The Barn Players Present

TICK, TICK...BOOM!

Book, Music and Lyrics by IONATHAN LARSON

David Auburn, Script Consultant

Vocal Arrangements and Orchestrations by Stephen Oremus

Tick, Tick... Boom! was originally produced off-Broadway in June, 2001 by
Victoria Leacock Robyn Goodman

Dede Harris Lorie Cowen Levy Beth Smith

September 8-17, 2023

The Black Box Theatre at The Johnson County Arts & Heritage Center, Overland Park, KS

Directed by **KIPP SIMMONS**Musical Direction by **DELANO MENDOZA and KEVIN BOGAN**

Stage Manager **Don Arnott**

Choreographer Rob Reeder

Properties Designer **Barb Nichols**

Costume Designer **Sarah Jeter**

Technical Director
Bill Wright

Lighting Designer
Chuck Cline

Sound Designer **Sean Leistico**

Special Thanks to JCCC Theatre Department, Colton Crook, David Munzell-Johnson, Rylee Carney, Ann McCroskey, Richard McCroskey, Rob Reeder

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MUSICAL NUMBERS

30/90Jon, Mi	chael, Susan & Friends
Boho Days	Jon & Friends
Green Green Dress	Jon, Susan
Johnny Can't Decide	Jon, Susan, Michael
Sunday	Jon and Diner Patrons
No More	Michael, Jon
Therapy	Jon, Susan
Real Life	Michael and Company
SugarJon, Karessa, Counter Guy & Customers	
See Her Smile	Jon and Company
Come to Your Senses	Karessa
Why	Jon
30/90 Reprise	Jon
Louder Than Words	Company

ORCHESTRA

Conductor/Keyboard	Kevin Bogan
Guitar	Kevin Haney
Bass	Frank Annecchini
Drums	Blake Vignery



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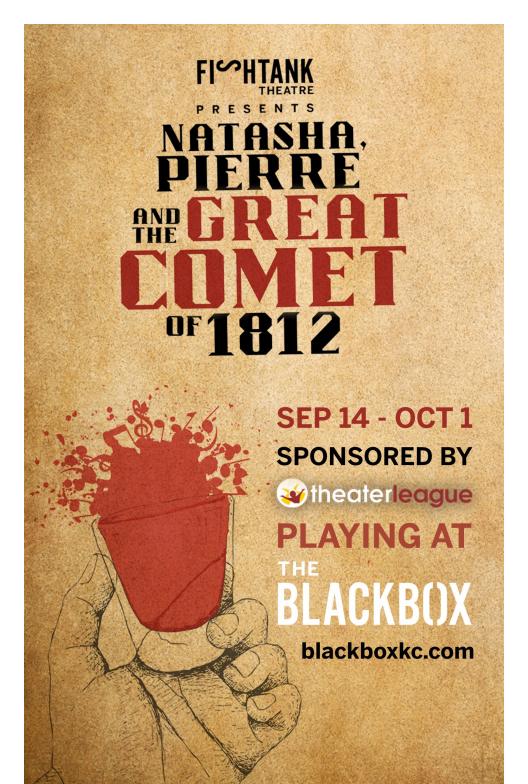
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CAST

JON.....Hewleek McKoy SUSAN.....Erin Pettijohn MICHAEL.....Scott Salem KARESSA.....Samantha Crook ROSA.....Kay Noonan JON'S DAD.....Rob Reeder



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THE CAST



Samantha Crook (Karessa) is thrilled to return to The Barn Players with this talented group of actors & musicians. A graduate of UMKC's Conservatory, Samantha has performed with The White Theatre, OCTA, Music Theatre Heritage, The Arts Asylum, and Quality Hill Playhouse as well as numerous productions at the Chestnut Fine Arts Center. Favorite roles include Kate Monster (*AVENUE Q*), Maureen Johnson (*RENT*), Squeaky Fromme

(ASSASSINS) and Beatrice Wellington (GABBY FOR GOD). Thanks to the *Tick, Tick...BOOM!* staff for another memorable show. All the love to Mom and Colton. "From the Top of the Moon to the End of the Stars".



Hewleek McCoy (Jon). This is Hew's 4th show at The Barn Players and they are very excited to play Jon in this production and bring this show to the community. They would love to thank all the people who have helped them to get here. Please enjoy the show.

THE CAST



Kay Noonan (Rosa) is happy to be back at the Barn after last appearing in 2021's *Company*. Kay also serves on the Board at the Barn and she thanks you so much for your support of the Barn. Please continue to be supportive of live theater and enjoy the show!



Erin Pettijohn (Susan) is excited to be returning to The Barn after 2021's Company. Past credits include *Carrie* (Faust Theatre), *The 25th...Spelling Bee* (The White Theatre), *Back to the 80's* (TTIP), and *West Side Story* (Spinning Tree). Huge thanks to her family and husband, Robbie, for their support during this crazy time. For Chris: may your love for music live on in all of us.

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Rob Reeder ("Dad" and choreographer) has choreographed a number of productions at the Barn including *Little Women* (2023), *Titanic* (2020), *La Cage Aux Folles* (2014), *Chess* (2013), *Curtains* (2012), *Dirty Rotten Scoundrels* (2010) and *Secret Garden* (2009).



Scott Salem (Michael) is excited to be back with the Barn Players for *Tick, Tick...Boom!* A local performer and web developer, you may have seen Scott most recently as Jeff in *Title of Show* (Summit Theatre Group) and as the Music Director and Oscar Wilde in *A Man of No Importance* (OCTA). He would like to thank his family for their undying support. "Actions speak louder than words." Enjoy the show!

PRODUCTION TEAM



Kipp Simmons (Director) has been involved with The Barn Players, both onstage and off, since 2001 when they were performing on the tiniest stage imaginable at Shawnee Mission West. *Tick, Tick...* Boom! marks his 10th time directing for the Barn. Past Barn productions he has directed include Curtains (Barney for Best Production), Drood, La Cage aux Folles (Barney for Best Production), Thoroughly Modern Millie, Nice Work If You Can Get It, She Loves Me, Chicago, Victor/Victoria and Titanic (Barney for Outstanding Production). Kipp has

also performed in too many productions to name in this short amount of space and received a Barney Award for his performance as Molokov in *Chess*.



Kevin Bogan (Music Director) is a past Barney Award winner for musical direction for *Thoroughly Modern Millie* as well as best director of a musical for *Grand Hotel – The Musical* at the Barn. He has also received awards for his musical direction of *Violet* and *A New Brain* at the Olathe Community Theater. His work was most recently seen at the Theatre in the Park where he provided the musical direction for *White Christmas*. Kevin has done musical direction is such diverse places as the

Kennedy Center in Washington D.C. and London, including two Off-Broadway productions in New York. He is the director of Traditional Music at the United Methodist Church of the Resurrection in Leawood.



Delano Mendoza (Music Director) is a Kansas City based theatre professional, working as an actor, singer, director, music director, and vocal coach. As a music director, Delano has led and conducted a wide array of full length musicals, including the world premiere of Alice's Wonderland with The Coterie. He has performed internationally as a cast vocalist with Princess Cruise Lines and P&O Australia, and locally with Fishtank Theatre, The Coterie, Starlight, and more!

He has served as a workshop and master class teacher in the Kansas City area, specializing in acting the song and auditioning. Delano also works in the commercial field, having recently done projects for Wendy's, Hallmark, and TMobile. Outside of the theatre, Delano runs DM Studios, his professional training studio for local singers and actors, striving to create a safe space for BIPOC and LGBTQ+ artists to grow in their craft.



Don Arnott (Production Stage Manager) recently retired and is enjoying every minute! Don Is Executive Director of Stageworx, a Not for Profit Theatre camp. It has been a pleasure to work with Kipp, Delano, Kevin, this incredibly talented cast and the entire staff. Other Stage Management credits include School of Rock, Disney's Frozen Jr., Once the Musical, Rent, Peter Pan, Beauty and the Beast, Ragtime and Always, Patsy Cline. Love you, Babe! I hope you enjoy the show!

Chuck Cline (Lighting Designer) *Tick, Tick... Boom!* is Chuck's 28th production with The Barn Players having served as Lighting Designer on recent Barn Players Productions including: *Next to Normal, Company, The Laramie Project, Rock of Ages, The Bridges of Madison County, Grey Gardens, The Crucible, Kiss of the Spider Woman, Avenue Q, Hair, August: Osage County, Spring Awakening* and *Fuddy Meers*. Chuck would like to thank the outstanding cast, pit, & crew, his wife Steph & son Alex, and, as always, David Addison. Enjoy the show!

Sean Leistico (Sound Designer) has been working with the Barn Players since 2004 as an actor, designer, voice of The Barn, and as Operations Manager. He also works in the Theatre Department at Johnson County Community College. Special thanks to everyone who supports him in his theatrical endeavors. Hi, Mom. Hi, Nora \mathset \mathset

Sarah Jeter (Costume Designer) is excited to return to the Barn with this most excellent of shows. Sarah's costume work was most recently seen on the Barn stage in last season's *First Date*, and a few others before that. Favorite designs include: *Peter & the Starcatcher* (OCTA), *Sense & Sensibility* (OCTA), *Once the Musical* (The Barn Players) and *Urinetown* (The Barn Players). Many thanks to Charlotte Gilman, Sara Crow, and Anne Haines for their costuming assistance. All my love to Ferguson and Minkus.

ORCHESTRA

Blake Vignery (Percussion) is excited to be back at The Barn. He currently works as the Assistant Director of Bands and the Director of Percussion at Lansing High/Middle School. Blake would like to thank his family for constantly motivating and supporting his love of the arts.

Frank Annecchini (Bass) is happy to be performing *Tick, Tick...BOOM!* with The Barn. He has played bass guitar and guitar for musical productions throughout the metro area for the last 24 years. Favorites include *Rent, Legally Blonde, Spring Awakening* (guitar), *High Fidelity, 13,* and *The Last Five Years*. He sends love and thanks to his family for their support.

Kevin Haney (Guitar) Kevin Haney has played guitar professionally across the Midwest for over 20 years. His love of music covers every genre from jazz to country to rock, and of course theatre. While being a recent transplant to Kansas City, he has enjoyed playing many theatre productions since 2019. This will be his first show with The Barn Players. Kevin lives with his wife and four kids in Olathe, Kansas.



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