

VCASS | THEATRE ARTS | 2023  
*presents*



# OUR TOWN

BY THORNTON WILDER

*"Oh, earth, you're too wonderful  
for anybody to realize you."*

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EMILY WEBB

**WEDNESDAY 31 MAY @ 6:00PM**  
**THURSDAY 1 JUNE @ 6:00PM**

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**SOUTHBANK THEATRE | LAWLER**  
140 Southbank Blvd, Southbank VIC 3006



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The graduating Theatre Arts class of 2023 is proud to present Thornton Wilder's Pulitzer Prize winning play, *Our Town*, at MTC's Lawler Theatre. As a component of the VCE Theatre Studies course, year 12 students showcase their acting and production skills in this three-act, metatheatrical performance. *Our Town* tells the uplifting and life-affirming story of the community of a fictional small town in America at the beginning of the twentieth century.

Director | Christopher Button











## CAST

MR WEBB	<b>Cass Hansen</b>
MRS WEBB	<b>Eva Tegart</b>
EMILY WEBB	<b>Bethanie Matic</b>
WALLY WEBB	<b>Yianni Paikopoulos</b>
'DOC' GIBBS	<b>Tate Newman</b>
MRS GIBBS	<b>Storm Maksutova</b>
GEORGE GIBBS	<b>Michael Douthwaite</b>
REBECCA GIBBS	<b>Coco McCuaig</b>
MRS SOAMES	<b>Natasha Nette</b>
PROFESSOR WILLARD	<b>Chloe Crellin</b>
HOWIE NEWSOME	<b>Darcy Dowling</b>
FRANCES STODDART	<b>Emma Mitchell</b>
SAMANTHA CRAIG	<b>Scarlett Brumby</b>
JOSEPHINE CROWELL	<b>Jessica Wardle</b>
SALLY CROWELL	<b>Keely Baird</b>
SIMON STIMSON	<b>Yianni Paikopoulos</b>
CONSTABLE WARREN	<b>Dante Tierney</b>
STAGE MANAGER	<b>Lily Moran, Rahnee Parker &amp; Dante Tierney</b>

## PRODUCTION ROLES

SOUND	<b>Lily, Darcy &amp; Yianni</b>
PROPERTIES	<b>Emma &amp; Bethanie</b>
SET	<b>Michael &amp; Cass</b>
COSTUME	<b>Natasha, Eva, Storm, Coco &amp; Rahnee</b>
MAKE-UP	<b>Jess, Keely &amp; Scarlett</b>
LIGHTING	<b>Chloe, Tate &amp; Dante</b>

















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**KEELY  
BAIRD**



**SCARLETT  
BRUMBY**



**CHLOE  
CRELLIN**



**MICHAEL  
DOUTHWAITE**



**DARCY  
DOWLING**



**CASS  
HANSEN**



**STORM  
MAKSUTOVA**



**BETHANIE  
MATIC**



**COCO  
MCCUAIG**



**EMMA  
MITCHELL**



**LILY  
MORAN**



**NATASHA  
NETTE**



**TATE  
NEWMAN**



**YIANNI  
PAIKOPOULOS**



**RAHNEE  
PARKER**



**EVA  
TEGART**



**DANTE  
TIERNEY**



**JESS  
WARDLE**







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## 2023 YEAR 12 THEATRE ARTS STUDENTS

(PHOTOGRAPH BY PARADE PICS)

### VICTORIAN COLLEGE OF THE ARTS SECONDARY SCHOOL

#### PRINCIPAL

Hilary Bland

#### ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS

Donatella Mannolini & James Rust

#### ARTS LEADER

#### THEATRE AND VISUAL ARTS

Tara Daniel

#### THEATRE STUDIES TEACHER

Christopher Button

#### PRODUCTION MANAGER

Tom Backhaus

#### PROMOTIONAL DESIGN & PHOTOGRAPHY

Dylan Breninger

Ticket information available @

[www.vcass.vic.edu.au](http://www.vcass.vic.edu.au)

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