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1 Leland & Gray Players present ‘She Kills Monsters’

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4 The Leland and Gray Players are busy rehearsing their  
5 one act play, *She Kills Monsters*, by playwright Qui Nguyen.  
6 Shows are open to the public Wednesdays, March 18 and 25, at  
7 7 p.m. and Sunday, March 22, at 2 p.m. in the Dutton  
8 Gymnasium/Theater.

9 This year’s show is about Agnes, a high school senior  
10 who attempts to learn more about recently deceased sister, Tilly.  
11 After Tilly’s death in a car accident, Agnes discovers a “Dungeons

12 and Dragons” notebook in Tilly’s room. In an effort to connect to  
13 her sister, Agnes enters a world she once mocked.

14 In this dramatic comedy, Nguyen presents a world filled  
15 with monsters, pop culture, and epic battles. Actors have been  
16 working with local fight choreographer Reily Mhera Mumpton to  
17 create stylized “Dungeons and Dragons” violence and maintain  
18 actor safety.

19 The players say they are also excited to be hosting a  
20 Regional Drama Festival of the Vermont One Act Play  
21 Competition, a first for Leland & Gray. On Saturday, March 28,  
22 the school’s production of *She Kills Monsters* will be joined by  
23 three other Vermont schools’ performances to celebrate theater.

24 They will be welcoming Hartford High School, who will  
25 present *Shy Dreams* (drama); Rutland High School, who will  
26 present *All in Disguise* (comedy), and Milton High School, who  
27 will present *Nosferatu* (drama).

28 The Leland and Gray Players say the public will not be  
29 able to attend festival day performances, unfortunately, as their  
30 space is not big enough to accommodate audience members in  
31 addition to festival participants and chaperones.

32 Admission is \$5, to be paid at the door.

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