

* * Cummins and Scoullar's * * The Little Prince

drama by

Rick Cummins and John Scoullar

based on the book by Antoine de Saint-Exupéry

Directed by Jason Johnson-Spinos

SEPT. 10-13
Addison Theatre Centre
Studio Theatre

There will be one fifteen-minute intermission

Produced by special arrangement with the Dramatic Publishing Company, Inc., of Woodstock, Illinois.

CAST

LITTLE PRINCE Isaac Aranda Jordan Battey

AVIATOR Brayden Lawrence Giulia Garbani

FOX Alex Gray Isabella Wilson

ROSE Samantha Stratton

> SNAKE Kennedy Soffa

KING Everett Johnson Liam Paynter

BUSINESSMAN Haley Newton LAMPLIGHTER Estee Kiel Sara Guiou

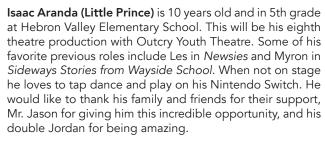
GEOGRAPHER Wyatt Cantrell

CONCEITED MAN Alex Gray Isabella Wilson

DESERT FLOWER Chloe Weand

MOUNTAIN ECHO Johnny Beutel







Jordan Battey (Little Prince) is 15 years old and is a 10th grader at Liberty High School. This is her 14th production at Outcry Youth Theatre and 5th with Mr. J. Her favorite past roles include Young Guinevere in *The Legend of Arthur*, The Giver in *The Giver*, Marie in *The Time Machine*, and Alice in *Alice in Wonderland*. She would like to thank Mr. J for this amazing opportunity. She also wants to thank her family for their continuous support, and Brayden for being her aviator.



Johnny Beutel (Mountain Echo) is an 8th grader at Wilson Middle School and this is his 4th production with Mr. Jason. He enjoys playing video games, watching TV, singing, and playing with his dog, Buddy. Johnny would like to thank Mr. Jason, the cast and Outcry Theatre for working so hard and making this great show happen!



Wyatt Cantrell (Geographer) is in 6th grade at Jerry Walker Middle School. This is his 5th production with Outcry Youth Theatre. Wyatt's favorite past roles includes Wheeler in *Time Again in Oz*, Boots in *Newsies*, and Pluto and Young Poe in *The Madness of Edgar Allan Poe*. When not on stage, he likes to watch Youtube and TikTok and play baseball. Wyatt would like to thank Mr. J for the opportunity to be on stage again. And to my family, thank you for all you do for me.



Giulia Garbani (Aviator) is a 15-year-old sophomore at Allen High School. This is her fourth show at Outcry Youth Theatre and she is so excited to be a part of *The Little Prince*. Giulia has been in theatre since she was 9 years old, and loves to bring stories to life on the stage with her cast mates. She would like to thank her parents for all their support and patience during this process, as well as Mr. J, Ms. Elizabeth, and all the volunteers who made this show possible.



Alex Gray (Fox/Conceited Man) is in 10th grade at Reedy High School. This is her eleventh production at Outcry Youth Theatre, and her fifth with Mr. J. Past roles include Poe in *The Madness of Edgar Allan Poe* and Marie in *The Time Machine*. When not onstage, she enjoys singing, listening to music, and watching cartoons. She would like to thank her Nana and Papa for giving her this opportunity and Mr. J for never giving up on this show.



Sara Guiou (Lamplighter) is an 8th grader at Robinson Middle School in Plano. This is her 13th production with Outcry Youth Theatre. Her favorite past roles include Lily in *The Giver*, Scuttle in *The Little Mermaid*, and Sara Crewe in A *Little Princess*. In addition to theatre, she enjoys playing soccer, basketball and volleyball. She would like to thank her parents and Luke for their support and Mr. J for casting her in this show.



Everett Johnson (King) is 12 and a 7th grader at Coram Deo Academy-Dallas and is thrilled to be in his fifth Outcry Youth Theatre show with Mr. Jason! Past favorite roles include *Shrek in Shrek Jr.*, Chef Louis in *The Little Mermaid Jr.*, Lonny in *Rock of Ages Middle School Edition*, and Zeke in *High School Musical Jr.* He is a chili cook-off champion and enjoys basketball, history, and board games. Thanks to my cast mates and all of my family and friends!



Estee Kiel (Lamplighter) is in 10th grade at Allen High School. This is her 5th production with Outcry Youth Theatre. Her favorite past role was Remy in *The Madness of Edgar Allan Poe*. When not on stage, she likes to play the ukulele and go biking. She would like to thank Mr. J and her friends and family for their love and support.



Brayden Lawrence (Aviator) is a sophomore at McKinney HS. This is his 9th show at Outcry, and 2nd show with Mr. J. Favorite previous roles include Hugo in *Tuck Everlasting*, Mabelu in *The Old Man and the Old Moon*, and Roderick Usher/Monsieur Maillard in *The Madness of Edgar Allan Poe*. He would like to thank Mr. Jason and Ms. Becca for their endless love and brilliant creativity, his family for leading him to great things, his wonderful double, and his Little Prince for making this process such a magical time.



Haley Newton (Businessman) is a 14-year-old homeschooled freshman. She is excited to get her paper plate and join the J-Squad. Some of her favorite past roles include Madeline Usher/ Virginia in The Madness of Edgar Allan Poe and Vec in The Time Machine. In her free time, she enjoys reading and hanging out with her friends. Haley would like to thank her family and friends for all the love and support over the years.



Liam Paynter (King) is in 7th grade at Haggard Middle School in Plano. This is his second show with Outcry Youth Theatre. Previous roles include Officer Trench, the Doctor, and Vivant in *The Madness of Edgar Allan Poe*. His favorite role is his current one as the King in *The Little Prince*. Outside of theatre, Liam enjoys reading, playing video games and playing piano and bassoon.



Kennedy Soffa (Snake) is a sophomore at Allen High School. This is her 24th major production and 7th with Mr. Jason. She is a proud member of J-Squad and Becca's Army. Favorite past roles include Helen Hastings in *The Madness of Edgar Allan Poe*, Scuttle in *The Little Mermaid, Jr.*, Fiona in *The Giver*, Neptune in 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, Krickt in *The Time Machine*, and Splasher in *Newsies*. She would like to thank Mr. Jason for supporting her and giving her this opportunity to play such an amazing role.



Samantha Stratton (Rose) is 14 years old and in 9th grade at Clark High School. This is her fourth production with Mr. Jason. Previous roles include Amy March in Little Women, Mary Lennox in The Secret Garden, Ariel in The Little Mermaid, Jr., Christine in The Madness of Edgar Allan Poe, Tika in The Time Machine, Miss Honey in Matilda, and Beth March in Little Women. Samantha would like to thank her family for their love and support and Mr. J for his incredible quidance and direction.



Chloe Weand (Desert Flower) is in 6th grade at Aubrey Middle School. This is her 2nd production at Outcry Youth Theatre. Her favorite past role is Little Big Panther in *Peter Pan*. When not on stage, she likes to play video games and spend time with her brothers. She would like to thank Mr. J, her cast mates, and her big brother Dylan for helping her practice.



Isabella Wilson (Fox/Conceited Man) is a 15-year-old homeschool student at THEO. This is her 14th Outcry show and 8th with Mr. J. Favorite past roles are Ursula in *The Little Mermaid, Jr.*, Dorothy in *Time Again in Oz*, and Helen Hastings in *The Madness of Edgar Allan Poe*. When not acting, Isabella enjoys singing, playing multiple instruments, drawing and writing. Isabella would like to thank Mr. J for giving her the opportunity to play this fun role and her awesome double Alex! #jsquad



Jason Johnson-Spinos (Director) is a theatre and film artist and educator. At Outcry, he is the Marketing Director, a teacher, director, and the resident projection, lighting, and sound designer. He has designed sound and projections Off-Broadway. He was a theatre teacher at Universal Academy Coppell, where his 2017 UIL One Act Play advanced to the State Championship. Jason has acted professionally locally with WaterTower Theatre, Shakespeare Dallas, and Outcry Theatre. This his ninth show as a director at OYT.

Dylan Weand (Assistant Director) is a Dallas-based actor who started acting at 10. He is currently a freshman at Collin College, going to school to get his BFA with an emphasis on Acting. He has been involved with Outcry since 2017, participating in both youth and professional productions. Favorite roles include Christopher Boone in *Curious Incident* and Cripple Billy in *The Cripple of Inishmaan*. Dylan would like to thank all the actors for being great kiddos; he is also extremely grateful to Mr. J for this amazing opportunity.

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DIRECTOR Jason Johnson-Spinos

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR Dylan Weand

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Oct. 1 – Dec. 10 (no class Nov. 26) Thursdays, 4:30-5:30pm

Teacher: Jason Johnson-Spinos Ages 5-12 \$200

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Students will learn basic acting skills and techniques, including characterization, voice and diction, improvisation, physicality, audition skills, and more. Ends with a filmed performance that will be sent to the families and may be shared with other family and friends.

This class will be held in person, wearing masks, and using safe social distancing. Find all of Outcry's safety policies on our website.

Narrative Podcast (Zoom Class)

Oct. 23 - Dec 4 (no class Nov. 27) Fridays, 7-9pm

Teacher: Jason Johnson-Spinos Ages 12-22 \$200

Create a multi-episode narrative podcast over the course of a six-week online-only class

Students will develop and write an episodic story designed to be presented exclusively through audio, and bring it to life through voice performance, sound effects, and music. Students will learn to create an environment through sound, to design sound in stereo, and to perform for an audio-only medium. Students will use their individual skills to take on the different tasks of bringing their radio drama to life. The podcast will be aired through the Outcry Theatre Podcast, which is available on Apple Podcasts, Stitcher, and more.

This class will be taught using Zoom video conferencing, so all students can stay safely in their own homes.

more info at outcrytheatre.com/classes

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Music and Lyrics by **Stephen Sondheim**Book by **John Weidman**

Performs **January 15-24, 2021**Addison Theatre Centre, Studio Theatre directed by Becca Johnson-Spinos

Ages 13-18 • Tuition: \$350

Auditions
pick a 5-minute slot on either:

Friday, October 2 from 6-9pm or Saturday, October 3 from 2-6pm Callbacks: Tuesday, October 13 from 6-10pm

Our nation's most notorious assassins gather on stage to violently pursue a twisted American Dream. A multiple Tony Award-winning theatrical tourde-force, Assassins combines Sondheim's signature blend of intelligently stunning lyrics and beautiful music with a panoramic story of our nation's culture of celebrity and the violent means some will use to obtain it. Bold, original, disturbing and alarmingly funny, Assassins is perhaps the most controversial musical ever written. A nightmarish roller coaster ride in which assassins from different historical periods meet, interact and inspire each other to harrowing acts in the name of the American Dream.

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"You do not alone own truth."

by Sophocles adapted by Becca Johnson-Spinos

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by **John Glore**based on the novel by **Laura Amy Schlitz**

Performs **March 19-28, 2021**Addison Theatre Centre, Studio Theatre directed by Jason Johnson-Spinos

Audition Dates TBA



by **Becca and Jason Johnson-Spinos** based on the novel by **F. Scott Fitzgerald**

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Outcry Theatre utilizes bold artistic vision, highly physical staging, and an energetic and visceral performance style. With rigorous rehearsals, tenacious attention to detail, and unwavering dedication to excellence, Outcry Theatre focuses on developing stellar performances and exceptional storytelling.

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