Audition Notice

*Young Actors to Play 17/18 yrs

Monday, 2/5 from 4-7pm
Tuesday, 2/6 from 4-7pm

"Sightings"
A New Play by Mona Z. Smith
at the Philipstown Depot Theatre, Garrison, NY

Directed by Traci Mariano
Performances run weekends beginning Friday, May 10th, 2024 through Sunday, May 19, 2024 with a possible third week extension
Rehearses 4/8- 5/10 (flexible around high-school scheduling conflicts)

Play Synopsis:
On an eerily quiet night in a park along the Hudson River, three teenagers from very different worlds get the shock of their lives when they witness something they can't explain. Now bound together by this unsettling mystery, the teens must decide what to do. A secret pact, a fierce struggle, and a startling betrayal could jeopardize each teen's hopes for the future.

Currently Casting For:
Rickey "Mellonhead" Melloni, 17: Science nerd, adrift and alone in high school. Since losing his mom to cancer, he helps out at his dad's Italian grocery store. Obsessive in his interests, Rickey might be a great scientist one day, or he might be a complete nutcase. Tom was once his best friend, but they grew apart.
Tom Johnson, 18: Tom is medium at everything by design. He hovers on the edges of different social groups. He plays sports (never a starter), gets decent grades (mostly Bs), and works part-time at the local paper (mostly filler stories). He fears he'll end up working a boring job in a cubicle farm, just like his dad.
Janyce Coleman, 18, POC: STEM whiz and stellar athlete, Janyce is fiercely ambitious, ready to break barriers, and determined to achieve her dream of being a pilot, maybe even an astronaut – two opportunities denied to her late father. For now, she's the oldest daughter of an immigrant mom who works long hours to support her daughters

Please email <u>sightingstheplay@gmail.com</u> for sides and to schedule an audition. Please attach a headshot & resume if you have one, and indicate in email which role you would like to audition for.