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- La Gondola & Casey's Garden Shop
- Ben Lehn
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- John VanAntwerp
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- Jeff "Fluffy" Smudde: for being an outstanding guy out of the goodness of your heart. Check out his music creations, Circle Effect, on Youtube, Facebook or SoundCloud.
- The NCHS Drama Club
- Spouse

Thank you for supporting the arts in Unit 5. The discipline and creative problem-solving skills provided by music, dance, art and theatre provide our students with skills that serve them the rest of their lives in many different careers. Your participation in this production is an investment in our community, and our future.

NORMAL COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL THEATRE PRESENTS *SHE KILLS MONSTERS*



BY QUI NGUYEN

MARCH 6, 7, 13 & 14TH, 2015

7 P.M. NCHS AUDITORIUM

SHE KILLS MONSTERS

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First produced in New York City

The Flea Theater

Jim Simpson, Artistic Director; Carol Ostrow, Producing Director



Are you an NCHS student who wants to become involved, or the parent of a student? Then check out our web page at

www.unit5.org/nchstheatre

for all of the latest news, past seasons, photos, drama club minutes, links to the state theatre festival and more.

Join us on Facebook at

Normal Community High School Theatre,

NORMAL COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL THEATRE HOUSE POLICIES

Welcome to the Normal Community High School theatre. Please take a few moments to familiarize yourself with our house policies.

- Doors will be open to the public one half hour prior to the curtain time.
- Late arrivals may be held in the lobby until a time designated by the director. Late seating is at the discretion of the director and may vary.
- Normal Community High School and its grounds are smoke free.
- Due to contractual agreement, recording devices of any kind are not allowed. Flash photography is strictly prohibited.
- Please no calling or texting during the show; it's distracting to the performers and interferes with our equipment.
- A variety of refreshments are available during intermission in the theatre lobby. Please be aware that no food except water is allowed back into the theatre.
- Please do not leave during the performance, as you may not be able to re-enter the theatre during the show.
- Please do not talk during the performance, rattle wrappers, text, call, or otherwise disturb fellow audience members and actors.
- Any child four years or older must have a ticket. If you have an infant or toddler, please be considerate and remove them if they are disruptive.
- Anyone needing special seating due to health or physical problems please contact Kevin Yale Vernon at vernonk@unit5.org

Director's Notes

A family member of one of the actors asked me an interesting question. When I mentioned that the Spring play, as an Experimental offering, usually pushes the family friendly boundaries, she said, "I have to ask: why?"

It's a great question with an even greater answer. Some of the language and situations in tonight's play may not be perfectly appropriate for children under 13, but they are the lives of my students. My students are struggling with harassment, regrets, their emerging identities, and "monsters" all their own. One of the ways they deal with it to dive into drama with its opportunities to be someone else, or create beautiful things, and work together to create something larger than themselves. For thousands of years the theatre has been used to create change and understanding in the society it lives in. This show is no different. We hope you use tonight to find new ways of understanding each other, and, ultimately, to remember to tell your loved ones they matter to you.

Thank you for being here and making the experience complete. Enjoy.

KYV

March 2015



We love you,
Kendall! And
we are so
proud of
you!! Love
Dad, Mom,
Delaney,
Bailey & Tyler



Kelly Anne,
we are so
incredibly
proud of
you!

Love you,
Mom, Dad,
And Michael



Steven,

We are proud beyond
words! Go out there
tonight and share your
amazing talents with
the world. Love you a
million~ Mom, Dad,
Kirstin, Justin,
Grandma & Grandpa

Katelin Dirr &
Justin Dirr
Wonder Twin
Powers...Activate!
Form of: Another
great show!
Always amazing
us with your
talent.
Congratulations!
Love, Mom, Dad
& Logan



Katelynn,

You have become an
amazing young
lady! We are
extremely proud of
you and all that
you have
accomplished.
Break a leg!

XOXO,
Mom & Dad



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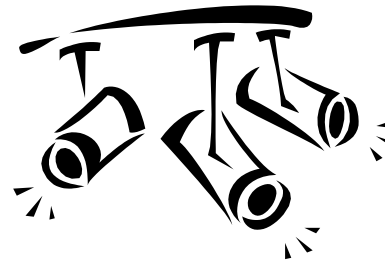
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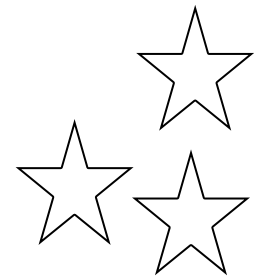
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Normal Community
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Web—
www.unit5.org/nchstheatre

Coming up next:
Spring Musical: *Little Shop of Horrors*
April 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18th

Shakespeare Shorts: May 8th



Cast:

Agnes Evans
Tilly Evans
Lilith/ Lily
Kaliope/Kelly
Orcus/Ronnie
Chuck
Miles
Vera
Steve
Evil Tina
Evil Gabbi
Farrah
Narrator

Katelynn Shennett*
Natalie Stapleton
Katelin Dirr
Emma Harvey
Jackson Thorpe
Jeff “Fluffy” Smudde*
Jake Stille*
Leanessa Young
Adam Alexander
Kate Meulemans
Kelly Sopek*
Kendall Wade
Zack Moravec

Ninjas/Monsters/
Understudies

SophiaRose Brown
Cally Robertson
Justin Dirr
Anna Bridges
Hallie Martin-Chadwick
Kyle Aschbrenner*
Bhavana Ravala
Noe Cornejo
Devon Rodlund

There will be a 15 minute
Intermission

* Indicates Thespians

Production & Technical Team

Directors

Assistant Director
Stage Manager
Assistant Stage Manager
Technical Directors

Assistant Technical Director
Light Design & Board Operator
Sound Design
Sound Board Operator
Costume Master
Costume Design

Prop Masters

Prop Design

Makeup Design
Shirt/Program Designer
Dungeons & Dragons Expert
Choreography
Banners

Floor Design

Props/Stage Crew

Nathan Fryer
Emma Grant
Megan Avery
Kamille Vitor

Light Crew

Jeff Smudde*
Justin Dirr

Sound Crew

Maddy Herwig

Hair and Make Up Crew

Torey FitzPatrick

Kevin Yale Vernon
& Lindsey Rocks
Matt Krawcyk*
Molly Krawcyk
Maya Hansen
Eddie Harris
& Camden Coe*

Devon Rodlund
Brighton Coe
Rayven Brady
Maddy Herwig
Rachel Lowrance*
Bree Lehnen
Logan Guttschow*
Rayven Brady
Lauren Guttschow
Dawn Cimala
Sami Barth
& Nathan Fryer

Torey Fitzpatrick
Bree Lehnen
SophiaRose Brown
Rayven Brady
Torey FitzPatrick
Kendall Wade
Devon Rodlund
Torey Fitzpatrick
Eddie Harris
& Camden Coe*
Lauren Guttschow

Torey Fitzpatrick
SophiaRose Brown
Andy Zajac

Brighton Coe

Matthew Aschbrenner

Camden Coe*
Steven Rose

Rayven Brady

SophiaRose Brown

Sydney Buczynski