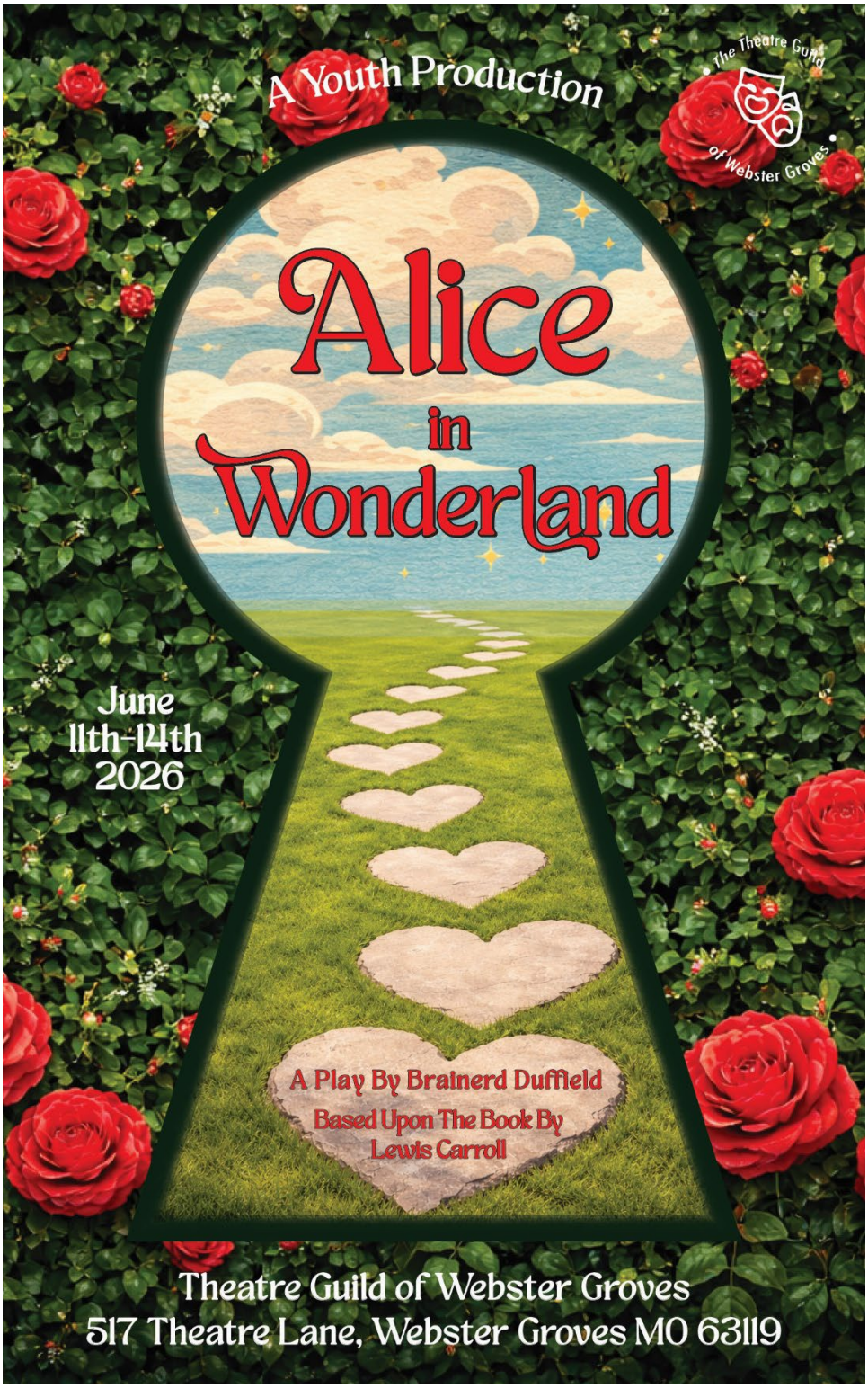
A Youth Production
The Theatre Guild of Webster Groves
Alice in Wonderland
June 11th-14th 2026
A Play By Brainerd Duffield
Based Upon The Book By Lewis Carroll
Theatre Guild of Webster Groves
517 Theatre Lane, Webster Groves MO 63119

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Committees will meet monthly throughout the 2026-2027 season. Interested? Email info@webstergrovestheatreguild.com.

Director's Note

Welcome to our fantastical world of Wonderland! Our extremely talented cast, ranging from ages 4 to 17, has worked hard over the past six weeks to bring this production to life! This is by far the largest cast I have ever directed, and I couldn't have asked for a more dedicated and creative group of kids. I am so grateful to their parents for their time, energy, and support throughout rehearsals. We would not have a show without them practicing lines, donating costumes, and of course driving their children to rehearsals!

Our production is visually beautiful thanks to my core creative team, Sarah Clay and Holly Meinert. They have worked tirelessly to source costumes and paint a gorgeous mural for our set. My gratitude extends to our significant others: Jack Connaghan, Mike Clay, and Kwame Toure respectively. Their support has allowed myself, Sarah, and Holly to fully focus on bringing our ideas to life.

And finally thank you to our audience, for supporting our theatre and cheering on these awesome kids! I know you will enjoy the whimsy and silliness of Alice In Wonderland!

Claire Hough

Assistant Director's Note

Thank you for joining us down the rabbit hole! I am very thankful to be Assistant Director for another wonderful youth production at TGWG! I love being part of a space where kids can express themselves creatively, find like-minded friends AND I get to spend time with my own kiddos. This cast has really blown us away with their talent and dedication: the dialogue isn't easy, the plot is kinda crazy, and they've taken it in stride! Thank you to Claire for asking me back, we've become one mind! Thanks to Holly and Kwame for their hard work, creativity and positive energy. Thanks to Jack, the sacrificial babysitter. Thanks to Ava and Eston for tolerating me as the bossy AD who doesn't always get to be just Mom. And most of all, to my generous husband Mike who has given me the space to truly disappear down a rabbit hole and hope I come back out at the end, THANK YOU!!!

Sarah Clay

The Theatre Guild of Webster Groves Proudly Presents….

Alice in Wonderland

By Brainerd Duffield

Directed by Claire Hough

June 11-14, 2026

ACT ONE:
- Adventure 1: Down the Rabbit Hole
- Adventure 2: The Pool of Tears
- Adventure 3: Caterpillar on a Mushroom
- Adventure 4: The House of the Duchess
- Adventure 5: Cheshire Cat in a Tree
- Adventure 6: The Mad Tea Party

ACT TWO:
- Adventure 7: The Royal Croquet Ground
- Adventure 8: Mock Turtle on a Beach
- Adventure 9: Who Stole the Tarts?
- Adventure 10: The Red Queen
- Adventure 11: Tweedledum and Tweedledee
- Adventure 12: The White Queen
- Adventure 13: Humpty Dumpty
- Adventure 14: Alice's Coronation

Average run time: 75 minutes

A 15 minute Intermission will take place between Act 1 and Act 2.

Production Staff

Director……..……..…….Claire Hough

Assistant Director……...…...……..Sarah Clay

Stage Manager……..……..……..…..…Jack Connaghan

Set Design……..….Holly Meinert

Costumes……..……Sarah Clay, Holly Meinert, Claire Hough

Set Construction……Sam Fluhr, Stephen Fluhr

Sound Design……Jack Connaghan

Light Design……Claire Hough

Props……Claire Hough

Special Thanks

The Repertory Theatre of St. Louis, Clark Elementary, Robin Desilets

Cast

Alice ……. Millie Eidelman

White Rabbit … Violet Vo

Queen of Hearts … Callie Novak

King of Hearts … Jude Fleck

Knave of Hearts … Gretl Desilets

The Executioner … Zane Reding

The Announcer … Willa Duenow

The Herald … Ethan Chao

Playing Cards … Lulu Johanning,
Summer Smith,
Lena Stahlheber

Mouse … June Riti

Caterpillar … Max Eidelman

Frog Footman … Ava Clay

Fish Footman … Dylan Smith

Cheshire Cat … Ava Hupp

Duchess … Morgan Skillington

Cook … Eston Clay

Baby … Gianni Toure

Mad Hatter … Caleb Biggs

March Hare … Zane Fleck

Dormouse … Teddy Sexton

Gryphon … Violet Shrader

Mock Turtle … Addie Odenwald

Red Queen … Leila Maki

White Queen … Margot Mead

Tweedledum … Akaiya Nouraie

Tweedledee … Marlina Landry

Humpty Dumpty … Courtney McNeily

Ensemble … Evie Abbacchi,
Genevieve Duenow,
Maggie Malloy

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