U.I.L. 3AAA REGION IV AREA 2 2018 ONE-ACT PLAY AREA CONTEST

Contest Site: Tuloso-Midway Performing Arts Center

2653 McKinzie, Corpus Christi, TX 78410

Monday, March 26, 2018

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Adjudicators:

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Congratulations on advancing from Bi-District competition and welcome to the Area Contest!

Scripts: Please express mail your scripts to all three adjudicators <u>as soon as possible</u>! Please <u>DO NOT require a signature</u> in order for the adjudicators to receive the packages. Please attach a note inside and/or mark on the outside of the envelope "3A Area Contest March 26 at Tuloso - Midway".

Mailing Addresses:

Don Luna: 6605 Whitewing Drive, Corpus Christi, Texas

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Eric Porter: 1402 W. Patton Apt. A, Houston Texas 77009

Kim Martin: 301 Post Oak Drive, Baytown, Texas 77520

The U.I.L. Region IV Area 2 – 3AAA Area One-Act Play Contest entry fee is: \$600.00.

Please make checks payable to: Tuloso-Midway I.S.D.

PLEASE BRING YOUR CHECK TO YOUR OFFICIAL REHEARSAL!

Rehearsal Schedule: All schools will rehearse on **Monday, March 26**. The first official rehearsal will begin promptly at 7am, with a ten minute break between each official rehearsal. Rehearsals will be conducted in performance order.

7:00am-8:00amHigh School8:10am-9:10amHigh School9:20am-10:20amHigh School10:30am-11:30amHigh School11:40am-12:40pmHigh School12:50pm-1:50pmHigh School

Other conflicts can be considered to set the rehearsal schedule. The contest manager will email an official rehearsal schedule once the advancing schools from Bi-District have been determined.

Please arrive at the Performing Arts Center at least 30 minutes prior to your official rehearsal.

Directors/Adjudicators Meeting: 2:00 p.m. Location: TMHS Library. Contest Start Time: 3:00 p.m.

Shows will run back to back, with a 20 minute intermission between the 3rd and 4th performance.

Please bring the following with you to your rehearsal:

- State approval for any set additions
- State approval for a play not on the approved list, if applicable
- Evidence of royalty payment
- Publisher's approval for play cuts
- · Sound log and script marked with sound cues
- Standards Compliance Form

Performance Order: A blind draw was conducted by the contest manager and school administrator on January 11, 2018. The plays "1", "2", "3" are determined alphabetically by play titles of the advancing plays. See UIL OAP handbook for details. The area contest begins at 3:00 p.m. The first play will set up at 2:53 p.m. *Shows will run back to back, with a 20 minute intermission between the 3rd and 4th performance.*

1 st Show:	District 28/29	Bi-District A	"1"
2 nd Show:	District 28/29	Bi-District B	"2"
3 rd Show:	District 31/32	Bi-District B	"1"
4 th Show:	District 31/32	Bi-District B	"3"
5 th Show:	District 28/29	Bi-District A	"3"
6 th Show:	District 31/32	Bi-District A	"2"

Tickets: \$8.00 General Admission tickets may be purchased at the Box Office the day of the contest. Comp tickets will provided for cast and crew members, directors, alternates, and bus drivers.

Directions to the Dr. Sue Nelson Performing Arts

Center:

Traveling From North

Take Highway 37 South towards Corpus Christi. Exit McKinzie Road. Turn RIGHT onto McKinzie. Travel past the first light intersection, Leopard Street. At the second light intersection, Haven, make a RIGHT hand

turn, there you will see Tuloso-Midway High School ahead on the RIGHT hand side and a large architectural maroon "box"; the Dr. Sue Nelson Performing Arts Center.

Traveling From South

Take Highway 37 North towards San Antonio, Exit McKinzie Road. Turn LEFT onto McKinzie. Travel past the first light intersection, Leopard Street. At the second light intersection, Haven, make a RIGHT hand turn, there you will see Tuloso- Midway High School ahead on the RIGHT hand side and a large architectural maroon "box"; the Dr. Sue Nelson Performing Arts Center.

About the Facility:

- The stage is a 39'9" wide proscenium theatre with approximately 28' of depth from the main curtain to the back curtain.
- There is an apron that is approximately 8' from the curtain line to the front edge of the stage.
- There are three black leg curtains, one black mid-traveler curtain, one black back curtain and one cyclorama.
- All leg curtains are dead hung; they cannot be pulled more onstage or more offstage. Please specify to the host stage crew during your official rehearsal if you would like to have a specific leg or curtain flown out.
- All curtain pulls are operated from Stage Left.
- Each side of the stage has about 8' of wing space available with masking curtains to hide performers from the audience.
- The crossover behind the back curtain to the back wall measures 4'
- Communication headsets operate from both sides of the stage and in the control booth.
- A total of 16 Edison-style electrical outlets are available throughout the stage.

Lighting System Specs:

The lighting system operates on an ETC ION computer control board. Manual operation is recommended although recording cues to a USB/Flash drive is permissible. Recording cues must be done within the official rehearsal period. The host site crew is available to assist with recording, although the host site crew is not responsible for cues that do not get entered due to the lack of time, overall preparation, etc.

The lighting areas are focused in 15 areas on the stage, 5 across the apron, 5 across the mid-stage area and 5 along the back. A blue, green and red wash will also be available. Please note: these colors are full stage washes and not available in single acting areas. Only one color may be used at a time.

Lighting is controlled from the mid-house control booth. A host crew student will be available to assist your crew with the light board.

Sound System Specs:

The sound system is a Yamaha CL3 professional mixing console. A CD player <u>OR</u> an auxiliary cord is available for any iTouch type of device for your sound/music purposes. A choice must be made between the use of CD or the auxiliary cord, but not both. Sound is controlled from the mid-house control booth. A host crew student will be available to assist your crew with the sound board.

<u>Dressing Room</u>s

Each competing school will be assigned a classroom space that will serve as its dressing room for the contest. Supplies such as extension cords, mirrors, costume racks, etc. WILL NOT be provided; each school is responsible for providing their own preparation needs. Each school may move into its classroom upon arrival the day of your contest. Please keep and leave your school's dressing room clean and neat at all times. Food and Drink **ARE PERMITTED** in your **school's dressing room** provided each school clean up after themselves.

Unit Set Elements

- TMISD will provide: one (1) single window (no screen), one (1) set of French doors, two (2) Door units one opens left and one opens right
- Twelve (12) black sandbags are available

- Two (2) spotlights are available
- · Each school's set/prop storage will be located in the scene shop
- UIL Unit Set (including any UIL pieces you bring) will be located SL
- Each school will be assigned a classroom, to be utilized as a holding room/dressing room. Costume racks and mirrors will not be provided. Please remember to bring your own costuming needs, power strips and extension cords for your preparation; these items will not be provided

Local Restaurants/Food Choices

Chili's: (361) 241-7667 4120 Us Hwy 77 Corpus Christi, Texas (5.5 miles from TMHS)

Dairy Queen: (361) 242-2102

11101 Leopard St. Corpus Christi, Texas (1.7 miles from TMHS)

Jason's Deli: (361) 992-4649 *Delivers 1416 Airline Rd.

Corpus Christi, Texas (18.9 miles from TMHS)

McDonald's: (361) 242-9103

11202 Leopard St. Corpus Christi, Texas (1.7 miles from TMHS)

Rigattoni's Italian Restaurant: (361) 241-4549

10501 Leopard St. Suite A Corpus Christi, Texas (0.9 miles from TMHS)

Schlotzsky's: (361) 241-4444

11326 Leopard St. Corpus Christi, Texas (1.8 miles from TMHS)

Subway: (361) 241-9227

11101 Leopard St. Corpus Christi, Texas (1.7 miles from TMHS)

Taco Bell: (361) 242-1414

11328 Leopard St. Corpus Christi, Texas (1.8 miles from TMHS)

Whataburger: (361) 241-9358

4545 Violet Rd. Corpus Christi, Texas (1.8 miles from TMHS)

Hotel Recommended:

Springhill Suites in

Corpus Christi 361-834-3749