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DIRECTOR'S NOTE

Thank you for joining us for this performance of Mystery Radio Theatre!

Even though as an audience we may be physically separated, for this brief amount of time we come together as a community to experience these thrilling tales. And that is what theater is all about - community and collaboration.

Over the past several weeks, I have had the opportunity to virtually gather with some amazingly talented and dedicated performers in exploring classic tales of mystery. While some of the characters might feel familiar, there are added elements to our stationary storytelling style inspired by the world of radio drama and Foley work. With this particular production, I want you to be able to relish the power of imagination and engage in a unique sensory experience. Everything from the multitude of lively characters down to the sound effects being heard are for the most part being created live by our ensemble of eleven performers with only a few recorded exceptions here and there. So sit back and relax as we embark on a new adventure with some ageless stories!

Thank you to the performers for your support of our ensemble and your engagement in the process of creativity! Thank you to Post Meridian Radio Players for your partnership and guidance! And thank you to families, MCA staff and board, WCT council, and members of our community for your continued support of the arts!

Kevin Williams

Director

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Announcer	Atticus Chapman
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	Ella Meshoulam, Hanna Meshoulam,
	Luke Schumacher

The Frewin Miniatures

Lady Molly	Ella Meshoulam
Mary Granard	Chiara Tullius
	Katie Giglio
Mr. Frewin/Lestrade/Michael	Evelyn Follett
Doctor/Gregson	Hanna Meshoulam
	Atticus Chapman
Emily/Sir Anthony	Finnoula Wheeler
Chipps/Lady Steyne	Lucia Millen
Nurse	Ingrid Shapinsky
Foley Artists	Atticus Chapman, Frances Del Vecchio,
	Evelyn Follett, Katie Giglio, Hanna Meshoulam,
	Lucia Millen, Luke Schumacher,
	Ingrid Shapinsky, Finnoula Wheeler

The Speckled Band

Sherlock Holmes	Luke Schumacher	
Dr. Watson	Frances Del Vecchio	
Helen	Ingrid Shapinsky	
	Lucia Millen	
	Hanna Meshoulam	
Driver	Finnoula Wheeler	
Foley Artists	Atticus Chapman, Evelyn Follett, Katie Giglio,	
	Ella Meshoulam, Hanna Meshoulam, Lucia Millen,	
	Ingrid Shapinsky, Chiara Tullius, Finnoula Wheeler	

PRODUCTION STAFF

Director	Kevin Williams
Composer/Music Director	Asako Nagashima
WCT Production Stage Manager	Deidre Purcell
PMRP Foley Workshop Teaching Artists	Mare Freed & Jay Sekora

Congratulations

on another

fantastic WCT performance!



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Laura is a proud Watertown resident, committed to ongoing enrichment of the Watertown community. As an artist and strong supporter of the arts, Laura has served as Chair of the Watertown Cultural Council, and on the Board of Directors at Mosesian Center for the Arts, where she remains a dedicated member and loyal fan!

A Harvard-trained architect, Laura brings to her real estate practice an intimate understanding of houses, and a strong network of associates in design, construction, and home financing.

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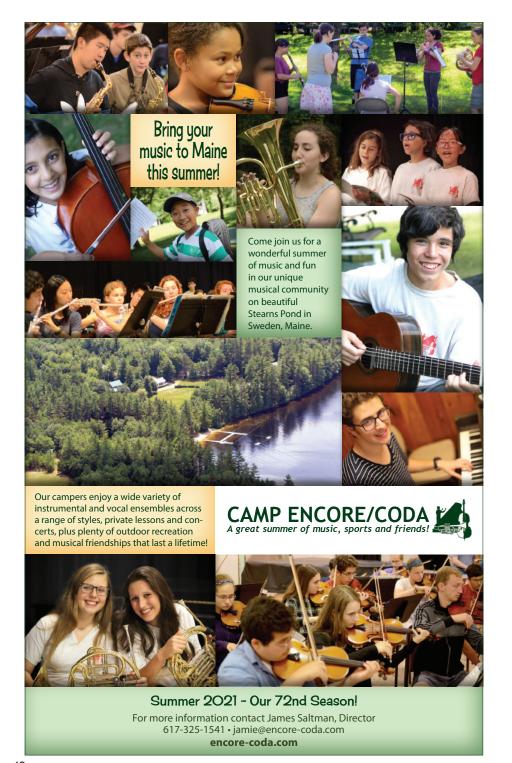
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and last, but not least...

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WCT SPECIAL FUNDS

The WCT Tuition Assistance Fund was established to help fulfill the WCT mission to be a cultural and educational resource for the community by providing opportunities for all children to appreciate and participate in the performing arts, regardless of ability to pay. WCT Tuition Assistance allows all interested students and families the chance to become involved with our diverse and inclusive theatre programming.

The **WCT Visionary Fund** was established in celebration of WCT's 25th birthday to build a financial reserve and to help secure a bright future for the next 25 years and beyond! Numerous contributions, including a matching grant, have given us a strong start toward our initial fundraising goal of \$50,000.

The WCT Cindy Waldron Cannon Fund was established after Cindy, a WCT parent and volunteer, passed away in April 2002, to honor her for the extraordinary person she was and for her many contributions to WCT. As she loved both the theatre and education, the fund is used to award an annual scholarship in Cindy's name to a graduating Watertown High School senior who has participated in WCT and has shown extraordinary commitment to the performing arts during high school. The 2018 CWC Fund Scholarship was awarded to Julian Schepis.

The WCT Dinah Lane Theatre Arts Fund was established on the occasion of WCT's 20th Anniversary Celebration to honor WCT Founder and Artistic Director, Dinah Lane. The mission of the fund is to sponsor theatre arts events and performances FREE to all. Programs such as master classes, artists-in-residence, technical theatre activities, and special performances to supplement core programming of WCT are supported by this fund.

For additional information about any of the above funds, please send a message to donate.wct@mosesianarts.org

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TO BE a cultural and educational resource for the community by providing opportunities for all children to appreciate and participate in the performing arts.

TO PROVIDE a range of theatre experiences for children of diverse cultures and different ages.

TO FOSTER self-discovery, creativity, confidence, group responsibility, and pride in accomplishment, as well as the development of skills in an enjoyable, non-competitive atmosphere.

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To help boost the fund:

All Donors supporting the **WCT Tuition Assistance Fund** from **January 29 – February 16, 2021** will be eligible for a random chance to take home:

Cozy Winterfest Staycation Game Night Package includes:

- WCT's Mystery Radio Theatre & King Lear T-Shirts Adult Medium
- \$25 Gift Cards to Demo's, Bruggers, Quebrada Bakery, Mark & Toni's, Comella's & RANCATORE'S!
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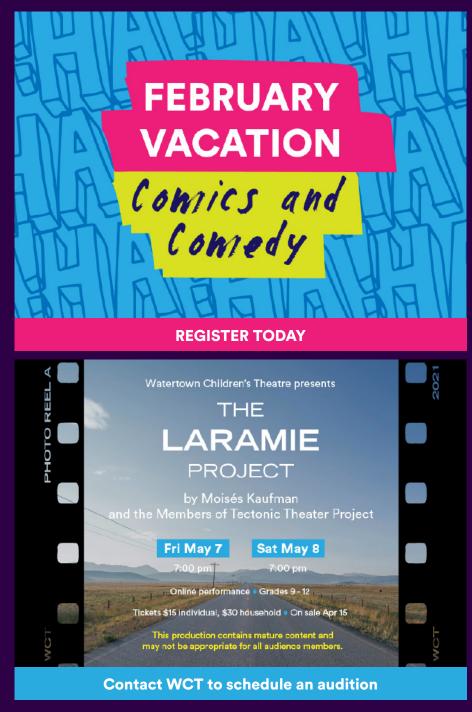
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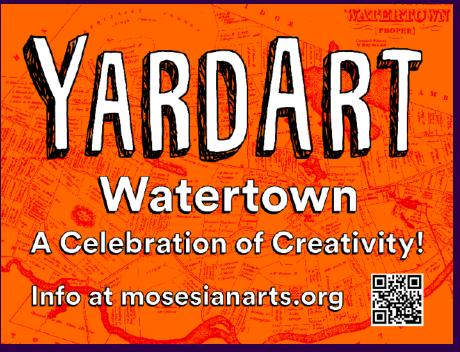
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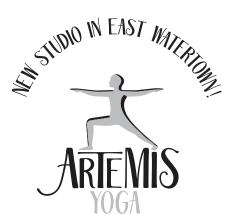
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