

THE 5 & DIME
Jacksonville's newest theatre company
presents

ALL NEW PEOPLE

by
Zach Braff

directed by RON SHREVE

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A group of artists and friends came together with a common goal: to make a change in the Jacksonville cultural arts community. From this, THE 5 & DIME, A Theatre Company was born. Founded with the hope of facilitating diverse opportunities and a supportive environment for collaboration, THE 5 & DIME is a group of passionate theatre artists who've come together in the urban core to develop a place where

all kinds of art happens. The founding members and board of directors offer an invitation to all Jacksonville artists to join in the mission to stimulate this city's potential for the rich culture local audiences and art lovers have been craving and deserve. It started with a simple question, "Why not us?" And so we offer this: "Why not YOU?"

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"May you live long enough to realize that you matter. May your neck remain untangled, your feet gravity-bound to our imperfect planet long enough to discover that you are not alone."

— All New People by Zach Braff

DIRECTOR'S NOTES

We all have that point in our lives where we feel like we are the star of "The Truman Show" and the rest of the world is our supporting cast, but reality sets in and we know that although it sometimes feels like the universe has some grand design to make life difficult, we are not at its center. And though we know this fact, how often do we think about the lives of others. I'm not talking about the idea of thinking of those less fortunate in another country, or sending positive vibes and a donation after some major disaster but the simple act of thinking about what someone else's day has been like, the high school student who bagged your groceries, or the mom jogging with a stroller who simply waved while you glanced at her from your car. They all have their own lives, their own stories, their own families, their own pain. We all need to take the time and realize as a nation, as a city we all feel a little lost in the woods, most of us getting stuck walking in circles and screaming for someone to find us. Perhaps if we took a moment and listened we would hear the other voices in the trees searching for an answer. "You're lonely and here you are surrounded by other people." Everyday all new people enter your lives and everyday all new people leave your lives but maybe if we extended our hand more often to help even when we feel helpless you may just find something extraordinary... friendship, love, faith, a job, simply knowing someone sees you and in turn finding a way out of this Snow White/Hansel and Gretel/Little Red Riding Hood entrapment together.

I welcome you to meet the all new people in my life and now yours. They won't be the same people tomorrow and they are not the same people they were earlier today but they all want to let you know that you, yes you, are not alone.

— Ron Shreve

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A beach house. Long Beach Island, New Jersey

CHARACTERS (in order of appearance)

CHARLIE Daniel Austin | Carl Vorwerk
EMMA Amanda Morales | Kat McLeod
MYRON Carl Vorwerk | Daniel Austin
KIM Kat McLeod | Amanda Morales

MULTIMEDIA CHARACTERS

BADGER Joe Walz
KEVIN O'DONELL Trey Lewek
RAMONA Laura Peden

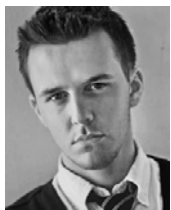
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PRODUCTION TEAM

Director Ron Shreve
Assistant Director Brandon Mayes
Stage Manager Juliet Fixel
Multimedia Videographer Abigail Saenz
Production Manager & Production Designer Lee Hamby
Lighting Design Carl Vorwerk
Master Carpenters Michael Schnepf and Tim Kraemer
Website & Promo Artwork Caryl Butterley
Box Office Manager Krysten Bennett
PR & Performance Photographer Jen Holdman
Performance Videographer Susan J Roche

ALL NEW PEOPLE is presented by special arrangement with Dramatists Play Service, Inc., NY

THE CAST



DANIEL AUSTIN (CHARLIE/MYRON) is a proud graduate of the University of Florida with a BFA in Theater Performance. Born and raised in San Diego, California, Daniel recently returned from spending two years living and learning in New York City. He is happy to be back in The River City as an artist-in-residence. Last seen in *Forbidden Broadway* at Theater Jax & *Rocky Horror* at The Edge. Favorite roles include: Lenny in *Marisol*, Beethoven in *Dog Sees God*, and Claude in *HAIR* (Players by the Sea). Keep moving, shaking, dreaming, and doing. Special thanks to all at The 5 & Dime - you guys are bringing great theater to the First Coast. Keep it up! Thanks also to a great cast - it has been an absolute joy to work with such a talented group. And a huge thank you to Ron, who always pushes me, and trusts me. Thank YOU for supporting live theater! Love to my family, immediate and extended, all of my wonderfully supportive Jax friends, B, Red, and as always, for R. [Instagram.com/dnaustin](https://www.instagram.com/dnaustin)



KAT McLEOD (KIM/EMMA), a FSU School of Theatre graduate, is making her Jacksonville stage debut. She has stage managed many Jacksonville favorites such as Players By the Sea's *Parade*, *Urinetown* and *Reefer Madness*. Her past stage credits include *Evil Dead The Musical* (Shelly) and *Matt and Ben* (Matt Damon). She enjoys The Golden Girls, cats and various cheeses.



AMANDA MORALES (EMMA/KIM) was last seen onstage as Magenta in the October 2012 production of *The Rocky Horror Show* (live). She recently appeared at Players by the Sea as Bitsy Mae Harling in *Sordid Lives*, Maggie in *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof*, Nan/Lina in *Three Days of Rain*, Angelina in *The Wildest*, Irene in *Dividing the Estate*, and was an ensemble member in both *Tommy* and *Reefer Madness*. She has also appeared on the ABET stage as Annabella, Margaret, and Pamela in *The 39 Steps* and as Karen in *The Children's Hour*. Her favorite past roles

include Velma in *Chicago*, Ariel in *Footloose*, and a principle in *The Laramie Project*, and *The Vagina Monologues*. She has also enjoyed working on a number of music videos and independent films. She received her BA in English and Political Science from Indiana University, Bloomington and is a consultant at ATT Advertising Solutions. Amanda is thrilled to be performing in her first show with The 5 & Dime, and would like to thank all the talented and hardworking people involved in this production!



CARL VORWERK (MYRON/CHARLIE) As a Jacksonville native, Carl attended school at Douglas Anderson for Performance Theatre. After graduating, he moved to England to continue his studies at the Liverpool Institute for Performing Arts (LIPA). In 2009, he moved down to London where he acquired a position on the Board of Directors of the award winning Sell A Door Theatre Company. Performance credits include: Saul, *Where the Solitary Eagle Flies* (Rosemary Branch Theatre, London); Holden Caulfield, *Last Word* (BBC Radio 4); Davy, *By Order of Ignorance* (Greenwich Playhouse, London); *The Railway Children* (Edinburgh Fringe Festival); Prior Walter, *Angels In America* and Eric Young-Love, *Privates on Parade* (LIPA). It has been seven years since Carl set foot on stage in Jacksonville and he couldn't be more thrilled to be making his return thanks to everyone at The 5 & Dime. Carl is currently the head of Drama at Pine Forest School of the Arts.

MULTIMEDIA CAST



TREY LEWEK (KEVIN O'DONELL) was most recently seen in *The Rocky Horror Show Live* at Brewster's Edge. Thanks to Chloe Forester and Ryan Arroyo for keeping him prepared, even at the last minute. Many thanks go out to The Heathers and all Heather-associates. Daniel, Ron, Brandon, Julie; you have set him on the path to believing in himself and have awakened a passion that was otherwise lost. To his family, you inspire him every day. To the audience, cast, and crew of *All New People*, you just never know who will change your life and how or why they will. Live your life like an open book and never be afraid to turn the page.



LAURA PEDEN (RAMONA) has been a piano teacher in Jacksonville for over twenty years. Active in the local theater community, Laura has served as music director for over fifty local productions – favorite shows include *Forbidden Broadway*, *Nunsense*, *Forever Plaid* and *Into the Woods* at Theatre Jacksonville, *Chicago* and *The Taffetas* at Players by the Sea, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* at the Alhambra Dinner Theatre, and *Peter Pan* at FSCJ's Summer Musical Theatre Experience. Many thanks to Ron, Lee, Daniel, and Carl for such a fun opportunity!



JOE WALZ (BADGER) is very excited to be a part of another 5 & Dime production. You may remember Joe as Luke in last year's *Next Fall*. Most recently, you may have seen Joe at Players by the Sea in *Avenue Q* (Nicky) or earlier in *Three Days of Rain* (Walker/Ned), *Chicago* (Billy Flynn), *The Lonesome West* (Father Welsh), *The Merchant of Venice* (Bassanio), *ART* (Yvan), and *It's a Wonderful Life* (George Bailey). You may have also seen Joe at the Atlantic Beach Experimental Theatre in *The 39 Steps* (Richard Hannay); at the Limelight Theatre in *Children of a Lesser God* (James Leeds), *Death of a Salesman* (Happy), and *Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?* (Nick); Theatre Jacksonville in *The Drowsy Chaperone* (George) and *Romeo & Juliet* (Mercutio); and at the Orange Park Community Theatre in *Willy Wonka* (Wonka), *The Producers* (Leo), and *Barefoot in the Park* (Paul). Joe has also performed with the Jacksonville Symphony Orchestra, with the First Coast Opera Company, in independent films and regional and national commercials, and at his day job as a lawyer teaching at Florida Coastal School of Law.

PRODUCTION TEAM

RON SHREVE (Director) is a University of Florida graduate returning to Florida after a two year adventure in NYC. Past directing credits include *Dog Sees God*, *Pippin*, The Edge's *Rocky Horror Live* (asst. dir.), and most recently asst. dir. *Forbidden Broadway* at Theatre Jacksonville. Ron couldn't be more honored to be given the opportunity to direct for The 5 & Dime. Special thanks to Lee Hamby for more than words can say and Staci Grant for supporting my insane notion. To the cast and crew, you have been a director's dream! You have all taken risks, pushed yourself and brought an honest story and very real experience to Jacksonville. Brandon I am sure you have learned a lot but I can assure you I learned much more from you, thanks to Red, Ashley, my family always close at heart and of course D- I thank you for always trusting me, greenish brown female sheep.

BRANDON MAYES (Assistant Director) Recent graduate of Bartram Trail High School, recently involved in Theater Jacksonville's *Forbidden Broadway* and *The Rocky Horror Show Live at The Edge*. Past credits include *Guys and Dolls* (Nathan Detroit), *You Can't Take It With You* (Tony Kirby), *Salamander Stew* (Steven), *Peter Pan* (Cecco), *Romeo and Juliet* (Benvolio), *Jekyll and Hyde* (Bishop). Will be seen next in Sarah Ruhl's *In The Next Room* or *The Vibrator Play* at *Players By The Sea*. Owes a huge thank you to Ron, thank you for continuing to be my mentor, for all the things you teach me, in the theater and out.

JULIET FIXEL (Stage Manager) is a graduate of the University of Florida with a BFA in theatre performance and minor in dance. She has recently been seen in *Forbidden Broadway* at Theatre Jax and *Rocky Horror*. Other favorite credits include *The Clean House*, *Hair*, and *Pippin*. Juliet is in love with the creative process and enjoys performing as well as choreographing and directing. She thanks Ron for the opportunity to allow her to explore a new mode of creativity and use her natural abilities as a shopper and fashionista! She would also like to thank Shlee for going on this ride with her as well as the creative team of The 5 & Dime. A big congrats to the entire cast and crew! Much Love to her outstanding and dynamic family as well as the best friends a girl could have (DD, Robakdi, and !).

ABIGAIL SAENZ (Multimedia Videographer) Abigail Saenz is incredibly excited to be working on this production of *All New People*! Her passion for all things production related have led her to study Media Production at Florida State in Tallahassee, work on a couple of PBS documentaries in New York City, and, now, work as a Development Producer at WJCT right here in Jacksonville. She would like to thank her theatre family for teaching her about the importance of wearing the right bra size.

LEE HAMBY (Production Manager & Production Designer) is a Jacksonville native and a graduate of Douglas Anderson School of the Arts majoring in Vocal Music/Musical Theatre. Lee went on to study Musical Theatre at The Broadway Theatre Project and The American Musical and Dramatic Academy under the direction of such greats as Gregory Hines, Tommy Tune, Ann Reinking, Jules Styne, Chita Rivera and Patricia Birch. Working as a professional actor for almost two decades, Lee has traveled the US and Europe performing in national tours, regional theatres, amusement parks and dinner theatres in a vast array of musicals, plays and revues. Residing in Jacksonville once again he is currently very active in the local arts community as a performer, producer, designer, teacher and director. He is one of the founders and a board member of The 5 & Dime.

THANK YOU

THE 5 & DIME would first and foremost like to thank THE PANGAEA LIVE for inviting us to come in and play.

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