

# ENCORE!

## NEWSLETTER

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### "JABBERWOCK"

improbabilities lived and imagined by  
JAMES THURBER  
in the fictional city of Columbus, Ohio  
made into a play by  
By Jerome Lawrence and Robert E. Lee

AUDITIONS: JANUARY 10,11

At the Plank Road School 9508 W. Watertown Plank Road  
Auditions for 'young persons' begin at 6:30. Adult auditions at 8.  
Directed By TOM ZUEHLKE

**THIS IS A HUGE SHOW! MANY ROLES! DOUBLE/TRIPLE CASTING POSSIBLE  
COME AUDITION AND BRING A FRIEND**

"JABBERWOCK" is written by the Pulitzer Prize winning playwrights of "Inherit The Wind" in the tradition of the zany American family. Only Lawrence and Lee have the quarky JAMES THURBER to play upon. This is not a well known play. After the VPW premier, it will be. I'll use the script notes to describe a few of the 40+ characters.

MARY AGNES THURBER- Mother. A young and vigorous 43. She believes implicitly in her make-believe and her own cock-eyed logic.  
JAMIE Thurber 16/17 He wears a perpetual question mark on his face.  
HERMAN Thurber- 14. A baseball bug with open faced bafflement.  
ROY- The family salesman. The eldest son 19/20. Chicken at the core.  
CHARLIE THURBER- Father. 45. The most feet-on-the-ground member. Firm, but gently patient. A boyish eagerness.  
GRANDPA- 77 going on 12. Still thinks he's fighting the civil war.  
DOC MARLOWE- Every boys folk hero of the wild west. A con man.  
THE GET-READY MAN- Ichabod Crane on a bicycle, Death warmed-over.  
GEORGIANA LITTLEFIELD- 18 and ice-cream cone beautiful. A touch of the snob in her, but not stupid. A genuine affection for Jamie.

There are roles for 6 boys and 6 girls between 8 and 18.  
Adult roles 12-18 for men/ women, each and range to 60+ in age.  
WE'LL NEED SEVERAL ESPECIALLY STRONG MALE CHARACTERS TYPES.

"JABBERWOCK" is set as America is preparing to enter WWI. So there are period costumes and props. WE NEED TECHNICAL SUPPORT ALSO. COME TO AUDITIONS AND TALK WITH US. JOIN THE FUN.  
Production dates are MARCH 4,5,11,12,13.  
For more information please call TOM 744-5212.

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