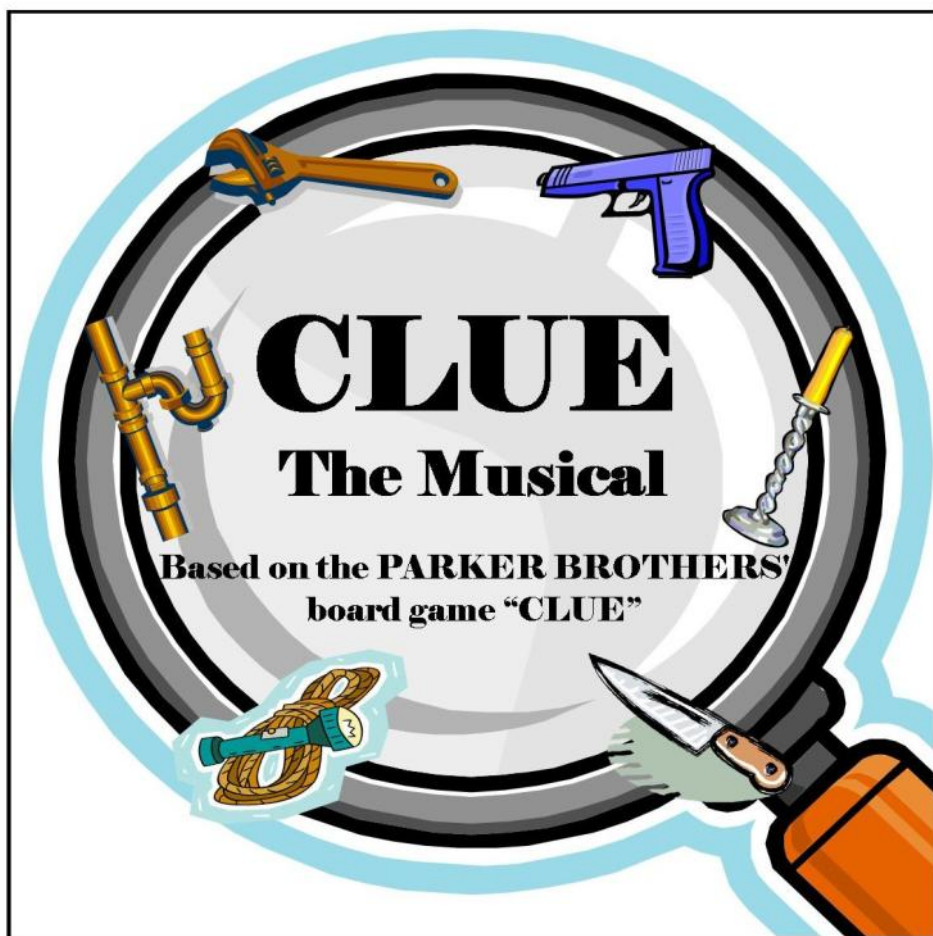


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October 2 - 18

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By John van Druten

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Audition Dates: October 4 & 6

***Every Little Crook and Nanny***

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# **CLUE**

## **The Musical**

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Based upon **PARKER BROTHERS'** board game **"CLUE"**

### **CAST**

In Order of Appearance

**Mr. Boddy**

**Mrs. Peacock**

**Professor Plum**

**Miss Scarlet**

**Colonel Mustard**

**Mrs. White**

**Mr. Green**

**Detective**

**John Claes**

**Frances Paterik**

**James Tully**

**Megan Hartwig**

**Al Price**

**Jodi Johnson**

**Aaron Price**

**Susan Casber**

**Time: Game Night**

**Place: Boddy Manor**

**CAUTION:** A lighting strobe effect is used briefly during the performance.

**There will be one 15 minute intermission.**

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## Musical Numbers

The Game	Mr. Boddy, Suspects
Life Is A Bowl of Pits	Mrs. White
Everyday Devices	Miss Scarlet and Mr. Green with Colonel Mustard, Professor Plum, Mrs. White, Mrs. Peacock
Once A Widow	Mrs. Peacock
Corridors And Halls	Mr. Boddy, Suspects
The Murder	Mr. Boddy, Suspects
After The Murder (The Game Reprise)	Suspects
She Hasn't Got A Clue	Suspects
Everyday Devices (Reprise)	Suspects
Seduction Deduction	Professor Plum, Detective
Foul Weather Friend	Suspects
Don't Blame Me	Entire Cast
The Final Clue	Mr. Boddy, Suspects
The Game (Finale)	Mr. Boddy, Suspects
She Hasn't Got A Clue (Reprise)	Entire Cast

*CLUE: The Musical* was produced by special  
arrangement with Samuel French, Inc.

# Production Team

Director/Choreographer	Barbara Merrill Wagner
Music Director/Accompanist	Brenda McConahay
Drums	Rex Howell
Rehearsal Assistants/Stage Managers	Lisa DeWaard, Wendi Taylor
Costumes	Barb Wagner, Cast
Props	Michelle Burke, Sophie Burke, Barb Wagner, Don Wagner
Light Design	Harold Mosier
Light Operation	Harold Mosier, Polly Taylor
Set Design	Barb Wagner, Mark Tuttle
Set Construction	Mark Tuttle, Matt Tuttle Scott Nielsen
Set Artwork	Amanda Atkinson, Mark Tuttle
House Manager	Jerry Reid
Playbill	Lynn Arterburn
Logo	John Claes
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## Cast Biographies



**Susan Casber** (Detective) was seen on our stage in *Our Town* and *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*. She has also appeared in *Guys and Dolls* and *Winnie the Pooh's Christmas Tail* at the Ingersoll Dinner Theater. Susan has worked for 20+ years as a nurse for the Des Moines Public Schools and currently works at Merrill Middle School. On an as-needed basis, she is a nurse at Taylor House. And as if that isn't enough, she also teaches nutrition classes at Viterbo University. Susan is married to Scott and has two sons, Adam and Chole, who are seniors at UNI. She enjoys traveling, spending time with her family, reading, and going to the theater. Susan would like to thank her sister, Barb Wagner, for believing in her and casting her in this show.



**John Claes** (Mr. Boddy) has many credits on the ACT stage such as *A Christmas Carol*, *Plaza Suite*, *Godspell*, *And Then There Were None*, and *It's a Wonderful Life*. This past February, he and his wife, Anne, performed together on our stage in *Love Letters*. John is the regional director for the Muscular Dystrophy Association and is currently the Past-President of ACT Board of Directors. Sharing the love of theater as a family (his wife, Anne; and daughter, Katherine) is very important to all of them and they make it a big part of their life.



**Megan Hartwig** (Miss Scarlet) is making her debut at ACT but is no stranger to the stage. She has appeared in such shows as *Grease*, *Pirates of Penzance*, *Fiddler on the Roof*, *Harvey*, and *Nunsense*. During the day, she is the director at New Horizons Adult Day Center here in Ankeny. Megan and her husband, Kent, live in Des Moines and have two dogs (Billy and Jimmy) and one cat (Sergent).



**Jodi Johnson** (Mrs. White) was seen on the ACT stage in *Jekyll and Hyde*. She has appeared on numerous Des Moines area stages in such shows as *Jerry Springer the Opera*, *Willy Wonka*, *Dog Sees God*, *Tent City*, and *Guys and Dolls*. Jodi works at Sammons Annuity Group and Taste to Go Catering. She thanks Fran, Brenda, Wendi, Megan, Susan, and Lisa for the rides!

## Biographies Continued



**Frances Paterik** (Mrs. Peacock) appeared on the ACT stage in *Mesbuggah Nuns and Company*. She has performed on virtually every stage in the Des Moines area including Des Moines Playhouse, Stage West, and the Ingersoll Dinner Theater in such shows as *Beauty and the Beast*, *Sweeney Todd*, *Steel Magnolias*, *Into the Woods*, and *Mail*. She was also a member of the

Hinsdale, Illinois, and Northwest Indiana opera companies. Fran is originally from Illinois where she earned a music education degree and a musical performance degree from Western Illinois University. She is the vocal music teacher at Merrill Middle School in Des Moines and loves to spend time with her five cats and gardening.



**Aaron Price** (Mr. Green) recently appeared on our stage as Leon in *Fools*. He has been in 13 shows at ACT including *A Christmas Carol*, *Don't Drink the Water*, *And Then There Were None*, and *Dearly Departed*. Aaron works at YRC Transportation as an account specialist and collects DVDs and comic books. He loves sharing the stage with his dad, Al. This is Aaron's first

musical since high school.



**Al Price** (Colonel Mustard) has been with ACT for 27 years. He has served on the ACT Board of directors, directed shows, and appeared on stage in such shows as *A Christmas Carol*, *Our Town*, *Love Letters*, *Don't Drink the Water*, *The Sunshine Boys*, *Greater Tuna*, and *Arsenic and Old Lace*. In fact, Al has involved

his entire family at ACT and even proudly watched as his grandson was in *Jekyll and Hyde*. He is thrilled to share the stage again with his son, Aaron. During the day, Al works for Wells Fargo. He loves to golf and read and, most importantly, wants to thank his wife, Jan.



**James Tully** (Professor Plum) is making his ACT debut with this show. He most recently appeared as the Emperor in *The Emperor's New Clothes* at Class Act Productions in Altoona where he has also directed. He played a barbershop quartet member in the Des Moines Playhouse production of *The Music*

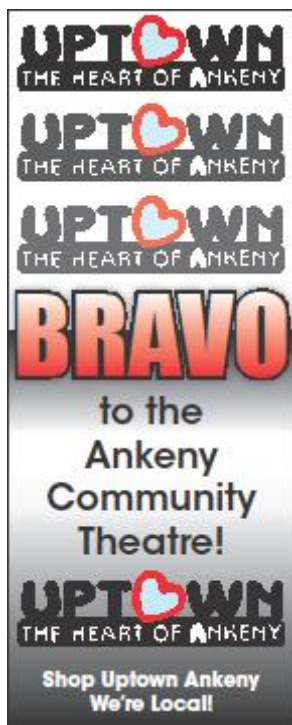
*Man*. James and his partner are foster parents to teenagers and just adopted two of those young men in September. He lives in Des Moines and is active in Boy Scouts, American Red Cross, and Junior Achievement, and is taking college classes in the evenings. He loves spending time with his family and his two cats.



**Barbara Merrill Wagner** (Director/Choreographer) has performed in and/or directed about 140 shows in the area. At ACT, she has directed *A Christmas Carol*, *And Then There Were None*, *Our Town*, and *Don't Drink the Water* and has appeared in *Once Upon a Mattress*, *Death and Taxes*, and *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*. Other theaters include the Ingersoll Dinner Theatre, Stage West, Des Moines Playhouse, Tallgrass Theatre Company, Urbandale Community Theatre, Theatre for a Change, Union Street Players, Drama Workshop and Class Act Productions. Barb is the secretary for AECOM engineering firm in Des Moines. Married to Don Wagner for 13 years – whew, that's a record – she loves to spend time with her family and traveling. This one's for you, Mom!!! Thanks for loving me MORE!!!



**Brenda McConahay** (Music Director/Accompanist) was the music director for ACT's *Godspell* and *Schoolhouse Rock*. She was a regular accompanist at the Ingersoll Dinner Theater for nine years. She is now full-time pianist at New Hope Methodist Church in Des Moines. Brenda loves to play for private parties and weddings. She also teaches Food and Nutrition at Lincoln High School. Brenda has two adult children, Rick and Claire, and two wonderful grandchildren, Leven and Laeken.





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