

HESSTON COLLEGE THEATRE PRESENTS

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THE HOUSE AT POOH CORNER



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DIRECTOR'S NOTES

I was always entertained by Pooh as a child. As an adult, I marvel at the simplicity and beauty A.A. Milne slipped into the fluffy, little mouths of those fictional creatures. Pooh's wisdom was without ego and seemed to always capture the exact explanation of a feeling or concern.

“It never hurts to keep looking for sunshine.”

—Eeyore

“When you are a Bear of Very Little Brain, and you Think of Things, you find sometimes that a Thing which seemed very Thingish inside you is quite different when it gets out into the open and has other people looking at it.”

—Winnie the Pooh

“If people are upset because you've forgotten something, console them by letting them know you didn't forget—you just weren't remembering.”

—Winnie the Pooh

“You're braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think.”

—Christopher Robin

“A hug is always the right size.”

—Winne-the Pooh

“If you live to be a hundred, I hope I live to be a hundred minus one day, so that I never have to live a day without you.”

—Winnie the Pooh

Find the wisdom, sincerity and joy wrapped in a bunch of fluff. Enjoy the show.
Rachel Jantzi, director

- There will be time after the show to take photos with characters in front of the pages of our story.
- Run time is approximately one hour with no intermission.
- No filming as it is a violation of licensing laws.
- Please turn off phones and all electronic devices for the courtesy of the performers and the audience.

Time: Childhood...Long ago for some, yesterday for others

Place: The woods near Pooh's cottage

CAST (in order of appearance)

Rabbit.....	Phoebe Kolb
Kanga.....	Celaine Worden*
Roo.....	Rebecca Shuart**
Piglet.....	Alexis Driscoll
Pooh.....	Malaree Hood*
Eeyore.....	Smilla Burklin
Owl.....	Heidi Hochstetler*
Tigger.....	Josh Fleming
Christopher Robin.....	Destry Belshe**

*Hesston College faculty/staff

**community member

PRODUCTION TEAM

Director.....	Rachel Jantzi
Costume Construction/Design.....	Tiffany Adams
Scenic Design/Sound Editing.....	Doug Peters
Scene Shop Manager, Scenic Carpenter.....	Jim Diller
Scenic Carpenter.....	Phil Hoffman
Props/Sound Design.....	Rachel Jantzi
Sound Board Operator.....	Mark Leard
Sound Assistant.....	Quinn Yoder
House Manager.....	Emily Miller
Guest Assistant Stage Manager.....	Sienna Belshe

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UPCOMING PERFORMING ARTS EVENTS

- Student Recital - Alyssa Burkholder and Alyssa Nolt, May 13, 2 p.m., sanctuary, Hesston Mennonite Church (HMC)
- Student Recital - Takuto Kametsu, violin, May 13, 4 p.m., sanctuary, HMC
- International Chorale Concert, May 13, 7 p.m., sanctuary, HMC
- Theatre Showcase, May 14, 1 p.m., Black Box Theater, Keim Center
- Student Recital - Anna Banman, Meg Beyer and Kelly Miller, May 14, 2 p.m., sanctuary, HMC
- Student Recital - Aidan Swartzendruber and Isaac Tice, May 14, 4 p.m., sanctuary, HMC
- Summer Theatre Camp, June 13 to 18; www.hesston.edu/theatrecamp