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It has been ten years since I have put on the director's hat for a production. After spending a lifetime of directing, I thought I had worked it out of my system. Then I read this script as part of my BCT play reading duties. I fell in love with the twists and turns of the story and decided to throw my hat into the ring once again as a director. That decision was a good one. I have had the pleasure of working with wonderfully talented cast members who have put their all into the rehearsal process. We hope you enjoy your evening as you try to figure out what is really going on as the story unfolds. So, back we go to 1966. Remember how long it took to dial those seven digits on a rotary phone? Our cast can tell you!

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*(in order of appearance)*

Daniel Corban .....Aaron Crary  
 Inspector Levine .....Rod McFall  
 Father Kelleher.....Chuck Ingle  
 Elizabeth Corban.....Rebecca Wallendal  
 Sidney .....Matthew Tiritilli  
 Mrs. Parker.....Lisa Scholten  
 Everett Parker .....Shawn Holmes

**SETTING**

**The entire action of the play takes place in a summer house  
 in the Catskill Mountains, Labor Day Weekend, 1966.**

*Gunshots will be fired, and several cast members will be  
 smoking herbal cigarettes at today's performance.*

**Act One:**

Scene 1 - around 8:30 p.m.

Scene 2 - later that night

*There will be a twelve-minute intermission between the acts.*

*Enjoy the cookies in the lobby.*

**Act II**

Scene 1 - the next morning

Scene 2 - ten minutes later

Scene 3 - ten minutes later

**THE PRODUCTION TEAM**

Director .....Loren Sass  
 Stage Manager .....Mary Easland  
 Set Design .....Loren Sass  
 Set Construction .....Donna Balsley, Les Blumreich, Mary Easland, Mike Fallon,  
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 Wendy Partridge, Loren Sass, Ed Skwarlo, Bob Strecker, Tom Young  
 Lighting and Sound .....Peter Tropp, Zachary Biegelow  
 Costumes .....Donna Balsley, Elizabeth Armstrong, Rebecca Wallendal  
 Properties .....Donna Balsley, Dee Fischer  
 Make-up Design .....Dee Fischer



## WHO'S WHO



Aaron Crary  
as  
Daniel Corban

**Aaron Crary** (Daniel Corban) Aaron appeared in this season's *You're a Good Man Charlie Brown* along with *Something's Afoot*, *Squirrels in the Attic*, *The Fox on the Fairway*, *Lend Me a Tenor*, *A Talent for Murder* and *Making God Laugh* for Beloit Civic Theatre. Aaron's first theatrical role was as mobile shrub in Beloit Memorial High School's production of *Cinderella*; he then progressed to a more important role in *Zombie Prom* which travelled to Edinburgh and Scotland's International Fringe Festival. Aaron has also performed in shows for Janesville Performing Arts Center, Janesville's Stage One, Janesville Summer School Program and a new theatre group, "Express Yourself Studio", in Madison. His interests include writing, singing, and he recently directed *American Idiot, the Musical* in Madison. Aaron plans to expand his acting experience by auditioning for various theatre and television projects throughout the year.



Chuck Ingle  
as  
Father Kelleher

**Chuck Ingle** (Father Kelleher) For Beloit Civic Theatre, Chuck appeared in *A Talent For Murder*, *Seniors of the Sahara*, and *Arsenic and Old Lace*, and for Janesville Little Theatre, *Sunshine Boys* and *The Miser*. He also appeared in *The Odd Couple* for Summertime Players. Chuck retired in 2015 after almost 49 years in radio broadcasting both "on air" and in engineering. He is married to wife, Rhonda, has 5 children and 9 grandchildren. Chuck is a Life Member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Roscoe, Illinois Post 2955; he has been active at State, District, and Post levels.



Shawn Holmes  
as  
Everett Parker

**Shawn Holmes** (Everett Parker) Shawn appeared in *A Thousand Clowns* for Beloit Civic Theatre. He also acted in *The Mousetrap* and *A Christmas Carol* for Chapel on the Hill in Lake Geneva and *Bus Stop* for Lakeland Players in Elkhorn. Shawn works as Operations Manager for the Go Riteway School Bus Transportation Company in Milton. Shawn's family consists of his wife, Wendy, and 6 children who range in age from 24 to 5: Crystal, Vicky, Bridgette, Weston, Sabastian, and "the caboose", Isabella. Shawn also includes in his family, 3 hermit crabs, a cocker spaniel named Skye, and "the always cold and shaking chihuahua, Sweetie." Of his time spent outside of work, Shawn says, "I spend a great deal of my free time cleaning up after my kids, so who has time for hobbies?" Also, "If you know any good babysitters hit me up after the show. My wife and I could sure use a nap."

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*Rod McFall  
 as  
 Inspector Parker*

**Rod McFall** (Inspector Levine) Rod previously appeared for Beloit Civic Theatre in *Carnival*, *Cocktails with Mimi* and *Mary, Mary*. He has worked professionally in a variety of capacities in film, television and theatre and has several professional affiliations including SAG (Screen Actors Guild). Rod has also worked as Prop Master, Production Designer and Production Manager in a variety of projects from 1986 until recently, when he returned home to Beloit to be with his parents, Richard and Marian. He enjoys “making things for fun and profit,” and says that he is “...old enough to know better, and young enough to try!”



*Lisa Scholten  
 as Mrs. Parker*

**Lisa Scholten** (Mrs. Parker) Lisa has previously appeared in *Bingo: The Winning Musical*, *She Loves Me*, *Cliffhanger*, *Heaven Can Wait*, *The Murder Room*, *Anything Goes*, *Oklahoma!*, *The Music Man*, *South Pacific*, *The Sound of Music*, *Guys & Dolls*, *Snoopy*, all at BCT. She also appeared in *Fiddler on the Roof* at Theater Unlimited. Lisa works in customer service for A & B Supply in South Beloit, has two sons, Austin & Alec, and two cats, Simon and Stormie. In addition to theatre, she power walks, builds dollhouses, sings in the church choir, tends her flower gardens and storm-chases with her son, Alec.



*Matthew Tiritilli  
 as Sidney*

**Matthew Tiritilli** (Sidney) Matthew is returning to Beloit Civic Theatre after a several year hiatus. A former board member, Matthew has appeared for Beloit Civic Theatre in, among others, *She Loves Me*, *Private Lives*, *All My Sons*, *Mame*, *The Apple Tree*, *Little Shop of Horrors*, and *The Importance of Being Earnest*. Over the summer, Matthew appeared as Edna Turnblad in *Hairspray the Musical* for Gateway Arts in Rockford. Matthew lives in South Beloit and works as a caregiver for the company, Comfort Keepers.



*Rebecca Wallendal  
 as  
 Elizabeth Corban*

**Rebecca Wallendal** (Elizabeth Corban) Rebecca, who serves as Board Member and Co-treasurer for Beloit Civic Theatre, has performed in the following shows for BCT: *Plaza Suite* (opposite her husband, Greg), *Working*, *The Dining Room*, *The Whole Town's Talking*, and *Of Thee I Sing* for which she also served as Assistant Director. A graduate of Beloit College, Rebecca recently earned her MFA in costume design and works as Costume Designer for BMHS Theatre Department and for Artists' Ensemble Theatre in Rockford. She also has assisted in the costume shops at American Players Theatre and Milwaukee Repertory Company. Her “day job” is at Advia Credit Union. Rebecca and Greg and their 3 children live in Beloit. She is an avid reader, participating in a

monthly book club and a reading challenge with daughter, Esther; Rebecca also serves on a Beloit City Council committee.



Loren Sass  
Director

**Loren Sass** (Director) Loren is Vice President of the Beloit Civic Theatre Board and has previously directed ten shows for BCT. He has appeared onstage for BCT in 24 shows since his first one in 1968, fifty years ago. Loren acted in BCT's last season's *Something's Afoot* and most recently in *Moonlight and Magnolias*, *The Dining Room*, *A Talent for Murder*, *Greater Tuna*, *Lend Me a Tenor*, and *Deathtrap*. He also appeared in *All I Really Need to Know I Learned in Kindergarten* for Theatre Unlimited in Janesville. Loren has directed productions for Beloit's New Court Theatre and the Beloit Janesville Symphony Orchestra. He retired in 2002 after teaching theatre and directing fifty-one shows at Beloit Memorial High School. Loren and Diane celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last summer, and they are the proud parents of two and grandparents of three. He is an avid theatre-goer, attending shows in Rockford, Minneapolis, New York and Chicago with regularity. For twenty years, he conducted over 300 theatre tours with his travel company, Theatre Getaways. Loren serves on the executive board for P.A.P.A.S. (Parent Advocates for the Performing Arts in Our Schools), and is the Chief Financial Officer for Caritas, Beloit's food pantry. The *Beloit Daily News* selected Loren as "Volunteer of the Month" and as one of Beloit's "Game Changers." Loren is also in charge of BCT's program advertising, reservations, set design and the yearly membership subscription campaign.



Mary Easland  
Stage Manager

**Mary Easland** (Stage Manager) A member of the Board of Directors of Beloit Civic Theatre, Mary served as Stage Manager for *Barefoot in the Park*, *Moonlight and Magnolias*, *The Dining Room*, *A Talent for Murder* and *Seniors of the Sahara*, as Assistant Stage Manager for *Squirrels in the Attic*, as a dresser for *Greater Tuna*, and on the running crews of *Church Basement Ladies* and many other productions. She also works on set construction for BCT and is in charge of the intermission volunteers/refreshments that provide college scholarships for students in the arts. Mary works in the Treasurer's Office for The City of Janesville. Her family includes daughter Katie, mom Janet, and significant other, John.

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Auditions for our spring show will be held in the theatre on February 11 and 12. Donna Balsley will direct *Sylvia* by A. R. Gurney. The cast calls for 4 actors: one man and one woman able to portray ages 45-55, one woman (teen to twenties) to play a dog, and one man, age flexible, to play 3 different characters, including a female. Production dates are: April 25, 26, 27, and May 2, 3, 4, 2019 at 7:30 p.m. There are also 3 p.m. matinees on April 27, 28 and May 4.

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*One of the plot references in today's play is the recurring mention of a 1966 yellow Marlin. American Motors made this automobile for only a few years. If you were not one of the lucky(?) few to own one of these gems, here is a photo to jog your memories.*

