HO HO NO! Cast Bios

Emma Price (Old Lady) is a senior majoring in theatre. She is oh so jolly to be a part of KTW's holiday podcast special, HO HO NO! You may have heard her in KTW's first podcast show *Macbeth* (Witch 2) or seen her on stage in *Taking Steps* (Kitty), *The Government Inspector* (Postmistress), *Pirates of Penzance, Oklahoma!* and *Not Without Laughter* here at K-State. Outside of KSU Theatre, she has also been in professional shows such as *Shrek* at GPT and *Peter Pan*: Traveling Children's Show with BCS. She would like to thank the goofball cast, killer SM Ali, and truly delightful director Jay for creating a show that is equal parts fun and over-the-top crazy. She would also like to thank her family, friends, and teachers for their never ending encouragement and faith.

Michael Duncan (Glitz/Traffic Cop) is a senior in theatre with minors in business and leadership studies and is also pursuing certificates in film studies and nonprofit studies. You may have seen him past K-State Theatre productions such as *A Christmas Carol* (Fred/Ensemble), The *Pirates of Penzance* (Policeman), *Oklahoma!* (Will Parker), and more. Michael also works in the K-State MTD Marketing Office, Mortar Board, and the UPC Multicultural Committee. He expresses his gratitude to Jay, the cast, his family, and to all of you listeners for supporting K-State Theatre.

Ceslie Parker-Waller (Nat/Kid 1) is a graduating Senior in Theatre with a minor in Dance. When not in theatrical rehearsals, she can be seen tapping her feet off with the K-State Tap Ensemble. She would like to thank the director, cast, and everyone involved with *Ho Ho No!* for giving her this learning opportunity to showcase her voice acting skills. She also wishes her gratitude to her family and close friends for their love and support. Happy holidays and enjoy!

Brett Broadbent (Rudolph/Singer) is a senior theatre major emphasizing performance and lighting design. He was last heard in K-State's production of *Macbeth*. Last fall, Brett had the privilege to work as the Lighting Designer for *A Christmas Carol: The Musical*. He would like to thank his family, friends, and everyone involved with *Ho Ho No*. Happy holidays!

Ian Boyd-Duncan (Dirty Dancer/Assistant Detective) is a 5th year Senior graduating in December with a BA in theatre and minor in Classics at K-State. They are feeling holly jolly to be involved in this crazy Christmas play as their final production at K-State. They were recently heard on the KTW Podcast as Donalbain/Murderer in *Macbeth*, seen on stage as Rocky in *Damn Yankees* at the MAC, and behind the scenes as the director of *GLORIA* at K-State. They would like to thank their friends, family, faculty, fellow cast/crew and listeners like you for supporting them and the whole of Kansas State Theatre. Happy Holidays!

Brett Boline (Announcer/Kid 2) is a senior majoring in architectural engineering and theatre. During his time at K-State, he has performed in various shows such as *A Christmas Carol* (Ensemble), *Pirates of Penzance* (Policeman), and *Inn-Dependent* (Gray). He is excited to try out this new format of theatre and wants to thank his friends and family for their constant support.

Karly Breshears (Prancer) is a junior, dual majoring in theatre and elementary education. She is so excited to have been a part of her third production at K-State. You may have previously seen her in 21st Century Carnival and our podcast version of Macbeth. She would like to thank her family, friends, the cast, and God for all their support! She hopes everyone enjoys HO HO NO cuddled up by the fire with a cup of hot chocolate! Thank you so very much for supporting K-State Theatre!

Kaitlyn Burns (Grandma/Kid 3) is thrilled to embark on this new form of theatre in these uncertain times. Before the pandemic, she played roles on stage such as Mrs. Mops (*A Christmas Carol*), Siobhan (*The Curious Incident...*), Sister (*Damn Yankees*), and Anna (*The Arsonists*). She hopes this performance provides a beacon of light in these dark times. Thank you for supporting theatre!

Logan Peralez (Vixen/Taxi Rider) is a sophomore double major in vocal performance and theatre. He is excited to take on this new format of performance in these unprecedented times. Earlier this semester, he served as the assistant stage manager for Shakespeare's *Macbeth*. He would like to give a special thanks to his family, friends, and his fellow castmates. Thank you for supporting K-State Theatre!!

Elizabeth (Liz) Kritikos (Gale) is a 5th year student with a Theatre Major and a Classics Minor. She is so happy to be in her last musical here at K-State. You may have recently **HEARD** her in *Choke*, and **SEEN** her in *A Christmas Carol*, and *The Government Inspector*. She has also played in *Iphigenia and Other Daughters, Inn-Dependent, The Effect*, in Lunchbag's *Stupid F*cking Bird*, and *People Places and Things*. She thanks you for supporting this department through these dark times and hopes that you remember that through anything that happens, the Arts find a way.

Cole Rockhold (Santa) is titillated to be part of this production. You might have seen him perform in *Macbeth, Curious Incident of the Dog in the Nighttime, Government Inspector, She Kills Monsters, Becky Shaw,* or *Love and Information*. He is happy to give you a couple of laughs at the end of this hectic year. He has a blast working on this with the cast and he hopes you enjoy it to!

Meghan McGehee (Mother) is a senior majoring in theatre with a minor in public relations writing. Her favorite previous roles at K-State include Christmas Future in *A Christmas Carol* and Doctor Hubner in *The Government Inspector*. In Meghan's free time, she runs an Etsy store (you can find it on Instagram @made.by.meghan!) and spends time with her cat. After graduating in the spring, Meghan hopes to move to Kansas City to pursue a career in theatre performance.

Dylan Foster (Store Owner) is a senior undergraduate student majoring in theatre at Kansas State University. Dylan previously appeared as Joshua Bradley in KSU's production of *Bright Ideas* and as Ollie Crosswhite in *One Dead One Dying*. Dylan would like to thank his friends and family for their love and support.

Brooke Doll (Detective) is so excited to be joining in her first K-State musical with such an all-star cast and crew. You may have heard her as Lady Macduff in *Macbeth* or seen her (in the before times) as Callie in *Stop Kiss*, or Sierra Seranova in *The Government Inspector*. She would like to thank her director, SM, and the theatre faculty for working so hard to put on a great season this year!

Morgan Boyer (Izzy/Taxi Driver) Morgan is so excited to be a part of *Ho Ho No*! When she isn't clowning around with with *On the Spot Improv*, you can find Morgan helping with KSTO events. She would like to give thanks to her friends, family, and the cast. Thanks for supporting K-State Theatre!