

Freedom High School  
Centre Stage Presents

# DiSruptions

Written By- David L Williams

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- ❖ Inappropriate Language (PG 13)
  - Chicken Little
  - Even
  - Glorious Blinding Light
- ❖ References to Death
  - Full Glass of Milk
  - Business as Usual
  - Coffee After Midnight
  - Cost of Love
  - Even
  - Glorious Blinding Light
  - Zee
- ❖ References to Suicide
  - Cost of Love
- ❖ References to the Afterlife
  - Coffee After Midnight
  - Zee
- ❖ Direct References to Drugs
  - Glorious Blinding Light

Freedom High School Centre Stage understands that there are a few scenes that may not be appropriate for younger audiences. Viewer discretion is advised. With this content warning in mind, we hope you enjoy the show!

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# Scene List- Act One

## **And a Full Glass of Milk**

Riley- Brooklyn Berschens

Nancy- Alexis Pells

Leon- Brynn Angelo

## **Business As Usual**

Doreen- Taylor Roberts

Bartender- Ellie Kneer

Marty- Kobe Tavis

## **Chicken Little**

Prime Minister- Brandon Collins

Violet- Taylor Roberts

## **Coffee After Midnight**

Taduscz- Brandon Collins

Familiar Woman- Carla Nicolini

Wheeler- Kerri Jacobson

## **The Cost of Love**

MacMorton- Brynn Angelo

Darryl- Kayla Kelly

Young Girl- Sam Trojanowski

Clark- Kobe Tavis

## **Disruption**

Johanna- Sierra

Megan- Kayla

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# Scene List- Act Two

## **Even**

Amber- Alexis Pells

Brian- Brandon Collins

Zach- Kobe Tavis

## **The Glorious Blinding Light**

Kate- Carla Nicolini

June- Ellie Kneer

Police Officer- Brynn Angelo

## **Inheritance**

Brugel- Sierra Bluebaugh

Hooded Figure- Adreana Gallegos

## **This Is Going to Keep Happening, Isn't It?**

Maxine- Ashley Mentor

Freddy- Kobe Tavis

Fred- Nate Clarke

Tim/Timothy- Brynn Angelo

## **Zee**

She- Ellie Kneer

Zee- Brandon Collins

Zee's Body- Sierra Bluebaugh, Sam Trojanowski,,

Carla Nicolini, Kayla Kelly, Taylor Roberts, & Kerri

Jacobson

Guy- Kobe Tavis



**Brynn Angelo**  
**Junior, (they/them)**

Brynn Angelo is a junior here at Freedom. They are thrilled to finally be back at theatre, and are so happy they can share this experience with the rest of the cast! When not having some stress-related issue (thanks COVID -\_-) some of their hobbies are drawing, reading, and spending WAY too much time binging anime. Like they kind of said before, they are really happy to be back with this cast, and have had a blast rehearsing. Brynn hopes you enjoy the show as much as they have enjoyed working on it!



**Brooklyn Berschens**  
**Junior, (she/her)**

Brooklyn Berschens is a junior at Freedom High School and has been doing theatre for 3 years. She has done multiple short plays and monologues that have gotten her very far in the theatre industry. Brooklyn is very excited to play her character Riley in the scene "Full Glass Of Milk". Enjoy the show!



**Sierra Bluebaugh**  
**Senior, (she/her)**

Sierra Bluebaugh is a senior who's been involved in the theatre department for all 4 years of highschool. In her past years she has been in the play betweenity and is so excited to be in disruptions. She has always loved theatre and is so grateful to have been involved with so many wonderful and talented people. She hopes you enjoy the show!



**Ariel Buchanan**  
**Freshman, (she/her)**

Ariel Buchanan is a freshman at Freedom High School. She enjoys theatre, and is excited to be helping out in her first high school show in any way she can.



**Nate Clarke**  
Senior, (he/him)

Nate Clarke a senior who's been doing theatre for 2 years. He had a lead role in *Crucible* before COVID prevented the show. He is excited to play a role in *This Is Going To Keep Happening Isn't It* because he gets to be the boss of the conversation in the scene.



**Brandon Collins**  
Junior, (he/him)

Brandon is a junior this year in high school, he really enjoys theatre, and is the Historian this year. This is his 4th production that he has done at Freedom and he is on the improv team as well. He plans to continue to do more shows for his senior year.



**Adreana Gallegos**  
Freshman, (she/her)

Adreana is 14 years old and has been interested in theatre since she was little. She saw actors on the tv and thought that it was a really cool job and that she might be good at it. In her free time she likes to sing, babysit and draw. Adreana is very excited that she joined the theatre program and can't wait to see where it takes her in the upcoming years!



**Brian Gonzalez**  
Junior, (he/him)

Brian Gonzalez is a junior at Freedom High School. This is his first year in theatre, but he's excited to be a part of improv, and *Disruptions*. He has been working very hard building the sets for *Disruptions*. Enjoy the show!



**Kerri Jacobson**  
**Freshman, (she/her)**

Kerri is a freshman at Freedom High School. She enjoys doing art and photography in her free time. Kerri first fell in love with theatre when she was younger dreaming to be an actor. She's excited to play Wheeler in Disruptions!



**Kayla Kelly**  
**Senior, (she/her)**

Kayla Kelly is a senior at Freedom High School. This is the 4th production she's been in, past productions include The Wedding Singer, You Can't Take It With You, and Betweenity. She looks forward to portraying her characters in Disruptions, and Cost of Love. Enjoy the show!



**Ellie Kneer**  
**Senior, (she/they)**

As Centre Stage Vice President, Ellie has worked hard throughout her four years to prove that a disability cannot hold you back. As improv captain Ellie wants everyone to get loose and enjoy the night. Trying to see where theatre will take them, Ellie will use her cane to find her way. To follow Ellie on her adventures as a low vision advocate, her Youtube, Instagram, and TikTok are all TheFakeEllie.



**Ashley Mentor**  
**Senior, (she/her)**

Ashley Mentor is a senior who was in theatre her first 2 years of high school. She became involved in theatre by first being on the crew for the play "Brother's Grimm Spectaculathon" and then went to be on cast for "The Wedding Singer" and "You Can't Take It With You." She then became more heavily involved with band and choir which restricted her ability to participate in theatre activities. Ashley is very excited to be participating in theatre again. She plays Maxine in the short play called "This Is Going To Keep Happening Isn't It?" tonight. Relax and enjoy the show!





**Carla Nicolini**  
Senior, (she/her)

Carla Nicolini is a senior who's been in theatre for the past 4 years. She has done theatre camps with roles including Enid in Legally Blonde, and Chiffon in Little Shop of Horrors. As president of centre stage, she's tried to make theatre a place that students can call home in high school. Carla is very excited to perform in Coffee After Midnight because of how powerful her character is. She also looks forward to performing in The Glorious Blinding Light because Kate is a character she can relate to emotionally. Enjoy the show!



**Alexis Pells**  
Junior, (she/her)

Alexis Pells is a 17 year old Jr. at Freedom High School, and has been doing theater since she was eleven years old! In her free time she sings, writes, reads, and is learning to play bass! She hopes you enjoy the show!



**Sarah Price**  
Sophomore, (she/her)

Sarah Price is a sophomore at Freedom High School. She was the technical lead in Betweenity, and is excited to be the technical lead in Disruptions. She's learned a lot about lighting, and sound during the past couple years.



**Taylor Roberts**  
Sophomore, (she/they)

Taylor Roberts, a 15 year-old sophomore is back into her second show! After debuting in Betweenity and being casted in the covid-cancelled show The Crucible, she was ecstatic to land 2 roles. She loves to be acting in scenes with some of her closest friends. She says, "I'm surrounded by so much talent! I love the energy at rehearsals, it's definitely something I've missed during quarantine." She wishes everyone a great night and hopes everyone stays safe and healthy!



**Kobe Tavis**  
**Senior, (he/him)**

Kobe Tavis is about to graduate, but has put his heart into Theater for the last 4 years. He's been in every show since freshman year and has been trying to run improv during covid. Then, he auditioned for this show and ended up getting 5 parts. Big or small, it was a big accomplishment and even though it was a challenge, kobe loves a challenge. Especially when it involves memorizing scripts. And going into this show, he feels ready to take on a show for the last time.



**Sam Trojanowski**  
**Senior, (she/her)**

Samantha Trojanowski is a senior in high school and is a sunshine chair who recognizes people's birthdays. At her old school she did Christmas shows and a game show. At Freedom high school she did color guard (it's dancing with a flag). This is her first time in a show for Freedom. The character is a challenge to play but she loves to challenge herself. Enjoy the show!



Hello Freedom Falcons! I am so excited for the future of Centre Stage and theatre arts at Freedom High School. Theatre has been a passion of mine for as long as I can remember. I come from a long line of entertainers, and I love guiding future generations into the positive powers of performing arts.

A strong theatre program is a vital part of a thriving school culture. According to EdTA-Utah State University Survey of Theatre Education Programs in U.S. High Schools, "98% of school administrators believe that theatre programs strengthen student's critical thinking, collaboration, communication, and leadership skills." Furthermore, the College Board asserts, "Students who took four years of arts classes in high school scored an average of 92 points higher on their SATs than students who took only one half year or less." Not only is theatre an enriching activity, it promotes success in so many areas of life.

Many thanks to the families, teachers, administrators and businesses who offered generous support to help us put together a last minute production after a long drought of live performances. The show must go on!

Please get in touch if you would like to volunteer on a parent board for the 2021-2022 season.

Warmest regards,  
Regina White (she/her)

# Class Cabinet

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Vice President- Ellie Kneer

Secretary- Sierra Bluebaugh & Alexis Pells

Treasurer- Taylor Roberts & Kayla Kelly

Clerk- Nate Clarke & Brooklyn Berschens

Historian- Brandon Collins & Ellie Kneer

Club Representative- Taylor Roberts

Sunshine- Samantha Trojanowski

Technical Lead- Sarah Price

House Manager- Adreana Gallegos

Construction/Set Lead- Brain Gonzalez

Head of Hair and Makeup- Ellie Kneer

Playbill Maker- Carla Nicoloni

# Special Thanks

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