

MAY 2019

## STAGE NOTES

A newsletter brought to you by the KHS Indian Theatre Boosters

### 2019/2020 BOOSTER MEMBERSHIP

You can sign up now to be a 2019/2020 KHS Indian Theatre Boosters member. Just visit our website and you can register online or download the form and send it in. <a href="https://khstheatreboosters.org/">https://khstheatreboosters.org/</a>

Our goals as boosters are to 1) Promote parental understanding of the students, activities, opportunities, and objectives of the theatre program; 2) Secure closer contact between parents, students, and theatre directors; 3) To foster closer ties between parents of younger students and parents of high school students; 4) Promote theatre culture in the community by fostering theatre attendance and public support of theatre activities; 5) To render financial aid in areas necessary for realizing the objectives of the theatre department.

You will receive a 20% early bird discount if you join Boosters for the 2019-2020 school year by May 18. Please go to the booster site <a href="https://khstheatreboosters.org/">https://khstheatreboosters.org/</a> to pick your membership level and your discount will be applied during check out.

### RECAP OF WHAT BOOSTERS HAVE PROVIDED FOR THE KHS INDIAN THEATRE DEPARTMENT THIS YEAR:

- STUDENT DEVELOPMENT
  - SUMMER CAMP ENRICHMENT GRANTS (6)
  - COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS (3)
- DEPARTMENT NEEDS
  - o (3) Dust Separators for shop
  - Warehouse racks for storage of furniture/props
  - (4) New wireless mics and belts
  - o (2) Rolling Garment Racks
- FEEDING KIDS, DIRECTORS AND JUDGES
  - o Facilitating Cast-Crew snacks/meals Figments, Urinetown, OAP
  - Middle School OAP Workshop lunch
  - Gift baskets/snacks/meals for judges
- MISC. THEATRE DEPT. NEEDS
  - o Costumes & Props for Figments and Urinetown
  - o OAP Retreats & Clinic
  - Hotel costs for additional Directors attending TETA
  - Class Play Festival Budgets for Student Directors (8 shows!)
- THEATRE BANQUET AT THE BOWDEN EVENTS CENTER
  - Banquet Facility, Decorations, Food, DJ
  - Senior Gifts
  - Director Gifts

### OH, THE PLACES YOU'LL GO...

Congratulations to our graduating Seniors. We have enjoyed seeing you all grow in your craft. We will miss seeing your faces in the halls and on the stage. Break a leg on your next stage in life!

- ♦ AVA AMLONG
- ♦ SIERRA BRADY
- ♦ BRITTON COLEMAN ♦ COLIN DIXON
- ♦ KAIN FLOURNOY
- **♦ MAC HUFF**
- **♦ EMILY LOPEZ**
- ♦ CAITLIN MEAGHER
- ♦ MADISON MULLINS
  ♦ MITCHELL MUNN
- ♦ CHARLOTTE SAILORS ♦ JORDAN SMITH
- ♦ HARPER TRAMM

- ♦ BRYLEIGH ANDREWS
- ♦ DANI BROOKS
- **♦ TAYLOR GORDON**
- ♦ ALYSSA HUFFMAN
- ♦ HAYDEN LUTZ
- **♦ CHLOE MILAM**

- **♦ PEYTON WILLIAMS**

- **♦ ALLISON BRACKEN**
- ♦ IAN CANFIELD
- **♦ JULIA ERB**
- **♦ JACK HOWREY**
- **♦ KELSI KARRULI**
- **♦ MINA MAKRAM**
- **◆ ZACHARY MOORE**
- **♦ JENNA OUST**
- **♦ ASHLEY SPEIGHT**

### **TECH HONOR CREW 2019-2020**

Congratulations to the following for making the 2019-2020 school year Tech Honor Crew!

Maya Alexander • Kristie Bonham • Jordan Clay • Lexi Croatti • Brooke de la Fuente • Austin Duplantis • Jaellyn Erickson • Sarah Faehnle • Ty Gabrielson • Thalia McGinn • Arianna Raich • Aiden Singca • Zach Watkins

### KISD'S TEACHER OF THE YEAR IS ONE OF OUR DIRECTORS!



"COACH" BRIAN KETCHAM - OUR BELOVED TECHNICAL THEATRE DIRECTOR - HAS A LOT TO CELEBRATE THIS YEAR.

- → DIRECTORIAL DEBUT FIGMENTS
- → Keller High School's Teacher of the Year
- → Keller ISD's Secondary Teacher of the Year!

Thank you for being a flannel-loving positive inspiration to our students and to everyone you meet.

Congratulations to the UIL One-Act Play STATE Champions, our fellow KISD school Central High School, for their production of Euripides' Medea! Shout out to Jose Gonzalez for winning Honorable Mention and Renee Powell for her All-Star Cast award.

### **KELLER'S 5<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CLASS PLAY FESTIVAL**

Congratulations to all our KHS student directors, technicians, actors and site crew of the eight productions performed on Saturday, May 4, 2019. The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Class Play Festival was a success!

### Honorable Mention All Star Cast:

**Eli Walker**, Keller – *Steadfast* 

Maya Alexander, Preacher Haggler - Dark of the Moon
Austin Duplantis, Gerard de Villefort - The Count of Monte Cristo
Moses Jackson, Mr. Mackus - Anon(ymous)
Nick Klein, Mr. Lethe/Daryl - Jasper in Deadland
Ben Lirette, Clarion - Life is a Dream
Joshua Mitchell, Juror 3 - 12 Angry Jurors
Madison Mullins, Terry - Side Man
Sophia Perez, Aaron - Steadfast
Jessica Pickens, Juror 8 - 12 Angry Jurors
Dominik Sustaita, Anon - Anon(ymous)
Dalton Vargas, Pluto/Anniversary Guy/Paper Boy - Jasper in Deadland

### All Star Cast:

Bridget Bundick, Powell – Steadfast
Miles Connor, Pascal/Luris – Anon(ymous)
Julia Erb, Patsy – Side Man
Kain Flournoy, Juror 12 – 12 Angry Jurors
Austin Hunter, Jasper – Jasper in Deadland
Blake Hyatt, Edmond Dantes/The Count of Monte Cristo – The Count of Monte Cristo
Kaitlin Johnson, Barbara Allen – Dark of the Moon
Sterling Light, Zyclo – Anon(ymous)
Britton Majure, Astolfo – Life is a Dream
Destiny McIntosh, Rosaura – Life is a Dream
Gina Sisco, Ammut/Ensemble – Jasper in Deadland

Best Set: *Life is a Dream*Best Lights: *Side Man* 

Best Sound: Dark of the Moon Best Props: 12 Angry Jurors

Best Hair/Make-up: Jasper in Deadland
Best Costume: The Count of Monte Cristo

Emily Stoutjesdyk, Juror 11 – 12 Angry Jurors

Best Actor: **Derek Huber**, Witch Boy – *Dark of the Moon* Best Actress: **Lizzie Binnie**, Agnes – *Jasper in Deadland* 

Helen Lewis Award: Ian Canfield

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: *12 Angry Jurors* 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: *Dark of the Moon* 1<sup>st</sup> Place: *Jasper in Deadland* 

Congratulations to the companies of *Jasper in Deadland* and *Dark of the Moon* who will represent Keller High School at the KISD CPF on Saturday, May 11, 2019.

## KISD 2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL CLASS PLAY FESTIVAL (DISTRICT aka Nationals)

The 2nd Annual District Class Play Festival was held on Saturday, May 11, 2019. Congratulations to all the student directors, technicians, actors and site crew who performed and represented their schools!

### **Honorable Mention All Star Cast**:

Samuel Abbey, Geronte – The Doctor in Spite of Himself (FRHS)

**Remidy Dixon**, Officer Ariel – *The Pillowman* (TCHS)

**Trevor Guy**, Boss/Bentley/New York – *destiny* (CHS)

Adriaa Hardy, Tituba – The Crucible (CHS)

**Derek Huber**, John/Witch Boy – *Dark of the Moon* (KHS)

**Sadie Kuhn**, Mary – *The Crucible* (CHS)

Jenna Lundberg, Juror No. 2 – Twelve Angry Jurors (FRHS)

Mack Reeves, Foreman of the Jury – Twelve Angry Jurors (FRHS)

**Jonantony Rodriguez**, Sganarelle – *The Doctor in Spite of Himself* (FRHS)

**Gina Sisco**, Ammut/Ensemble – *Jasper in Deadland* (KHS)

**Dalton Vargas**, Pluto/Anniversary Guy/Paper Boy – *Jasper in Deadland* (KHS)

**Gavin Verloop**, Marvin Hudgens – *Dark of the Moon* (KHS)

#### All Star Cast:

Samantha Bajonero, Officer Tupolski – The Pillowman (TCHS)

**Landry Barker**, Elliot – *destiny* (CHS)

Lizzie Binnie, Gretchen/Agnes – Jasper in Deadland (KHS)

Rashad Corpening, Juror No. 3 – Twelve Angry Jurors (FRHS)

**Zach Feuling**, Michael – *The Pillowman* (TCHS)

**Austin Hunter**, Jasper – *Jasper in Deadland* (KHS)

**Kaitlin Johnson**, Barbara Allen – *Dark of the Moon* (KHS)

**Nick Klein**, Mr. Lethe/Daryl – *Jasper in Deadland* (KHS)

Reagan Myers, Elizabeth – The Crucible (CHS)

JC Roggenbuck, John – The Crucible (CHS)

**Jared Turk**, Valere – *The Doctor in Spite of Himself* (FRHS)

Brian Vasquez, Juan – Yerma (TCHS)

Best Set Design: Derek Huber and Austin Thompson, Dark of the Moon (KHS)

Best Direction: Brooke Boyer and Clara Israel, The Pillowman (TCHS),

Best Technical Execution: Kadence Sharp and Tally McGinn, Dark of the Moon (KHS)

Best Lighting Design: **Trinity Berube**, *The Crucible* (CHS)

Best Sound Design: Tate Audrey - destiny (CHS)

Best Property Design: **Gracey Larson**, *Jasper in Deadland* (KHS)
Best Hair/Make-up Design: **Jessica Huffman**, *Dark of the Moon* (KHS)

Best Costume Design: Chloe Evans and Ellie Morrison - Dark of the Moon (KHS)

Best Ensemble: Jasper in Deadland (KHS)

Best Actor: **Ethan Hyatt**, Katurian – *The Pillowman* (TCHS)

Best Actress: **Delaney Ross**, Yerma – *Yerma* (TCHS)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: *The Pillowman* (TCHS) 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: *Dark of the Moon* (KHS) 1<sup>st</sup> Place: *Jasper in Deadland* (KHS)

# KELLER INDIAN THEATRE DELIVERED A "ONE, TWO PUNCH" AT DISTRICT CLASS PLAY FESTIVAL!



1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE – JASPER IN DEADLAND (KHS Production I)
Student Directed By: Emily Lopez, Tyler Harrell, and Sarah Faehnle



**2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE – DARK OF THE MOON (KHS Production II)**Student Directed By: Austin Thompson and Brooke De La Fuente

### **THEATRE OFFICERS FOR 2019/2020**

The Theatre Officers for school year 2019/2020 have been announced. The boosters look forward to collaborating with this group and supporting them in the coming year.

President: Aiden Singca

Vice President: Austin Duplantis

Secretary: Maddi Phipps
Treasurer: Jimmy Romero
Historian: Brooke De La Fuente
Senior Class Rep: Kaitlin Johnson
Junior Class Rep: Lauren Bothwell
Sophomore Class Rep: Zach Watkins

Freshmen Class Rep: TBD – This position will be voted on in the Fall

### The 2019/2020 Show Season has been announced!

The 2019/2020 Indian Theatre Season has been announced and will have the theme: ♥ Endless Love ♥

FALL PLAY: **METAMORPHOSES**FALL MUSICAL: **ALL SHOOK UP** 

CHILDREN'S PLAY (Winter show): TBA

ONE ACT PLAY: TBA

In addition to these shows, the theatre department will also be producing a **Showcase Series** to include:

- Coffeehouse Cabarets:
  - Secrets & Treats (Holiday season)
  - Love Letters
- Musical Theatre Showcase
  - Always & Forever
- 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Class Play Festival

 $\rightarrow$  We are looking for Corporate or Individual Sponsors for the 2019/2020 KHS Theatre Season.



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### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

MAY 23 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL YEAR! MAY 25 KISD GRADUATION DAY

MAY 28-31 SUMMER POW WOW "UNDER THE BIG TOP"

JULY 22 & 29 DANCE WORKSHOPS – LOOK FOR MORE INFO TO COME OUT ON

**TEAM APP** 

AUGUST 14 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL YEAR 2019/2020

### NEXT KHS INDIAN THEATRE BOOSTERS MEETING:

JULY 2019: Date TBA - AUDIT COMMITTEE TO AUDIT BOOSTERS YEAR 2018/2019

JULY 2019: Date TBA - FUNDRAISING MEETING

AUGUST 2019: Date TBA - BOOSTERS BOARD TO MEET

SEPTEMBER 2019: Date TBA - BACK TO SCHOOL BOOSTERS GENERAL MEETING

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