

~ Duff Taylor as CLARK CURTIS ~

He helps start the 2013 FSLT season in the role of Clark Curtis - a used car salesman. His favorite roles (from the many he has portrayed here at FSLT) include, Paul Verall in BORN YESTERDAY, C.S. Lewis in SHADOWLANDS, David O. Selznik in MOONLIGHT AND MAGNOLIAS, and the Narrator (a.k.a. Big Ralphie) in A CHRISTMAS STORY. He has previously directed "All My Sons", and "War of the Worlds" - and is currently scheduled to direct "Riders to the Sea" during this season's Evening of One Acts. In his spare time he teaches at Northside High School.

~ Stephen Martin as NIGEL GRIMM ~

Stephen Martin is best known for his comedic roles in "Planes, Trains, and Automobiles", "The Jerk", and "Saturday Night Live" - Oh wait, that's the wrong Steve Martin. Ours is 22, and has been at FSLT for 3 years. He has 7 shows under his belt such as BLACK COMEDY, TITANIC - THE MUSICAL, and LITTLE WOMEN (all three from just this past season). He was born a true comedian at heart.

~ Micki Voelkel as KEEKY CURTIS ~

She is excited to add the role of Keeky Curtis to her list of the shy, retiring, self-effacing characters she has played on the FSLT stage. Micki is proud to do her own stunts; all the knitting in the show she completed herself - only a few knitting needles and strands of yarn were harmed in the process... Her most recent outings at FSLT were as Nora in WEB OF MURDER and Miss Funnival in BLACK COMEDY. In real life she teaches at UAFS where she is equally as shy and self-effacing in the classroom.

~ Blake Young as EDGAR HILL ~

Having grown up in Houston-TX, he's lived the last 17 years quite happily here in Fort Smith. His house is a 125 year old Victorian, just a few blocks away. He loves dogs, and has 4 of them. He has been involved with the FSLT for 9 years and it seems that each play is progressively more fun than the last. He has truly enjoyed getting to know this great group of people. "We all do this stuff for fun and everyone involved, cast to crew, has made it just that!" He hopes that you enjoy the play as much as he has.

~ Lachan Morlan as SARAH DANE ~

She is a proud mommy of a 3 year old. This is her second production at FSLT, and her favorite part about being involved in the world of theatre is meeting such amazing people and being a part of something that she is so passionate about. She definitely loves the spotlight!

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The Fort Smith Little Theatre Presents

Hickory Dickory Dead

by Craig Sodaro

Directed by
Rikkee Workman - Black

Gala Performance: February 14²⁰¹³

Regular Performance: 15, 16, 20-23²⁰¹³

Matinee Performance: February 17²⁰¹³



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CAST OF CHARACTERS

(in the order of their appearance on stage)

Regan Tasker	VALERIE BALDWIN
Connie Girard	MELISSA VITALE
Eddie Mason	JOE GRAHAM
Clark Curtis	DUFF TAYLOR
Nigel Grimm	STEPHEN MARTIN
Keeky Curtis	MICKI VOELKEL
Edgar Hill	BLAKE YOUNG
Sarah Dane	LACHAN MORLAN



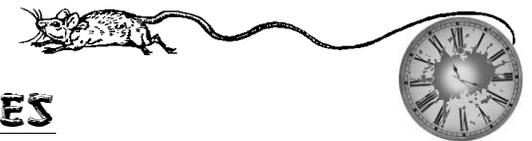
PRODUCTION CREW

Director	RIKKEE WORKMAN-BLACK
Producer	THERESA STARR
Stage Manager	JENNIE MATHEWS
Graphics Designer	SCOTT BLACK
Props	VICTORIA WALDEN & ERIC WELLS
Costumes	KAYLA TRACY & VICTORIA WALDEN
Lighting Design	REBEKAH & LUCAS STOLTZ
Tech. Board Technicians	WESLEY RESTER & CHUCK HOWARD
Set Designer	SCOTT BLACK
Set Construction	SCOTT BLACK, WESLEY RESTER, CHUCK HOWARD, DUFF TAYLOR, WAYNE MATHEWS, STEPHEN MARTIN, & JOE GRAHAM

DIRECTOR'S NOTE

HICKORY DICKORY DEAD - the name alone makes me laugh. And, now, I laugh again as I watch the characters come to life on stage. This play has just the right amount of comedy to keep you giggling as you see two sisters trying to reconnect while at the same time trying to connect the dots and solve a murder.

I'm so blessed to have such a wonderful cast and crew, and I've had an amazing time directing this show. They've all been a true asset by bringing their creativity and uniqueness to the table - this show wouldn't be possible without any of them. So this my big thank-you shout-out to each one of them for their ideas, energy, and commitment. Also, a huge thank-you to my husband Scott Black, and my family- & friends, for your help and support in bringing this production to the FSLT stage...



CAST BIOGRAPHIES

~ Valerie Baldwin as REGAN TASKER ~

This young lady is so thrilled to be debuting on the Fort Smith Little Theatre stage. She has a BA in Musical Theatre from the College of the Ozarks, and some of her favorite roles include Sandy in GREASE, Julie in CAROUSEL, Constance in THE THREE MUSKETEERS, Agatha in FRANKENSTEIN: A New Musical, Alice and White Queen in ALICE IN WONDERLAND. In the past, she has also had the pleasure of being involved with the local theatre of St. Louise for shows such as "Dirty Rotten Scoundrels", "Love Lift Us Up", and "Rock-It". Beyond theatre she loves horseback riding, drinking coffee, and being with her friends and family. She owes it all to her creator, Jesus Christ - and she would be lost without Him!

~ Melissa Vitale as CONNIE GIRARD ~

She is thrilled to be back on the FSLT stage in yet another murder mystery! Audiences may remember her from WEB OF MURDER, THE MOUSETRAP, LOOK HOMEWARD ANGEL, and HOW TO SUCCEED IN BUSINESS WITHOUT REALLY TRYING. She would like to thank her incredible husband, David, for his amazing support towards her love of performing. For those of you keeping up, Melissa is training for her third half marathon later this spring.

~ Joe Graham as EDDIE MASON ~

He is still relatively new to the FSLT stage. His last role was the nerdy mailman in THE HALLELUJAH GIRLS, but this time he is channeling Bob Newhart as a New England innkeeper. He was surprised and excited to receive this role after the director/producer team decided to do a sex change operation and change Essie to Eddie. He hopes that the audience will enjoy the show just as much as the cast and crew have enjoyed bringing it to life. Just one request - *STAY OUT OF MY KITCHEN!*