the Indie-Comedy from Phoenix, AZ

runtime: 91 min.
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premiere: Phoenix Film Festival – 2014

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synopsis:
Karla's a typical Millennial who wants stave off adulthood by going to grad school. She agrees to babysitting the most obnoxious person she knows... Theo, her brother-in-law who’s trapped in wheelchair with a bright pink leg cast. She tells herself that it’s only for the weekend and that the money will be worth it.

The babysitting job starts off smooth until Theo drunkenly slips that Karla's sister is pregnant and that he "needs" his last weekend of freedom to party. Karla's somewhat devastated and unsure to where to draw the line of responsibility now. The next morning Theo lays out his plan to build a nursery for his wife as a secret present. Karla loves the idea as a genius way to win her sister's favor. Together they embark on the task of painting walls and building furniture. This leads to bonding over bad jokes and hipster bands. Soon they realize the task is more than they can handle so they recruit Theo's friends to help in the labor. Things get out of hand as more people arrive. Soon Karla pieces together that the money might not be there. Theo's backed Karla into his party-of-a-life-time but at this point does she really care...

Broken Leg is a heart-felt comedy about helpless people learning to help each.
about:

In late 2011, the Broken Leg team affirmed the goal to make their first feature film. It began with throwing ideas around and then from the aether arrived Broken Leg. The script for a heartfelt comedy came to the page. Next, the team was fully assembled from actors to post-sound, all ranging in skills levels but all impassioned for the project. In April 2012 a successful Kickstarter campaign was funded all thanks to friends, family, and benevolent strangers. In the late Summer of 2012, principal photography was completed, laughs and tears were to be had. Then post-production began where all the best jokes and emotional moments were crafted into the final film. Final color and sound were completed in early 2014.

Now behold, the completed Broken Leg.
bios:

Kieran Thompson - Director
"I like telling stories about others far more than about myself, but if you really must know... I spent my formative years in Tempe, Arizona. Did I just say formative? I studied film at Scottsdale Community College and at The Los Angeles Film School. My thesis film Caleb Couldn't Love tells the story of a boy diagnosed with a disease where if he falls in love his heart could explode. Most recently I directed RED, a short thriller set in 1954. I'm still amazed that RED has screened all over the world. I love making movies because they have the power to make people laugh and reflect. There's no better feeling than hearing an audience laugh at a joke or to hear them discuss the film on their way out of the theatre. I believe Broken Leg will create these situations!"

Case Barden - Producer
"I was born and raised in Seattle. I love that city and it will always be home. I've spent a bit of time traveling the country. I've spent a bit of time building trails in the Rockies. And I've been working in the film industry for the over three years in Los Angeles. I'm lucky to have worked on cool projects like The Future, Terri, Wrong, Would You Rather, and the forth-coming Computer Chess. I met Kieran through the Boy Scouts and we had the opportunity to work together doing national training. We both have a love for film. We both ended up going to the Los Angeles Film School. And we both have been working in the industry for a few years but never had a chance to work together on a project. So now with Broken Leg we're making it happen."

Sarah Sawyer - Lead Actress
"I was born and raised in Phoenix and I currently attend Arizona State University. I've always loved acting, but really caught the bug when I changed my major to musical theater during my first year of college. Previous credits include: Winthrop (The Music Man), Fritzie (Cabaret), Kim (Bye Bye Birdie), Leading Player (Pippin), Lily (The Secret Garden), and Sarah Brown (Guys and Dolls). I love creating relatable characters, and I'm quite excited for audiences to see Broken Leg!"

Luke Johnson - Lead Actor
"I grew up shooting VHS in my hometown of Gilbert, Arizona with a camcorder always strapped to my shoulder. I did the The Luke Johnson Phone Experiment a few years back and received millions of views. I do improvisational sketch comedy with The Luke and Tadd Show and Baby Cute Boys. I also dabble in the viral arts with my commercial company Propusganda. I was recently a producer on the feature film Vamp U. I love movies, I love the creation process, and can't wait to share Broken Leg."
**cast & crew:**

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all AZ soundtrack:

"Oh My"
Written by Rick Schaier
Performed by Alvin Band

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Written by Rick Schaier
Performed by Alvin Band

"Napoleon"
Written by Billy Murray
Performed by Billy Murray

"Gazzette Pitch"
Written by Rick Schaier
Performed by Alvin Band

"The Wolf"
Written by John Krause, Matt Noakes, Emma Pew
Performed by Black Carl

"Stay Fast With The Ship"
Written by Underground Cities
Performed by Underground Cities

"Rock N'Roll Mountain Troll"
Written by Charlie Brand
Performed by Miniature Tigers

"Will You Hang Around?"
Written by Sam Means
Performed by Sam Means

"Become My Hallucination"
Written by John Krause, Matt Noakes, Emma Pew
Performed by Black Carl

"lol Robot Dance Party"
Written by Matt Good, Chris Kalla, Jon Stoddard, Chris Wahl
Performed by Matt Good, Chris Kalla, Jon Stoddard, Chris Wahl

"I'm In Love With Hip-Hop"
Written by Joel Gibbs
Performed by Reel Spitt (ft. Mugsy McCoy)

"Escape from Innocence"
Written by Chad, Sean, Patrick, Jerrod, Travis & Theo
Performed by The Book Club
some specs:
  Runtime: 91 Min.  Genre: Comedy
  Sound: 5.1 Mix  Audience: College Kids/Millennials
  Aspect Ratio: 2:35  Status: Completed 2014
  Camera: RED MX  Rating: Not Yet Rated

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