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### THE ABBEY

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# **HEXED: A FEMME ROCK MUSICAL**

Music and Lyrics by

**ANDREW BARRET COX** 

Book by

#### **LENA FELICIANO**

with (in alphabetical order) MOLLY CABBAGE CATHY COLBURN MONICA NICOLE COX KRISTIE GENG NATALIE HIGHTOWER CARA LANGSTON EMILIE SCHEETZ

Stage Manager MICAELA COPE

Assistant Director / Choreographer PATRICK PLUCINSKY
Costumes by RUSSELL STEPHENS
Video Design by MARY MACKIN
Scenery B

INSKY Makeup Artist JUSTIN JIMENEZ Lighting Design by RANDALL WHITE Scenery by KYLE A. RADABAUGH

Musical Direction by **NATALIE HIGHTOWER** 

Choreography by **BOBBY HALL** 

Directed by

HEXED: A FEMME ROCK MUSICAL is funded in part by United Arts of Central Florida, home of OrlandoAtPlay.com and UAArtsEd.com; the City of Orlando; and Orange County Arts & Cultural Affairs.

### THE CAST



**MOLLY CABBAGE** 



**CATHY COLBURN** 



MONICA NICOLE COX



**KRISTIE GENG** 



NATALIE HIGHTOWER



**CARA LANGSTON** 



**EMILIE SCHEETZ** 

**CONTENT ADVISORY:** this show contains strong language, depictions of drug use, references to self-harm and sexual assault, haze effects, and some lighting effects that may affect photosensitive viewers.

Any video and/or audio recording of this production is strictly prohibited.

## **SCENES AND MUSICAL NUMBERS**

#### ACT ONE

#### Prologue - Cathy's Basement

#### Scene 1 - Kristie's Bar

"Another October"	Full Company
"Candlelight"	Kristie, Company
"Goodbye"	Cara, Company

#### Scene 2 - Emilie's Coffee Shop

#### Scene 3 - Molly and Emilie's Apartment

#### Scene 4 - Cathy's Basement

"War of Gods"	Natalie, Company
"Purify Me"	Cathy, Company

#### ACT TWO

#### Scene 1 - Harvest Festival

#### Scene 2 - Molly and Emilie's Apartment

"The Darkness"	Molly, Company
"Reborn"	Emilie, Company
Scene 3 – Emilie's Coffee Shop	
Scene 4 - Cathy's Basement "Pentagram"	Full Company
Scene 5 – The Streets of Salem	
"Halloween"	Monica, Company
Scene 6 - Cathy's Basement "The Beginning"	Full Company

THE PLACE: In and around Salem, Massachusetts THE TIME: October

There will be one 15-minute intermission.



### A BRITNEY SPEARS DANCE PARTY FT. DJ NELA



# JULY 16 @ 9PM | 21+ NEON BEACH

DOORS OPEN AT 8:30 | FREE SLIM CAN KOOZIE + COSTUME CONTEST



# WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST

**MOLLY CABBAGE** is so grateful to be a part of *HEXED: A Femme Rock Musical*! Previous credits include: CTCo's 2021 season opener, *Sweets & Songs; Spring Awakening* (Ilse); and *The Wedding Singer* (Julia Sullivan). Molly would like to thank her fellow witches for their endless support, Lena and Bobby for always challenging us, and her friends and family for always filling the audience! Enjoy the show!

**CATHY COLBURN** is ecstatic to be appearing in *HEXED: A Femme Rock Musical*. Previous Orlando credits include: *Next to Normal* (Natalie Goodman), *Spring Awakening* (Swing), as well as several CTCo cabarets such as *Climbing Uphill*, *Twisted*, and *Twisted 2.0*. Cathy blames this show for her newfound obsessions with crystals and tarot! Special thanks to Mom and Dad, Maia, Tilly, Erica, Maggie, Sar- ah, and Ken.

**MONICA NICOLE COX** is thrilled to be making their CTCo debut in *HEXED: A Femme Rock Musical*! They previously appeared in the Orlando Fringe Festival production of *Decades Rewind*. When not on stage, Monica is an Orlando-based hair stylist and is currently developing an LGBTQIA+ inclusion project entitled "The Mx. Project" at their salon which features interviews and photographs of Orlando-local queers. Special thanks to their friends and family for their support, the cast and creative team for becoming the friend group they didn't know they needed, and to Mary Mackin who encouraged them to jump back into the performing world!

**KRISTIE GENG** Celebration Theatre Company: *Sondheim on Sondheim* (principal vocalist), *Bonnie & Clyde* (Blanche Barrow), *Heathers* (Heather Chandler). Garden Theatre: *1984* (Julia). Red Fish Theatre Company: *A Midsummer Night's Dream* (Helena). She has performed in various roles at the Walt Disney World Resort since 2011. Long Island High School of the Arts – Musical Theatre Alumna. BFA: Five Towns College. Thank you Lena and all of CTCo for this absolute gift to be a part of this show, for giving me a home and a family. All of my love and gratitude to these Witches. I am so proud to be a part of this Coven.

**NATALIE HIGHTOWER** couldn't be more thrilled to be performing with such a fierce coven. Natalie performed in CTCo's *Climbing Uphill*. Favorite roles include Kate Monster in *Avenue Q* and Marcy Park in *The 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*. Huge thanks to Lena for the chance to be involved in such an exciting project and thank you Dani, Zane and Chris for all of your love and support.

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**CARA LANGSTON** is elated to be returning to Celebration Theatre Co. with this wickedly talented cast. Previous Orlando credits include: *From Here* (Ensemble), *Bonnie & Clyde* (Bonnie Parker), *The Little Mermaid* (Alana), *The Wedding Singer* (Holly Sullivan), *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee* (Olive Ostrovsky), and *A Showgirls Musical* at Orlando Fringe. All my love and thanks to this entire team for being a part of this journey!

**EMILIE JEAN SCHEETZ** is thrilled to be making her Celebration Theatre Company debut in HEXED: A Femme Rock Musical! Her previous credits include *1776* (Courier), *Big River* (Jo / Joanna), and *Fun Home* (Medium Allison) at Mad Cow Theatre. Thank you to Mom and Dad for being wicked supportive!

**LENA FELICIANO (Director / Book)** is honored to direct such a spellbinding cast and creative team! Lena is the Founder and Artistic Director of Celebration Theatre Company, which was established in 2017. CTCo directing credits include: *Little Shop of Horrors, Legally Blonde the Musical, Spring Awakening, A Chorus Line, Bonnie & Clyde, Next to Normal,* and the *upcoming* RENT. Other directing credits include: *Spelling Bee* and *The Wedding Singer* (Stage Cast Productions); and *The Songs of Cy Coleman* and *A Night With Frank Loesser* (The Kennedy Center). Lena hails from Concord, NH, where she met Andrew Barret Cox (Music & Lyrics) growing up doing theatre together at The Palace Theater in Manchester, NH. She holds a Bachelor's Degree in Music from The Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C., where she studied Musical Theatre and Directing. Endless thank you to Andrew for trusting her with this project, to her bewitching cast and creative team for their outstanding hard work! Love to 4302, Mom, and of course Milo and Sophie!

**MICAELA COPE (Stage Manager)** is so excited to be a part of HEXED for her Stage Management debut! When she's not at the theatre, she spends time creating embroidered gifts and treasures for her Etsy shop: Tinker Threading Co. She would like to thank Lena for this opportunity, and Mary for the encouragement and love throughout this process.

**BOBBY HALL (Choreographer)** is thrilled to return to CTCo as a choreographer! Previous CTCo choreography credits include *Spring Awakening*, *Bonnie & Clyde*, and *Heathers*. Most recently, Bobby was seen onstage in the Osceola Arts production of *Dogfight* as Eddie Birdlace. He would like to thank Lena for this rewarding opportunity, as well as his family, Annie, and FMTR for their constant support. Twitter/Instagram: @ TheBobbyHall, @Lady\_Elle, @FandomEncounters

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**PATRICK PLUCINSKY** (Assistant Director / Choreographer) is scarily excited to be a part of the production team for *Hexed: A Femme Rock Musical*. After earning his BFA in Musical Theatre from Ohio Northern University, he made the journey to Orlando to begin performing at Walt Disney World, where you can still find him dancing down Main Street today. Since coming to Florida, he has been lucky enough to find a home with Celebration Theatre Company, performing most recently in their productions of *Bonnie & Clyde* (Clyde) and *Next to Normal* (Gabe). Helping to bring the magic of *Hexed* to life has been an amazing experience and he's incredibly grateful to Lena Feliciano for having faith in his talents.

**KYLE A. RADABAUGH (Scenery)** studied at Eastern Michigan University in Entertainment Design and Technology; he focused on stage management and set design. He's currently the Technical Director of Celebration Theatre Company where he feels like family and has made a home there. Design Credits: *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee* (2021), *Bonnie & Clyde* (2019), *Spring Awakening* (2018), *Legally Blonde* (2018). Upcoming: *Rent.* While he's not designing, you can see him performing at Walt Disney World where he has captivated guests for almost 7 years.

**RUSSELL STEPHENS (Costumer)** is delighted to be back at the sewing machine. In addition to serving as CTCo's Board Chair, Russell also costumed *Spelling Bee*, designed the lighting for *Sweets and Songs*, and directed and performed in *Sondheim on Sondheim*. Other recent performance credits: *A Class Act, Hello, Dolly!, Violet*, and *Ragtime* (Garden Theatre); *Forever Plaid: Plaid Tidings* (Athens Theatre); and five seasons of *O Wondrous Night* at SeaWorld. Upcoming: Crazy for Gershwin at Winter Park Playhouse. With gratitude to Lena for her unyielding patience, and to Nora and Debbie for teaching me everything I know. IG: @BrazenOvertures

**RANDALL WHITE (Lighting Designer)** is delighted to be back designing with Celebration Theatre Company on his first Orlando Fringe production! Originally from Los Angeles, CA, Randall studied lighting and audio design at Cypress College. When not designing in the theater, he works as a Stage Technician and Stage Manager at Sleuth's Mystery Dinner Shows in Orlando, and most recently worked at Walt Disney World resort as an Entertainment Technician. Previous CTCo lighting credits include: *Legally Blonde the Musical, Spring Awakening, A Chorus Line, Bonnie & Clyde, Next to Normal*, and *Spelling Bee.* Thank you to the cast and crew of HEXED for such an exciting experience!

### **SPECIAL THANKS**

Park Lake Presbyterian Church Studio K Creative House Orlando Knaughty Knots Wigs Mikinzi McDaniel Hannah Sage Justin Durgana 4Wall Entertainment



# **PRODUCTION CREDITS**

Director, Costume Design / Conc	eptLena Feliciano
	Natalie Hightower
	Bobby Hall
	er Patrick Plucinsky
	Zach "Zatch" Williams
	Micaela Cope
Costumer	Russell Stephens
Makeup Artist	Justin Jimenez
Video Design	Mary Mackin
Scenery	Kyle A. Radabaugh
Deck Crew	Ricky DeVito, Jr., Mary Mackin, Austin "Bubba" Trahan
Front of House	Jesse Thomas Foster
Marketing	Paul Naidas
Social Media	Cathy Colburn
Photography	Ricky DeVito, Jr.
Video	Emilie Scheetz
Logo Design	Justyn Brown

#### THE ABBEY

General Manager	Russell Tucker
Lighting and Sound Lead	Troy Bolin
Beverage Manager	
Box Office	
Website	

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