

NOTRE DAME PREPARATORY'S NDP PLAYERS PRESENTS

2021 SENIOR DIRECTED ONE ACTS



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Dear Patrons of NDP Arts,

We understand the importance of fostering artistic talents so that our students can become who God has created them to be. Today, we celebrate the many NDP Saints connected to the arts. Our talented students, Seniors and tech crew have put in many hours to hone their gifts so that they can share them with you in their **Senior Directed One Acts**

I ask that you consider sharing your gifts with them by becoming a **Saint of the Arts**.

Your membership in our **Saint of the Arts** program supports NDP's mission to promote excellence and pursue holiness through our performing and visual arts.

I invite you to join today and become a part of exclusive events, receive complimentary performance tickets and recognition on our **philanthropic wall of fame** while supporting the talented students at Notre Dame Prep.

In gratitude,



Jill A. Platt, M.Ed. President, Notre Dame Prep

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TEEN COURT
BY WILLIAM GLEASON
DIRECTED BY KATIE LINNENKAMP

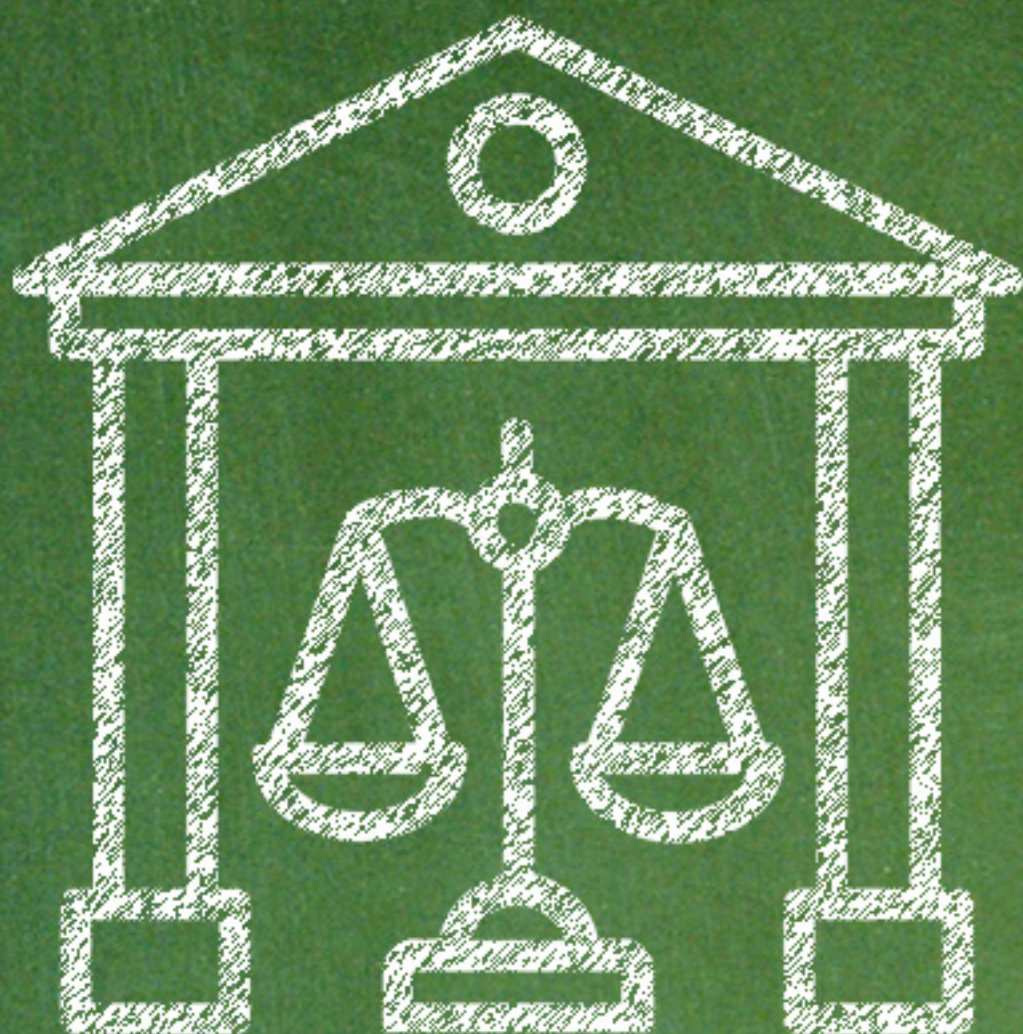
Relative Strangers
By Sheri Wilner
Directed by Lauren Skemp

Check Please:
Stay-At-Home-Edition
By Jonathan Rand
Directed by Jaideep Sra

TEEN COURT

By William Gleason

Directed by Katie Linnenkamp



Produced by special arrangement with THE DRAMATIC PUBLISHING COMPANY
of Woodstock, Illinois

CAST

Tawny Linkletter.....Izzy De Blasi
Archer Attaway.....Aiden Welch
Odessa Permian..... Samantha Dobrovolny
Teddy Phelps.....Colton Holling
Norvella Watson..... Skyler Ortega
Harley Hooper.....Colin Short
Evelyn Hinglemeyer.....Sydney Wright
Bobby Finch.....Peyton Matura



DIRECTOR'S NOTE

I'm Katie Linnenkamp, the director of Teen Court. I have been doing tech for the drama club for 4 years and am excited to move from stage manager to director for the show. I have had a lot of fun doing this with an amazing cast and tech crew. I would like to thank everyone that has supported me including but not limited to, my parents, Ms. Sequeira, Mr. Bramble and Mr. Morris from the faculty as well as all my actors and tech crew and my Stage Managers: Olivia La Porte and Kaitlyn Matura.

Relative Strangers

By Sheri Wilner

Directed by Lauren Skemp

Produced by special arrangement with Playscripts, Inc.
(www.playscripts.com)

Cast

Barrett..... Sydney Wright

Harvey..... Pilar Hawksworth

Virginia..... Skyler Ortega

Director's Note

I am ecstatic to be making My theatrical director's debut. I Have always been interested in being behind the scenes and I have been a director for film in the past. I would like to thank My incredibly talented cast, Without them, the magic would have never been created. Additionally, I would like to thank those who helped put it all together: Ms. Sequeira, Mr. Bramble, and Mr. Morris. My show, Relative Strangers, houses comedy and drama rolled up in one wonderful performance. So, sit back, enjoy the show, and to the cast and crew - break a leg!

-Lauren Skemp

Check Please: Stay-At-Home Edition

By Jonathan Rand

Directed by Jaideep Sra

Produced by special arrangement with Playscripts, Inc.
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Cast & Crew

Guy.....	Colin Short
Girl.....	Sydney Keller
Jackie.....	Skyler Ortega
Louis.....	Peyton Matura
Donna.....	Sarah Lambert
Lyle.....	Aiden Welch
Ruth.....	Samantha Dobrovolny
Chase.....	Colton Holling
Annie.....	Catherine McDonald
Matt.....	Peyton Matura
Julia.....	Sydney Wright
Barry.....	Colton Holling
Cleo.....	Pilar Hawksworth

Director's Note

Hello, I am Jaideep Sra. Thank you so much for coming to see our one-act, Check Please: Stay at Home Edition. I chose this show because of its relevance in our lives today. I've always loved making people laugh and hope to make light of the depressing situation of quarantine and COVID-19. I would like to thank my parents for being so supportive during my theatre endeavors the past four years and my amazing cast for putting in so much work and making this show so fun to be a part of. I would also like to thank my amazing stage manager, Arin Gomez, who has put so much work into making this production successful. Without further ado, I hope you all enjoy Check Please!

Meet the Cast & Crew

Isabella Deblasi (*Tawny Linkletter*): Izzy DeBlasi has been in tech since freshman year and this year she is performing in her first play for high school. Izzy would like to thank her friends for helping her run lines and her parents for their support.



Samantha Dobrovolny (*Odessa Permian, Ruth*): Samantha Dobrovolny is a junior and she transferred to NDP this school year! She has done tech for shows in the past. This is her first acting role, and she is very excited to have the opportunity to act in “Teen Court” as well as “Check, Please: Stay-at-Home-Edition”. She would like to thank her family and friends for helping her through everything!



Arin Gomez (*Stage Manager for Check Please*): Arin is a Junior at NDP and is excited to be a part of the senior one-acts serving as Check Please’ stage manager! In drama, she can mostly be seen on stage playing Lady Bracknell in *The Importance of Being Earnest* or having played the Hag in *Little Women*, but has never been a part of the tech crew. Through this experience, she has loved being a part of the sound, lights, and planning of the show and hopes to do more backstage work! Lastly, she would like to thank her director, Jaideep Sra, and all the actors who have worked so hard to make this show possible.



Pilar Hawksworth (*Harvey, Cleo*): Pilar Hawksworth is honored to be in 2 of the 3 wonderful senior one acts this year! She was most recently in NDP’s production of *The Importance of Being Earnest* as Cecily Cardew, and is excited to continue working with her fellow actors! She would like to thank her parents and her directors for being there for her and being supportive and fun. Enjoy the show!



Tyler Hess (*Tech*): Tyler has been doing tech for one year at NDP at shows including *The Importance Of Being Earnest*. He is a sophomore, and thanks everyone who helped get him into tech, and the theatre program at NDP.



Colton Holling (*Teddy Phelps & Barry*): Colton Holling is a freshman know for The Importance of Being Ernest as Lane. Colton has loved theatre ever since he was a kid and is glad he gets the privilege to act in one. Colton would like to thank the tech crew as well as the directors.



Ellie Johnson (*Tech*): Ellie is a junior and has been in theater since her freshman year at NDP, she is exited to be involved in Senior One Acts and would like to thanks her family and friends for their support.



Sydney Keller (*Girl*): Sydney Keller is very excited to be in her very first production at NDP “Check Please.” She wants to thank her family, friends, and amazing seniors for this opportunity. She cannot wait for more productions in the future!



Sarah Lambert (*Donna*): Sarah Lambert is excited to be a part of this production directed by Jaideep Sra and Arin Gomez. She would like to thank her parents, fellow cast, and seniors for giving her the opportunity of preforming her first production at NDP.



Kaitlyn Matura (*Tech and Stage Manager*): Kaitlyn Matura is a junior who has been part of theatre at NDP for 3 years now. She is so excited to be teching and calling cues for these shows. She would like to thank her friends and family for being so supportive, especially her mom and brothers who would pick her up after rehearsal.



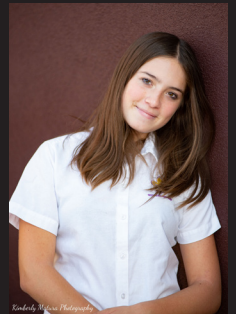
Peyton Matura (*Bobby Finch, Louis & Matt*): is a Junior participating in his sixth school production and his first time as an actor in a show here at NDP. He is thrilled to be part of these amazing plays. He has previously helped with lights and sound in other productions put on by NDP. He would like to thank his parents and siblings for their help, support, and encouragement.



Catherine McDonald (*Annie*): is very excited to be a part of such a funny one-act directed by two equally funny people. She feels very lucky to have such a joyful cast that understands the importance of being Earnest, er, comedic, not Earnest.



Skyler Orgeta (*Norvella Watson & Virginia*): is a 9th grader who is so excited to be a part of the Senior Directed One Acts cast and crew. Skyler Ortega has been involved in *Annie*, *The Lion King*, *Sherlock Holmes*, and *A Midsummer Night's Dream*. She would like to thank her family and friends for their support.



Colin Short (*Harley Hooper & Guy*): is a 10th grader performing in his second round of Senior Directed One Acts. Colin Short most recently played Jason in Troupe 6810's One Act competition piece "Medea" by Nelly E. Cuellar-Garcia. He would like to thank his family and friends for all their support.



Meet the Directors

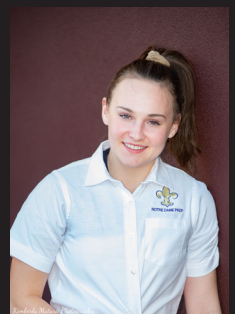
Katie Linnenkamp is a Senior at NDP and the director of “Teen Court” by William Gleason. She has been doing tech for the shows at school for 4 years and she is excited to be directing one of the one acts. She has had so much fun and can’t wait for the new journey after high school.



Jaideep Sra is a senior at NDP and the director of “Check Please: Stay-At-Home-Edition” by Jonathan Rand. He was most recently seen as Algernon Moncrieff in *The Importance of Being Earnest* by Oscar Wilde this past October. Jaideep is also secretary of drama club. Outside of theatre, he is the house captain for Saint Blaise and co-president of the sign language club. Jaideep would like to give a shoutout to last years seniors, especially his best friend Mia Nordhagen, for being such an inspiration and teaching him how to be a leader.



Lauren Skemp is a senior at Notre Dame, president of the Drama Club and the director of “Relative Strangers” by Sheri Wilner. She has been involved in all of the shows since she was a freshman and most recently played the haughty Lady Bracknell in her last fallvplay at NDP. Lauren has been seen on the NDP stage as Medea (Medea), Abby Brewster (Arsenic and Old Lace), Greta (Dark Road), Shea (Hayden and Shea), and many others. When not on the stage, Lauren is involved in the film industry, recently making her feature film debut. She is also a proud member of the NDP track team. Thanks to her family and all involved in the production. To the cast and crew-break a leg!



The SAINTS

NOTRE DAME PREPARATORY
EVENINGS OF PERFORMING ARTS
DECEMBER 7 & 9

Drama and Dance Showcase
Dec. 7 | 7 p.m.

Guitar Orchestra, Jazz Ensemble
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Dec. 9 | 7 p.m.

St. Catherine of Bologna Performing Arts Center





Rodgers + Hammerstein's CINDERELLA

Music by Richard Rodgers

Lyrics by Oscar Hammerstein II

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Original Book by Oscar Hammerstein II

AUDITIONS

DEC 6TH 3:30-5:30 DANCE (CAFETERIA)

DEC 7TH 3:00-5:30 SINGING (CHOIR ROOM)

DEC 8TH 3:00-5:30 CALLBACKS (CHOIR ROOM)

*PLEASE PREPARE 16 BARS OF A SONG AND HAVE A
BACKING TRACK.

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