

Drugs are Bad  
By Jonathan Rand

Director: Nikki Baker  
Assistant Director

Cast-  
Mom: Kristin Easler  
Dad: Micah Hollenbeck  
Brad: Marty Kois

Furniture: Couch, chair, coffee table, side table (stool with cloth over it), lamp, rug  
Props: Magazines, Algebra book, backpack, milk bottles, CD player, Molecular Systematics

Costumes-

Mom: Baggy shirt, capris, ballet-style flats  
Dad: Dress pants, collared shirt, tie, nice shoes  
Brad: Jeans, converse shoes, leather jacket with collared shirt and sweater-vest underneath

Budget-  
Scripts: 3x7.99  
Performances: 3x40.00

Director's notes:

One thing I really wanted to pursue is the stereotypical nature of this family, which has been completely turned upside down. We needed to be sure to emphasize the stereotypical lines, such as "Everybody else is doing it" because it's that much funnier when we're talking about the complete opposite of the stereotype. I felt it was important to make it look as normal and stereotypical from the beginning as possible, then when the Algebra book came out, it was that much more shocking, and only got funnier from there. So in rehearsal we pursued the stereotypes of the mother, father, and son, and placed them as characters into this mixed-up world.