

Fort Smith Little Theatre *Presents:*

**DIRECTORS' NOTE:**

I have never been so excited and petrified at the same Time. I have been blessed with a stupendous cast, crew,

Support staff and all for free, can you believe it? It is Wonderful to have so much talent at our fingertips. We have Ron Watson-award winning designer, four graphic design students from UAFS—one of which designed our Poster-Bobby Rogne and one our t-shirts—Aaron Ray and others from the private and business sector of our community.

It has been the best display of teamwork I have ever had The pleasure of being a part of. Thank you cast, crew,

support staff and the FSLT production committee for Allowing me to direct the play "A Murder of Scarecrows"

And becoming part of the history at the Fort Smith Little Theatre.

Alesia Sexton

**Special Thanks**

RON WATSON  
MARY BETH KOPROVIC  
BOBBY ROGNE  
AARON RAY  
BRUCE BIRKHEAD



# a murder of scarecrows

a play by Pat Cook

**Sept. 18th-27th**

**Director**  
Alesia Sexton

**Assistant Director**  
Audra Sargent

**Producer**  
Pete Warner

Produced by special arrangement with Eldridge Publishing Co.

**CAST:**

GERALD DANDRIDGE-----BRENDEN DAHLE  
CHRISTINE DANDRIDGE-----AMANDA LIVELY  
ANTHONY MURRAY-----BOBBY ROGNE  
LYDIA MURRAY-----SONIA DUENAS  
JIMMY STARNES-----KYLE BRODIE  
SHIRLEY FROHMAN-----SONI FOTI  
CLARICE JARRET-----SUZANNE THOMAS  
JACK CLANCY-----AARON RAY  
OFFICER MacELROY-----JENNIFER CANADA  
SCARECROW/COP-----WILL COLEMAN  
PHANTOM SCARECROW-----JAMES KIRKENDALL

**CREW:**

DIRECTOR-----ALESIA SEXTON  
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR-----AUDRA SARGENT  
PRODUCER-----PETE WARNER  
PROPS-----JEANNE MC KIM  
  SISSIE SHELBY  
WARDROBE-----KAYE BIRKHEAD  
  CLARA JANE RUBARTH  
  PHANITA WILLIAMS  
STAGE MANAGER-----JO ANN WALDROUPE  
STAGE/SET-----MALLORY GALLAGHER  
  MONICA MC KINNEY  
  WILL COLEMAN  
SET DESIGN-----RON WATSON  
SET CONSTRUCTION-----RON WATSON, CAST & CREW  
LIGHTS AND SOUND-----JIM MOODY

**CAST BIO'S**

**SUZANNE THOMAS:** THEATRE AND STYLING, THE TWO PASSIONS IN MY LIFE ARE NOW TAKING A BACKSEAT, ALL CUZ OF THE 10 MONTH OLD "BUNDLE OF ENERGY" I HAVE AROUND CALLED ADEENA.

**AARON RAY:** I AM A GRAPHIC DESIGN STUDENT AT UAFS AND WORK AT RIGHTMIND ADVERTISING.

**JAMES KIRKENDLL:** WORKS AT WIGHT OFFICE MACHINES AND IS RETURNING TO HIS ACTING ROOTS IN A ROLE AS ANOTHER OFF-THE-WALL CHARACTER.

**SONI FOTI:** ANOTHER CRAZY OLD LADY, BUT IT'S FUN!

**SONIA DUENAS:** A STUDENT AT UAFS AND IS A FUTURE BROADWAY STAR.

**AMANDA LIVELY:** A FORT SMITH RESIDENT WHO LOVES TO TRAVEL AND HOPE TO HAVE A CAREER IN FILM. THIS IS HER FIRST FSLT PRODUCTION.

**BOBBY ROGNE:** HE IS A GRAPHIC DESIGN STUDENT AT UAFS. HE WEARS GLASSES AND FLIES KITES

**KYLE BRODIE:** HE IS A STUDENT AND A LOVER.

**BRENDEN DAHLE:** AT LEAST 85% ROBOT, BRENDEN IS A 'STATE OF THE ART KILLING MACHINE/ACTOR' WHO IS VISITING US FROM THE FUTURE.

**WILL COLEMAN:** PEOPLE ASK ME WHY I LOVE COMEDY AND PLAYS. THIS IS WHY. REMEMBER "WHAT, ME WORRY?"

**JENNIFER CANADA:** DEALS WITH CRISES FOR A LIVING & IS THRILLED TO PLAY A POLICE OFFICER WHO CARRIES A LOADED GUN.