

TN 37996

CABARET

Book by Joe Masteroff Music by John Kander Lyrics by Fred Ebb Based on the play by John Van Druten and Stories by Christopher Isherwood

1st Rehearsal: January 5, 2026 Performances: February 11 – March 1, 2026

Director	Halena Kays ◊
Assistant Director	Lee Gardner
Choreographer	Tor Campbell ◊
Music Director	Terry D. Alford
Scenic Designer	Kristen Martino ‡
Assistant Scenic Designer	Leilane Bertune
Costume Designer	Matthew Carl
Lighting Designer	Kenton Yeager ‡
Associate Lighting Designer	Miguel Santiago
Sound Designer	Joe Payne‡
Assistant Sound Designer	Elisabeth Dupuy
Stage Manager	Patrick Lanczki *
Assistant Stage Managers	

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS: IF YOU HAVE BEEN CAST,
PLEASE EMAIL CBT_AUDITIONS@UTK.EDU TO ACCEPT YOUR ROLE
BY FRIDAY, 10/10 @ 12pm.

CAST

MASTER OF CEREMONIES (EMCEE)	Sammy Pontello
SALLY BOWLES	Kim Morgan Dean*
CLIFFORD BRADSHAW	Bryce Hagen
FRÄULEIN SCHNEIDER	Tricia Mattews*
FRÄULEIN KOST	Gabriela Bulka

HERR SCHULTZ	John Cherry
ERNST LUDWIG	Thomas Nash Tetterton
MAX, THE CLUB OWNER	Wyatt Skillen
ACCORDION PLAYER	Jackson Neilson
KIT KAT CLUB	
LULU	Liz Dell'Orco
ROSIE	Mia Inez Hayes
HANS/SAILOR 2	Gavin Hensley
TEXAS	Develyn Jayan
BOBBY/GORILLA	Parker Jenkins
FRITZIE	Kat Lee
HERMAN/SAILOR 3	Tyler Monroe
HELGA	Grace VerStrate
	Katie Thorpe
	Donte Tolson

UNDERSTUDIES

KIT KAT SWINGS	Katherine Fleming, Truman May
U/S MASTER OF CEREMONIES (EMCEE)	Parker Jenkins
U/S SALLY BOWLES	Kat Lee
U/S CLIFFORD BRADSHAW	Tyler Monroe
U/S HERR SCHULTZ	Nash Tetterton
U/S FRÄULEIN SCHNEIDER	TBD from within Kit Kat ens.
U/S FRÄULEIN KOST	TBD from within Kit Kat ens.
U/S ERNST LUDWIG	TBD from within Kit Kat ens.
U/S MAX	TBD from within Kit Kat ens.

^{*} Members of Actors' Equity Association, the union of professional Actors and Stage Managers in the United States.

- ♦ Member of the Stage Directors and Choreographers Society, a national theatrical labor union.
- ‡ Represented by United Scenic Artists, local USA-829 of the IATSE.

Please note:

- **1.** You will receive an email when scripts are available to be picked up.
- 2. Rehearsals begin Monday, January 5. This is during Winter Break and 2 weeks before classes begin.
- **3.** There is one 6:30pm performance Tuesday February 24. This means that all calls are 1-hour EARLIER than normal. If this creates a conflict for you, please let us know right away! [KEEP SCROLLING FOR MORE IMPORTANT INFORMATION!]
- **4.** The first 2 weeks of rehearsals are during Winter Break and many dorms are closed. For anyone needing housing assistance due to closed dorms, please contact Vickie Carter (General Manager vcarter8@utk.edu) right away.

- **5.** All Students *Please* put your **FALL 2025 schedule, and when known, your SPRING 2026 schedule,** into the calendar of your **UTK Volmail** account, either in Outlooksoftware or via the volmail webpage. This allows those that schedule rehearsals, fittings, etc., to see your conflicts (not what the conflicts are, but that they exist). And it allows us to see all schedules at one time through all UTK email addresses. You want to do this now and keep it updated.
- **6.** Please begin checking your UTK email every day. Fittings/Measurements may begin soon (during FALL) and you will be sent other information as well such as when scripts are available, rehearsal info, etc.

If you are not part of the cast but would like to involved, there are many great opportunities!

Please contact Patrick Lanczki (planczki@utk.edu) regarding these other opportunities!

BAND

Conductor	Terry D. Alford
Keyboard	Melony Dodson
Keyboard	Casey Maxwell
Violin	Kim Barnes
Guitar / Banjo	Greg Horne
Reeds	Sheryl Howard
Reeds	Deidre Ford
Trumpet	Stuart Cox / Tom Fox
Trombone	Dan Maxwell
Bass	Vince Ilagen / Dave Peeples
Drums	J Miller