

Santa Clara Players

Present

Cahoots

By Rick Johnston



May 27- June 18, 2016

Production Staff

Producer George Doeltz
Director. Bill Starr
Stage Manager Sara Doeltz
Set Design. George Doeltz
Lighting Design. George Doeltz
Costumes. Amy Conners
Set Construction and Decoration George Doeltz, Craig Leventon
Debbie Doeltz, Sarah Joy Cabana
Production Flyer and Program George Doeltz
Technical Operator Sara Doeltz
Photography Steve Stubbs
Box Office. George Doeltz
Opening Night Reception. Debbie Doeltz, Audrey Matthews
SCP Board
Opening Night Flowers Daisy Palmer

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In Memoriam

Elsie Riddle was a long time member of the Santa Clara Players Board of Directors. She was the volunteer co-ordinator. Many of you will remember her telephone calls arranging for intermission refreshments. Elsie also worked as part of the Opening Night Reception. She will be greatly missed.

Cast

Ken Andy Cooperfauss
Al..... Jerry Rosas
Lois Sarah Kishler
Jan Rachelle Abbey
Grant..... Nick Dale

The setting is Ken and Jan's apartment in a Manhattan high rise.

There will be one fifteen minute intermission. During the intermission you are invited to the lobby for refreshments as the guest of the Santa Clara Players. If you must smoke, please do so off the wooden deck.

About the Players

The *Santa Clara Players* is a non-profit community theater group dedicated to wholesome entertainment. We provide an opportunity for anyone with dramatic or stagecraft aspirations to work with experienced directors and producers. We provide high quality, family theater for the enjoyment of the citizens of Santa Clara and the surrounding areas.

Santa Clara Players Board of Directors:

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The Cast

Andy Cooperfauss (Ken) - Andy is delighted to return to Santa Clara Players for the second time this season after having played Freddy in *Picasso at the Lapin Agile*. Favorite credits include *Les Miserables* and *Hairspray* with South Bay Musical Theatre, and *Jesus Christ Superstar* with West Valley Light Opera. In real life, he works as Editor-in-Chief at gaming website and retailer ChannelFireball.com.

Jerry Rosas (Al) - Jerry is thrilled to be back at Santa Clara Players with this wonderful cast! It is an absolute pleasure to be in this crazy show with this group of actors. Future productions: Limelight Actors' Theater's *Lend Me A Tenor* (Max) and Los Altos Stage Company's *Assassins*. Recent roles: Landmark Musical Theatre's West Coast premier of *The Boy From Oz* (Chris Bell), San Benito Stage Company's *The Subject Is Love* (Featured Soloist); Gavilan Theatre's *Evita* (Che), Limelight Actor's Theater's *Boeing Boeing* (Robert Lambert). Other roles: SCP's *Pippin* (Leading Player), *Jesus Christ Superstar* (Judas), *A Chorus Line* (Greg); WVLO's *Crazy For You* (Bobby Child), *White Christmas* (Phil Davies), and *Sugar* (Jerry/Daphne); SBMT's *Promises, Promises* (Mr. Kirkeby), Teatro Vision's *Hero* (Junior), *Bless Me, Ultima* (Andrew); Santa Clara Players' *Nana's Naughty Knickers* (Tom O'Grady), and Dragon Theatre's staged reading *The Killing Jar* (De La Cruz) and a whole lot more. Special thanks to the production staff and cast for a fun, amazing and exciting experience. Insane amounts of love and thanks to his Munster and dear friends, Zohar Dance teachers, Bill Starr, and family for putting up with his wacky schedule! Most importantly, THANK YOU for #supportingtheArts! www.jeryrosas.com

Rachelle Abbey (Jan) - Rachelle Abbey (Jan) is delighted to be making her debut at Santa Clara Players in this hilarious play. She was most recently seen as “Joan” in WVLO’s *Dames at Sea*. Favorite roles include “Penny” in *Hairspray* (SBMT), “Maisie” in *The Boyfriend* (WVLO), “Val” in *A Chorus Line* (SCP), and “Audrey” in *Little Shop of Horrors* (SCP). When not on stage she enjoys forms of social dancing such as lindy hop and ballroom as well as tennis and choir. By day she is a Research Associate who is currently studying cancer.

Sarah Kishler (Lois) - Sarah has been involved with Santa Clara Players for over a decade, but this is the first time she's acted in all three shows of the season. She played the much more happily married Nicola in *Agatha Crusty and the Murder Mystery Dinner* and the much more quickly exiting female admirer in *Picasso at the Lapin Agile*. She has also been seen on other local stages such as Northside Theatre, Dragon Theatre, and Palo Alto Players. By day, Sarah is a librarian at the beautiful Martin Luther King Library in San Jose. It's a wonderful place. There are people there who still read books.

Nick Dale (Grant) - Nick is honored to be a part of Santa Clara Players' production of *Cahoots*. This is his first show with this fun company, and his third with director Bill Starr. This fast-paced, witty comedy sees Nick in the role of Allen C. Grant, a security officer who sees more than anyone bargained for. Nick is the manager of a sandwich shop in San Jose, and enjoys film and literature when not working or on stage. He thanks everyone who came to see the show for supporting Santa Clara Players and local theatre, and hopes you all enjoy the show!

Bill Starr (Director) -He is the recipient of the Bay Area Theater Critics Circle Outstanding Achievement Award for his work on *Irving Berlin, In Review*, and also was nominated for a Top Honors Award for his direction of *Lucky Stiff*. Bill directed and choreographed such shows as *Carousel* in San Jose, *Drowsy Chaperone* in Foster City, *Bye Bye Birdie* and *Fiddler* at the Mt. View Performing Arts Center, *South Pacific* in Woodside. He adds Mel Brooks’ *The Producers* in Foster City, and *Thoroughly Modern Millie* in Woodside to his resume. He will be directing *A Chorus Line* in the beginning of 2017, and the premiere of *Sister Act* in Foster City next May. “This is my 1st production at SCP with this amazing staff and talented cast.” Bill works at Stanford University in the Stanford Live department which oversees the new Bing Concert Hall. His motto is: “Keeping live theatre ALIVE”!

Amy Conners (Costumer) - Amy has enjoyed working with SCP since her first show here, *The Heidi Chronicles*. Since then, she has been lucky enough to be involved either on stage or costuming various shows. Amy graduated from San Jose State with a BA in Theater Arts. She has been involved in the Bay Area theater and television scene as an actor, producer, costumer and director.

And don't miss the summer's production of:

The Foursome



by Norm Foster

Rick, Ted, Donnie, and Cameron are home for their fifteen-year college reunion; a great time to go out for a game of golf and catch up on each other's lives. Unlike their college days, the conversation doesn't include talk of beer and final exams, but of colonoscopies, home-security systems, alcoholism, Buddhism, and more.

July 15-31, 2016

L. Alaburda	Cheryl Haylock	Jim & Marian Narveson
Rae Alexander	Deanna Hisaw	Gerri Nedley
Kathy Allen	Luis Horvath	Ken Nordheim
Joi Anderson	Mr. & Mrs. Roland Houtz	John & Danette O'Keefe
Mary Baker	Debbie Hoyle	Vi Oliphant
Dolores Benenato	Marlene Hruby	Daisy Palmer
Trixie Bentley	Jackie & Al Hughes	Gene Pashby
Diane R. Bromstead	John Hyatt	Judith Pell
Douglas Brooner	Sarah Kishler	Pam Peters
Judy Busch	Nina Klepac	Patty Peterson
Jo Callaway	Mark Knudsen	Laddie & Janet Petrucha
Sylvia & Art Carroll	Beverly Korbay	Nina Phillips
Cecilia Cavacas	Robert Kosovilka	Jean Pond
Belinda Chan	Michael Kurty	Anne Pound
Ann Christiansen	Bruce & Deborah La Fetra	Caren Raterman
Glenn Cody	Thomas Law	Alice and David Ray
Steve Corelis	Sandy Lee	Suzanne Regul
Tim Craig	Jolene Lema	Elsie Riddle
Pat Cross	Pamela Letourneau	Arlene Rose
Nancy Daniher	Jeanie & Craig Leventon	Joanne & Algis Rudinskask
John & Ginger Deem	Martin Liss/Susan Zaslau	Linda & Larry Saltman
Margaret Demorest	Holly Lofgren	Margaret & Ken Schieck
Lorraine Denenberg	Jack & Jane Lueder	Marlene & Frank Serrano
Betty Di Vita	Maxine Lukins	Rosemay Shaffer
George & Debbie Doeltz	Carole Lupfer	Debra Shahmirza
Nora Dorr	Dorothy Luth	Lina Shvydka
Mrs. Graham Douthwaite	Audry Lynch	Myrna Smith
Carol L. Emmons	Peggy Lynch	Craig & Diane Snedeker
Patricia & Don Erickson	Frances Madden	Sally & Jack Stallard
Ruth Evans	Sherree Maniotes	John Steck
Lawrence Fargher	Donna Marencia	Diane Sutherland
Lou Faria/ Bob Blake	Ada McDaniel	Ed & Martha Sutton
Ashley Faus	Gladys McFarland	Marcia Sutton
Florence Fiancé	Elizabeth McLaughlin	Jerry & Cay Ellen Thornley
Anne Fleisher	Sharon Merrill	Colleen Tresaden
Richard Flynn	Myrna Moore	Karie Vaughan
Joanne Franklin	Stephen Moore	Darlene Volkey
Nita Frick	Lydia Morales	Yvonne Wagener
Harriett Glass	Doreen Morgan	Jo Anna Watt
Alma Guillot	Inez Munoz	Janice Wentz
Penny Hall	Betty & Howard Myers	Dorothy Wilson
Joan Halperin		Kim Wulforth