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**2013-2014 Theatre & Dance
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The University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point
Department of Theatre & Dance

Presents

next to normal

music by **Tom Kitt**

book and lyrics by **Brian Yorkey**

Director

Tyler Marchant*

Stage Manager

Emily Lowney

Assistant Director

Kate Kierzkowski

Scenic Designer

Gregory Kaye*

Lighting Designer

Tyler Turinske

Costume Designer

Christy Siebers

Properties Designer

Hayden Kraus

Technical Director

Ethan Rosing

Sound Engineering

Gary G. Olsen*, Alan Patrick Kenny

Technical Director-Mentor

Scott Wirtz-Olsen*

Choreographer

Allegra Berglund

Music Director

Alan Patrick Kenny*

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Cast

Diana.....Hanna Gaffney

Dan.....John Ford-Dunker

Gabe.....Micah Wallace

Natalie.....Tatyana Nahirniak

Henry.....Luke Bradt

Dr. Fine/Dr. Madden.....Bryce Dutton

Musicians

Alan Patrick Kenny

Musical Director/Piano/Conductor

Anita Zerbe.....Violin/Synthesizer

JannaLynne Beilke-Skoug.....Cello

Nicholas Gauer.....Electric/Acoustic Guitar

Alexander Ferkey.....Electric/Acoustic Bass

Andrew Cameron.....Percussion

Production Staff

Assistant Music Director/Choreographer	Allegra Berglund
Assistant Stage Manager	Ellen Reid and Michelle Rodriguez
Scenic Artist	Hannah Conger
Associate Scenic Designer	Emily Lotz
Assistant Scenic Designer	Marisa Abbott
Assistant Lighting Designer	Cody Bussian
Sound Mixer	Deidre Buckles
Properties Assistant	Talvick Hook
Costume Run Crew	McKenna Emerine, Steph Lesperance Alex Nosrati, Marty Rayn, Kurt Wallgren
Deck Run Crew	Sam Adamsson, Sydney Enzler Damarko Gordy-Dean, Robert Goszkowicz, Ryan McDowell Claire Nystrom, Justin Spanbauer, Aaryn Wertz
Costume Shop Manager	Wendy Dolan*
Cutter/Draper	Barbara Cirno*
Scene Shop Manager	Scott Wirtz-Olsen*
Costume Shop Assistants	Molly Adams, Silvia Bond Ivy Boudreau, Kiah Fischer, Hanna Gaffney, Abigail Herold Alyssa Janco, Emily Lotz, Emily Lowney, Tatyana Nahiriak Talia Newton, Daniel Rigamer, Christy Siebers, Kelsey Yudice
Scene Shop Assistants	Marisa Abbot, John Ford-Dunker, Jacob Gerard Alex Gudding, Daniel Halminiak, Hayden Kraus, Jordan Krsnak Brandon Mix, Jeremy Moen, Ashley Stock, Carl Swanson, Joe Tufte
Scene & Costume Shop	Theatre & Dance Practicum Students
Academic Department Associate	Ruth Daniels*
Theatre & Dance Office Student Assistants	Allegra Berglund Alyssa Casey, Abbey Immer, Tori Mittelman
House Managers	Korinne Griffith, Krystina Hawkinson Elise Lueneburg, Talia Newton, Trina Zieher
Public Relations Assistants	Theatre & Dance Practicum Students

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Meet the Company

Abbott, Marisa (*Assistant Scenic Designer*) Sophomore BFA Design Technology major from Oconomowoc, WI. Recipient of the Neale Continuing Academic Scholarship and the Anne Gilfry Schierl Design Technology Scholarship.

Beilke-Skoug, JannaLynne (*Cello*) Junior BS Music, Biology and Pre-Physician Assistant major from Madison, WI.

Berglund, Allegra (*Assistant Music Director/Choreographer*) Senior BFA Musical Theatre major from Fargo, ND. Recipient of the Florence and Arlene West Scholarship.

Bradt, Luke (*Henry*) Senior BFA Musical Theatre major from Maplewood, MN. Recipient of the Musical Theatre Scholarship.

Buckles, Deidre (*Sound Mixer*) Sophomore BA Drama and BS Psychology major from Chippewa Falls, WI.

Bussian, Cody (*Assistant Lighting Designer*) Sophomore BS Communication - Media Studies major from Waupaca, WI. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Incoming Freshman in Design Technology Scholarship.

Cameron, Andrew (*Percussion*) Senior BM Music-Appld Percussion major from Appleton, WI.

Conger, Hannah (*Scenic Artist*) Freshman BFA Design Technology major from Neenah, WI.

Dutton, Bryce (*Dr. Fine/Dr. Madden*) Junior BFA Musical Theatre major from Detroit Lakes, MN. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Musical Theatre Scholarship.

Ferkey, Alexander (*Electric/Acoustic Bass*) Junior SUM Music Education and Music Applied Strings major from Wisconsin Rapids, WI.

Ford-Dunker, John (*Dan*) Senior BFA Musical Theatre major from Fargo, ND. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Scholarship in Musical Theatre, the Theatre in London Scholarship and the James Mueller Scholarship.

Gaffney, Hanna (*Diana*) Senior BFA Acting major from Oconomowoc, WI. Recipient of the Kassi Dallmann Memorial Scholarship.

Gauer, Nicholas (*Electric/Acoustic Guitar*) Senior SUM Jazz Studies major from Manitowoc, WI.

Meet the Company

Hook, Talvick, (*Properties Assistant*) Sophomore BFA Design Technology major from Mount Horeb, WI.

Kierzkowski, Kate (*Assistant Director*) Junior BA Drama major from Lancaster, PA. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Incoming Freshman in Drama.

Kraus, Hayden (*Properties Master*) Junior BFA Design Technology major from Menasha, WI. Recipient of the James Vorland Technical Theatre Scholarship.

Lotz, Emily (*Associate Scenic Designer*) Senior BFA Design Technology major from Glendale, WI.

Lowney, Emily (*Stage Manager*) Junior BFA Design Technology major and History minor from Neenah, WI. Recipient of the Anne Gilfry Schierl Award in Design Technology and the COFAC Dedication Scholarship.

Nahirniak, Tatyana (*Natalie*) Junior BFA Musical Theatre major and Anthropology minor from Cottage Grove, WI. Recipient of the Theatre in London Scholarship.

Reid, Ellen (*Assistant Stage Manager*) Freshman BFA Design Technology major from Janesville, WI.

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Rosing, Ethan (*Technical Director*) Senior BFA Design Technology major from Milwaukee, WI.

Siebers, Christy (*Costume Designer*) Senior BFA Design Technology major from Whitefish Bay, WI. Recipient of the Mary Lou Holls Costume Scholarship.

Turinske, Tyler (*Lighting Designer*) Senior BFA Design Technology major from Waukesha, WI.

Wallace, Micah (*Gabe*) Senior BFA Musical Theatre major from Brodhead, WI.

Zerbe, Anita (*Violin/Synthesizer*) Senior BM Music Education and Philosophy major from Oshkosh, WI.

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