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Geneva High School Theatre Presents

THE GREAT AMERICAN COLLEGE TOUR



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**Geneva High School
Presents
THE GREAT AMERICAN
COLLEGE TOUR**

Cast

Ben Bottom
Donovan Byrd
Mackenzie Collins
Marianne Crowley
Ella Downing
Isaac Eichelberger
Charlotte Francis

Ellie Harvey
Emma Jordahl
Maddie Levin
Penny McCutcheon
Nyrie Moukhtarian
Kylar Newcomb
Reilly Newkirk

Eidan Rivera
Ella Riviere
Jordyn Saelens
Chris Smircich
Em Toberman
Sophia Ton
Mathew Wardinski

Crew

Viktoria Allabaugh
Megan Allen
Hannah Belmont
Abigail Bowgren
Lili Corbett
Rachael Davison
Anastasia Drab

David Fronczak
Aaron Hosman
Molly Hughes
Mila Kournetas
Jacob Leon
Abigail Marczak

Gabrielle Pecaro
Matthew Peerless
Morgan Reid
Zoey Silha
Emily Tuman
Sage Wilson

Technical Director
Jay Fontanetta

Director
Chris Arnett

Student Director
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Dear Friends of Geneva's Theatre Productions:

Welcome to Geneva Community High School's performance of *The Great American College Tour!* Our cast and crew have dedicated themselves to the creation of this production and they've had a lot of fun doing it. Their commitment to our drama and music programs underscores the rich tradition of excellence and success in our performing arts endeavors. I also want to thank our team of directors for their enthusiasm and commitment to our students.

We are extremely fortunate to receive tremendous support from the Geneva High School Theatre Boosters. Please consider supporting them by becoming a member and volunteering your time. They enrich our students' experiences by making things like this playbill possible and have been enhancing our theatre program with other "extras" for many years now. They would appreciate your help.

Thank you very much for your support as loyal patrons of Geneva's theatre productions. We hope you enjoy the performance!

Sincerely,

Tom Rogers
Principal



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Scenes

Scene 1	New Stage College
Scene 2	Ivy League
Scene 3	Liberal, Liberal Arts
Scene 4	Big Ten School
Scene 5	Film School
Scene 6	Business School
Scene 7	Cult
Scene 8	Eco Wilderness
Scene 9	Online University
Scene 10	Finale

A heartfelt thank you to the Geneva community who has so proudly supported our theatre program here at Geneva High School for many years. Thank you to those businesses who have made this playbill possible by advertising with us.

To our beloved audience, the cast, technical crew and directors have worked endless hours to entertain you. We hope you enjoy the show.

A Special Thanks To

Maggie Paul for her vaulable contribution to our production.

Tom Rogers, Kate Geary, and the GHS administration for their continued and tireless support of our Theatre program.

The GHS Security and Custodial Staff for their invaluable help and support.

ALL the parents of the cast and crew! We couldn't do it without your talented kids and YOUR support.

Thank you to the 2024-2025 Theatre Boosters, committee members and volunteers. We appreciate everything you do to support the students and directors throughout the entire season.

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Director's Note



When I first visited my alma mater, it was as a student attending the Illinois High School Theatre Fest. The festival was an opportunity to learn in college classrooms, to attend workshops in the depths of the performing arts center, and to explore Green Street for far more time than I probably should have. My "self-guided tour" may not have followed the brochure exactly, but by the end of the weekend, I knew I would end up an Illinois alumnus. For many high school students, the "College Visit" was as much a part of their academic journey as Homecoming week, the Constitution test, or mandatory PLC meetings: a time to learn and explore about a place they may spend the next four years. For the visited college tour, a tour is a chance to show off the ins and outs of the school and programs: sometimes for better, sometimes for worse. There's a reason why those tour guides are supposed to keep us on the path. And there's a reason not every school is our first choice. Olive and Cal- and their parents- get to see what the brochure doesn't always tell you as they go on The Great American College Tour.

I am incredibly excited to direct this show and to be involved again with GHS's theatre program. My thanks to DL and JF for bringing me back to the GHS theatre, to my family for supporting it, and to the cast for bringing the energy to "Go Trucks!"

Chris Arnett
Director

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Jarrold	Donovan Byrd
Tempe	Mackenzie Collins
Mrs. Bostich	Marianne Crowley
Cal	Ella Downing
Mr. Binney	Isaac Eichelberger
Tour Group	Charlotte Francis
Trey	Ellie Harvey
Aura	Emma Jordahl
Olive	Maddie Levin
Stanley	Penny McCutcheon
Jean	Nyrie Moukhtarian
Jo	Kylar Newcomb
Alice	Reilly Newkirk
Tour Group	Eidan Rivera
Tour Group	Ella Riviere
Tour Group	Jordyn Saelens
Tour Group	Chris Smircich
Mantus	Em Toberman
Tour Group	Sophia Ton
Brettley	Matthew Wardinski

Production

Director	Chris Arnett
Technical Director	Jay Fontanetta
Student Director	Tess Engerman

CREW

Crew Members

- Viktoria Allabaugh
- Megan Allen
- Hannah Belmont
- Abigail Bowgren
- Lili Corbett
- Rachael Davison
- Anastasia Drab
- David Fronczak
- Aaron Hosman
- Molly Hughes
- Mila Kournetas
- Jacob Leon
- Abigail Marczak
- Gabrielle Pecaro
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Morgan Reid



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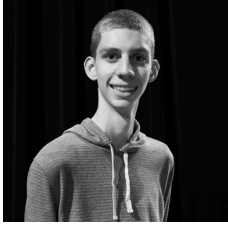
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Ben Bottom

as Chat



Donovan Byrd

as Jarrod



Mackenzie Collins

as Tempe



Marianne Crowley

as Mrs. Bostich



Ella Downing

as Cal

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Isaac Eichelberger

as Mr. Binney



Charlotte Francis

as Tour Group



Ellie Harvey

as Trey



Emma Jordahl

as Aura



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Penny McCutcheon

as Stanley



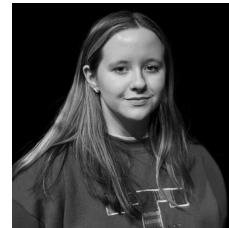
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as Jean



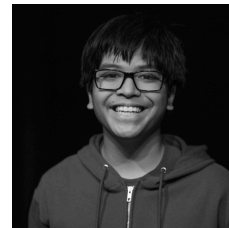
Kylar Newcomb

as Jo



Reilly Newkirk

as Alice



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as Tour Group

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Ella Riviere

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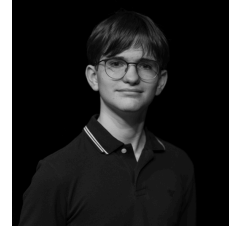
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Em Toberman

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Matthew Wardinski

as Brettley



Tess Engerman

Student Director

