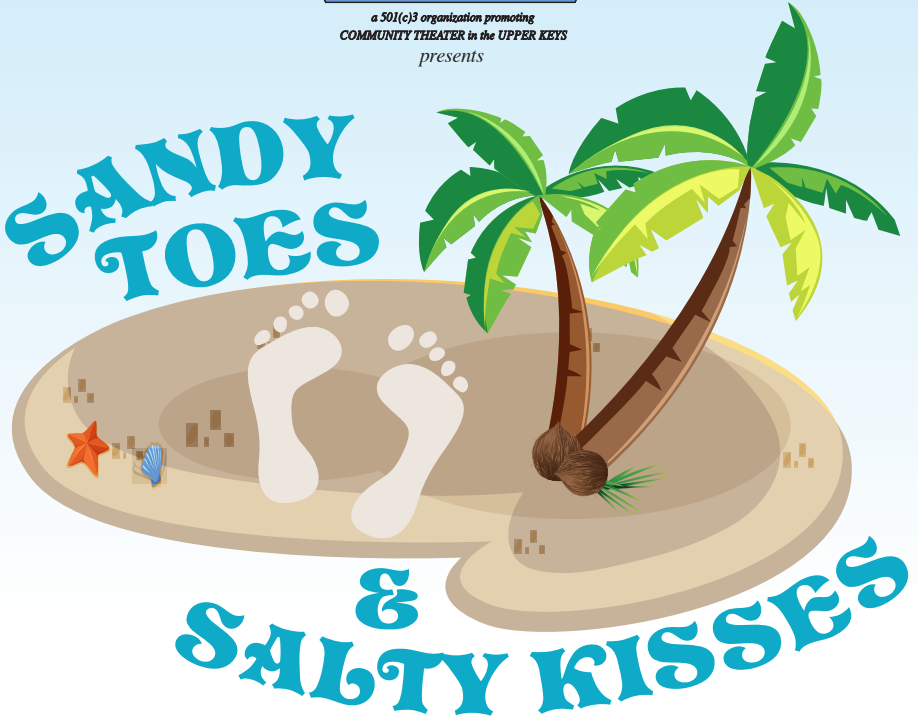




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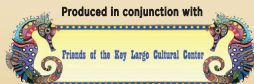
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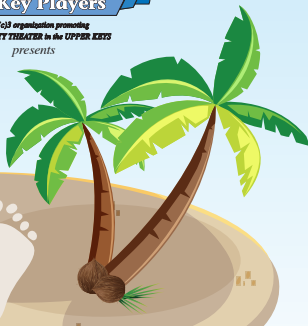


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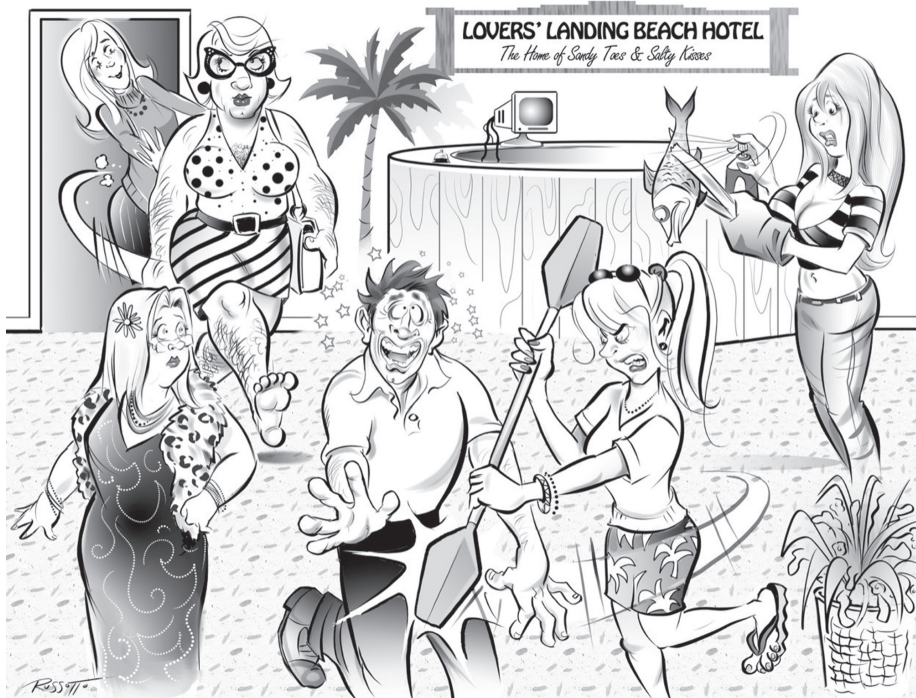
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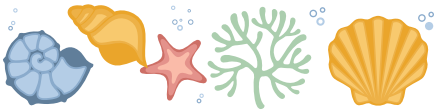
Producer's Notes: **by Mary-Margaret Dale**



We are excited to kick off summer with this production of *Sandy Toes & Salty Kisses!* With Jonelle Kop at the helm of this comedy, it promises to be a fun time with lots of laughs. I am grateful to Jonelle for all that she does for Key Players and for her incredible dedication to live theatre in the Upper Keys! She has three jobs, is the President of The Key Players board, and directs and/or produces most of our shows – she is one of the busiest people I know and yet always asks, “how can I help?”

I am thrilled that we have returning and new actors on stage with us in this show. In our cast we have a realtor, a contractor, a nurse, baristas, students - we are all volunteers who love live theatre and are committed to bringing joy to our community. And we are always looking for more people to get involved! I invite you to audition for an upcoming show, build and paint sets, design and shop for costumes, work backstage, promote and sell tickets, or however you'd like to participate, we'd love to have you!

As summer brings longer days and warmer temperatures, we know that you have endless ways to spend your time - thank you for coming to the show and for supporting your local community theatre!



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Director's Notes: **by Jonelle Kop**



This is my 22nd year with Key Players and the 22nd time directing and/or producing, and I STILL love every minute. Tonight, we have a hilarious romantic comedy *Sandy Toes and Salty Kisses*, the first time we have performed a show for you in the summer. We hope it is well received.

We have a talented and dedicated cast of seven and have been rehearsing three and four nights a week since mid-March. They have all been extremely dedicated to bring the very best they have to you tonight! They have also helped to build the set, find props and costumes, and do whatever we needed to make it all work.

A major shout out to my producer, Mary-Margaret Dale! She has been invaluable in helping me with this production and I feel very fortunate to have her friendship and expertise.

It takes a village to put on one of these shows. From set design and construction, props, costumes, lights, sound, advertising, and front of house. I thank all of the wonderful people who came together to bring us here tonight!!! And of course, The Church of the Nazarene, and the Friends of the Murray Nelson as well as the wonderful staff here, as we would not be here without them!

As we are all volunteers here, please know that the only pay we receive is your joy and laughter. So please feel free to indulge, as great audiences make great performances, and we will all be well rewarded. Thank you for coming and get ready to enjoy *Sandy Toes and Salty Kisses*.

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Andrew Fleites *Douglas Dupont*

Andrew is happy to be part of *Sandy Toes & Salty Kisses*. He recently performed as Man 1 in *I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change*. He has been involved in theatre since high school and continues to receive coaching at Stage Door Unlocked. He currently attends Florida International University for psychology and intends to earn a PhD. He would like to thank his parents, the Key Players, Michelle Zofchak, his peers, his coach Nate Plummer, and his dog Daisy.



Angel Martin *Peter Mudd*

Angel thoroughly enjoys the theater stating “It’s a marvel to me how actors can bring the script alive and create something truly remarkable. Taking into account all the meticulous work that goes on in the background, from prop sourcing and costume designing to set building and rehearsing, I’m consistently amazed at how these seemingly disparate elements come together to form an audacious performance. My experiences in theater have been nothing short of engrossing; immersing myself in each play and luxuriating in its unique atmosphere is one of my favorite pastimes.”

Casey LaMorte *Audrina Brown*

Casey is excited to be in her first show with Key Players as she has been watching the Keys Players since she was five. As a Keys kid she is excited to join the cast! When not on the stage you can find her chasing after her two beautiful daughters or working in the operating room at Mariners Hospital.



Erykah Moses *Traci Rutherford-Smythe*

You may have seen her as “Crystal” or “Chiffon” from The Keys players production of *Little Shop of Horrors* or even as a few different singing characters from our winter show, *I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change*. They're absolutely excited to continue in the spotlight...and to hopefully say “I do” by the time the sun goes down!



Cast

Andrew Fleites

Angel Martin

Casey LaMorte

Erykah Moses

Jax Terrasa

Patrice Messina

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Director - Jonelle Kop

Set Designer - Cristina Salvesen

Stage Manager – Jessie Smith

Costumes & Props – Jonelle Kop, Mary-Margaret Dale, and the cast

Lights - Jonelle Kop and Brad Shank

Sound – Bob Auer, Jonelle Kop, Paul Messina and Brad Shank

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Jax Terrasa *Candy*

Jax likes theater; it has the ability to transport audiences into an entirely different world, with the power of its grandiose sets and astounding performances. The spectacle can evoke a range of emotions – bemusement, exhilaration, enchantment – in ways that no other art form can match. When not on the stage, Jax is a part time barista at the Key Largo Starbucks and enjoys riding their motorcycle through the Keys.



Patrice Messina *Beatrice Rutherford-Smythe*

Patrice is a native NY. girl, who flew for Eastern Airlines for 17 years, giving her the opportunity to pursue music recording in various Studios on the West coast and Miami. After moving to the Keys with husband Paul in 1995, she “accidentally” ended up at a Key Players audition and so the love of stage began! Since then she has been on the KP Board of Directors and served as a past President. She has enjoyed every minute of acting, directing, producing, etc., many wonderful shows and Murder Mysteries over the years! It’s been a while since being on stage so she’s very excited to be playing the disapproving, “uppity and annoying,” aristocratic, blue-blooded Mother of the Bride, who slowly succumbs to the “Mystique of Lovers Landing!”

Her “off-stage” life is a Realtor for LoKation Real Estate, but she also enjoys substitute teaching; cooking contests, the water, and doing a bit of singing around town. She loves the comedies and truly believes it’s the laughter that REALLY keeps you young!



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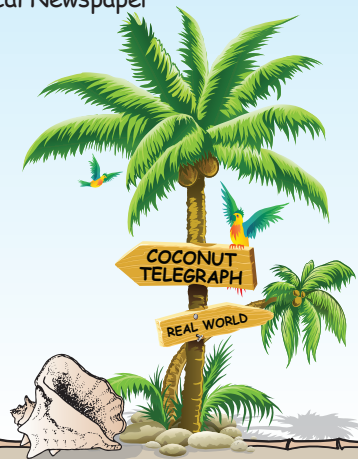
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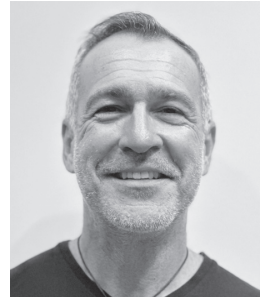
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Robert Pozo Wilberforce “Bubba” Brown

Robert is thrilled to make his second appearance on stage with Key Players. He was previously seen as Duke, the maniacal, stripper loving, marker huffing, “Okie” in *The Great American Trailer Park Musical*. He has been itching to get back on stage in his sophomore appearance as the resort maintenance manager, entertainment director, and part-time bookie, Bubba “Wilberforce” Brown. He is also channeling his inner “drag” when he has to step into the shoes of the resort’s “eccentric” eloping wedding planner.



Robert was born in Miami and only moved south from there... to the Keys, 4 years ago. He enjoys spear fishing, watching Formula 1, all things football (soccer), and going to the theater with his daughter, but most of all spending his life with his wonderful wife Gaby and seeing their phenomenal daughter Nina-Nicole become a superstar! “With mirth and laughter let old wrinkles come” - William Shakespeare. Be kind to each other and accepting of each other in this crazy world.

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