

GOLD TREASURE

MAY 21-23

CROSSING THE RIVER

JUNE 4-6

THE JOURNEY

JUNE 18-20

BACK

JULY 2-4

THE BOOKSTORE OF DOOM

JULY 9-11

THE DINNER PARTY

JULY 16-18

THE CASE OF THE MISSING JEWELRY

JULY 30-AUGUST 1

MORE THAN MEETS THE EYE

AUGUST 13-15

BACK

A disabled vet reconnects with his high school buddy at a critical point in both their lives.



Sue Leamy-Kies

DIRECTORCleo DeOrio

CAST

Brian Walsh Christopher Bizub

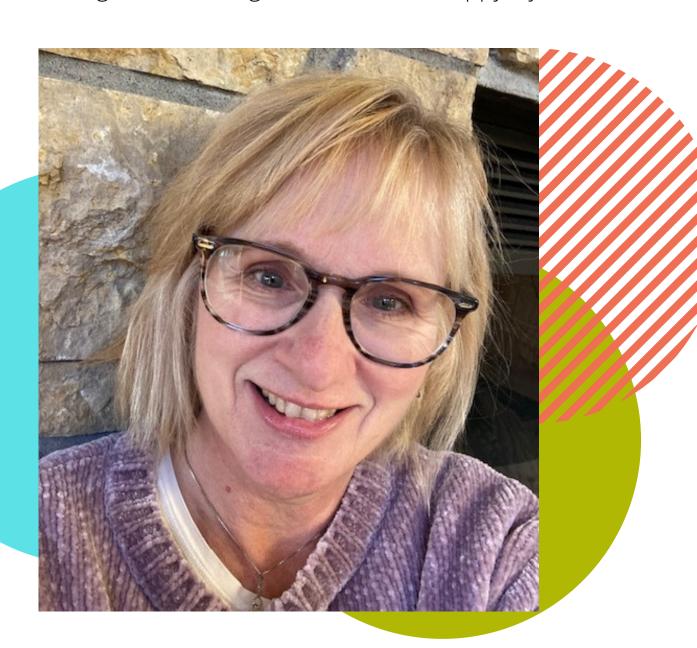


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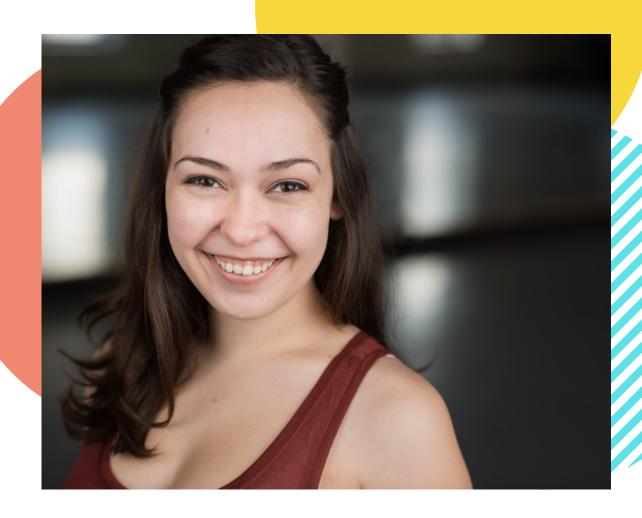
Playwright

Sue Leamy-Kies is a recently retired English teacher. After 27 wonderful years in education, she now spends time reading and writing whatever she darned well wants. She also gardens, bikes, does yoga, kayaks, and tends backyard chickens. She and her husband Dave can honestly say they don't have an empty nest. She has published poetry, short stories, essays and movie reviews, but "Back" is her first play. She is currently working on a teaching memoir called "Puppy Fly."



CLEO DEORIO Director

Cleo DeOrio (she/her) is a Physical Theatre and Dance artist and teacher from Cleveland, Ohio. Cleo received her Bachelor's Degree at Baldwin Wallace University, where she focused her studies in Directing and Choreography. She then received a Master's degree from Dell'Arte International School of Physical Theatre, where she developed works such as Citizens of Nowhere and Visions of a Crying Girl. Cleo specializes in storytelling through movement, devised physical theatre, and movement coaching. Her work has premiered across Ohio and California in works such as *The Three Musketeers*, *Big Love*, and *Fyoo Zh Eh* - New Music and Dance. Her current productions/performances include *Love*, *Betty*, and IMPRINTS - a dance-theatre piece about violence against women. Cleo is thrilled to be part of the CADA One-Act Festival and looks forward to being part of the CADA family. Visit her website at cleodeorio.com



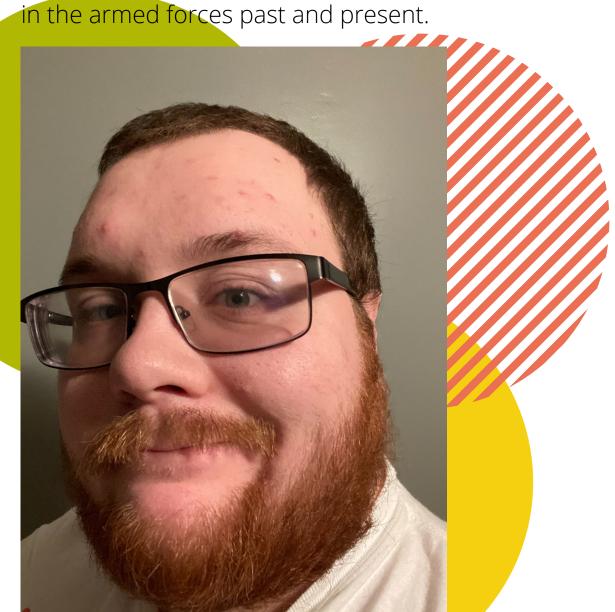
CHRIS BIZUB

Chris is thrilled to be performing for the very first time with the Center for Applied Drama and Autism! A resident of Wickliffe Ohio, Chris currently works at the Cleveland Metroparks Zoo. He received his Master's in Arts Administration from the University of Akron, as well as his Bachelor's in Theatre from Baldwin Wallace College. Chris spends much of his spare time acting and directing in the Northeast Ohio area. Some of Chris' recent acting credits include SPAMALOT (The Historian) at Cassidy Theatre, *She Kills Monsters* (Chuck) for Kent Trumbull Theatre, *Dracula* (Dr. Seward) at Lake Erie College, *Julius Caesar* (Cassius) for Cleveland Shakespeare Festival, *A Raisin in the Sun* (Karl Linder) at Ensemble Theatre and *The Seagull* (Trigorin), ASSASSINS (Leon Czolgosz), and *It's A Wonderful Life* (Henry Potter/Mr. Gower) at Western Reserve Playhouse. As always Chris would also like to thank his wife Brittany for agreeing to let him be a part of this production, as his addiction to performance keeps him away from home entirely too often.



BRIAN WALSH

A native of Pennsylvania, Brian is ecstatic to be able to act again after a long hiatus. He has always had a special place in his heart for the performing arts and credits it to helping him feel comfortable in his own skin. Throughout his life, he has done many theatre productions as far back as middle school and high school and has even dabbled into improv and stand-up comedy. He is happy to be working with CADA to showcase his skills and as a former military brat is dedicating his performance to all the brave people







ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM

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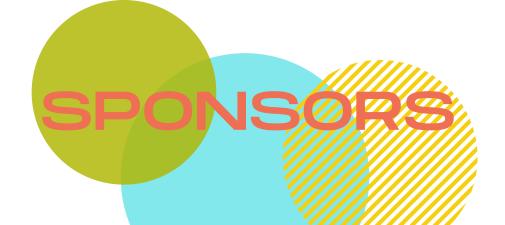
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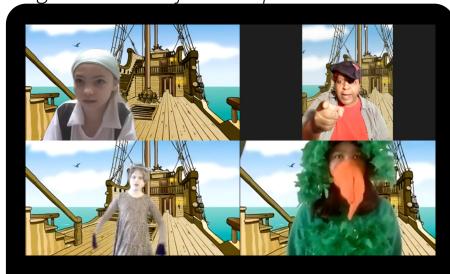
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