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Director

TIM DRUCKER



SETTING

Manhattan, New York City in the late 1990s

FRIENDS! *The Musical Parody* has a running time of
1 hour and 45 minutes, including intermission.

Originally produced in New York City by Lynn Shore Entertainment,
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WHO'S WHO



SAMI GRIFFITH

(Rachel Green) grew up in Reno, Nevada watching *Friends* every Thursday night with her mom, dad and sister. She is a proud

graduate of UC San Diego and CAP21 Conservatory and is grateful to have been a part of *Friends! The Musical* Off-Broadway. She sends her love to Avalon Artists & her coaches, her family & friends, and her lobster, Seth. SamiGriffith.com



TYLER FROMSON

(Ross Geller) is thrilled to be joining this wacky group of people! He was most recently seen as Bobby C in *Saturday Night Fever* (Royal

Caribbean). Other regional credits: *Little Shop of Horrors* (Seymour), *Newsies* (Romeo), *Urinetown* (Bobby Strong), *Einstein Is A Dummy* (Albert), and *A Midsummer Night's Dream* (Demetrius). BA Theatre Arts/Music, Pepperdine University. Thanks to his family for unending support, and Nicole for all your hard work. IG: @t_from



MAGGIE McMEANS

(Monica Geller) is a recent graduate of the NYU Tisch School of the Arts. Her theater credits include *Going South*, *Top Girls*, *Romeo and Juliet*, and *Dog Sees God: Confessions of a Teenage Blockhead*. This is her first time on tour. She gives her thanks to her family and friends for all of their support! Follow her on social media at @coolbeansmcmmeans.



SETH BLUM

(Chandler Bing) is reprising the role of Chandler in his first national tour, fresh off a 10-month off-Broadway run in NYC. This is Seth's

fourth parody musical with writers Bob and Tobly McSmith. Off-Broadway: *Bayside! The Musical* (Mr. Belding), *Full House! The Musical* (Uncle Joey), *90210! The Musical* (Steve Sanders). Other NYC credits include lead roles in: *Standby the Musical* (Fringe NYC Encore Series 2012), *Hush the Musical* (Fringe 2011), and *That Lady from Maxim's* (NYMF 2013). Seth studies acting with Stuart Burney and is a singer/songwriter/guitarist with his original rock band Six Each. He was a public HS math teacher for 15 years and has eight published letters in *The New York Times*. Read them (and more) at SethBlumNYC.com or @SethBNYC.



MADISON FULLER

(Phoebe Buffay) grew up in Atlanta. She has watched *Friends* every night for the past ten years and is thrilled to be portraying her

favourite character, Phoebe Buffay. Madison is a proud graduate of the University of Northern Colorado. Recent roles include: Joanna in *Sweeney Todd*, Maria in *The Sound of Music*, and various princesses on Disney Cruise Line. Madison thanks her friends, family, and ATB for all of their love and support! @madison_fuller



DOMENIC SERVIDIO

(Joey Tribbiani) is over the moon to be making his national tour debut! He recently toured Europe on Viking Cruises as a lead

vocalist and has performed regionally at The Maltz Jupiter Theatre, Gablestage, Palm

Beach Dramaworks, Totem Pole Playhouse, The Orlando Rep, and Slow Burn Theatre (where he received a Carbonell nomination for playing Kurt Kelly in *Heathers*). Domenic lives in NYC. BFA Musical Theatre from UF. Endless thanks to the *Friends!* creative team for this opportunity. Follow his adventures on Instagram: @domdomservidio



JENNA CORMEY (Swing)

is thrilled to be on the road with *Friends! The Musical Parody*. Recent projects include: National Tours: *Dragons Love Tacos & Other*

Stories (TWUSA), Off-Broadway: *In Love With The Arrow Collar Man*, NYC: *Godspell*. FDU '16. Much love to her family and friends who encourage her bizarre sense of humor (this is your fault), especially her Mom and Dad. JennaCormey.com @jennacormey



CLINT HROMSCO (Swing)

Off-Broadway: *It Came from Beyond*, *Lili Marlene*, *Flight School* (Original Cast Recording). National Tours: *Jekyll & Hyde*, *Wizard of Oz*,

Nickelodeon's Storytime Live! NYC: *Your Name on My Lips*, *The Secret Garden*, *Yosef*. TV/Film: *Mysteries at the Museum*, *Airplane Repot*, *Subramanyam for Sale*, *Mortal Instruments: City of Bones*, *Girls*, *White Collar*, *666 Park Avenue*. Clint has appeared in commercials and print ads, and is a principle voice in the Korean animated series, *Helping Hedgehog*. He has directed/choreographed for Vital Theatre Co. and Write Act Rep. BFA: Ithaca College. Thank you to Mom, Dad and Jeffrey for all of their love and support. ClintHromsco.com

TIM DRUCKER (Director) is a New York-based writer/director. Most recently, he directed the long running off-Broadway comedy *Sex Tips for Straight Women* currently playing in Vegas and on tour. He co-wrote the off-broadway musicals *Gigantic*, *Spidermusical*

and *Perez Hilton Saves the Universe*, in addition to directing *Spidermusical* and the OBAA-winning *Stinkykids!* His work has been seen at Ars Nova, Lincoln Center, Joe's Pub and 54 Below. BFA: NYU Tisch

BILLY GRIFFIN (Choreographer) is a New York City-based artist. Select choreography credits include *Matthew McConaughey vs. The Devil: An American Myth* (NYMF); the Drama League Gala (honoring Steve Martin); and various works for Hershey Park, Issac Mizrahi and QVC, The Miss America Organization, The National YoungArts Foundation, Fleetweek at South Street Seaport, New York University, The Joffrey Ballet, Pace University and the Hudson Valley Dance Festival. Associate/Assistant credits include work with Sonya Tayeh, Josh Bergasse, Andy Blankenbuhler and Al Blackstone. IG: @SillyBillyGriffin BillyGriffinOnline.com

BOB & TOBLY McSMITH (Writers) are distinguished gentlemen who met while applying for jobs at the Dippin' Dots in the mall. They did not get the job but went on to create the following masterpieces: *The Office! A Musical Parody* (now playing Off-Broadway in NYC), *Friends! The Musical Parody*, *Bayside! The Saved by the Bell Musical* (NY Times Critics Pick), *Full House! The Musical* (starring Perez Hilton), *Katdashians! The Musical*, *Showgirls! The Musical!* and *JonBenet! Murder Mystery Theater*. (LOOK AT US NOW, DIPPIN' DOTS.)

ASSAF GLEIZNER (Music & Orchestrations)

Favourite credits include: Broadway: *Stephen Scwhartz 70th Birthday Concert*, featuring Hugh Jackman & Renee Fleming (Hudson Theater) – Orchestrator. *Arts For Autism*, featuring Kelly O'Hara & Julia Murney (Gershwin Theater) – Orchestrator. Off-Broadway: *Friends! The Musical Parody* (St. Luke's Theater) – Composer, Orchestrator.

RIGHT ANGLE ENTERTAINMENT (Producer)

Specializing in the production, marketing, management and distribution of live theatrical and concert events, RAE's proud roster includes: David Dobrik & Jason Nash's VIEWS Tour, Cat & Nat's The FUN Show, the

world premiere of *The Office! A Musical Parody*, *One Woman Sex and the City*, *Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer*, *The Price is Right LIVE!* and *Elvis and Me: An Evening with Priscilla Presley* among others.

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