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# Town and Country Players PRESENTS

# THE LION, THE WITCH, AND THE WARDROBE

Based on the book by C.S. Lewis

Dramatized by Joseph Robinette

Produced by special arrangement with
The Dramatic Publishing Company of Woodstock, Illinois
Based apon the book
"The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe" by
C.S. Lewis
Dramatic Publishing P.O. Box 129, Woodstock, Illinois 60098

## **CAST**

### **Cast Members in Alphabetical Order**

Tree Nymph	Amelia Alfiero
Edmund	Logan Ambs
Unicorn	Carleigh Beck
Mr. Beaver	Gary Beck
Witch's Army	Jack Benson
White Stag/Tree Nymph	Caroline Canterbury
Witch's Army	Daniel Cotlar
Tree Nymph	Emma Deeken
Lucy	Brenya Grommel
Mrs. Beaver	Wendy Graham-Hugo
Fox	Abby Heine
Dwarf	Mason Hitchon
Fenris Ulf	Dave Levy
Susan	Julia Levy
Squirrel	Lucy Levy
Witch's Army	Sean Malat
Elf	Makayla McClintic
Witch's Army	Mason McClintic
Father Christmas/Ensemble	Michael McClintic
Centaur	Emma O'Reilly
Tumnus	Jeff Pfeiffer
Centaur	Amber Quinn
Centaur	Lyla Quinn
Centaur	Sophia Quinn
Aslan	Jonah Reeder
Peter	Reid Schuessler
Rabbit	Lucy Spiegel
Ensemble	Sophie Toth
White Witch	Amanda Weikel

# **PRODUCTION TEAM**

Director	Jesse Roy
Producer	Kim O'Byrne-Rozman
Stage Manager	Danielle Malat
Assistant Stage Manager	Arielle DuBose
Fight Choreographer	Keith Maliszewski
Costume Designer	Petrina Price
Costume Assistant / Artistic Advisor	Nancy Ridgeway
Costume Assistant	Anne Schmitt
Make-up / Wig design	Lynne Anne Donchez
Make-Up Assistant	Jackie Perischillo
Make-Up Assistant	Deena Fischer
Make-Up Assistant	Emily Weisman
Make-Up Assistant	Alana O'Grady
Set Design / Construction	David Sharper
Set Construction	Bill Buckman
Set Construction	Bob Binkley
Set Construction	Joe Perignat
Scenic Design	Barb Emch
Properties	Ken Weigert
Lighting Design / Technician	David Cassel
Assistant Sound Technician	Noemi Nieves-Hoblin
Assistant Sound Technician	Keith Maliszewski
Artistic Advisor	Brendan Roy
Running Crew	Gabriel Toth
Program	Susan Galli Jillian Ambs
Program Ads	Jean Laustsen



### **Amelia Alfiero**

as Tree Nymph

Amelia is a 12 year old who loves anything to do with acting, singing or dancing. A crowd pleaser, even as a toddler, Amelia has grown up in front of an audience with acting roles in school plays, community theater and music videos. She lives in Bucks County with her mom and dad, and two Westie puppies.



# **Logan Ambs**

as Edmund

Theater credits: James (*Willy Wonka* – T&C); Christopher Moore (*'twas the Night Before Christmas* – Kelsey Theatre); Ensemble (*Les Mis* and *Joseph and the Amazing*... – CRAFT Players at NMS). Logan is a 5th grade Humanities student at Goodnoe Elementary School and will also be appearing in T&C's upcoming Holiday Show at the Michener Museum. Thanks to Jesse and Kim for this amazing opportunity!



# **Carleigh Beck**

as Unicorn

Carleigh cannot wait to perform in her first official show at T&C with her dad, Gary. Other than acting, Carleigh's hobbies are dancing, singing, reading and writing. She'd like to thank her Mom, Dad, and three younger brothers for supporting her. She would also like to thank all of her wonderful friends for always being there for her.



# **Gary Beck**

as Mr. Beaver

Gary is returning to the T&C stage after making his debut last year in *Holes* as The Sherriff, Igor and Stanley's Dad. He is even more excited to perform with his daughter, Carleigh! Other stage credits include *A Little Quickie* and *The Man Who Came to Dinner* and the films *The Lovely Bones* and *Unbreakable*. Much thanks to his wife, Kimberly, and children for their patience and flexibility!



### **Daniel Cotlar**

as Witch's Army

Daniel is making his T & C debut in this production. He got into theater with an improv class in the 3rd grade, and between two school plays and four years of acting classes and summer camps, his love of acting has only continued to grow. Daniel is delighted to be working with such a great cast and hopes to be seen on the T & C stage more in the future.



#### Emma Deeken

as Tree Nymph

Emma Deeken is thrilled to be part of this cast. This is her debut with Town & Country Players, although she attended and performed in a T & C summer theater workshop earlier this year. Emma performed with Acting Naturally in Kids on Broadway as Meg -Hercules' love interest singing" I won't say I'm in Love" and as The Candy Girl in Willy Wonka Jr.. She enjoys theater, singing, drawing and karate. Emma thanks her family and the entire cast and crew of this show for the opportunity to perform!



# **Brenya Grommel**

as Lucy

Brenya is very excited to be making her T&C debut! Her first performance was last year as Wickersham Lead # 1 in her school's production of *Seussical the Musical*. She was also a part of T&C's Youth Workshop, playing The Ugly Laugher in *The Ugly Laugher*. Thanks to Mom, Dad, Willow and Isla for being supportive and encouraging every step of the way and Grandma for everything she's done.



# **Wendy Graham-Hugo**

as Mrs. Beaver

Wendy is very pleased to be making her Town and Country debut in *The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe*. This retired former head of the Drama Department at the Mercer Country School for the Performing Arts has an extensive background in the theater but ceased performing after discovering she wished to devote her professional life to teaching. After her retirement, Wendy got the yearning to return to the stage again. So, she brushed up her skills and started to entertain audiences as the judge in *Legally Blonde* at Playful Theater Productions, as Mazeppa in *Gypsy* at Actors' Net and as the Mom in *Daughters* at Langhorne Players.



# **Abby Heine**

as Fox

Abby is a 6th grader in the Central Bucks School District. Abby has been involved with local community theater for 2 years. This is her fifth production with Town and Country Players. When she's not on stage, Abby loves singing, acting, gymnastics and riding her bike! She has had a lot of fun preparing for this production and she hopes you enjoy the show!



### **Mason Hitchon**

as Dwarf

Mason Hitchon, a Doylestown native, is just getting started in his acting career. He has done several small community plays, as well as acting in *Alice In Wonderland* and *Peter Pan* with Solebury School's Star Catchers summer theater group. In his spare time, Mason enjoys reading, drawing, making stop-motion movies, riding dirt bikes and racing mountain bikes. He looks forward to making his role come to life!



# **Dave Levy**

as Fenris Ulf

Dave Levy is thrilled to perform with his daughters again. Last summer's *Holes* was their first show together. Dave recently played Sam in *A Few Good Men* at T&C. He also performs and teaches improv comedy. By day, he teaches 4th grade in Doylestown. He gives much love and appreciation to his wife and girls for their constant encouragement and support. Dave dedicates this show to his parents.



# **Julia Levy**

as Susan

Julia Levy is delighted to perform with her dad and sister. Julia has taken acting classes since she was five, and she loves T&C's summer workshop. She was also in *Holes* at T&C last year. Julia is a 5th grader who plays the viola and clarinet. After meeting with her principal, she brought Reading Olympics to 5th graders in her school and is excited to participate. She enjoys playing and watching soccer.



# **Lucy Levy**

as Squirrel

Lucy Levy is in 2nd grade. This is her second show at T&C. In last year's *Holes*, Lucy played a pig and a townsperson. She has taken acting classes since she was four years old, and one of her favorite roles was Duffy in *Annie*. Lucy is very happy to be in a show with her big sister and her daddy, and she thanks her mommy for all her help backstage.



### **Sean Malat**

as Witch's Army

Sean is an 11 year-old 6th grade student, and is elated to be part of this production (his first ever), especially since he has read the story many times. Sean has been encouraged to take the stage by his friends and his mom, and is thankful to them as well as to his dad and brother for their support. Sean hopes you have a great time and enjoy the show!



# Makayla McClintic

as Elf

Makayla has previously performed as Alvin in the *T&C Christmas Special* and Cat in the Hat in *Seussical* at the YMCA camp. Makayla has really enjoyed the T&C Summer Workshops. She is very excited to be Elf in the show, and really appreciates Jesse and Kim for casting her, Mason and her Dad together. Makayla thanks Mariel for her audition prep and also thanks Ayee and Mom for the love and support.



### **Mason McClintic**

as Witch's Army

After having a blast at T&C Summer Workshop this year, Mason is really looking forward to being part of *The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe*. He thanks the Jesse & Kim for giving him his first T&C role. Mason thanks Mariel for her audition prep and He also thanks his Mom, Dad and sister who support him on this journey. He would also like to thank his friends who have helped him along the way. Go Wolfpack! HOOOWWLLLL!



### Michael McClintic

as Father Christmas/Ensemble

Michael would like to thank Jesse and Kim for casting him in this great show, and is looking forward to his 3rd T&C production. He's particularly excited about this one since he gets to share the stage with his kids in this one! Michael thanks Mason and Makayla for encouraging him to try out at T&C and also thanks his wonderful wife Lisa for being so supportive of his new acting addiction.



# **Emma O'Reilly**

as Centaur

Emma O'Reilly is a 9th grader at Lenape Middle School. She is very excited to be a part of *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*. She recently starred as Arvide Abernathy in *Guys and Dolls* at LMS. She is very thankful for the opportunity to be a part of this production. She would like to thank her parents and family, as well as her best friend Isla. HI MOM!!!



### **Jack Benson**

as Witch's Army

Jack Benson is a sophomore at Central Bucks West High School and is excited to be making his debut with the Town and Country Players in The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe. Jack was last seen in CB West's production of You Can't Take it with You Mac. His previous performances include the Solebury School's production of Peter Pan, Jr Mr. Darling/Smee, as well as Tohickon Middle School's productions of Aladdin, Jr. Razoul, The Music Man, Jr Salesman #2 and Once Upon a Mattress, Jr. Ensemble. Jack would like to thank his family and friends for all their support, and the Director, Jesse Roy for giving him this opportunity. Break a leg to the cast and crew – Have Fun!!



### **Jeff Pfeiffer**

as Tumnus

Jeff Pfeiffer is thrilled to be playing the role of Tumnus in this production. He was most recently seen on the T&C stage as Louden Downey in *A Few Good Men*. Jeff is currently a freshman acting major at the University of the Arts. He is thankful for the opportunity to be part of this show and would like to thank all of the cast and crew!



### **Amber Quinn**

as Centaur

Amber started dancing at a young age and she later graduated with a BFA from Marymount Manhattan College. She performed throughout NY and abroad with various dance companies and off Broadway productions. She currently teaches yoga and focuses on raising her family. She's very happy to be a part of this cast and back on the stage!



# Lyla Quinn

as Centaur

Lyla's a passionate horseback rider and has a love of singing. She joined her chorus group in school this year. This is her first acting experience and she's so happy to join the amazing cast of *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe!* 



# Sophia Quinn

as Centaur

Sophia has been interested in theater since she was very young. She studies dance, voice and acting at Bucks County School of Performing Arts and participates in her school chorus group. She joined NVMT for their rendition of *The Music Man* in 2015 and she's so excited to join Town and Country Player's *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* cast this year!



### Jonah Reeder

as Aslan

Jonah Reeder is approaching the end of his third semester at Bucks County Community College. He most recently played Gmork/Bastian's Father in Dutch Country Player's production of *The Neverending Story*. He's also taken part in a number of other productions at DCP, Onstage and Off, State Theatre Preservation Society and the CB West Harlequin Club. Jonah is excited to be portraying the role of Aslan. He hopes the show makes you roar with excitement.



### Reid Schuessler

as Peter

Reid is excited to be performing in his first T&C production. Reid previous performance includes his role as Lt. Brannigan in the Lenape Players production of *Guys and Dolls*. Reid has participated in the summer youth workshop at Town and Country players. He would like to thank everyone that has given him this opportunity and hopes to learn and grow with this experience.



# **Lucy Spiegel**

as Rabbit

Lucy is thrilled for her T&C debut! Her previous roles at Bristol Riverside Theater and Delaware Valley University were Molly in *Annie Jr.*, Page Jason in *The Princess and the Magic Pea*, Amelia in *The Aristocats Kids*, and Doll/Mother Goose Chorus in *Babes in Toyland*. Lucy enjoys animals, soccer, musicals, traveling, singing, and dancing. Thanks to her Mom, Dad, and Evan for their support!



# **Caroline Canterbury**

as White Stag/Tree Nymph

Caroline "Carrots" Canterbury is a 7th grader who has been dancing since age two. She studies at the Mill Ballet School and performed with the Roxey Ballet Co. in their annual production of *The Nutcracker* for the past five seasons. She has been a regular at T&C's Summer Workshops since 2013 and is thrilled to be in her first official performance on the T&C stage!



# **Sophie Toth**

as Ensemble

Sophie is a 4th grade student at Linden Elementary. She loves art, music and writing. This is her first time on stage at T&C.



### **Amanda Weikel**

as White Witch

Amanda is enjoying her fourth show with T&C. She is especially excited to be cast as the White Witch for this production. Recently she played Google in a one act called *The Internet is Distract... Oh Look A Kitten* at Dutch Country Players. She is the leader of the drama ministry at her church where she writes and puts on performances. Some of Amanda's favorite past performances are: *The Scarlet Pimpernel, The Odd Couple* and *The Importance of Being Ernest*.

Jesse Roy Director

Jesse Roy graduated with a degree in Cultural Studies and Dance from Simon Fraser University (2000) and she has been involved in the performing arts ever since. At T&C, she has acted, stage managed, produced, and directed. She is grateful to the cast, crew, and Board of Directors for their support.

# Kim O'Byrne-Rozman

**Producer** 

Kim has been a member of T&C since 2010. Like most T&C members, Kim wears many hats around the barn but loves all of them. Previous T&C shows include *Miracle on 34<sup>th</sup> Street* (Producer), *The Music Man* (Mrs. Paroo), *Lie, Cheat & Genuflect* (Producer), *Everybody Loves Opal* (Asst. Stage Manager), *Sweeney Todd* (Ensemble), *Our Town* (Dead Woman), *Bye Bye Birdie* (Doris McAfee) and *Carousel* (Ensemble). Kim also serves on T&C's Board of Directors. Enjoy the show!

Danielle Malat Stage Manager

Danielle is no stranger to the T&C stage, having been in many productions during her 10-year tenure. Her most recent role was Lt Commander Jo Galloway in this season's performance of *A Few Good Men*. Stage managing has been a recent aspiration, and Danielle is thankful to Jesse and Kim for the opportunity to spread her wings backstage. Danielle is thrilled to be working with her son Sean, as well as the rest of this talented cast and crew. Love and thanks to Greg and Jason.

### **Arielle DuBose**

Assistant Stage Manager

This is Arielle's 16th role in backstage operations here at Town and Country Players. She began working for us in the fall of 2014, and her last involvement was in *August Osage County* in 2016. After her long pause between shows, she's very excited to get back in the scene with *The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe*!

### Keith Maliszewski

Fight Choreographer

Keith Maliszewski is absolutely thrilled to be a part of another Town and Country Players production. Earlier this season he appeared as Santiago in *A Few Good Men* and assistant stage managed for *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee.* In addition to T&C credits, you may have seen Keith on stage at The Village Players of Hatboro as Watson in *The Hound of the Baskervilles* this past October. In his free time he is actively involved in the improv community and often performs with his troupe, The Random Tangents. Keith would like to thank his friends and family for their constant support in his theatre endeavors, especially his girlfriend Brianna who always helps him be the best he can be.

Petrina Price Costume Designer

Petrina assisted with costumes for *Willy Wonka* as well as playing the part of Grandma Josephine. She also was costume designer for *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*. She is very excited to be the costume designer for this production and working with such a talented group of people! She is looking forward to seeing her granddaughter, Brenya make her debut as Lucy! Petrina has appeared in *Bye, Bye Birdie* (Mrs Johnson) and *Carousel*. She would like to thank her family for their love, support and encouragement!

# **Lynne Anne Donchez**

Make-up / Wig design

Lynne-Anne is very excited to be doing make-up and wig design work for this production and especially happy to be working with such an amazing cast. She just finished a run as the Producer of *Love Letters/Other Letters* and serves on the T&C board as the VP of Hospitality. Congratulations to T&C on their first 70 years!

# **David Sharper**

Set Design / Construction

David has been involved in over a hundred shows at Town and Country since 1984. He designed and built the sets for this seasons *Rumors* and *Willy Wonka* and last seasons *Company*, *Holes* and *The Nutcracker*. Last seen on stage for one night only as Andrew Makepeace Ladd III in this seasons *Love Letters*. Some of his favorite roles: Mitch in *A Streetcar Named Desire*, Brian in *Laughter on the 23rd Floor*, Professor Plum in *Clue the Play*, Krojack in *Don't Drink the Water* and George in *Don't Dress for Dinner*.

Bill Buckman Set Construction

When Bill is not swinging a hammer as a remodeling contractor, he spends his free time singing, acting and producing. With a musical legacy dating back to his early childhood, Bill is a cast member with the State Street Players and is a past President of the BC Gilbert & Sullivan Society. He is also a Cantor at OLMC Church, sings with the church choir and just recently returned from a nine day singing tour of Italy with the OLG Church Choir. To the cast and crew, "break a leg!"

Bob Binkley Set Construction

Bob is more often onstage, but has built sets for a number of community theater groups in the area. He is a founder of the Bucks County Gilbert & Sullivan Society, and lives in New Britain Borough with Winnie, his wife, and Jack the dog. Bob wishes all the best for the Town & Country Players cast and crew.

Barb Emch Scenic Design

The 70th season at T&C has proven to be exciting and challenging. Barb thinks it's thrilling and great fun to be part of a theater that has given so much to our community. Barb wants to thank all those who help with the painting through the season for all their hard work and support. She wishes the very talented cast and crew of *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* the very best. Enjoy the show.

Ken Weigert Properties

Ken is happy to be back after 3 years. He was involved for 8 years as actor, lighting, sound effects and director in multiple shows. He misses his biggest fan, his wife of 44 years, Mary.

### **David Cassel**

Lighting Design / Technician

David began lighting at Central Bucks West for the Harlequin Club theater group in 1984. Since then he has been involved with several community theater groups in Pennsylvania and California. He is currently Technical Director for State Street Players out of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church. For the last two years he has also worked with Bucks County Gilbert and Sullivan Society in the capacity of Lighting Design.

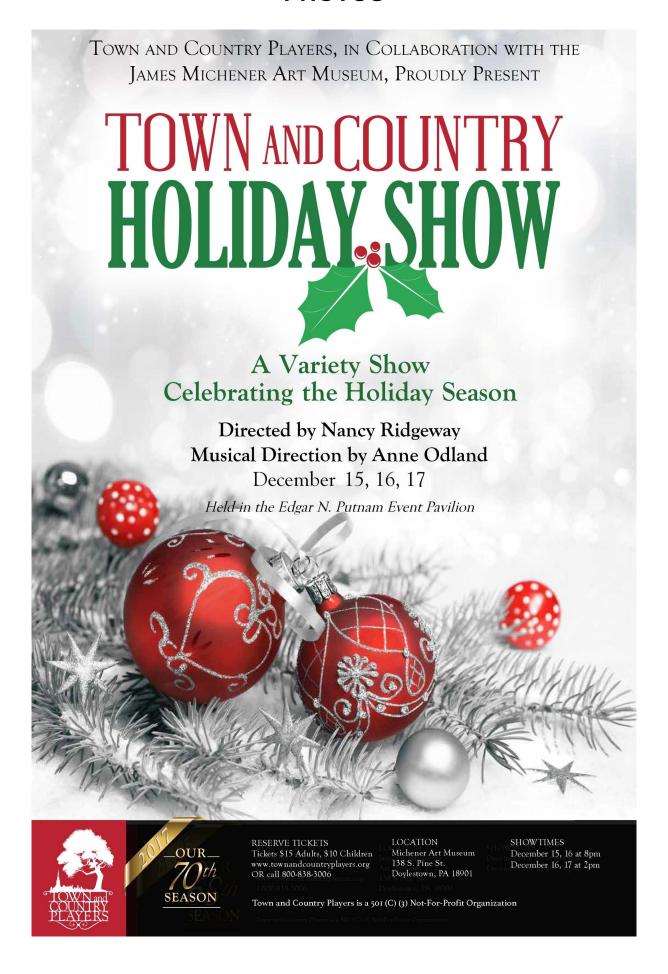
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Assistant Sound Technician

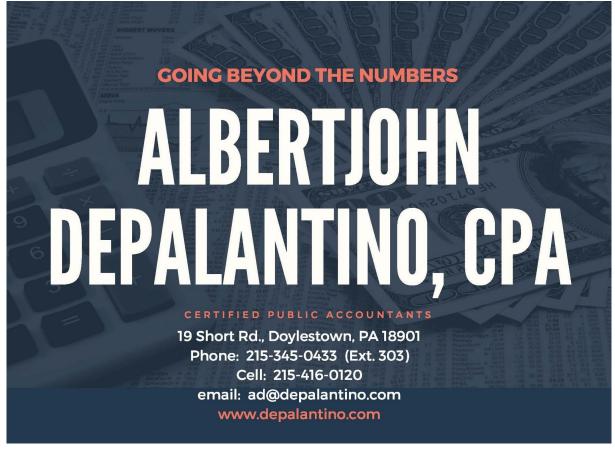
This is Noemi's third time being involved in a T&C performance. She has done crew work for multiple school performances as well as set design. She is delighted to be a part of the crew for *The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe*, and hopes one day to stage manage for future T&C productions.

Gabriel Toth Running Crew

Gabriel is a middle school student in Central Bucks. He has been hanging around backstage since he was a baby. Now he finally gets to help out. This is his first show as stage crew at T and C







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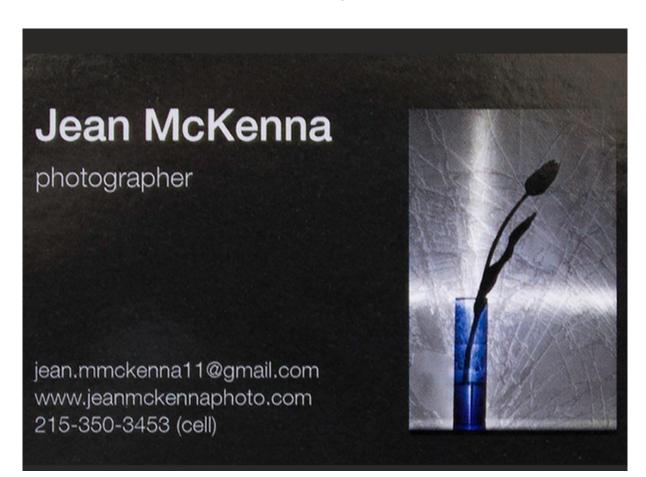
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Each raffle ticket is also eligible for our end of year prizes which include a trip to a Broadway show of your choice as well as other prizes (see the list in the Clubroom). We appreciate your support. Thank you!

## **Volunteer to Earn a Free Ticket**

Members and Non-Members may volunteer to usher, direct parking or sell raffle tickets for our shows and will receive a FREE SEAT for any show in our 2017 season. If you are interested in volunteering, you may sign up on our website or fill out "Volunteer Form" in the Clubroom.

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Town and Country Players is celebrating its 70th season in 2017. Our theatre is run by volunteers and we rely on your generous, tax deductible financial support to help defray the cost of our lovely, new modern facility.

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# Congratulations to our 2016 Season Award Winners!

#### Best Actor in a Lead Role

Matt Thompson as Robert in Boeing, Boeing

#### Best Actress in a Lead Role

Elaine Wallace as Violet Weston in August: Osage County

#### Best Actor in a Supporting Role

Andy O'Neill as Beverly Weston in August: Osage County

#### Best Actress in a Supporting Role

Stephanie Smith as Gretchen in Boeing, Boeing

#### Future Star Award

Victoria Vouk in August: Osage County

### Excellence in Design Award

Jon Knapp, Set Design/Construction for August: Osage County

# Winner of the Town and Country Cup for the Best Production of the 2016 Season

August: Osage County - Directed by Nancy Ridgeway

### **2016 T&C Member Awards**

Service Award: Anne Schmitt Lifetime Achievement Award: Walter Hauck

Rafters Award: Caity Logan

A.C. Daily Award (Male Acting): Tim Anderson Marion Kolman Award (Female Acting): Susan Fowler

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And everyone who volunteered their time to make this show possible

### **OPENING NIGHT SILENT AUCTION**

In 2013, as part of our Restroom Renovation project, Town and Country Players was fortunate to acquire artwork and other items from various theatrical celebrities and other artists. As part of our 70th season festivities, T&C will be hosting a Silent Auction during the Opening Night performance and reception of each of our mainstage shows. During the Silent Auction, one select piece of work will be displayed in the Lobby of our theatre and Patrons will have the opportunity to bid on the item. Each piece will have a minimum bid and incremental bid levels and at the end of the night, the person with the highest bid will win the item.

Some of our pieces include a self-portrait by
Dick Van Dyke, drawings by Adam West,
Rita Moreno, Zach Galifianakis, Eva Marie Saint,
Jay Leno and Carl Reiner and specialized pieces
like the autographed script from
Last Man Standing signed by Tim Allen
and a CD signed by Chubby Checker.

The silent auction item for this show will be a drawing by Henry Winkler, who, like CS Lewis, is also a children's book author.

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## **T&C INSIGHTS**

### A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR

The Chronicles of Narnia by C.S. Lewis were my favorite books when I was a kid. I read each of the seven books at least 7 or 8 times. I spent many hours looking for Narnia in the back of my closet, with no luck. When the opportunity to direct "The Lion, the Witch & the Wardrobe" came up, I jumped at the chance to create an entrance into this magical place.

This play wouldn't have happened without the help of the many people who volunteered their time. I would especially like to thank my wonderful producer, Kim O'Byrne Rozman, for helping me find such a fantastic team of people and for helping me stay organized. I would also like to thank my team, my cast, my crew, T&C's marketing team, T&C's Board, and all of the parents and families for all of their support. I wouldn't have been able to visit Narnia without you.

Jesse Roy

## **T&C INSIGHTS**

### A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT

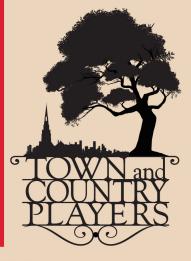
It is hard to believe that we now stand poised to celebrate the final production of our 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary season.

During the past six months we have traveled to New York and Washington DC in the 1980s, the timeless and magical land of Wonka and the charming County of Putnam, from the stunning landscape of Wyoming in the 1990s now to the mythical world of Narnia. For some, this trip through the wardrobe to Narnia is a return, for some it is the first journey. Town and Country Players took that trip a number of years ago and we felt it was time to revisit this place of wonder and enchantment.

We have individuals and families who have come together within our theatre community here at Town and Country Players to again tell the story of the residents of Narnia. We have the unique opportunity to share not just this exceptionally theatrical tale, but to share the skills that have been passed down from generation to generation, from those who have experienced the sensational to those who are eager to learn the craft. This whole experience, this is theatre at its best. Town and Country Players is honored to close this anniversary season with so much of our community, past and present, represented in this production. May this not just be the close of 70 years, but the beginning of a new era with 70 more!

Rob Rosiello

# 2018 Season Schedule



## For Tickets: www.townandcountryplayers.org or 800-838-3006

### 2018: Our 71st Season!

### Bonnie and Clyde - A Musical

By Ivan Menchell, Music by Frank Wildhorn Lyrics by Don Black April 6, 7, 8(M) 13, 14, 15(M), 20, 21

# Vanya and Sonia and Masha and Spike A Comedy

**By Christopher Durang** May 11, 12, 13(M), 18, 19, 20(M), 25, 26

# Other Desert Cities - A Drama

**By Jon Robin Baitz** June 15, 16, 17 (M), 19, 20, 21(M), 26, 27

## Peter and the Starcatcher - Family Play

By Rick Elise

July 20, 21(M/E), 22 (M), 27, 28 (M/E), 29(M), August 3, 4 (M/E)

# The Hunchback of Notre Dame - A Family Musical

Music by Alan Menken, Lyrics by Stephen Schwartz, Book by Peter Parnet September 7, 8 (M/E), 9 (M), 14, 15 (M/E) 16 (M) 21, 22 (M/E)

### The Children's Hour - A Thriller

By Lillian Hellman

October 12, 13, 14(M), 19, 20, 21(M), 26, 27

## The Nutcracker - Tchaikovky's Ballet

November 16, 17(M/E), 18(M), 23, 24(M/E), 25(M) (E shows at 7PM)

## T&C's Holiday Show - TBA