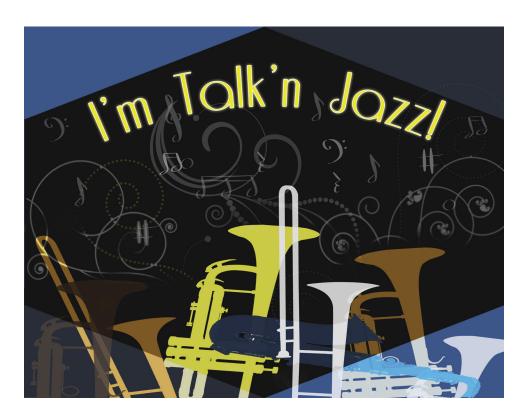
## The Iola Community Theatre Presents



Written by

## Sabra Aguirre & Jared Ellis

Staged & Directed by

Sabra Aguirre

September 9, 10, 1 1, 2016 At the Bowlus Fine Arts Center

## The Cast

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Leading Lady       Sabra Aguirre         Master of Ceremonies       Jared Ellis ★         Female Vocalists       Brooke King ★, Jessica Quinhones,         Katie Terhune, Sophie Whitney         Male Vocalists       Bryan Johnson, Sam Terhune         Dancers       Felicitas Aguirre ★, Chloe Bedell ★, Alexi Fernandez,         Brooke Maley ★, Jasmine Schlotterbach ★, Hannah Vining ★
★ New Faces at ICT
The Band Iola High School Mustangs Jazz Band
Alto Saxophone
Production Staff
Stage & Musical Director Sabra Aguirre Conductor Matt Kleopfer Choreographer Felicitas Aguirre & Brooke Maley Producer Pam Tressler Production Assistant Nancy Cokely Set Design Richard Spencer Lighting Design Jeff Jordan Construction Kyle DePaola, Tyler DePaola, Keaton DePaola,
Technical Director for the Bowlus Fine Arts Center

## I'm Talkin' Jazz!

### **Musical Numbers**

I Won't Dance
Cheek to Cheek
Come Fly With Me
Let's Face the Music and Dance
Ev'ry Time We Say Goodbye
The Best is Yet to Come
The Lady is a Tramp
New York, New York
Happy Days are Here Again / Get Happy Sabra and Brooke Words by Jack Yellen and Harold Arlen, Music by Milton Ager, Harold Arlen and Ted Koehler, Arranged by Phillip Kern
Fly Me to the Moon
Lush Life
Feeling Good
It Don't Mean a Thing (If it Ain't Got That Swing)

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**Jan Knewtson** 1991 – 2016 (26 Seasons) Sec/Treas 2008-2016

One big big thank you to Jan Knewtson who retired from the ICT board after 26 seasons of tireless service. The extent of her contributions is considerable. She directed at least eight productions, some of which she wrote or compiled. Jan also served as musical director of 26 or more productions. She didn't stop there. In addition to eight years as the Community Theatre secretary/treasurer she sold tickets in her store and often served as producer and caterer for ICT presentations. Let's not forget to thank her husband Richard who frequently assisted Jan in schlepping musical instruments and stuff.

### Richard Spencer 1980 - 2016 (36 Seasons) Presidnt 2012-2016

ICT lost a real giant when Richard Spencer left the Theatre Board in June 2016. During his 36 seasons on the Board, Richard directed 36 ICT plays that we know of and quite possibly more. There is hardly a Community Theatre production that he did not touch in some truly significant way. It might have been in the design and construction of sets, lights, sound, and special effects. He certainly knows theatre. Richard was the Theatre's president for the last five years of his tenure.

## **Dee Sell** 1978 – 2012 (35 Seasons) President 2008 – 2012

In 2012 Dee Sell resigned from the Iola Community Theatre Board after 35 seasons of service. He continues to maintain the ICT website at www. IolaCommunityTheatre.org. (It's worth checking out. The current production and audition dates can be found there as well a history section with many photographs from past productions and every printed program going back to 1965) Although Dee appeared on stage only a few times, his contribution to the theatre was immense. He directed a half dozen plays including big productions such as Camelot, designed sets and worked on all aspects of the technical crews. Dee's photographs of every ICT production continue to appear on the website.



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November 4, 5 & 12, 2016 @ 7:30 PM November 13, 2016 @ 2:00 PM ICT Warehouse Theatre



Have you ever been tempted to flee your own life? Becky Foster is caught in middle age, middle management and in a middling marriage — with no prospects for change on the horizon. Then one night a socially inept and grief-struck millionaire stumbles into the car dealership where Becky works. Becky is offered nothing short of a new life...and the audience is offered a chance to ride shotgun in a way that most plays wouldn't dare. BECKY'S NEW CAR is a thoroughly original comedy with serious overtones, a devious and delightful romp down the road not taken.



February 3, 4 & 11, 2017 @ 7:30 PM February 12, 2017 @ 2:00 PM ICT Warehouse Theatre



Ano-nonsense American family buys an old mansion in rural England, scoffing at warnings of a fierce and violent resident ghost. The spirited Americans - Mother, Father, young Virginia, and her mischievous little twin brothers - may have found their match in the equally spirited and clever ghost, who is determined to scare them out or worse. He's outnumbered, however, and in the end, kind-hearted Virginia helps him fulfill the terms of the legend that allow him release into the afterlife.



March 31, April 1 & 8, 2017 @ 7:30 PM April 9, 2017 @ 2:00 PM ICT Warehouse Theatre



Based on Arnold Lobel's well-loved books and featuring a hummable score by Robert and Willie Reale, this whimsical show follows two great friends - the cheerful, popular Frog and the rather grumpy Toad - through four, fun-filled seasons. Frog and Toad plant gardens, swim, rake leaves, go sledding, and learn life lessons along the way. Part vaudeville, part make believe, all charm, A Year With Frog And Toad tells the story of a friendship that endures, weathering all seasons.



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