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Christmas Celebration



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ABOUT



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Starring

Kevin Bernard, Christina DeCicco, Callie Audia

Featuring

Kenzie Allis, Zach Bartlett, Noemi Bolano, Emily R. Burg, Arwen Cameron, Andrea Campbell, Rylie Clore, Anya Colliou, Gabriel Cortes, Keaton Darcy, Sofia DiCicco, Nicole Donato, Austin Downey, Caleb Geary, Maya Greenway, Emilio Andres Grimaldo, Annika Gustafson, Ty Hart, Emma Holmes, Kai Hansen, AJ Jones, Ryan Kimbark, Nicholas Lemza, Grace Lott, Skylar Faith Ludwig, Charles "Chad" Luetje, Emma Majewski, Kara Moy, Brady J Opel, Amelia Savola, Ally Short, Gavin Shrader, Miranda Slater, Liam Specht, Eli Testa, Ava Kate Rankin, Mia Robley, Isabella Quinn, Isabella Varela-Prendergast, Lacey Zaharis

With

Amanda Acosta, Joshua Pierre, Kelly Reid, Anaia Barton, Christopher Alvarado, Ryan McMahon

Music Director **Aaron Gandy**

Associate Musical Director

Adam Wiggins

Lighting Design

Ed McCarthy
Solais Designs

Sound Design

Jabbath Roa
EVA Productions

Scenic Design

Michael Clark

Assistant Director

Grace McNally

Company Management

Skylar Faith Ludwig

Dance Captain

Emily Burg

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Additional Choreography by

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Orchestrations & Arrangements by

Adam Wiggins, Robert Frost, Aaron Gandy, Jason Loffredo, Kevin Smith, Evan Zavada

Associate Director/Choreographer

Jessica McRoberts

Director/Choreographer

Angelo Fraboni

ACTS

ABOUT

Where Are You Christmas? Callie Audia, Joshua Pierre, Anaia Barton, & Amanda Acosta

OLIO I:

How Lovely is Christmas Christina Diccico, Callie Audia, Joshua Pierre, Anaia Barton, & Amanda Acosta

ACT I: HOLIDAY PARTY

We Need a Little Christmas Company

The Most Wonderful Time of the Year Kevin Bernard & Company

Frosty the Snowman/Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer Medley Aly Short, Brady Opel, Sofia DiCicco, Anya Colliou, Skylar Faith Ludwig, Ryan Kimbark, Nick Lemza, Ty Hart, Keaton Darcy, Emma Holmes, Emily Burg, Andrea Campbell, Miranda Slater, Nicole Donato, Bella Quinn, Caleb Geary, Kai Hansen, Eli Testa, Gabriel Cortes, Annika Gustafson, Lacey Rose Zaharis, Alyssa Jones

Santa Medley Company

Zat You Santa Clause Austin Downey

Santa Baby Isabella Varela-Prendergarst

Santa Clause is Coming to Town Emma Homes and Caleb Geary

Mele Kalikimaka Mia Robley

Blue Christmas Emilio Andres Grimaldo, Nick Lemza, Gavin Shrader, Bray Opel

Snow Amelia Savola, Aly Short, Zach Bartlett, Liam Spechts

The Christmas Song Christina DiCicco and Kevin Bernard

Turkey Lurkey Kara Moy, Grace Lott, Emma Majewski, Arwen Cameron, Mia Robley, and Company

OLIO II:

Silver Bells Christina DiCicco and Callie Audia

ACT II: WINTER WONDERLAND

Sleigh Ride Isabella Quinn, Amelia Savola, Anya Colliou, Arwen Cameron,

Isabella Varela-Prendergast, Kara Moy, Emma Majewski, Grace Lott, Rylie Clore, Skylar Faith Ludwig, Miranda Slater, Mia Robley, Emilio Andres Grimaldo, Ryan Kimbark, Brady Opel, Austin Downey, Liam Specht, Gavin Shrader, Kai Hansen, Caleb Geary, Keaton Darcy, Zach Bartlett

Christmas Time is Here Company

A Kid At Christmas Company

I'll Be Home for Christmas??

It's Beginning to Look a Lot Like Christmas/Hanukkah Company

Hanukkah Medley:

Oh Hanukkah Young Company

Hanukkah Blessing Charles Luetje and Company

Dreidel Song Company

Dreidel Bells Skylar Faith Ludwig, Kara Moy, Grace Lott, Emma Majewski, Anya Colliou, Kenzie Allis, Arwen Cameron, Mia Robley, Christopher Alvarado

ACTS

Olio III:

Pure Imagination Christina Diccico

ACT III: TOYLAND

Pure Imagination Company

Sparklejollytinklejingly Skylar Faith Ludwig, Rylie Clore, Anya Colliou, Noemi Bolano, Alyssa Jones, and Company

Just Sing a Christmas Song Kevin Bernard, Callie Audia, and Company

The Man With The Bag Ava Kate Rankin, Liam Specht, Aly Short, and Zach Bartlett

Toy Medley Teddy Bear Gabriel Cortes and Kenzie Allis

Fly Me to the Moon Sofia DiCicco and Ty Hart

I Wanna Dance With Someone Arwen Cameron, Emilio Andres Grimaldo, & Company

Rag Doll Gavin Shrader, Emma Majewski, Ryan Kimbark, and Austin Downey

Macho Man Charles Luetje, Brady Opel, Liam Specht, Ryan Kimbark, Caleb Geary, Austin Downey, Gabriel Cortes, Gavin Shrader, Emilio Andres Grimaldo, Ty Hart, Kai Hansen, Eli Testa, Keaton Darcy, Zach Bartlett, Nick Lemza, Skylar Faith Ludwig, Rylie Clore, Anya Colliou, Noemi Bolano, Alyssa Jones

Can't Stop This Feeling Miranda Slater, Isabella Varela-Prendergast, Mia Robley, & Company

What Are You Doing New Years Eve Kara Moy and Brady Opel

I Am a Fine Musician Kenzie Allis, Maya Greenway, Grace Lott, Bella Quinn, Emma Holmes, Lacey Rose Zaharis, Emily Burg, Andrea Campbell

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Olio IV:

That's Christmas to Me Christina Diccico

ACT IV: CHRISTMAS AT MOLLOY

All I Want For Christmas Is You Ava Kate Rankin, Andrea Campbell, Maya Greenway, Arwen Cameron, Kenzie Allis, Kara Moy, Bella Quinn, Isabella Varela-Prendergast, and Company

Run Run Rudolph Ryan Kimbark, Brady Opel, Grace Lott, Sofia Diccico, and Company

Wrap Me Up Eli Testa, Annika Gustafson, Nicole Donato, Keaton Darcy, and Company

What Christmas Means to Me Caleb Geary, Kenzie Allis, and Company

All Those Christmas Cliches Christina Diccico and Callie Audia

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Olio IV:

Where Are You, Christmas? (reprise) Callie Audia

ACT V: FAMILY CHRISTMAS EVE

Silent Night Amanda Acosta and Company

Carol of the Bells Company

O Holy Night Kevin Bernard, Christina Diccico, Callie Audia, and Company

Joy To the World Bows

STARRING

Kevin Bernard Proud member of Actors' Equity Association. Broadway: Groundhog Day, Billy Elliot, Curtains, Oklahoma!, Thoroughly Modern Millie. Off- Broadway and beyond: The Hero, R.U.R., Sugarsuite, Detective Story, Babes and Dudes, Lone Star Love and a long list of experiments that I almost remember. A few of the Regionals: Goodspeed, Olney, Mill Mountain and Paper Mill. Film and TV: Billions, The Good Fight, Hunters are the latest. Love to: Heather, Billie, and Henderson.

Christina DeCicco is a native Long Islander who has been seen on Broadway starring as Eva Peron in the original revival cast of "Evita" opposite Ricky Martin, as Arachne in U2's "Spiderman: Turn Off the Dark," and as Sister Mary Robert (understudy) in the original cast of "Sister Act, The Musical." She has toured the country as Glinda in the Stephen Schwartz hit "Wicked." Off Broadway, audiences have seen her as Cindy Lou Huffington in the juke box musical "The Marvelous Wonderettes." She has been seen on TV in The Blacklist, FBI, The Other Two, and The Last OG. Regionally, Christina has played many roles including Billie Dawn in "Born Yesterday," Maggie in "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Gabriella in "Boeing Boeing," Barbara Rose in "War of the Roses," Pam Annunziata in "Hurricane Diane," Mrs. White in "Clue," Beverley/Annette in "Come From Away," Mary Poppins in "Disney's Mary Poppins," and Eponine in "Les Miserables." She has also performed with an extensive list of symphonies around the United States and Canada. Christina received her Bachelor of Arts from Wagner College. She send all her love to her two babies at home. *Instagram: @decheeks* www.christinadecicco.com

Callie Audia (Young Girl) Callie is delighted to return to the Madison Theatre! She is a junior at Molloy University's CAP21 program. Past credits: Once Upon a Mattress (Sharon Playhouse), Seussical (CAP21). Thank you to Mom, Dad, Liv, and the incredible cast and crew for all of their love and support! Happy Holidays! *IG: @callie.audia*

FEATURING

Kenzie Allis is delighted to return to the Madison Theatre's Christmas Celebration this holiday season! Past credits include Rodgers and Hammerstein's Cinderella (Molloy University/CAP21), Kiss Me, Kate! in Concert (The Madison Theater), and The Wizard of Oz (Pittsburgh CLO). Special thanks to her incredible family for their support and dedication to making the holidays magical every year! Enjoy the show and happy holidays!

Zach Bartlett (he/him) Originally from The Colony, Texas Zach is a senior in the CAP21 program. Zach is very excited to be apart of the Christmas celebration this year. Other roles include Moritz Stiefel (spring awakening, and Patchy the pirate (SpongeBob) Zach would like to thank his family and friends for all of their support.

Noemi Bolano is thrilled to be making her Madison Theater debut! She is from Queens, NY and is a current sophomore in the Cap21 program. Some of her past credits include Chicago (Velma), Macbeth (Witch 3) and A Chorus Line (Tricia/Swing). She would like to thank all of her teachers, friends and family for supporting her through this process! *Instagram: @noemi.cbo*

Emily R. Burg (Dance Captain) is a junior in the CAP21 program with over 17 years of dance training. Throughout her high school career, she served as a dance captain, gaining extensive experience in leadership, teaching, and choreography. She has continued to choreograph throughout her time at Molloy, even teaching classes in her free time. Some of Emily's stage experience includes playing Queen Aggravain in Once Upon a Mattress and appearing in the ensemble of Annie at the Sharon Playhouse this past summer. She was also part of the Madison Theatre Christmas Show last year. Emily is thrilled to be part of this production and hopes you enjoy the show!

Arwen Cameron is thrilled to be performing in The Madison Theatre's Christmas Celebration once again! She is a junior at the Cap21 Conservatory. She was recently seen in Seussical as well as Give Our Regards To Broadway. Immense thanks to her family and friends for their endless support. Happy Holidays!

Andrea Campbell is a junior at CAP 21/ Molloy University and is so excited to be performing in Madison Theatre Christmas Celebration for the second time! She was previously in her first MainStage at CAP 21, Cinderella! She'd like to thank her fellow cast members and the production team for making this show so special!

Rylie Clore is once again excited to be celebrating the holiday season on the Madison Theatre stage! She was last seen in Seussical the Musical, her first mainstage show with the CAP21 program. Happy holidays!!!

Anya Colliou Anya is overjoyed to be a part of the Madison Theatre's Christmas Celebration! She is currently studying musical theatre at CAP21 Molly University and is halfway through her Junior year! Recently she was seen on this stage as JoJo in Seussical. She hopes you enjoy the show! Happy Holidays!

Gabriel Cortes is beyond excited to be making his Madison Theatre debut in this year's Christmas Show! Currently a sophomore in the Cap21 program at Molloy University, Gabe has known his whole life that musical theatre was the path for him. Gabe would like to thank his dad, as if it weren't for him he would not be here, his past and current teachers and directors, his friends who keep him going, and everyone in the cast and creative team for the show!

Keaton Darcy is very excited for his first Madison Theatre production and to get to perform with such a talented cast! He is currently a junior in Molloy's CAP21 program working towards his BFA in musical theatre. He hopes you enjoy the show and all the holiday spirit!

Sofia DiCicco is a junior here at Molloy University in the CAP21 musical theatre program! She has been in past productions at the Madison Theatre, including, Give Our Regards to Broadway and last years Christmas Celebration. She hopes you enjoy the show!

Nicole Donato is a junior at CAP21 and is very excited to be back in Christmas

Celebration for her second year. She was most recently seen in the CAP21 Mainstage production of Rodgers and Hammerstein's Cinderella at the Madison Theatre. Nicole hopes that you enjoy the show and have a magical holiday season!

Austin Downey this is Austin's fifth show at the madison and he is super excited! Austin is a Senior in CAP21 musical theatre conservatory. He would like to thank his friends and family for their support. He hopes you enjoy the show!

Caleb Geary is thrilled to be returning to the Madison Theatre Christmas celebration for his second year! He was most recently in the Molloy/CAP21 production of Cinderella and he starred in a production of Once Upon a Mattress in Italy this past summer. He hopes this show brings you all the Christmas cheer in the world!

Maya Greenway is ecstatic to be back at the Madison to spread holiday cheer for the second year in a row! Most recently, she was seen in the ensemble of Molloy/CAP21's production of Cinderella. Other theatre credits include The Wizard of Oz and The Sound of Music. Much love to her family, friends, and classmates for their constant support and guidance!

Emilio Andres Grimaldo ((he/him) is a proud Latino performer from Tampa, Florida. He's thrilled to be part of the Christmas Celebration for a second time! Emilio is currently a junior in the CAP21 program and was recently seen in CAP21's Seussical and the Madison Theatre's Give Our Regards to Broadway. Other credits include Singin' in the Rain, The Prom, and Kiss Me, Kate. All the love to his people - he's forever grateful. Have the most sparkle-jolly time!
@emilio.grimaldo <3

Annika Gustafson is a sophomore in Molloy's CAP21 Musical Theatre Conservatory. This is her first production on stage with the Madison Theatre. Annika has over 16 years of experience performing. Some of her favorite roles have been Velma Kelly in Chicago, Helga in Cabaret, and the Wicked Witch in Wizard of Oz. She owes all her thanks to

her family and loved ones who make this all possible for her.

Ty Hart is ecstatic to return to the Madison Stage, and make his Christmas Celebration debut! He is a current senior in the Cap21 program, and can't wait to finish this journey strong! His recent credits include: Horton (Suessical), Ralph (Kiss me Kate), and Ensemble/Burrs U.S. (The Wild Party). He wants to thank all his friends, family and professors for their endless love and support. Enjoy the show! *@itsthethart*

Emma Holmes Originally from the Bay Area, California, Emma is a junior at Molloy/CAP21. Previously at The Madison, Emma appeared in Rodgers + Hammerstein's Cinderella in the fall, as well as last year's Christmas Celebration. Much thanks to everyone who made this show possible!

Kai Hansen is a current junior at CAP21 and is incredibly excited to make his Madison Theatre debut in a Christmas show. He's incredibly grateful for the continued support from his family and hopes you all enjoy the show!

Alyssa Jones is a senior at CAP21. She is excited to be performing alongside such talented collaborators and friends. She would like to express her gratitude to the creative team for their guidance and support, and to her family for their unwavering love and encouragement.

Ryan Kimbark is so excited to be returning to the Madison Theatre stage for their Christmas Spectacular! Originally from Lancaster, Pennsylvania, Ryan is a Senior in the Molloy/CAP21 program. Much love to all his family and friends, and huge thanks to everyone at the Madison Theatre! Happy Holidays! *@ryankimbark*

Nicholas Lemza is thrilled to perform in his first professional show here at The Madison Theater! He's extremely grateful to be working with such a talented cast and can't wait to continue his journey performing. Fun Fact: Nick is completely obsessed with Christmas and is head over heels being able to perform in a show about...Christmas!

Grace Lott (she/her) is delighted to be coming back to the Madison Theatre in its annual Christmas celebration! She is thrilled to share these warm and fuzzy family stories with you all and wants to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays :)

Skylar Faith Ludwig (she/her) is thrilled to be a part of this wonderful cast! She is a current senior in the CAP21 program. She was last seen as Pepper in Cry-Baby and Anna in Spring Awakening. She would like to thank her friends and family for their endless support!

Charles "Chad" Luetje is thrilled to be returning to the Madison Theatre Christmas Celebration! He was previously seen at this theatre as Sebastian (R&H's Cinderella), Sam (The Wild Party), and Herman (Sweet Charity). He would like to thank everyone who made this possible - and his cats for their support from Kansas City.

Emma Majewski is elated to take part in her second Christmas Spectacular here at the Madison! She is a senior in the CAP21 program and was recently seen on the stage in Seussical (Bird Girl/ us Jojo) and The Wild Party (Ensemble/ us Jackie) as well as Kiss Me, Kate (Ensemble) and Give Our Regards to Broadway! She hopes that everyone has a fantastic time and happy holidays!

Kara Moy is thrilled to spread some more Christmas cheer with the Madison this year! She is currently a senior at CAP21, but is originally from Austin, Texas. Recent stage credits include: Seussical (Bird Girl/ Dance Captain), The Spongebob Musical (Karen the Computer), The Wild Party - Lippa (Jackie), Guys & Dolls (Sarah Brown), The Little Mermaid (Adella/Dance Captain), Sweet Charity (Alicia/u/s Rosie), and Grease. Concerts: 54 Below, The Green Room 42, Don't Tell Mama, The Triad Theatre Off-Broadway. Film/TV: Dance Hall, Mean Girls(2024), Smile 2. Come see Kara perform as Holly in The Wedding Singer in February! Kara wants to thank her friends, family, and the Madison Theatre! IG: *@kara.moy_*

Brady J Opel is excited for another Holiday season at the Madison Theater. He was last seen on the Madison Stage in Rodger's And Hammerstein's Cinderella. He hopes you have a happy holiday.

Amelia Savola (she/her) is a senior at CAP 21 and is excited to be returning to the Madison Theatre! She was last seen in CAP 21's *Seussical*, *The Wild Party* and *The Madison's Give Our Regards*. She is excited to perform with such a talented cast and crew! Merry Christmas!

Ally Short (she/her) is thrilled to be in the Madison's Christmas Celebration! Previously seen as Marie, the Fairy Godmother in *Cinderella*, she's a proud senior at CAP21, she also loves *Snoopy*. Her original music is streaming on all platforms, too! Her performance is dedicated to her PopPop, who she'd not be here without. www.allykatelynshort.com @allykatelyn_

Gavin Shrader is thrilled to be returning again this year for the Madison Theatres Christmas Celebration! Recent credits include *Cinderella*, *Give Our Regards to Broadway*, *Disney's Newsies*, and *Les Miserables*! Gavin, a Junior at Molloy's Cap 21 Musical theatre program is so excited to be performing on the Madison stage again. He wishes everyone a happy holidays, and to keep it JOLLY! Enjoy the show!

Miranda Slater Slater is a senior at CAP21! She has previously been seen on the Madison stage in the 2023 Christmas Celebration, and most recently in CAP21's *Seussical* and *The Pirates of Penzance*, and will be partying in *The Wedding Singer* in February 2026. She is thrilled to bring more holiday joy to the Madison audience with her very best friends!

Liam Specht is a Senior Cap21 theatre student, and is so excited to be making back performing with the Madison Theatre. He can be seen next as Robbie Hart in *The Wedding Singer* this spring. He would like to thank the entire creative team, and to wish the audience a Happy Holiday! @liammhps

Eli Testa is a current Sophomore at Molloy University/Cap21 and is originally from Denver, Colorado. This is his second time performing with the Madison Theatre after being a part of the cast of "Miss Money Honeybee" in July! Eli is extremely thankful for everyone at the Madison for this

incredible opportunity to bring Holiday cheer to life! Enjoy the show! Also, HI MOM!

Ava Kate Rankin is excited to make her return to the Madison Theatre. She was previously seen as Gabrielle in *Cinderella* and ensemble in *Wild Party*. She is a current senior at CAP21, and would like to thank her friends and family for their support! @avakaterankin

Mia Robley is thrilled to be returning Madison Theatre stage! Mia Grace is a current sophomore at MOLLOY/CAP21 Musical Theatre Conservatory. She would like to thank her family and friends for their endless support!

Isabella Quinn (she/her) is so excited to be in her first Madison Theatre show! She is a current junior in the CAP 21 program and was most recently seen in *Seussical*. She sends all her love to her friends, family, faculty, and Arizona community for their endless love and support <3 @isabellaquinn

Isabella Varela-Prendergast is thrilled to be a part of this year's Madison Theatre's Christmas Celebration. She is a junior in the CAP21 musical theatre conservatory at Molloy and she loves every minute of it. She has previously worked with the Madison Theatre for their summer production of *Legally Blonde (Margot)* and *Give Our Regards to Broadway (Ensemble)*. Bella is thrilled to be working with this amazing cast/crew and can't wait to enjoy the holiday season with Rockville Centre!

Lacey Rose Zaharis is absolutely thrilled to be making her Madison Theatre debut this holiday season! She is a sophomore in the CAP21/Molloy University Musical Theatre program. Growing up on Long Island, she has always dreamed of getting to study musical theatre in NYC and now those dreams are coming true. She wants to thank her family for all their support and love as well as the team at the Madison for giving her this opportunity! @laceyrose

WITH

Anaia Barton What a treasure to perform with the AMAZING cast and production team of the Molloy College Madison Theater! Anaia LOVES to perform whether professionally, in school, summer camp or musical theatre programs. Anaia has a great sense of humor. She enjoys gymnastics, softball, volleyball, sewing, art, traveling and spending time with family. Anaia has a heart for God and serving others. Anaia dedicates this performance to every child who has a big dream.

Joshua Pierre, a 12-Year old native, New Yorker appeared in his first theatrical debut at the age of 3. Since then, he has starred in performances such as The Nativity, The Wiz, the Madison Theater Summer Intensive Showcase and Give Our Regards to Broadway. He has also participated in the Black Spectrum Theatre Company, Inc./ Entertainment Career and Arts Program. In his free time, he enjoys playing basketball, singing and playing chess.

Kelly Reid is very excited to be a part of the Madison Theatre Christmas Celebration Show. She loved her experience at Madison Theatre Summer Intensive program during the Summer of 2023 where she gained a lot of experience and had so much fun. Besides being a part of Madison Theatre, Kelly has also been casted in several different roles in the South Side Middle School Drama Club over the last 2 1/2 years. Currently, Kelly is casted and rehearsing to be Karen in "Mean Girls" in the January 2024 production at To The Stage in Oceanside. Kelly is very grateful for her experience with Madison Theatre!

Amanda Victori Acosta is a passionate young performer with diverse theater experience. She loves singing, fashion, and is honing her creativity as an aspiring nail artist.

CREATIVE TEAM

Angelo Fraboni (Director) produced & directed the Opening Gala in 2011 and has continued to present, produce, and direct entertainment for the Molly Community over the past 10 seasons. He won the 2009 Drama Desk Award for the critically-acclaimed series Celebrity Autobiography and has produced dozens of shows and events in NYC before coming to Molloy. He continues to create and develop new work at the Madison Theatre to help develop professional opportunities for the Molloy CAP21 Theatre Arts students including new plays, musicals, and short films. Mr. Fraboni enjoyed a long performance career that includes 6 Broadway shows, 4 Encore shows at City Center, the Radio City Christmas Show, multiple national and international tours, and as a principal dancer in a Ballet company. He has worked in film and commercials work, as well.

Jessica McRoberts has had a remarkable and fulfilling career in the theater industry, spanning over three decades Throughout her journey, she has had the incredible opportunity to work on Broadway, partake in National Broadway Tours, and contribute her talents to some of the finest regional theaters across the country. Her extensive collaborations include working alongside iconic figures such as Stephen Sondheim, Maury Yeston, Tommy Tune, Chita Rivera, Gwen Verdon, Kathleen Marshall, Jerry Mitchell, Chet Walker, Wayne Cilento, Matthew Warchus, Marshall Brickman, Rick Elice, David Leavau, Chris Gattelli, Michael Grief, and Craig Carnelia, where she has played a vital role as an associate on many distinguished productions. In recent years, Jessica has discovered a profound passion for directing, which has led her to helm various notable projects. Among her favorite directing credits are Jason Robert Brown's "The Last Five Years" at the AEA Developmental Lab, as well as productions of "tick, tick... BOOM!", "The Rocky Horror Show," and "Matilda." Currently, she holds the esteemed position of Associate Artistic Director at The Madison Theater and serves as a board member at The York Theater.

Additionally, Jessica her expertise and love for theater by teaching at several prestigious institutions, including STEPS on Broadway, The Atlantic Theatre Company, Cap 21, Marymount Manhattan College, PPAS, and The Horace Mann School.

Grace McNally (Assistant Director) is thrilled to be a part of the creative team for the Madison Theatre Christmas Celebration. She recently graduated with a BFA in Musical Theatre from LIU Post. Her past Christmas show credits include the 2019 production as a child/troll and the 2023 production as a backstage dresser turned emergency swing. When not performing, you can find Grace wandering around the theatre as a house manager, at the box office selling tickets, or designing on Canva as a social media and marketing intern.

Aaron Gandy (Musical Director) is celebrating 10 years of concerts at The Madison Theatre! NYC credits include The Lion King, Urinetown, Just Jim Dale at Roundabout and London's West End, The Shaggs at Playwrights Horizons, Dora the Explorer Live! at Radio City Music Hall. Recent concert appearances include A Band Called Honalee's current international tour, My Fair Lady in concert at the Milwaukee and North Carolina Symphonies, and frequent appearances as Principal Pops Conductor of the South Shore Symphony. As composer, his shows include the forthcoming Samantha, Single-Handed, and The Crinolynns. His recordings include Life Begins at 8:40, Through The Years, JuleStyne In Hollywood, The Shaggs, Busker Alley, and The Musicality of Vincent Youmans. As Artistic Advisor to The Kay Swift Trust, he co-edited The Kay Swift Songbook and conducted the 2004 premiere cast recording of Fine& Dandy. Visit www.aarongandy.com.

Ed McCarthy (Lighting Design) Unmasked: The Music of Andrew Lloyd Webber at Paper Mill Playhouse; Kathleen Turner- Finding My Voice. Public Theater: Southern Comfort. Over 80 Broadway, Off-Bway and regional shows. Associate Lighting Designer for all companies of Mamma Mia! in the Western Hemisphere, and many others. Television:22

Tony Awards (6 Emmy nominations) Live from Lincoln Center, Grammys, Prairie Home Companion, and more. Graduate of, and teacher at, NYU Tisch School of the Arts.

Jabbath Roa (Sound Design) is a sound designer, audio engineer, music producer and multi-instrumentalist composer. Born in Colombia and based in New York for the last decade, he gained extensive experience in both countries, allowing him to develop an eclectic career nationally and internationally. His expertise encompasses modern music, film scoring, sound designing, beat making and song writing among others.

Skylar Faith Ludwig (Company Management) is a junior in the CAP21 program at Molloy University. She has been with the Madison family for three years and is so incredibly grateful to them for all the opportunities and support they have given her over the years!

Matthew Gibbons (General Manager) is a graduate of Molloy's MBA program. Matt has been an integral part of the theatre for years. He began his career with The Madison Theatre as a student employee, then moved to House Manager and is now our General Manager.

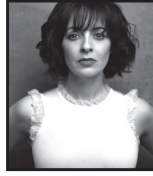
MUSICIANS:

Aaron Gandy (Key 1), Adam Wiggins (Key 2), Jakob Messinetti (Bass), Charles Clausen (Trumpet 1), Jessie Englander (Reed 1), Brad Mulholland (Reed 2), Mike Kelliher (Guitar), Sammy Lazzara (Drums), James Dissinger (Trombone)"

HEADSHOTS



**Kevin
Bernard**



**Christina
DeCicco**



**Callie
Audia**



**Kenzie
Allis**



**Zach
Bartlett**



**Naomi
Bolano**



**Emily
Burg**



**Arwen
Cameron**



**Andrea
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**Caleb
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**Emilio
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**Annika
Gustafson**



**Kai
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Hart**

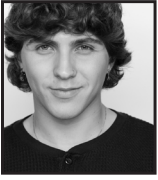


**Emma
Holmes**



**Ryan
Kimbark**

HEADSHOTS



**Nicholas
Lemza**



**Grace
Lott**



**Skylar Faith
Ludwig**



**Charles
Luetje**



**Emma
Majewski**



**Kara
Moy**



**Bradley J
Opel**



**Isabella Varela
Prendergrast**



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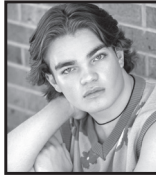
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