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# Meet the Cast

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## Adri Bass

Adrianna Bass is excited to be back on the stage after her last role in the original performance of Four Sons in April of 2015. Although her favorite roles are wife and mother of three girls her role as Nancy in Oliver Twist was a close third. She is looking forward to performing again and sharing her love of Theater with the next generation.



## Dalton Bell

Dalton Bell has been doing theatre for 7 years. This is his first production with the Sentinel Upstage Players. His recent roles are Frederick Arnott (Enchanted April), Roger Goodman (A Pirate's Life for Me!), Johnathan (The Play That Goes Wrong), and Professor Plum (Clue: on Stage) at Theatre Guild Valdosta. Dalton's hobbies include: hiking, fishing, and collecting retro games and consoles! He invites you to sit back and enjoy the performance of The Greatest Generation!



## Aiden Caron

Aiden was born in Honolulu, Hawaii and has lived in San Francisco, Southern California, Oahu and northern Florida. He loves to be creative, make art, dance, sing, act and be onstage. He also loves to ride horses, read books, play legos and go to the theatre any chance he can get. He has an older brother and a younger brother, a cat, four goats and six chickens. Aiden was elated to participate in the sentinel junior players summer camp and now he's so excited for his second performance with the upstage players.



## Johnathan Cooks

Johnathan Cooks is excited for the opportunity to return to the NFC stage as an actor. Johnathan is currently the Director of Theatre at Madison Creative Arts Academy and is excited to support the local art opportunities in our community.



## Kat Ducksworth

This is Kat's 3rd SUPs production and 4th production over all. She made her acting debut as Dormouse in Lafayette High School's Alice's Adventures in Wonderland production and her SUPs debut doing photography for Something's Afoot. She loves art, anthropology and hopes to branch out in acting more with her boyfriend.



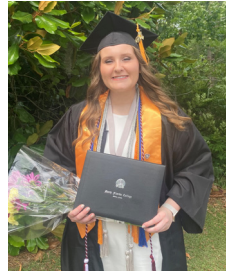
## Madison Ella Hallmark

Ella Hallmark is a third-generation Filipino American. She is from Mayo and works at North Florida College. She was recently Rose Arnott in Enchanted April and Sarah Huffington and a choreographer in A Pirate's Life for Me!, both at Theatre Guild Valdosta, Hope Langdon and a choreographer in Something's Afoot at NFC, Margot Frank in The Diary of Anne Frank and Shelby Eatenton-Latcherie in Steel Magnolias, both at the Monticello Opera House. She attended North Florida College and Florida School of the Arts, where she majored in Musical Theatre. In the fall she will begin the equine technician program at the College of Central Florida. Offstage, she enjoys horseback riding and raising cattle.



## Caibre Johnson

Caibre Johnson has been in many productions with the Sentinel Upstage Players since 2017, with "The Greatest Generation" being the sixth show she has choreographed for. She was in the original cast of "The Greatest Generation" and is so excited to be in it again. She recently played the Baroness in "Chitty Chitty Bang Bang" and Miss Tweed in "Something's Afoot." She has danced for 19 years and taught for 11 years at Becky's Dance Steps Studio, and was the 2023 Miss Madison County. Caibre currently works as an emergency room RN and is in the BSN program at NFC. She hopes to continue her education and eventually become a Family Nurse Practitioner.



## James L. Johnson, DMin

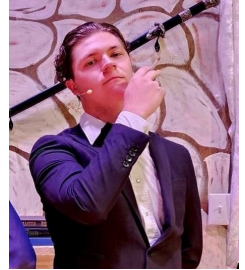
James is the Chief Officer of Spiritual Development at Honey Lake Clinic, a behavioral health clinic in



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Greenville, FL and is a chaplain in the Army Reserves. A long-time educator, James loves the arts and is very excited for his first show with the Sentinel Upstage Players. Aside from work and the military, James loves reading, music, and food. He lives in Madison with his wife of 20 years, Heather, and together they have two daughters, Aiden (age 14) and Aria (age 13).



## Jayce Johnson

Jayce Johnson is 21 years old and is a student at NFC working on his AA. Jayce has been in many plays with the sentinel upstage players from the musical adventures of Oliver Twist to Frozen Jr where he played the Duke of Weaseltown as well as his favorite character Nigel Rancor (the black sheep nephew) in Something's Afoot. He has also preformed for the Valdosta theater Guild, as Smudge in "A Pirates Life for Me." He thanks you for coming to the performance and hopes you enjoy the show.



## Traci McClung

Traci has been singing on stage since the age of 9, but it was her debut performance as Queen Iduna in Frozen, Jr. with the Sentinel Upstage Players that lit up her love for theatre. She has been a theatre enthusiast ever since, and this is her 4th show with NFC SUPS. Traci's grandfather and father-in-law were both WWII Navy Veterans, and as a Marine Corps Veteran herself, she is very excited to perform in this show.

## Lieutenant Commander Elias Paulk, CHC, FME, SCO, Q/O USNR

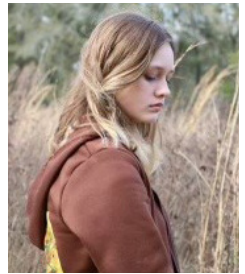
Chaplain Paulk has been in the Navy Reserve since May 2013, an ordained Southern Baptist minister for over twenty years and currently is a professor of World Religion, and Public Speaking at North Florida College in Madison, FL. Chaplain Paulk holds a Bachelor of Science in Social Sciences Secondary Education from Valdosta State University and a Master of Divinity from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary. Chaplain Paulk is currently serves under NR CNSL Tycom HQ as a Supervisory Chaplain. He also



served as the 23d Marine Regiment Supervisory Chaplain, AOIC for RELSUP Marine Forces Reserve HQ in New Orleans and at the NR CNRSE Regional Operations Center, NAS Jacksonville, FL. He mobilized for 13 months as the SOCCENT FWD HQ Command Chaplain in the Middle East and for 7 months Standard NATO Maritime GROUP 2 flag ship command chaplain aboard the USS Forrest Sherman in 2022. He is a Fleet Marine Force and Surface Chaplain Qualified Officer. He is an Applied Suicide Intervention Skill (ASIST) trainer. His awards include 2 Navy Commendations and one Joint Commendation medal. In 2020 he was recognized as the first reservist to receive the Professional Naval Chaplaincy Excellence Award. He resides in Florida with his wonderful eharmony wife of 15 years, Ansley. They have two wonderful children: Judah (12) an Ellanor (9).

## Gracelyn Phillips

Gracelyn Phillips just finished seventh grade at Madison County Central School and is an active member of the Hickory Grove 4-H Club. Gracelyn plays volleyball for the Broncos and is a member of the MCCS Band and loves to play her saxophone. She enjoys to read, act, sing, dance, show cows, and make art on a daily basis. This is her tenth play with the Sentinel Upstage Players and is so thrilled to be a part of this production again, this time as a daughter with a speaking part!



## Tanner Platt

Tanner Platt is a recent graduate from James Madison Preparatory High School and North Florida College. This is his third production at NFC and fourth production after playing Geoffrey in Something's Afoot, Caractacus Potts in Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, Jr., and Captain Belvedere in A Pirate's Life For Me at Theatre Guild Valdosta. He will attend the University Of Florida this fall to peruse a degree in Music Education



## Miguel Rosalio

Miguel was inspired to act by growing up watching his favorite big brother and started acting at Lafayette High School, he made his SUPS debut as Vanny the Golden Boy in Four Sons. He's goofy but caring and enjoys art, animals, sports when he's following his bestie around, new adventures and acting with his lovely girlfriend.



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## Lance Thigpen

Lance is a 19 year old junior at Valdosta State University where he majors in music education with a minor in American History. On top of acting in plays, Lance plays the alto tenor and Bari saxophone, bass guitar, and piano. This is the 5th play Lance has been in and he can't wait to do more in the future!



## Dr. Jessica B. Webb

Jessica made her stage debut over half a century ago and has been hooked with the theatrical bug ever since. She loves to develop characters and perform on stage, but for the life of her, she cannot understand why she is always cast as the old woman. Since theater doesn't pay the bills (or even buy a cheeseburger for that matter), Jessica still works full time in her two Madison businesses – A Main Street Realty and Grumpy's Diner (where you can catch her on re-runs of Food Network's Restaurant Impossible).



## Justin Webb

This is Justin's first play, and he is so thrilled to finally be on stage. In his spare time he enjoys reading, taking long walks on the beach and contemplating the existential existence of his big toe.



## Kensi Webb

Kensi Webb is a third grade student at Madison Creative Arts Academy. She enjoys reading, painting, learning piano, and acting. She has performed several times in different venues, and this is her second performance as a SUP. Kensi says she hopes you enjoy the show.





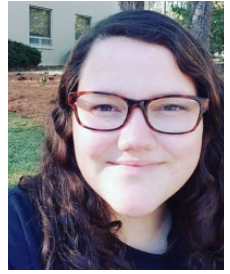
Artwork by Kat Duckworth

# STAGE CREW

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## **Brianna Kinsey - Backstage Crew**

When she was an NFC student, Brianna helped backstage during NFC's Community Theatre productions such as "Beauty and the Beast Jr." and "The Magical Lamp of Aladdin". Now she works for NFC as the Tutor Lab Manager and is excited to get to help again during this production!



## **Felix Caron - Backstage Crew**

Felix was born in Kailua, Hawaii and has lived in San Francisco, Southern California, Oahu and northern Florida. He loves to build things, draw, read books, and just be creative. Felix has two little brothers, goats, chickens and a cat that he helps take care of. He participated in the Sentinel Upstage Junior Players summer camp this past summer and discovered his love for creating costumes, props and sets. He's so excited to be helping out on his first real production.



## **Melana - Backstage Crew**

Melana Recently graduated from James Madison Preparatory High School and has received her A.A. from North Florida College. In the fall, she will be attending Florida State University where she will be majoring in criminal justice. Melana is no stranger to the stage and has performed many times dancing in numerous different styles.



## **Denise Bell - Director**

Denise Bell has been a part of the Sentinel Upstage Players since 1997 where she started out as a member of the pit orchestra, moved up to stage manager and then became director of the group in 2010. She enjoys spending time with family and friends and traveling to new places. Denise has been with North Florida College for over seventeen years and loves every moment of her life here.





## **Aria Johnson**

Aria Johnson, 12 years old, is a resident of Madison, FL and is excited to help backstage for this show after her first performance with the NFC Sentinel Upstage Players in “Chitty, Chitty, Bang, Bang”. She loves reading, modern dance, and horse riding. She is also an avid musician who plays guitar, violin, and loves to sing. She looks forward to many more shows in the years to come.



## **Kiley McClung**

Kiley has done two shows at NFC Sentinel Upstage Players both as tech. She enjoys being with all the crew and cast and supporting her mom (Traci McClung) on stage!



## **Jay Hicks**

Jay Hicks is the music director for NFC theatre productions.



# Special Thanks

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