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THE COMPLETE WORKS OF
**WILLIAM
SHAKESPEARE**
[ABRIDGED]

By Adam Long, Daniel Singer, Jeff Winfield

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Sam Barlow Theatre Department

PRESENTS

**THE COMPLETE WORKS OF
WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE ABRIDGED**

Written by
Adam Long, Daniel Singer & Jeff Winfield

with

Connell Hardenbergh
Sofia Maldonado

Soulynn Perez
Bethany Reiner
Elisabeth Ross

Audrey Thies
Jade Ulrich

Assistant Director
Emily Schneider

Director
Heidi Thies

Assistant Director
James Tinio

Stage Manager
Sabrina Radford

Lighting & Sound
Brian Kilgo



CAST

Cast Members

Connall	Connall Hardenbergh
Sofia	Sofia Maldonado
Soulynn	Soulynn Perez
Bethany	Bethany Reiner
Lissy	Elisabeth Ross
Audrey	Audrey Thies
Jade	Jade Ulrich

Production / Creative

Director	Heidi Thies
Assistant Director	Emily Schneider James Tinio
Stage Manager	Sabrina Radford
Assistant Stage Manager	Savannah Corcoran
Lights & Sound	Brian Kilgo



WHO'S WHO



Connall Hardenbergh

as Connall

Connall (Connall) is "quite hype" to be a part of Barlow's production of *The Complete Works of William Shakespeare: Abridged*. Connall was most recently in *Children Of A Lesser God*, in which he played Mr. Franklin. Connall would like to thank Heidi Thies, Emily Schneider, James Tinio and Mr. Schroeder for "putting up with my sass, severe idiocy, and general dishevelled-ness".



Sofia Maldonado

as Sofia

Sofia (Sofia) is very excited to be in her 3rd show! Her experience with *Mamma Mia!* made her love for tech grow even more, but she is glad to be on stage this time. She would like to thank her family for their love and flexibility. Enjoy the show!



Soulynn Perez

as Soulynn

Soulynn (Soulynn) is so excited to be in the cast of *The Complete Works of William Shakespeare: Abridged*. Her very first production was *The Sound of Music*, and from then on she loved theatre. You will be able to see her soon as Phyllis in *42nd Street!* She would like to thank her family and her friends for always supporting her and helping in any way they can.



Bethany Reiner

as Bethany

Bethany (Bethany) is extremely proud to be in *The Complete Works of William Shakespeare: Abridged* during her senior year. Bethany first participated in *Mamma Mia!* on the deck crew, and she has had so much fun throughout her time with the department. Our upcoming musical *42nd Street* will be her final show at Barlow, so you won't want to miss that! She would like to thank her mom for dealing with her crazy schedule.



Elisabeth Ross

as Lissy

Lissy (Lissy) is so for this opportunity to be in such a fun show with her friends! She has participated in 7 productions at Barlow over the years and has had such a great experience. She would like to thank her friends and family for all their support. Enjoy the show!

WHO'S WHO



Audrey Thies

as Audrey

Audrey (Audrey) is so pumped to be in her 10th show overall, and 5th at Barlow. Some of her favorite past shows include: *Wizard of Oz* (Dorothy), *Clue: On Stage* (Mrs. White) and *Mamma Mia!* (Lisa). She would like to give special thanks to her director (who also happens to be her sister), and their mom for being so supportive, as well as her closest friends for making her laugh. She would also like to thank her cast for supporting her through her recent battle with mono. (And yes, the mono jokes are about her.)



Jade Ulrich

as Jade

Jade (Jade) is 17, and a junior at Sam Barlow High School. She is playing as herself in *The Complete Works of William Shakespeare: Abridged*. She has been in two Shakespeare shows before, and is a preeminent Shakespearean scholar. She would like to thank the wonderful directors for doing so much work to get this play going.



Sabrina Radford

Stage Manager

Sabrina (Stage Manager) is so glad to be a part of this crazy show! She was first on crew for *Guys and Dolls*, where she did spotlight. She went on to do sound for *Lend Me a Tenor*, was the Assistant Stage Manager for *Mamma Mia!* And was even the FBI agent in *Clue: On Stage!* She would like to thank her family and friends, as well as Mr. Schroeder for cheering her on.

Savannah Corcoran

as Assistant Stage Manager

Savannah (Assistant Stage Manager) is very excited to be on crew for *The Complete Works of William Shakespeare: Abridged*. She first participated as an usher for *Mamma Mia!* and knew she wanted to continue on. She was also a waiter for *Musical Comedy Murders of 1940*. She would like to thank her family for supporting her, as well as her friends Sabrina and Savannah Hamilton for getting her into theatre in the first place.

Brian Kilgo

as Lights & Sound

Brian (Lights & Sound) is very excited to be involved in this crazy show! When he was in middle school he also did lighting direction and operation during *Shakespeare in a Can*. He is overjoyed to be doing this and would like to thank his parents for putting up with the late rehearsal nights.



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DIRECTORS NOTES

Wow, this is crazy! If you had told me a few years ago that I would be writing a director's note in a Playbill, I would have thought you were insane, but here goes nothing!

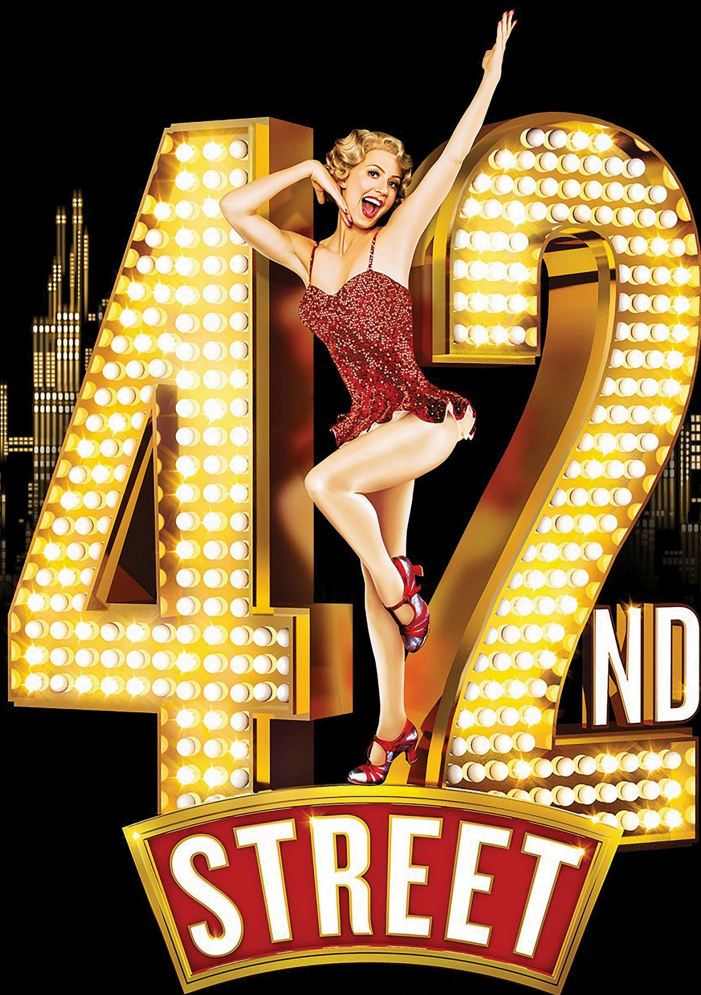
Here's some info about my whacky show: It's pretty crazy, and there is some mild adult language and references, but I would assume most of it would go over little ones' heads. Be warned that if you sit in "The Splash Zone", you are fair game!! We are also taking this to the Oregon State Thespian Festival in April to perform in front of a big group of theatre students, and we are so excited! This does cost money however, and we would love some help with that if you are so moved. There will be a jar available to donate directly to the fees of my students in attending this festival, or you can send me an email through the VIPS at barlowvips@yahoo.com for more information to help.

Since this is the first show in years to not be directed by Jeff Schroeder, I thought it would be nice to introduce myself. My name is Heidi Thies and I am just a few weeks shy of 21 years old. You may remember me as Rizzo in *Grease*, Annie Sullivan in *The Miracle Worker*, or just the tall red-headed troupe president everyone called "Mama" in 2016. After I graduated from Barlow a few years ago, I knew I wanted to stay heavily involved with the kids. I joined the board of the Barlow VIPS, which is the parent organization that supports Barlow Performing arts as the Media Chair as quickly as I could. My mom and I have also been running hair and makeup for the shows for a few years now.

This program made such a difference in my life, and I don't know if I could have survived without it. (Literally) I started to have very serious health issues when I entered high school, and nothing really was easy for me. I have now been diagnosed with a plethora of disorders, but my most serious involving my heart, joints, and stomach. I am doing much better now, and I have finally been able to really get my life back. I do have to do treatments in order to keep myself healthy however, so if there's ever a girl in the back hooked up to an IV bag through her chest, that's for sure me. I even run IVs while I do hair for other shows!

When Jeff contacted me about this opportunity, I honestly was very scared. I was worried about my health and my stamina, as well as my ability to do a good job. But Jeff pushed me to believe in myself, and I'm glad he did. I didn't do this alone though. I had a really amazing creative team which included my two assistant directors, Emily and James (who are both alumni as well, just younger than me!) I also had really remarkable students. I couldn't imagine doing this show with any other group of kids. They are not only talented and funny, but they are kind and loving. This show has been such a blast, and we hope you have as much fun watching it, as we did rehearsing it.

-Heidi Thies



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