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Ocala Civic Theatre Volunteer Newsletter

May 2018

Join the Marion Players now! The following volunteers have donated at least 75 hours between July 1, 2017 and April 30, 2018, and are eligible to join the Marion Players. To join, call the Theatre at (352) 236-2274 to make sure Volunteer Coordinator Craig James is in the office, then stop by and pay your \$1 dues. You will receive a free Marion Players T-shirt and a membership card valid for one year from the issue date. As a Marion Player, you may purchase tickets for yourself for \$5 for any regular Ocala Civic Theatre production. If you are 18 or older, you also are eligible to vote at the annual meeting. **Thank you for all you do to make Ocala Civic Theatre a great success!**

75 to 199 Hours

John Aleman
Abby Barbier
Kathleen Berning
Linda Blair
Laura Bradford
Angie Brahim
Megan Brown
Perry Butler
William Carrigan
Richard Cascaddan
Nancy Cassiey
Danielle Charboneau
Hannah Cobb
Sallie D. Collins
Mia Comas
Marcus Cote
Annette D'Amore
Albert Demao
Hollis Denham
Bruce L. DeWitt
Jenna Dickens
Bill Duell
Kiersten Farley
Nan Fisher

Nina Furgason
Bob Gehan
Miguel Gonzalez-Floyd
Carl Gustafson
Edward Hamilton
Marlene Harr
Susanne Havel
Amy Heath
Andrew P. Helseth
Lynn Helseth
Bruce Henry
Cole Howanitz
Bette Hubbard
Henry Ince
Skylar Kane
Alexia Kirshfield
Joan Kochetta
Vincent Kochetta
Wayne A. Kofink
Lois Ann Kohlweiss
Mercedes Krause
Justin Landrum
Judy Lebio
Jean-Pierre Leemans

Lizzie Lenon
Katlin Leonard
Jonathan Leppert
Sarah Leppert
Alex Maldonado
Joe Martinez
Patrick McAuliffe
Kathy McFarland
Michael McLinden
Madeleine Meadows
Jessica Mesnick
Lucy Molloy
Noah Morales
Grace Moring
Caylinn Mosblech
Jacqueline Mullen
Melody Murphy
Dick Nelson
Sam Newkirk
Ken Noble
Toni Novotny
Sara Palmer
Hannah Parsons
Kraig Pritts

Joyous Richards
Jennifer K. Rodriguez
Marylyn Ross
Garrett Rowland
Clara Rubink
Camden Ruef
Cheryl Scimeca
Chet Skapczynski
Kimberly Sprano
Linda Starkweather
Elissa A. "Cathy" Statler
James R. Taylor
Damon Vitale
Wendy Walters
Brian Watson
Xzavier Wegner
Steven Whipple
Jon-Matthew White
Terry Widener
Alex Wilisch
Carol Wilisch
Kim Wise
Laura Zavadsky

200 to 349 Hours

Soulange Beaudet
Rusty Belote
Dakota Brown
Catherine Burns
Bruce Clayton
Jeff Cole
Patti Cole
Sloane Crowder
Sydney Deines
Kyle Delnegro

Claudia Durrett-Cook
Lynda Marie Fagan
Katherine Foust
Christiana Gager
Lexy Gandara
Angel Gastelum
Sandra McDonald
Allison Metcalf
Matthew Minassian
Athena Moore

Susan Moring
Fred Mullen
Thomas Mullen
Elijah Newkirk
Joy Newkirk
Joel Petersen
Danielle Posner
Darrell Riley
Barbara Russell
Dana Schack

Rene Schafer
Gary Sonneberger
Carol Stec
Megan Wager
Jim Welch
Chris Williams

350-749 Hours

Gregg Bleam
Doreen Bulleman
Tom Ferreira
Mason Gray
Joan Gustafson

Rick Horn
Danuta Jacob
Faith J. Morales
Randall Moring
Maxine Nelson

Paul Olson
Anthony Palumbo
Kelsey Plante
Emma Pruitt
Faith Pruitt

Joshua Ramko
Shelby Randle
Ginny Riley
Jose C. Rivera
William Torres

750+ Hours

Deion Howard

Joshua Plante

OPEN AUDITIONS

for the student production

Monday, May 21 at 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 22 at 7:00 p.m.

(It is only necessary to attend one night of auditions.)

REHEARSALS: June 11 – July 26

SHOW DATES: July 27 – August 5

DIRECTOR: Kirstin Kennedy

MUSIC DIRECTOR: Jason Longtin

CHOREOGRAPHER: Melanie Spratt



Music and Lyrics by Joe Iconis

Book by Joe Tracz

Based on the novel by Ned Vizzini

ABOUT THE SHOW

In this smart, quirky sci-fi musical, high school junior Jeremy Heere is a social outcast who just wants to be popular (and basically just survive life in suburban New Jersey). He also desperately hopes to score a date with his crush, Christine, and an invite to the raddest Halloween party in town. So Jeremy swallows a pill which implants a tiny supercomputer called “The Squip” in his brain, which tells him how to act cool. The Squip promises to bring him all he desires... but is getting everything he wants worth the risk if his own voice isn’t the clearest one in his head?

ROLES AVAILABLE

We are looking for a cast of 10-18 actors. High school and college students may audition. **Please note: *Be More Chill* contains adult content; any student under the age of 18 will need parental approval to be in the show.**

- **Jeremy Heere:** Awkward high school junior
- **Christine Canigula:** High school theatre girl. Sweetly dorky.
- **Michael Mell:** Jeremy’s music-obsessed best friend.
- **Jake Dillinger:** High school awesomeness personified.
- **Rich:** Five feet five inches of teenage bully.
- **Chloe:** The hottest girl in school. Crass and confident.
- **Brooke:** The second hottest girl in school. Insecure.
- **Jenna Rolan:** That girl who knows everyone’s business.
- **Jeremy’s Dad:** Never wears pants. Also plays Mr. Reyes and Scary Stockboy.
- **The Squip:** The supercomputer in Jeremy’s head.
- **Ensemble:** Various roles.

ABOUT AUDITIONS, REHEARSALS, AND PERFORMANCES

Students are asked to prepare a 32-bar song in the style of the show (modern pop/rock musical theatre) and will not be permitted to sing from the score. Come dressed to move, as there will be a dance portion of the audition. Please wear comfortable, appropriate clothing and shoes – either dance shoes or closed-toed shoes. No sandals, flip-flops, or open-toed shoes are allowed.

Callbacks, if needed, will be held Tuesday, May 22 after auditions are over.

No experience is necessary. Newcomers and theatre veterans alike are welcome and encouraged to audition. If you are unable to attend the scheduled auditions, please contact the Theatre to make a separate appointment.

Copies of the ***Be More Chill*** script are available at the Theatre and may be checked out from the box office for one week with a \$10 refundable deposit. Box office hours are Monday through Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Please call (352) 236-2274 before coming to make sure a script is in stock. If you check out a script the week before auditions, you must return it by Friday, May 18 at 5:30 p.m.

Rehearsals begin June 11 and will be held Monday through Friday, 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Rehearsal times may change depending upon the cast's conflicts. Tech rehearsals begin the weekend of July 20 (times TBD). Tech week rehearsals will be held Monday, July 23 through Thursday, July 26 from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

There will be seven performances of ***Be More Chill***:

- Friday, July 27 at 8:00 p.m.
- Saturday, July 28 at 8:00 p.m.
- Sunday, July 29 at 2:00 p.m.
- Thursday, August 2 at 8:00 p.m.
- Friday, August 3 at 8:00 p.m.
- Saturday, August 4 at 8:00 p.m.
- Sunday, August 5 at 2:00 p.m.

Exciting news: The off-Broadway premiere of ***Be More Chill*** will take place only four days after the Ocala Civic Theatre production closes!

CALLING ALL CREW FOR *BE MORE CHILL*

We need crew for ***Be More Chill***, our summer student musical! This includes assistant stage managers, backstage crew, sound and light board operators, follow spot operators, rigging, dressers, etc.

No experience is necessary. Crew volunteers must be 18 or older. **Any student under the age of 18 will need parental approval to crew the show.**

The show runs for seven performances, from July 27 through August 5. All crew members are required to work every performance.

If you're interested in crewing the show, contact Volunteer Coordinator Craig James at (352) 236-2851, ext. 102.



OUR CONDOLENCES

Our thoughts and sincere sympathy are with the family and friends of **Bill Cassill**; the family and friends of **Clara Rubink**; and **Lois Ann and Jack Kohlweiss** on the loss of her mother.