

Beyond Time (10 classes)

March 5,12,19,26 no Celina & Cassidy

April 2,9,16,30 (no 23 Easter) (lines memorized for April 16 -when run entire play)

May 7, 14

Performance May 14 6:30pm

Characters:

Aurelia: Pirate N-not keen on time travel - Stow Away

Xavier: Pirate Fun who likes to have fun- Stow Away

Cassidy: Pirate Captain

Celina: Pirate of Action

Xander: Pirate P who is so paranoid he keeps seeing things that may not be there

SND Q 1 Narration:

(Start with Yo ho a pirates life for me segue into narration): Pirates are supposed to be notoriously hard and serious. Are they 'really bad eggs' or Is this an image spread by literature and movies? Maybe pirates really are like everyone else, searching for a place to call home. A place where they can enjoy the company of family and friends, have a roof over their heads, and perhaps have a well lived life.

Captain: I'm tired of all this pirate stuff. (to himself)

Xavier: Here's your money.

Aurelia: We'll take this ship exactly where you want to go.

Xavier: Yup!

Captain: Hide in my cabin. Lock the door. Take over the ship just before the morning watch.

Pirate of Action: We've released the mooring lines and raised the anchor Captain.

Captain: Set sail.

Pirate Paranoid: To pillage and Plunder.

Captain: Yes ummm well when we get there.

SND Q 2 Narration:

(Start with Calipso Music) Now sailing is hard work. Everyone has a job to do. There is this crazy idea that sailing is easy.....

Pirate Paranoid: Uhh Captain. I'm pretty sure there is some kind of sea monster under the ship.

Captain: Leave it alone and it'll leave us alone sailor!

Pirate P: Aye aye captain. *(goes to Pirate A)* Heh we have to do something.

Pirate of Action: I'll take a good look..... **SND Q 3 time going by** *(Pirate P is anxiously pacing -pirate A pops her head up)* NOPE nothin' there!

Pirate P: But but

Pirate A: You're welcome to look yourself.

Pirate P: No that's okay. I can't swim.

Pirate A: *(shrugs shoulders)* Me neither.

SND Q 4 Narration:

For most pirates time blends together in a series of daily chores to keep the ship running in tiptop shape. Cooking salted meat, cleaning everything from the deck, to the knobs on the doors and keeping nets and lines repaired and untangled. Boredom is not really an issue. Well unless you're a stow away trying not to be noticed. There are only so many games of 'go fish' that can keep you from going crazy!

Pirate N: Do you have any 6's?

Pirate Fun: Go fish! Sets down all cards I win!

Pirate N; Again? That makes like, what.... 10 times in a row?

Pirate Fun: I got skills!

Pirate N: If we don't get to skull point soon, I'm gonna start chewing the furniture.

Pirate Fun: Huh?

Pirate N: It means I've got cabin Fever.

Pirate Fun: What?

Pirate N: Never mind.

Pirate of A: Land ho!

Captain: Prepare all mooring lines. Secure the deck!

Pirate P: I'm sure I saw someone in your cabin Captain.

Captain: Something reflecting off the water. I'll investigate later. Get those lines secure sailor.

Pirate P: Aye aye Captain!

Pirate of A: Will we be going ashore Captain?

Pirate P: TTTTThose rocks kinda look like a skull. Does that mean the island's cursed?

Pirate N: Only for you. *(Uses a sword to corral Pirates to one side of the ship)*

Pirate Fun: We're taking over your ship.

Captain: Just do as they ask.

Pirate N: We're not asking.

Pirate P: I told you something wasn't right.

Pirate of A: So you did....*(Makes a grab for the sword gets pushed back and hits the wheel centre which causes a really weird sound. Everyone puts hands over ears....)*

SND Q 5 Time travel oops

Pirate N: Where are we?

Pirate Fun: What did you do?

Pirate of A: Me? You're the ones who tried to take over the ship.

Captain: Well that didn't work out very well did it?

Pirate P: We're all gonna get eaten by green slime.

Pirate N: Say what?

Captain: Everyone calm down.

SND Q 6 Narration

As the pirates try to figure out where they are, the ship drifts towards an Island. Takeover notwithstanding, they decide that maybe they should check it out. Some are not real keen on the idea....

Pirate P: What if we've travelled through time?

Pirate of A: What a silly idea. But we should still check out the island.

(Pirate Fun starts humming row row row your boat...)

Pirate N: Why are you humming?

Pirate FUN: Cause

Pirate N: Cause why?

Pirate FUN: It's Fun!

Pirate N: Someone has to stay with the ship.

Pirate of A: The place looks uninhabited, so what's the point?

Captain: Everyone goes!

Pirate Fun: Aya Aye Captain.

Pirate N: Hey, whose side are you on?

Pirate Fun: Fun's.

Pirate N: Figures!

SND Q 7 Narration

The pirates all leave the ship to wander on this peculiar island. They hear strange sounds coming from the other side of a grove of trees. As they carefully look around the trees they see a group of huge animals with horns and really big teeth. (sounds of animals then stampede) The animals notice the pirates and the group runs all the way back to the ship.

Captain: RUN! Back to the ship!

Pirate P: See we travelled I tell ya!

Pirate of A: Never mind that. Weigh anchor.

Captain: Cast off all lines.

Pirate N: Lines cast captain.

Pirate Fun: That was so fun!

Pirate N: Are you kidding. We were almost lunch

Pirate of A: I've never seen animals like that before. That one with the big teeth had a tail bigger than my wagon back home.

Pirate Fun: Can we do it again?

Captain: Are you out of your mind (*hits the center piece of the wheel*)

SND Q 8 Time travel Ooops

(They all cover their ears)

Pirate P: Not again!

Captain: Oh my goodness... what is that?

SND Q 9 Sound of horns, plane, helicopter

Pirate N: I think this ship is cursed.

Pirate P: Nope. Bet we're Traveling thru time.

Captain: That just isn't possible.

Pirate of A: Well look around you! I'd love to explore this island.

Captain: No one gets off the ship!

Pirate Fun: Well you're no fun!

Captain: I'm too old for this. All I really want is a place I can call home.

Pirate N: Heh... is that why you wanted the money?

Pirate of A: What money?

Pirate P: Yeah what money?

Pirate Fun: Uh oh!

Captain: Now wait a minute. It's not as bad as it sounds.

Pirate of A: Sounds pretty bad Captain!

Captain: These two wanted to go visit their dying father.

Pirate of A: And I've got a bridge to sell ya. The oldest ploy in the book.

Pirate Fun: We miss papa!

Pirate N: Our last captain wouldn't let off the ship.

Pirate Fun: So we left when the ship was at dock!

Pirate of A: Your mutineers? Now we're in for it.

Pirate N: No we didn't take over the ship. We left.

Pirate of A: But you were okay with taking over our ship!

Pirate Fun: Maybe uh.... Not fun!

Pirate N: Yeah about that... Sorry!

Captain: Yeah I really didn't think about anything but finding a home.

Pirate P: But what about the ship taking us to weird places?

Captain: Well both times someone was near the wheel... and then we heard that horrible noise.

(Captain examines wheel)

Pirate of A: Where did you get the ship captain?

Captain: It was my mother's brother's. I inherited it. My uncle left it to my mother and she passed it to me.

Pirate N: No mention of weird travels.

Captain: Not that I'm aware of. He would bring me odd trinkets and my mother unusual gems from his travels. But never once mentioned anything unusual.

SND Q 10 Narration

The pirates search the ship from top to bottom trying to find anything unusual or uncanny. When they get together to discuss their lack of progress, and argument erupts and no solid conclusions can be reached.

Pirate P: I think there's a sea creature under us.

Captain: Good that means we're back to where we were.

Pirate of A: Uh.... Have you looked up Captain?

Pirate N; We really need to figure out how to get home.

Pirate Fun: Poppa needs us.

Pirate P: I'm telling you something is down there!

Captain: Well I don't know what to tell you... *(hits middles as if in frustration)*

SND Q 11 Time travel Ooops

(They all hold their ears)

Pirate of A: You did it Captain.

Pirate Fun: You figured it out!

Pirate N: Great... but where are we?

Pirate P: There are haunted buildings over there.

Captain: How do you know they're haunted?

Pirate N: Looks like a pile of rocks to me. Does anyone else have a headache?

Captain: Yeah I have one. So did we travel through time, or are we all imagining things?

Pirate of A: Well we should probably go look around.

Captain: Stick together. No wandering on your own.

(Wander through audience) **SND Q 12 wander**

Captain: It would seem we have come to a place called Ell-haas.

Pirate N: It is very warm here.

Pirate of A: The people are certainly friendly. No strange stink eyes aimed at us.

Pirate P: I don't understand a word.

Pirate Fun: Me neither.

Captain: So What do you think? A nice long vacation? Maybe Figure out how to talk to the natives.

Pirate P: I think I see a man with a knife following us.

Pirate of A: Probably wants to invite us for a meal.

Captain: Back to the ship so we can talk this out.

SND Q 13 back to ship

Pirate P: Well?

Pirate N: It's a hole in the ground.

Pirate FUN: What is?

Pirate N: A well.

Pirate of A: I like it here. Lots to do.

Pirate N: I could build a stone hut.

Pirate Fun: What about poppa?

Captain: We must consider everything. The question remains whether we all stay or not.

SND Q 14 Narration

The group discussed possibilities. There came a realization that they may never make it back to their time, and they really did not want to take a chance on the ship making the decision of where to go next. They were all looking for a place to call their own and what better place than paradise. They made the choice to stay for a while and take their time making any final decisions. As always time has a way of passing very quickly. (*Music of time passing*)

Pirate N: It's been 5 years Captain.

Captain: Yes it has.

Pirate P: That man is lurking again.

Pirate of A: He just wants a friend. Let's Invite him for dinner.

Captain: *(talking to Pirate N)* Talk about your poppa. He lives in your heart, beyond time.

Pirate Fun: My kinda place!

Pirate of A: I say we have the ship taken apart and used for building that school the townfolks are talking about.

Pirate N: Works for me! *(All nod)* What better place for us all to call home!

The End

SND Q 14 Curtain Call

