes later.

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- McKenzie Johnstun

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CAST BIOS



AMBER HARRISON *Fairy May*

Amber is very excited to be a part of this show. She believes that the strongest friendships in life start in the theater. She is grateful for the opportunity to learn and grow as an actor and for the people who make it worth doing. Thank you all!



ANN BARKER *Mrs. Paddy*

"I'm Ann Barker. I play "Mrs. Paddy" which is hilarious because most people see me as this kind, gentle person who never yells and yet I'm playing as someone who only yells the things she hates and she hates practically everything. I am not your average person. I am a mother of 5 and I homeschool. I am a dragon lover and I do counted cross-stitch even though I hate sewing."



ASHLEY SLAUGH *Miss Wilhelmina*

"Always remember "your value is inestimable". You never know who someone truly is or what their story is. So always remember to BE KIND, DO GOOD & LOVE ALWAYS. Don't be a Savage. Unless you're going to be Mrs. Savage then definitely be "crazy!"



DANIEL JACKSON *Titus*

Daniel has been involved with Vernal Theatre: LIVE since before *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown* (2016). Daniel serves for health at the TriCounty Health Department, combating Type 2 Diabetes and Tobacco/Nicotine use. He encourages you to eat whole foods, stay active, and enjoy your life. "All my love to Nashelle & Hannalyn!"



JESSE BARKER *Samuel*

"A long time ago in a canyon far far away, seven brothers went adventuring. We stormed the castle looking for the princess, but a toadstool told us she was in another castle. With a little wibbly-wobbly, timey-wimey stuff, we rescued the six maidens. And then said "Stand Up And Walk. Keep Moving Forward. You've Got Two Good Legs. So Get Up And Use Them. You're Strong Enough To Make Your Own Path."



JULI MILLER *Florence*

"I am excited to be a part of this splendidly sweet and funny production. "Welcome to the Cloisters!" "We have been waiting for you all afternoon." I hope you enjoy the show just as much as we have!!!"

CAST BIOS

JUSTIN BENSON *Jeffrey*

Justin is excited to return to Vernal Theatre: LIVE as "Jeff". Some of Justin's favorite roles include "Frankie" in *Forever Plaid* and *Plaid Tidings*, "Albert" in *Bye, Bye Birdie*, and "Ugly" in *Honk!* Aside from theater, singing, and being a speech therapist, Justin enjoys spending time with his family. Many thanks to Kim, Evie, and Rogan. "I love you!"



KORINNE PEACOCK *Lily Belle*

The Curious Savage is the first straight play Korinne has ever performed in at Vernal Theatre: LIVE. Even though the role came to her unexpectedly, she has had a blast playing "Lily Belle". She is also extremely grateful to her supportive family who always helps her improve, whatever role she plays. "Enjoy the show!"



RUSS PEARSON *Hannibal*

Russ is excited to be part of *The Curious Savage*. He was last seen at VT:L as "Snoopy" in *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown* and "Brassett" in *Charley's Aunt*. (Season 1 shout out!) When Russ isn't performing onstage, he loves to perform for his kids and grandkids. He would like to thank his lovely wife for all of her support.



SUNDRINA BARLOW *Ethel P. Savage*

"Hi, I'm Sundrina. I'm ____ years old. (Old enough to keep that to myself.) My favorite color is: Red, no Blue, no Red, no Blue. Hmmm. When I grow up I want to be: an Actress! And a singer. Who am I kidding. I really just want to be a billionaire so I can do whatever I want. (But especially acting and singing.) Imaginary Friends Name: Steve aka Anxiety. I'm trying to figure out how to put him in time out. My Last role: "Mrs Fairfax" in *Jane Eyre*.



T.C. GEORGE *Dr. Emmett*

"Hi there! T.C. here! I've been involved with theater for many years but I have to say my time with Vernal Theatre: LIVE has been my absolute favorite! Thank you for coming out and supporting the cast and crew that has made this show possible!"

