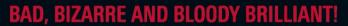
# PLAYBILL

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## RICHARD O' BRIEN'S



### DIRECTED BY JAMEY JAMISON

October 14th-30th







### **SYNOPSIS**

In this cult classic, sweethearts Brad and Janet, stuck with a flat tire during a storm, discover the eerie mansion of Dr. Frank-N-

Furter. As their innocence is lost, Brad and Janet meet a houseful of wild characters, including a rocking biker and a creepy butler. Through elaborate dances and rock songs, Frank-N-Furter unveils his latest creation: a muscular man named "Rocky."

### **CAST**

Joshua Ward Adair Bates Alv Larizza **Brandy Harris** Bill Kolander Ken Schwartz Troy Wagoner Caleb Casas Jeremy Bukaty Hayden Moore Emmalyn Miron Cheyenne Ballew Mizani Washburn Kayla Bonina Tara Bryant Susan O'Brien Chevonda Allen Demetrie Burley Clive Childress Tomer Braff Penelope Richards Annie Marlowe Elisabeth Vallaster Hennette Brooks

**Brad Majors** Columbia Columbia Dr. Scott Dr. Scott Rocky Rocky/Eddie Frank-n-Furter Frank-n-Furter Janet Weiss Janet Weiss Magenta Magenta Magenta Narrator Narrator Riff Raff Riff Raff Eddie Phantom Phantom

**Brad Majors** 

**CREW** 

Jamey Jamison

Director

Phantom

Phantom

### SPECIAL THANKS

Thank you Ree Tredo for helping with the costumes for Riff Raff and Magenta.

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### WHO IS WHO



Chevonda Allen (Narrator) is a NYC transplant who loves theatre - Her dream has always been to play Dorothy in the Wiz on Broadway - This will be Chevonda's 2nd theatre appearance since junior high school. She most recently played Dorothy in the allfemale cast of the Wizard of Oz here at ACT.

She has loved Rocky Horror since childhood and is totally excited to be a part of this production - Thanks Dad for all your never-ending support



Cheyenne Ballew (Janet Weiss) is thrilled to be in this production of Rocky Horror. Cheyenne is an award-winning performer and has done many shows in the DFW and NYC Areas. Her most notable roles include Cosette in Les Misérables, Roxie Hart in Chicago, Hope Caldwell in Urinetown Shelby in Steel Magnolias and Heather Duke in

Heathers. She wants to thank this wonderful cast for being such a joy to work with, and the director for putting on one hell of a show! @cheyennetaylor.\_



Adair Orion (he/they) (Brad Majors) Is finally back in theatre after a 4-year break and a move from Missouri, Adair is excited to kick it all off with Brad. When not in theatre he enjoys playing Dungeons and Dragons, reading, and playing story-based video games. Adair's dream is to one day punch a bee right in the face.



Kayla Bonina (Magenta/Ensemble) is delighted to be making her debut with Art Centre Theater. She's lived in Dallas almost all her life and loves performing in Texas. Her Recent/Favorite roles include Bird Girl #2 in Seussical the Musical where she won a best dancer award for her performance, Hot Box Dancer in Guys and Dolls, Rapunzel in Ra-

punzel, and had the privilege to participate in a competitive Dance number as Jasmine from Aladdin. She also recently Contributed to A Docu series as the leading role and is a professional Model and Actress represented by MTM. She has a DEGREE in Psychology from LeTourneau University where she played volleyball and tennis. Kayla also has a fun day job, she teaches dance classes, fitness classes and works full time as a Talent Agent with John Casablancas. Kayla would like to thank her family, friends, and amazing boyfriend for always supporting her dreams and coming to see her shows, as well as the cast, crew, director and all apart of Rocky Horror who have made this such an amazing experience.



Tomer Braff (Eddie) is 28 and born in California before moving to Dallas when he was two years old and has lived here ever since. He has had an eclectic career from software development to game design on blockbuster titles, and is now trying their hand at acting and improvisation.



Troy Wagoner (Rocky) Has acted in zero plays before, has a day job that is mostly focused on spreadsheets, and is annoyingly overzealous about college football. He dedicates this performance to his wife and 3 daughters who continue to support and inspire his crazy-creative side.



Hennette Brooks (Phantom) is thrilled to be a part of Art Center Theaters production. She lived most of her life in Fort Worth and has just started her journey in her acting career. This is her third role as an actress with her first role being Judy in "The Old Town" a play based on the music catalog of Lesley Gore and a short film "the villagers".

She is taking courses to perfect her craft and excel in many more endeavors to come. Hennette is currently in the medical field and is devoted to the care for the patients and peers. In her spare time, she enjoys traveling live music singing dancing and writing poetry. She thanks her family and friends for always being her number one supporters in all she does and being the anchor when their boat starts to sway. Hennette wishes to give her appreciation for the opportunity and the cast and directors for allowing me to be a part of something so great.



Tara Bryant (Magenta/Phantom) is so thrilled to have found ACT and to have been welcomed by such an amazing group of people. After over a decade hiatus, Tara is ready to get back on that stage to share her joy and love of performing in front of an audience. She would like to thank her husband Leo and her kiddo Amyah for making life work with me, since I always have rehearsal. I love you both more than

you'll ever know. This performance is dedicated to anyone who feels they are too old or too rusty to get back into it. Do It!!! It feels amazing.



Jeremy Bukaty (Frank-n-Furter) is excited to be back at Art Centre Theatre! He is honored to be in the production The Rocky Horror Show alongside such a dedicated and talented cast. He only has one true message for all audience members...ENJOY THE SHOW!!!!



Demetrie Burley (Riff Raff) Is so thrilled to be a part of another classic production!!!!This will be my second show with ACT. I'm thrilled to play the role of Riff Raff and be a part of the Rocky horror picture show cast. To all the beautiful people that came out tonight love yourself and stay true to yourself you only get one life..LIVE IT!



Caleb Casas (Eddie/ Rocky) After more than a 3-year break from doing theater Caleb is excited to make his return to the stage playing Rocky/Eddie in the A.C.T. production of Rocky Horror Show. He played Multiple chorus/ensemble characters throughout his theatre years including Grease, Legally Blonde, and Bye Bye Birdie. Outside of Theatre he can probably be found doing photography,

watching movies or traveling somewhere in the DFW metroplex.



Clive Childress (Riff Raff) is excited to be part of yet another production at ACT. Clive is a very talented actor but didn't turn in the bio... Clive is a huge part of ACT's success and the right hand of the "MAN" Director Jamey Jamison.



Mizani Washburn (Magenta) is excited to be returning for her fifth show at Art Centre Theatre. She's been in shows such as Guys and Dolls, The Runner Stumbles, and Carrie: The Musical, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory: The Musical, Heathers: The Musical, and most recently I Love You, You're Perfect Now Change. She's fresh off her directorial debut of Neil Simon's

"Rumor" that opened this summer. She loves theatre arts and hopes you miserable people learn to take zat step....to ze RIGHT!



Brandy Irizarry (Columbia) After more than a 20-year break from doing theater Brandy is excited to make her return to the stage playing Columbia in the A.C.T. production of Rocky Horror Show. She played Columbia in a Rocky Horror Picture Show shadow cast for 3 years back in the day and has been waiting to do the Time Warp ever since! In

the mid 90's you may also have seen her in any number of Melodramas at The Pocket Sandwich Theater. When not on stage, she can probably be found day drinking, wine walking or taco eating somewhere in the DFW metroplex. During her little break from acting, you might have heard her doing talk radio on 105.3 FM The Talk That Rocks Texas or she might have been your counselor during your stint in rehab.



Bill Kolander (Dr. Scott) Wants to thank ACT and Jamey Jamison for allowing him to be a part of "The Theater!" again. He appreciates the support and patronage of his friends and family who suffer through the preparation for any show. He would also like to thank the audience for supporting and attending this performance. Please enjoy!



Aly Larizza (Columbia) - Aly is so excited to be in her second show at Art Centre Theatre. She was previously Mrs. White in Clue. Aly began performing at 3 years old, and began working with Jamey at 8 years old until she moved to New York at 18. Aly has a BFA in Acting and an MA in Educational Theatre both from Adelphi University and has performed Off-Broadway and in a

troupe at The People's Improv Theatre (PIT NYC). Aly moved back home to the Dallas area in March 2020 and is over the moon to be performing back where it all started. Aly would like to thank her husband John and her family and friends for their support and to Jamey for always believing in her.



Annie Marlowe (Phantom) is dedicating this performance to her mom who doesn't want to come see it because it's too raunchy. "love you, tracy"



Emmalyn Gladney Miron (Janet Weiss) is currently working on her Ph.D. in Visual and Performing Arts. She holds a B.A. in Music Theatre and Acting/Directing, an LMSW and an M.Hum. She is the Artistic Director of Poor Yorick Productions and regularly directs and acts in shows for underprivileged youth in Ireland. She

is a tap dancer and championship Irish Dancer, recently dancing in Paris, France. Emmalyn was in the Broadway Tour of Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat. Some of her favorite roles include Hamlet (Ophelia/Gertrude), Annie Get Your Gun (Annie), Macbeth (Lady Macbeth), Chicago (Hunyak), Little Women (Jo), As You Like It (Rosalind), Fiddler on the Roof (Chava) and King Arthur (Guinevere).



Hayden Moore (Dr. Frank-N-Furter): Hayden is very excited to be taking part in his third show at ACT with The Rocky Horror Picture Show. His last two shows at ACT were Heathers and Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. In his free time, Hayden enjoys spending time with his pets; his two cats, Freya and Olive, and his dog, Doja. Hayden

would like to dedicate this show to his partner, Hannah, who has put up with all of his rehearsing at home.



Susan O'Brien (Narrator/Phantom) thanks you for supporting local theatre and joining us on this "strange journey"!



Penny Richards (Phantom) is a freelance writer and an acting student at KD Conservatory. Having dedicated the last few years to film acting, this is Penny's first stage performance since high school. Penny would like to dedicate the show to her very conservative, Christian parents, who (hopefully) will never find out that she participated in a

production of The Rocky Horror Show.



Ken Schwartz (Dr. Scott) is a lawyer by day who's been in a number of shows at ACT since 2016, most recently as Professor Plum in Clue, Veronica's Dad/Kurt's Dad in Heathers the Musical, and Mr. Salt in Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. All the love in the world to Danni and Evan, and thanks to Jamey, Maria and this amazing cast. Enjoy the show!



Elisabeth Vallaster (Phantom) this is her first show ever and couldn't be more excited to be in Rocky Horror. She would like to thank her co-star Cheyenne for encouraging her to step out of her comfort zone.



Joshua Ward (Brad Majors) is super excited about experiencing The Rocky Horror Show with such a great group of people. Joshua recently played Professor Plum in ACT'S production of CLUE. Joshua is the Owner of TURF CAT landscape and is a relentless entrepreneur with many failed ventures under his belt.

"If you never failed, you never tried." Enjoy the show!!!!

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# Upcoming Shows at ACT



#### Evil Dead The Musical October 21st - November 6th, 2022

Book and lyrics by George Reinbiatt. Music by Frank Cipolia, Christophe Bond, Melissa Morris and George Reinbiatt. Music supervision by Frank Cipolia. Additional lyrics by Christopher Bond. Additional music by Rob Dateman.

This hilarious show takes all the elements of the cult classic films The Evil Dead, Evil Dead 2 and Army of Darkness and combines them into one of the craziest theatrical experiences of all time. Five college students go to an abandoned cabin in the woods and accidentally unleash an evil force that turns them all into demons.



#### Money Talks November 11th - 20th, 2022

A Original Show By Michael & Naomi Kelly

Jerry had it all, a beautiful wife, an amazing job, and a rock solid relationship with God.

Jerry pretty much had a life that anyone could dream of, but life hit home pretty hard and disrupted everything.

Inspired by the biblical story of Job, 'Money Talks', life crumbles down on this man and just when he thought things couldn't get any better they get worse... Will Jerry stand through the test of his new reality? Will he fall when times get tough? Or will he break under the outside noise and disobey God because it seems like the easy way out...?



#### It's A Wonderful Life

#### December 2nd - 18th, 2022

Based on the story, by Phillip Van Doren Stern By Joe Landry

Don't touch your dial! America's favorite holiday classic is live on stage, re-enacting as if it's on an actual 1940s radio station, with every memorable character, wacky sound effect, and the heartwarming conclusion of the iconic film recreated live before your ears—and eyes! With humor and humanity, George Bailey's tale of love, loss, and redemption brought to life! A heaven-sent gift for the entire family.