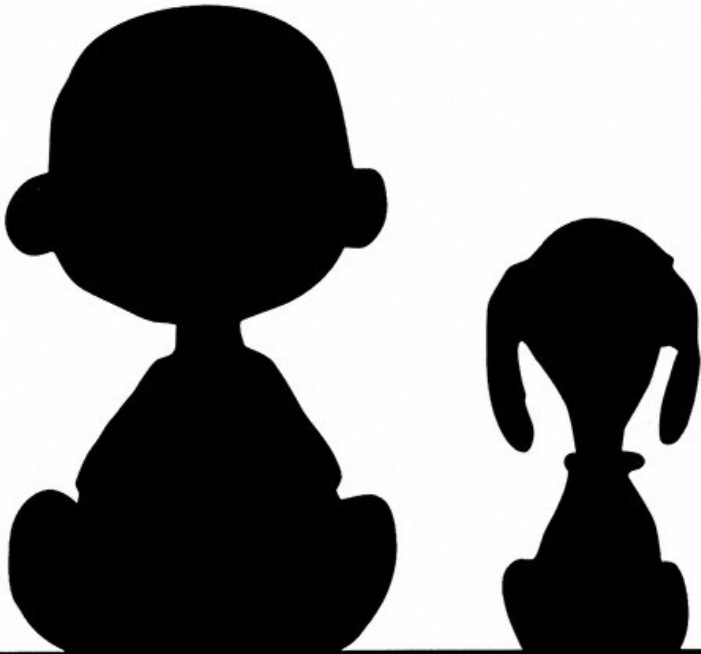


# FIRST CITY PLAYERS PRESENTS



YOU'RE A GOOD MAN,  
**CHARLIE BROWN**

KAYHI AUDITORIUM, JUNE 2021



# WE TIP OUR HAT TO MEMBERS

Members provide essential support for productions, programs for children and our work with partners in the visual and performing arts. Membership benefits start with discounts on ticket prices and workshop fees as well as invitations to members-only events at the troupe, ensemble, and actor levels. Great benefits are available at other membership levels. Email [info@firstcityplayers.org](mailto:info@firstcityplayers.org), call us at 225-4792, or take your browser to [firstcityplayers.org/memberships](http://firstcityplayers.org/memberships) for details.



**Memberships are crucial in First City Players' success. Benefits for members range from acknowledgment to costumes, from insider access to bonus tickets.**

SENIOR & STUDENT TROUPE  
 ENSEMBLE TROUPE  
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	SENIOR & STUDENT TROUPE	ENSEMBLE TROUPE	LEADING ACTOR	STAGE MANAGER	SHOWSTOPPER	DIRECTOR	PRODUCER	LEGEND
Your name listed in every program	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Tax deductible receipt for your records	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Voting rights for board member elections	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Early announcements of upcoming events	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Admission to Annual Meeting/Holiday Party	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Admission to Season Reveal Party	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
\$1 off one advance purchase ticket		■						
Member rate on workshops (JAZZ-CAB, STARPATH, ETC.)		■	■	■	■	■	■	■
10% discount on up to 4 advance purchase tickets		■						
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Choice of one keepsake printed show poster			■	■	■	■	■	■
Costume borrowing privileges			■	■	■	■	■	■
Member rate for ArtsCool Summer Theatre Camp			■	■	■	■	■	■
Two tickets to any one FCP play or musical *				■				
One Flex pass: 1 ticket to 5 plays & musicals *					■			
Two Flex passes: 2 tickets to 5 plays & musicals *						■		
Two tickets for every FCP production							■	
Four tickets for every FCP production								■
Six tickets for every FCP production								■

\* NOT INCLUDING GALA EVENTS AND DINNER THEATRE

\$15-\$24  
 \$25-\$49  
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 \$500-\$999  
 \$1,000-\$1,499  
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 \$2,500-\$4,999  
 \$5,000-\$100,000



# The Crew

<b>Director</b> .....	Elizabeth Nelson
<b>Musical Director</b> .....	Deidra Nuss
<b>Choreographer</b> .....	Bridget Mattson
<b>Set Design</b> .....	Brian Curtis & Barbara Morgan
<b>Lighting Design</b> .....	Keith Smith
<b>Additional Choreography</b> .....	Clare Bennett
<b>Costume Design</b> .....	Pamela Duran
<b>Props</b> .....	Angie Goffredi & Morgan Weber
<b>Wigs &amp; Hair</b> .....	Cathy Cooley
<b>Backstage Manager</b> .....	Thomas Brooks
<b>Light Board Operator</b> .....	Matt Armstrong
<b>Running Crew</b> .....	Kordell Hull, Nyron Hull
<b>Costume Construction</b> .....	Pamela Duran & Sherry Henrickson
<b>Painting</b> .....	Brian Curtis, Barbara Morgan & Lori Orłowski
<b>Sound Operator</b> .....	Felix Wong
<b>Photography</b> .....	Jeff Fitzwater
<b>Program &amp; Publicity</b> .....	Elizabeth Nelson & Amanda Glanzer

# Acknowledgments

## FIRST CITY PLAYERS extends warm thanks ...

√ to the First City Players Tech Team: Brian, Barb, Keith, Felix, Matt, Angie & Morgan plus all of the people who helped once we got to Kayhi - thank you so much for all you've done. It is stupendous. √ to Clare Bennett thank you for helping with the movement - You are a comic genius. √ to Kyle Bailey for the loan of sound equipment. √ to the cast of *Charlie Brown*, you are a joy! Thank you for making this so much fun. √ to Blaine Ashcraft & U Haul of Ketchikan for providing us with a truck to move set pieces. √ to Brieshan Kenoyer, Joey, Debi and Greg Karlik, Phillip Smith, and Andrew Mulder for helping us load in sets, props, costumes and equipment. √ to Lori Orłowski for painting the sofa √ to Jeff Fitzwater and Fitzwater Photography for documenting this show. √ to Trina Purcell and the Kayhi staff for all your help. √ to the Ketchikan Radio Center Radio for your generosity √ to KRBD and Maria, Leila and Stuart for your help and support. √ to the First City Players members and supporters who make all of our productions possible. √ to the Ketchikan Area Arts and Humanities Council for being such great partners in the arts. √ to all the volunteers who came through at the last minute and helped with everything. √ to all the partners, parents, kids and friends who took care of us, packed us meals, cleaned our houses and gave us strength as we spent time away from home making this magic happen. Thank you for your support and understanding. √ to anyone who helped after this program went to print - thank you.

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First City Players is a non-profit community organization. F.C.P. is a member of the American Association of Community Theatre, Ketchikan Area Arts and Humanities Council and the Greater Ketchikan Chamber of Commerce.

First City Players receives funding from: Ketchikan Gateway Borough; the City of Ketchikan; the Alaska State Council on the Arts; National First City Rotary; the Monthly Grind; the Alaska Community Foundation; the Ketchikan Community Foundation; private and business donations; business sponsorships; and members of First City Players.

For information about programs or upcoming events, call 225-4792, or stop by our office at 335 Main Street, Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Please visit our website at [firstcityplayers.org](http://firstcityplayers.org) or like us on Facebook and Instagram.



*Karen Voelz,  
You are an angel!  
We couldn't have done  
this without you!  
Thanks for your help!*

# Musical Numbers

<i>You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown</i> .....	The Company
<i>Schroeder</i> .....	Lucy
<i>Snoopy</i> .....	Snoopy
<i>My Blanket and Me</i> .....	Linus & The Company
<i>The Kite</i> .....	Charlie Brown
<i>The Doctor is In</i> .....	Charlie Brown & Lucy
<i>Beethoven Day</i> .....	Schroeder & The Company
<i>Rabbit Chasing</i> .....	Sally & Snoopy
<i>The Book Report</i> .....	Lucy, Linus, Schroeder, Charlie Brown & The Company

## 10 Minute Intermission

<i>The Red Baron</i> .....	Snoopy
<i>My New Philosophy</i> .....	Sally & Schroeder
<i>The Baseball Game</i> .....	Charlie Brown & The Company
<i>Glee Club Rehearsal</i> .....	The Company
<i>Little Known Facts</i> .....	Lucy, Linus & Charlie Brown
<i>Suppertime</i> .....	Snoopy
<i>Happiness</i> .....	The Company

Musical recording provided by The MT Pit L.L.C.  
[www.thempit.com](http://www.thempit.com)



### The Fish Pirate's Daughter Dinner & Cruise Experience!

- What
  - An Allen Marine cruise, a Cape Fox Dinner, and a First City Players musical melodrama!
- When
  - July 10 & 17, 2021
- Where
  - Cruise from downtown Ketchikan to the George Inlet Cannery
- How
  - Call 225-8100 to purchase tickets or get more information!

**Presented by First City Players, Allen Marine, & Cape Fox**

# YOU'RE A GOOD MAN, CHARLIE BROWN THE BROADWAY MUSICAL [Revised]

Based on the Comic Strip "Peanuts"  
by **Charles M. Schultz**

Book, Music & Lyrics  
by **Clark Gesner**

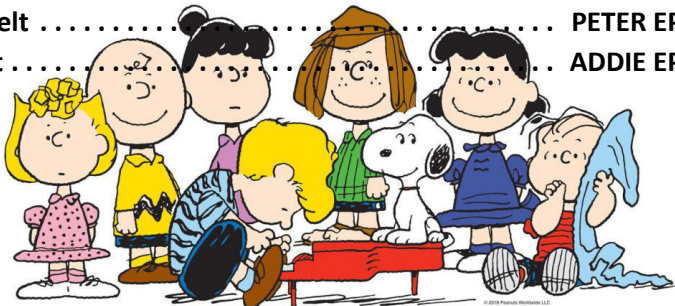
Additional Dialogue by **Michael Mayer**  
Additional Music and Lyrics by **Andrew Lippa**

Original Direction for this version of  
"You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown" by **Michael Mayer**

Originally Produced in New York by  
**Arthur Whitelaw and Gene Persson**

## The Cast

Sally Brown ..... **AMANDA GLANZER**  
Lucy Van Pelt ..... **DANI STEEPE**  
Snoopy ..... **DANIELLE PRATT**  
Schroeder ..... **NILES CORPORON**  
Charlie Brown ..... **JAMES NORTH**  
Linus Van Pelt ..... **PETER EPLER**  
The Blanket ..... **ADDIE EPLER**



*YOU'RE A GOOD MAN, CHARLIE BROWN* is presented by arrangement with  
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# Bios

**Matt Armstrong (Light Board Operator)** has been involved, in both backstage and onstage capacities, in dozens of First City Players productions since moving to Ketchikan in 2014. In his free time he reads, writes, walks in the woods, and jets off to Spain and Portugal for five weeks, savoring many a delicious food and drink along the way.

**Niles Corporon (Schroeder)** has lived in Ketchikan on and off since the summer of 2000. He first became involved with First City Players when he auditioned for the 2004 production of *Oliver!* and was cast in his first named role as “LeFou” in *Disney’s Beauty and the Beast*. Since then he has taken joy in playing numerous parts in FCP productions over the last 16 years, in both plays and musicals. Some of his favorite roles include: “the Tin Man” in *The Wizard of Oz*, “Javert” in *Les Misérables*, and “Detective Sergeant Trotter” in Agatha Christie’s *The Mousetrap*. After a 5 year hiatus, he is excited to be returning to the stage, playing the part of “Schroeder.” He would like to thank his parents for encouraging him to get involved in music and theater, the rest of his family & friends for their love & support, and the community of Ketchikan for supporting local theater.

**Brian Curtis (Set Creative Team)** is a Ketchikan independent contractor, and has been building sets for First City Players since the production of *Les Misérables* in the Fall of 2014. He is the recipient of the 2015 Annual Award given to the Tech Volunteer of the year as well as receiving the Clare Bennett Giving Heart Award which is given to volunteers that

unendingly give their time, effort, and resources to make First City Players a better place.

**Addie Epler (Blanket)** is 11 years old and has been enjoying First City Players shows for practically her whole life. Her stage debut came at the tender age of six in *The Little Mermaid* as a tube worm and seagull. Since then she has participated in StarPath and ArtsCool camps with FCP and has enjoyed learning and experiencing the stage and tech sides of theater. She loves to sing and hopes one day to sing and act on Broadway. Favorite roles include “seagull” in *The Little Mermaid*, “Baby Spider Joy” and “gosling” in *Charlotte’s Web*, “Ramona” in *Ramona Quimby*, and “Toad” in *Frog and Toad*.

**Peter Epler (Linus Van Pelt)** loves being a part of the First City Players’ family! He first auditioned for (and was cast in) *The Little Mermaid* in 2016 and it was so much fun he kept coming back! His favorite role to date with FCP was Templeton in *Charlotte’s Web*. Peter enjoys working on stage alongside his daughter, Addie. Sharing a passion for the stage with the next generation is one of his favorite joys as a dad! Most recently they shared the stage in *Ramona Quimby* as Ramona and Ramona’s dad! Peter would like to extend a huge thanks to his wife, Shelly, for holding down the fort during rehearsals and for being an overall amazing person! It’s been a long COVID year...but it’s great to be back on stage to tell these stories for you, Ketchikan!

**Amanda Glanzer (Sally Brown)** moved to Ketchikan in late 2012, but didn’t find First City Players until the fall musical of 2013. At that time, it had been a full 15 years since she’d performed on any stage in any capacity, but thanks to her husband holding her feet to the fire (and NOT letting her chickening out of yet \*another\* audition), she was cast in the ensemble of *Damn Yankees!* The rest, as they say, is history... A couple years later, she was able to use her background and education to become 50% of the full-time staff of First City Players, which is a high school dream come true! Favorite roles include “Grandma” in Edward Albee’s *The American Dream*, “Amanda” in *The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged) [Revised]*, “Berthe” in *Boeing Boeing*, and “Logainne Schwartzandgrubenierre” in *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*. She’d like to thank Ketchikan for coming together to bring the community risk level down to a level in which we get to perform again—HOORAY FOR LIVE THEATER!!!

**Bridget Mattson (Choreographer)** joined FCP in 2009 when she auditioned for *The Wizard of Oz* with two of her sons. Since then she has been an active participant with FCP on and off the stage. She has enjoyed roles in *Les Misérables*, *Into the Woods*, *The Secret Garden* and others. She has choreographed *Cinderella* and *Mamma Mia* and directed *Anna of Green Gables*. She loves getting to be a part of the great productions that First City Players brings to the Ketchikan stage.



**Barbara Morgan (Set Creative Team)** has been helping to create, design, and build sets for First City Players productions so long, it doesn't feel right if she's not around!

**James North (Charlie Brown)** has always had a love for music and art and first started singing in choir at North Point Higgins Elementary when he moved to Ketchikan in 1991. He went on to expand his musical horizons in middle school at Schoenbar with his favorite teacher, Christa Bruce—there he sang in the choir, played the Baritone in band, and joined PAC-8 (Performing Arts Class 8th grade) where he was in a Vaudeville show and played Tom Snout in *A Midsummer Night's Dream*. Upon receiving his GED, he left Ketchikan for a spell and at one point joined the Army. In 2010, he moved back to Ketchikan to escape the heat and began bartending at The Potlatch. He quickly became known as the singing bartender, having sung over 850 songs through Karaoke in his time there. At the tail-end of 2019, his mother's diagnosis of Stage 4 pancreatic cancer motivated him to find and enjoy many new opportunities in 2020; he got his Real Estate License, started a job at Legacy Real Estate Firm, and went on to compete in First City Players' 2020 Divas & Divos fundraiser show—which he won! Sticking with that spirit of seeking new opportunities, he auditioned for this show and though he had no specific role in mind, he started to notice that he and Charlie Brown had quite a bit in common... His hope is that audiences will connect with the "Peanuts" characters' struggles, hurdles, and resiliency and see that there is hope and that you are not alone.

**Elizabeth Nelson (Director)** first arrived in Ketchikan over 30 years ago with a degree in theatre performance and some skills as a restaurant server. When a position at First City Players opened up, she jumped at the opportunity and has been acting, directing and doing just about everything else involved with the theater ever since. Over her 30+ years of running our local theater she has directed over 100 productions, and you can't make her tell you what her favorite is. As an actor she has performed in numerous productions – she will admit to owning that playing Queen Eleanor in *The Lion In Winter* and the Matron in *Chicago* are two of her favorites.

**Dani Pratt (Snoopy)** moved to Ketchikan in 2015 and works as an Intensive Special Education Paraprofessional at Schoenbar Middle School. She has her AFA in Musical Theatre and her BA in Theatre. Her favorite past FCP roles include Fraulein Kost in *Cabaret*, Fanny Dashwood in *Sense & Sensibility*, Uncle in Charlotte's Web, Marcy Park in *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*, and Marie in *Calendar Girls*. She would like to thank James for his endless love, support, and patience and her family for being her biggest fans. She is over-the-moon excited to be back on stage without a mask and with an audience!

**Keith Smith (Lighting Design)** first decided to make Ketchikan his home in 1997 after being cast as Nathan Detroit in FCP's *Guys and Dolls*. He has acted in numerous FCP productions but ever since his son Phillip

learned to walk, he has largely supported FCP by directing or being behind the scenes.

**Felix Wong (Sound)** has lived in Ketchikan several years, serves on the Borough Assembly, and is rightly known as "Fix-It Felix!" Felix always has many projects going on, including his artistic photography (available at Studio 103 at The Plaza), and has proven himself invaluable to the performing arts community. First City Players is so grateful to have him once again at the helm of sound!

**Dani Steepe (Lucy Van Pelt)** moved from Dayton, Ohio in January 2019 to take a job as Pharmacy Manager at Ketchikan's Wal-Mart. In high school, Dani left a childhood of theater and show choir behind to focus on her athletic talents in softball, earning conference, district, and state accolades and even winning Most Outstanding Player award at the Division III Regional Softball Tournament while attending Ohio Northern University. Now, after a 17-year hiatus from the performing arts, Dani is thrilled to be back on stage! She first auditioned for First City Players' planned production of *Honk!* in spring 2020, but that of course got foiled by the COVID-19 pandemic. She returned for auditions this spring and is excited to be making her FCP debut in *You're a Good Man Charlie Brown*. She wants to thank Elizabeth Nelson, Deidra Nuss, and Bridget Mattson for helping her bring the character of Lucy Van Pelt to life and she hopes that the joy she rediscovered in theater shines through to the audience.

## THANK YOU TO OUR SUPPORTERS AND CONTRIBUTORS

First City Players has spent time, money, effort, and energy on many projects over the years. We produce plays and musicals, host play readings, partner with other community service organizations, and host classes and workshops. We have taken many steps to restoring the old fireside building while producing outstanding live theater. We cannot do this without the help of some very special friends. Thank you for your continued support.

### Legacy

Jim Alguire  
Clare Bennett  
Robert Kinerk  
Keith Smith

Clare Bennett  
Glenn & Cheryl Brown  
Marna & Mike Cessnun  
Mary Lynne & James Dahl  
Deb & Hunter Davis  
Pamela & Ruben Duran  
Maggie Freitag

Lori Orlowski  
Molly & Arne Pihl  
Deb & Chip Porter  
Leah & Mark Raine  
Amanda Welsh & Tim  
Whiteley

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*Alaska State Council on  
the Arts*  
*City of Ketchikan*  
*The Cleaners*  
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Foundation*  
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the Arts*  
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Priscilla Schulte  
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Nancy Tietje  
Janice & Tim Walker  
Fritz Nelson & Margaret  
Wilder

### Actor (\$100-\$249)

Linda Armstrong  
Robin & Blaine Ashcraft  
Emily Avila  
Barbara & Alan Bailey  
Amy Bauer  
Rhonda & Bill Bolling  
Earlene Brown  
Susan Carson  
Pat Chapman  
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Christensen  
Julie, Chris, & George  
Dowling

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*Alaska Community  
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Epler  
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Deidra Holum  
Jan & Tor Jorgensen  
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    Andrew Mulder  
Divo James North  
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Danielle Pratt  
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Tessa Catron  
Hayley Chambers  
Jessica, Lance, & Henry  
    Clark  
Johanna Collins  
*The Creek Street Cabaret*

Joanna Desanto  
Tamara Dinsmore  
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Grace & Stephen Kinney  
Hilary Koch  
Anna Marlowe  
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Catherine Tillotson  
Jonathan Tully  
Fran Welsh

**Troupe (\$15-\$49)**

Matt Armstrong  
Sharon Monrean  
Cara Nygard  
Linda Raitanan  
Doris Vig

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but if you do not see your  
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should be, or if there's an  
error in your listing,  
please give us a call at  
907-225-4792!***

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## Registration NOW open!

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### Junior Camp

(ages 8-11/rising 3rd-6th grade)



- Camp Runs July 6th -30th
- Tuesday - Friday, 9am-12:30pm
- Performances
  - Friday July 30th @ 7:30pm
  - Saturday July 31st @ 2:30pm

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### Senior Camp

(ages 12-17/rising 7th-12th grade)

- Camp Runs July 19th-August 13th
- Monday - Thursday, 1pm-5pm
- Performances
  - Friday August 13th @ 7:30pm
  - Saturday August 14th @ 2:30pm



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(ages 4-7, rising K-2nd grade)

- Camp Runs July 19th-August 13th
- Monday - Thursday, 9am-12noon
- Performances
  - Friday 7/31 @ 7:30pm & Saturday 7/31 @ 2:30pm
  - Saturday 8/14 @ 2:30pm

Contact First City Players at 225-4792 for more information.