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By Janet Allard

Directed by Samantha VanWyhe

FROM THE MCT LEADERSHIP TEAM

Welcome to our production of Speed Date!

We are incredibly excited to bring you this show in our 22nd Season. We want to thank you for being a supporter of the arts. It's the support from our amazing community that allows us to continue our mission of providing a creative outlet for the performing arts.

At each show we produce, know that every member of the cast, crew and production team has put their heart into creating a beautiful story and experience for you. Our goal at MCT is to continually entertain, educate and enrich our community through the stories we tell on stage.

With that said, as a 501(c)3 not-for-profit, we depend on the support of community members like you to continue doing what we do. We ask that you consider making a donation to support your Theatre with Heart.

You can make a donation online at marshfieldtheatre.org or by mail at:

P.O. Box 344

Marshfield, MO 65706

There are other ways you can support MCT, as well, including:

- Becoming a member: MCT memberships are \$5 for students, \$10 for adults and \$25 for families, plus MCT members get extra perks throughout the year
- Volunteering: You can volunteer to work with MCT at any time throughout the year, and we will happily find the place that fits your specific talents
- Auditioning for shows: We are a theatre troupe, after all! We're always looking for talent, so take a leap of faith and audition for one of our upcoming shows this season.

Thank you for your support of MCT. We appreciate you being here, and we hope you enjoy the show!

Thank you to the following
for making this show a success:

The Jubilee Theater Center & The Wright Family

CAST

LauraJoslyn Wells*
JohnPeyton Wardell*
Clown/PatHaleigh Salsig
Jennifer/Mary/Velma/Kristen/NancySierra Smith
Sean/NeilMaddox Dodd*
FrancoisHarper Phelps*
BradBoone Kelleher*
Zap/TimGabe Mall
Roland/Guy in a Bear SuitCharlie Mall

*Denotes MCT mainstage debut

PRODUCTION TEAM

Production Manager.....Jenn Smith
Director.....Samantha VanWyhe
Technical Design.....Kelby Lorenz
Light Board Operator.....Zac Salsig
Properties.....Brandy Rice
House Manager.....Rachel Salsig

THANK YOU TO OUR PARTNERS



BIOS



Sierra Smith - Jennifer/Mary/Velma/Kristen/Nancy

Sierra Smith is excited to return to the MCT stage! Sierra is 17 years old and she is a senior at Strafford High School. Sierra has been seen in 17 MCT productions, most recently in A Charlie Brown Christmas as Lucy and High School Musical as Gabriella. She has also been seen in Freaky Friday and Frozen Jr at Conway High School and Little Shop of Horrors and the Addams Family at Strafford High School. Sierra was the assistant director for The Best Christmas Pageant Ever and Finding Nemo Kids. She is also directing The Wizard of Oz at Strafford Middle

School. In her free time, Sierra enjoys spending time with her friends and participating in theatre.



Harper Phelps - Francois

Harper is excited to be making his debut with MCT in Speed Date! He is 17 years old and a senior at Strafford High School. Harper has previously been seen in Addams Family and Clue at Strafford High School. In his free time, Harper enjoys playing video games.



Boone Kelleher - Brad

Boone is excited to be making his debut on the MCT stage! Boone is 18 years old and a senior at Strafford High School. He has previously been seen in Clue: on Stage at Strafford High School where he was the lead spotlight operator for Addams Family. In his free time, Boone enjoys boxing, weight lifting, and playing video games.



Peyton Wardell - John

Peyton is excited to be making his debut on the MCT stage! Peyton is 18 years old and a senior at Strafford High School. Peyton has previously been seen in 39 Steps and The Wedding From ???? at Strafford High School. In his free time, Peyton enjoys listening to and writing music.



Maddox Dodd - Sean/Neil

Maddox is excited to be making his debut with MCT! Maddox is 17 years old and a junior at Fair Grove High School. Maddox has previously been seen at Fair Grove High School in *The Outsiders* as Twobit and *The Bold, the Young, and the Murdered* as Sebastian. He directed *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*, assistant directed *10 Ways to Survive the Zombie Apocalypse*, and was the technical director for *The Outsiders*. Maddox enjoys theatre so much and therefore does not have free time!



Joslyn Wells - Laura

Joslyn is excited to be making her debut with MCT! Joslyn is 17 years old and a senior at Strafford High School. Joslyn has previously been seen in *The Addams Family* as Wednesday, *Clue: On Stage* as Mrs. White, *Bright Star* as Lucy Grant, *Little Shop of Horrors* as Audrey, and *Honk!* as Queenie/Penny. Joslyn assistant directed and choreographed *The Addams Family* and *Honk!* In her free time, Joslyn enjoys hanging out with her friends and family. Joslyn would like to thank her mom and dad for supporting her.



Charlie Mall - Rolan/Guy in a Bear Suit

Charlie is excited to be returning to the MCT stage! Charlie is 15 years old and is a sophomore. He is homeschooled. Charlie has previously been seen in *Peter Pan Jr.* and he helped backstage with *High School Musical*. In his free time, Charlie enjoys hanging out with his cats.



Gabe Mall - Zap/Tim

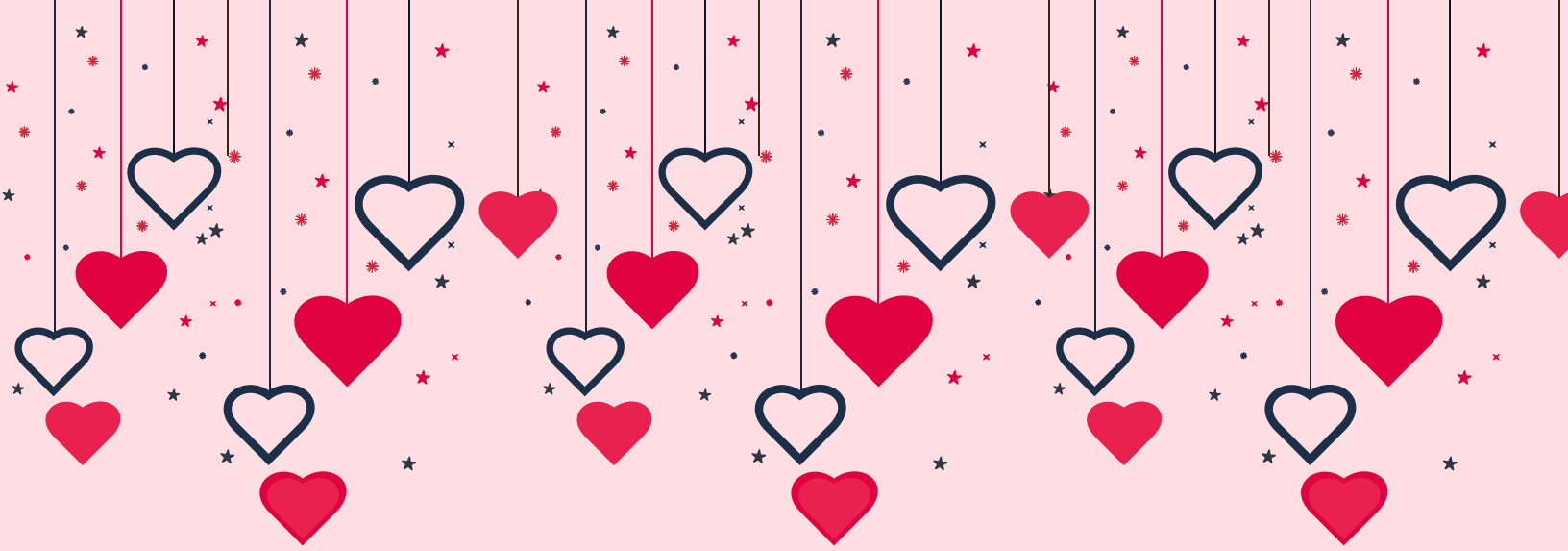
Gabe is excited to be returning to the MCT stage! Gabe is 15 years old and is a sophomore. He is homeschooled. Gabe has previously been seen in *Peter Pan Jr.* and he helped backstage with *High School Musical*. In his free time, Gabe enjoys playing video games and hanging out with his cats.



Hayleigh Salsig - Pat/Clown

Hayleigh is excited to be returning to the MCT stage! Hayleigh is 16 years old and is a sophomore at Marshfield High School. Hayleigh has previously been seen in *Lion King Jr.* and *The Little Mermaid Jr.* with MCT. She has also been seen in the MJHS productions of *Madagascar* and *James and the Giant Peach*. Hayleigh has also helped with concessions for *Night of the Living Dead*, *Leaving Iowa*, *Peter Pan Jr.*, *Finding Nemo Kids*, *High School Musical*, *A Charlie Brown Christmas*, and *Puffs*. In her free time, Hayleigh enjoys playing video games, watching TV, playing with her dogs, and making sweet tea. Hayleigh would like to give a special

thanks to her parents, Rachel and Zac Salsig, and to her sister, Emma for helping build her courage to do plays.



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