

Studio Dansu presents...



# NORTH WOODS NONSENSE



*A decade of*  
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DANSU

Saturday May 16th, 2026  
2:30pm & 6:30pm  
Bartell Theatre



Tickets: \$20 / \$16 (children under 10)  
[bartelltheatre.org](http://bartelltheatre.org) or call 608-661-9696

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When a small-town handyman publishes a completely fabricated story about a Sasquatch kidnapping, the rumor spreads faster than a forest fire. Soon, bumbling politicians, reporters, and eccentric hotel guests all descend on the rundown lodge, each determined to uncover the truth. With quirky characters, and misunderstandings, this production has laughs, and maybe even a Bigfoot sighting.

**Artistic Director:** Jayme Shimooka

**Director:** Sarah Barnard & Charly Sparks

**Costume Design:** Directors & Actors

**Set Design:** Directors

**Lighting Design:** Jayme Shimooka & Taylor Hartman Strpko

## **LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:**

Studio Dansu recognizes that our arts center and the theatres that we perform in occupy the land that is the ancestral home of the Ho-Chunk Nation, who have called this land Teejop (day-JOPE) since the time immemorial.

Studio Dansu respectfully recognizes this Ho-Chunk land and affirms that we are better when we stand together and can work towards a collaborative future. We recognize this as a part of our core belief in the transformative power of the arts and our commitment to educating, enriching, and celebrating our shared human experience.

**Thank you again to all of our students, families,  
staff, volunteers, and supporters!**

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## **As a courtesy to others:**

- Please turn off cell phones and refrain from texting or checking phone during the performance. The light can be distracting to others.
- Flash photography, audio recording, and videotaping of any kind are **not permitted**
- Food or beverages can be purchased and consumed in the lobby

# Cast of Characters

(order of speaking)

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**Holly Hauk**.....Rosalynn Grozavescu (2:30) &  
Kylie Schmitt (6:30)

**Grace Granite**.....Eleanor McCarty

**Miss Birch**.....Kailani Race (2:30) & Kristina Heintz (6:30)

**Mr. Pine**.....Thomas McKay (2:30) & Gabi Bauman (6:30)

**Mary Granola**.....Zarmeena Nu'Man

**The Pike Brothers**.....Theodore Harrison & Toby Rivlin (2:30),  
Graham Bender & Theodore Harrison (6:30)

**Carrie Granola**.....Tiana Shimooka (2:30) &  
Karis Stevenson (6:30)

**Pete**.....Leela Warrick (2:30) & Neko Warrick (6:30)

**Congressman Oakley**.....Natalia Rickman (2:30) &  
Lauren Mackintosh (6:30)

**Barry Busch**.....Eleanor Ziemlewicz (2:30) &  
Bartholomew Harrison (6:30)

**Reporters**.....Gabi Bauman, Bartholomew Harrison,  
Kylie Schmitt (2:30), Rosalynn Grozavescu, Thomas McKay,  
Kailani Race, Natalia Rickman (6:30)

**Guests**.....Graham Bender, Kristina Heintz,  
Lauren Mackintosh, Karis Stevenson, Neko Warrick (2:30),  
Toby Rivlin, Tiana Shimooka, Leela Warrick,  
Eleanor Ziemlewicz

**Men in Black**.....Kaleo Shimooka & Olive Strohbusch

*Thank you for  
supporting our  
show!*

