



“ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO”

Tuesdays (9:00-10:00 p.m. ET) on The CW

More than maybe anywhere else on Earth, Roswell, New Mexico is ground zero for those who seek proof that aliens exist. Roswell native Liz Ortecho (Jeanine Mason) left it all behind 10 years ago after the death of her beloved older sister Rosa. But after the government cuts funding on her biomedical research, she reluctantly returns to her tourist-trap hometown to move back in with her father. When Liz arrives, she reconnects with Max Evans (Nathan Dean Parsons), her teenage crush, who is now a Roswell police officer. Their chemistry is instantly electric. But Liz soon discovers a shocking truth: Max is an alien who has kept his unearthly abilities hidden his entire life, along with those of his otherworldly sister, Isobel (Lily Cowles), and their friend Michael (Michael Vlamis). As the two grow closer after a decade apart, Liz finds it difficult to keep the truth from her best friend, Maria De Luca (Heather Hemmens), and her trusting high school ex, Dr. Kyle Valenti (Michael Trevino). Also hiding their extraterrestrial origins are Isobel and Michael, with Isobel not even revealing the truth to her husband, Noah Bracken (Karan Oberoi), and Michael keeping his identity hidden beneath a bad-boy exterior of hard living and casual hookups. Meanwhile, Master Sergeant Jesse Manes (Trevor St. John) spearheads a long-standing government conspiracy — unbeknownst to his son, Alex Manes (Tyler Blackburn), who has recently returned from service overseas with emotional and physical injuries. The politics of fear and hatred that run rampant in Roswell threaten to expose Max and his family and could endanger his deepening romance with Liz...as well as their lives.

ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO is from Warner Bros. Television and CBS Television Studios, in association with Amblin Television and Bender Brown Productions, with executive producers Carina Adly MacKenzie (“The Originals”), Christopher Hollier (“Once Upon A Time”), Julie Plec (“The Vampire Diaries”), Darryl Frank and Justin Falvey (“The Americans”), Lawrence Bender (“Pulp Fiction”) and Kevin Kelly Brown (“Roswell”)

CREDITS FOR “ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO” ON THE CW

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Format: When Liz Ortecho returns to Roswell, New Mexico, she reconnects with Max Evans, her teenage crush, who is now a Roswell police officer. However, Liz soon discovers a shocking truth: Max is an alien who has kept his unearthly abilities hidden his entire life, along with those of his otherworldly sister Isobel and their friend Michael. Meanwhile, a long-standing government conspiracy will threaten to expose Max and his family and could endanger his deepening romance with Liz...as well as their lives.

Cast: Jeanine Mason as Liz Ortecho
Nathan Dean Parsons as Max Evans
Michael Vlamis as Michael Guerin
Lily Cowles as Isobel Evans-Bracken
Tyler Blackburn as Alex Manes
Heather Hemmens as Maria DeLuca
Michael Trevino as Kyle Valenti
Trevor St. John as Master Sergeant Manes
Karan Oberoi as Noah Bracken

Executive Producers: Carina Adly MacKenzie, Christopher Hollier, Julie Plec, Darryl Frank and Justin Falvey, Lawrence Bender, Kevin Kelly Brown

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JEANINE MASON

Liz Ortecho in “Roswell, New Mexico”

Jeanine Mason stars as Liz Ortecho, a Roswell, New Mexico native, who reluctantly returns to her hometown and reconnects with her teenage crush Max, in The CW’s new drama “Roswell, New Mexico.”

Mason is an actor and dancer born and raised in Miami, Florida. After winning Season 5 of “So You Think You Can Dance” and earning the title of “America’s Favorite Dancer,” her acting career began. In early 2018, she was seen in a major recurring role on “Grey’s Anatomy” as new surgical intern Sam Bello. Her television credits include “Of Kings and Prophets,” “Bunheads,” “You’re the Worst,” “Awkward,” “Criminal Minds,” “NCIS: LA,” “Daytime Divas,” “CSI,” “Major Crimes,” “Big Time Rush,” “The Secret Life of the American Teenager,” “Hollywood Heights” and “The Fresh Beat Band.”

Recent films include Valerie Weiss’ “The Archer,” which premiered at SXSW in 2017 and Simon Brand’s “Default,” opposite David Oyelowo. She was last seen on stage opposite Demián Bichir in Center Theatre Group’s 2017 revival of “Zoot Suit” directed by playwright Luis Valdez.

Mason resides in Los Angeles and is a proud Bruin, who graduated cum laude from UCLA in 2014.



NATHAN DEAN PARSONS

Max Evans in “Roswell, New Mexico”

Nathan Dean Parsons stars as Max Evans, a Roswell, New Mexico police officer, who has been concealing his unearthly abilities from the town, in The CW’s new drama “Roswell, New Mexico.”

Born in Adelaide, South Australia and raised in Austin, Texas, Parsons moved to Los Angeles after being accepted into the acting program at the University of Southern California. Parson’s television credits include a series regular role on the final season of “True Blood,” as well as recurring roles on “The Originals,” “Once Upon a Time” and “Bunheads.”

Parsons was a member of Boom Kat Dance Theatre, a non-profit dance company based in Santa Monica, California. He is currently involved with the Wounded Warrior Project, an organization that helps veterans and active duty service members wounded in military actions following the September 11th attacks.



MICHAEL VLAMIS

Michael Guerin in “Roswell, New Mexico”

Michael Vlamis stars as Michael Guerin, a troubled, but brilliant alien, who is driven by his desire to escape this planet and return to where he came from, in The CW’s new drama “Roswell, New Mexico.”

Vlamis is an actor and filmmaker from Chicago. He made his debut alongside Zooey Deschanel in “New Girl.” He recently starred in the Blackpills series “Simi Valley,” which was nominated for best drama at the 2018 Streamy Awards.

Vlamis wrote, produced and starred in “MemE! True Hollywood Story,” which was a 2016 Tribeca Film Festival winner. His latest feature film, “5 Years Apart,” which he produced and starred in alongside Chloe Bennett, will premiere in 2019.



LILY COWLES

Isobel Evans in “Roswell, New Mexico”

Lily Cowles stars as Isobel Evans, a graceful and restrained alien fighting to keep her and her brother Max’s identity a secret from the town, on The CW’s midseason drama “Roswell, New Mexico.”

Cowles was raised by a troupe of merry artists, who instilled in her the wonder and mystery of the play. Her journey as an actor began in playhouses, wound its way through documentary film and the martial arts, and landed fortuitously in the golden age of television. She has recurred in Michelle and Robert King’s “Braindead.”



TYLER BLACKBURN

Alex Manes in “Roswell, New Mexico”

Tyler Blackburn stars as Sgt. Alex Manes, a traumatized veteran, who is torn between his military father’s expectations and a future with the man he loves, in The CW’s new drama “Roswell, New Mexico.”

Blackburn is best known for his work in the hit drama “Pretty Little Liars,” where he accumulated a large fan base for his portrayal of the dark and mysterious character “Caleb Rivers.” The show has received an array of nominations and awards, including several Teen Choice Awards and People’s Choice Awards. Blackburn’s performance garnered him two consecutive individual Teen Choice Awards. His success on “Pretty Little Liars” led to Blackburn continuing the same character on the spin-off “Ravenswood.”

Blackburn recently completed filming “Hello Again,” based on an off-Broadway musical by composer Michael John LaChiusa. The film is directed by Tom Gustafson and the ensemble cast includes Audra McDonald, Martha Plimpton, T.R. Knight and Cheyenne Jackson.

In 2016, Blackburn also starred in the independent film “Love Is All You Need?” directed by Kim Rocco Shields. Blackburn starred opposite Elisabeth Röhm, Briana Evigan, Emily Osment and Jeremy Sisto. The film, based on the award-winning short of the same name, is a provocative look at bullying in a world where being gay is the norm and heterosexuals are persecuted.



HEATHER HEMMENS

Maria Deluca in “Roswell, New Mexico”

Heather Hemmens stars as Maria Deluca, a free-spirited bartender/psychic and best friend of Liz, in The CW’s new drama “Roswell, New Mexico.”

Hemmens currently has a recurring role on “Yellowstone,” opposite Kevin Costner. She also starred in “If Loving You Is Wrong” based on the Tyler Perry feature “Single Moms Club.” Her television credits include a series regular role on “Hellcats,” as well as a recurring role on “Grey’s Anatomy.” On the film side, she starred in the independent film “Complicity,” as well as the SyFy feature “Rise of the Zombies.”

Hemmens is accomplished in martial arts with a black belt. She also has extensive weapons training, which is showcased in her work from “3 Musketeers.”



MICHAEL TREVINO

Kyle Valenti in “Roswell, New Mexico”

Michael Trevino stars as Kyle Valenti, a well-liked doctor, whose positive outlook on life starts to shift when he uncovers the truth about his family’s legacy, in The CW’s new drama “Roswell, New Mexico.”

Trevino has quickly established himself as a highly sought after young actor in film and television. He is best known for playing “Tyler Lockwood,” the Mystic Falls’ star athlete-turned-werewolf-turned hybrid for eight seasons on the hit drama “The Vampire Diaries.” He later brought this fan favorite character to the spinoff series “The Originals” with a memorable guest-arc.

On the big screen, Trevino starred in the independent dramas “Sunset Park” and “Out of Control.”

Prior to “The Vampire Diaries,” Trevino was a familiar face to television audiences with a series regular role on “Cane,” recurring roles on “90210” and “The Riches,” and guest starring roles on “CSI: NY,” “Bones,” “Cold Case,” “Without a Trace,” “Commander In Chief,” “Summerland” and “Charmed.”

Trevino won the Teen Choice Award for “Choice TV Male Scene Stealer” for his work on “The Vampire Diaries” in 2011 and 2012 and was nominated again for his role for the same award in 2014. He was also nominated for an ALMA Award for Favorite TV Actor, Supporting Role in Drama for this role in 2011 and 2012.



TREVOR ST. JOHN

Master Sergeant Manes in “Roswell, New Mexico”

Trevor St. John stars as Master Sergeant Manes, a stubborn and tough military sergeant, who is intent on eliminating the alien threat, in The CW’s new drama “Roswell, New Mexico.”

St. John was born in Spokane, WA. He began acting while attending Whitworth University on a jazz performance scholarship, where he played the drums. He’s worked as a professional actor and musician in both New York and Los Angeles since 1993. His previous television credits include “Containment,” “The Vampire Diaries,” “The Mentalist” and “CSI: Cyber” as well as films “The Grief of Others” and “Dark Skies.”

He lives in Los Angeles with his wife Sara and son Aidan.



KARAN OBEROI

Noah Bracken in “Roswell, New Mexico”

Karan Oberoi stars as Noah Bracken, Isobel’s charming and devoted husband, in The CW’s new drama “Roswell, New Mexico.”

Hailing from Brampton, Ontario, Oberoi landed his first acting job on the Canadian series “The Border.” His television credits include series regular roles in “Recon,” “Borealis” and “Combat Hospital.” He’s also appeared in “Notorious,” “Conviction,” “Castle,” “Containment,” “Westworld,” “The Blacklist” and “NCIS.” In film, Oberoi has appeared in “Maplethorpe,” “Displacement” and “The Last Supper.”

Oberoi also starred in the off-Broadway play “Threesome” at the 59E59 Theater in New York City.



CARINA ADLY MACKENZIE

Executive Producer of “Roswell, New Mexico”

Carina Adly MacKenzie is currently executive producer and showrunner of “Roswell, New Mexico.” Her prior TV credits include “The Originals” and “The Flash.” MacKenzie began her career as a television critic and entertainment journalist at Zap2it and the Los Angeles Times. She is also the author of the YA novel “Eternal Night.”



CHRISTOPHER HOLLIER

Executive Producer of “Roswell, New Mexico”

Christopher Hollier is currently executive producer of “Roswell, New Mexico.” Hollier began his career writing for “Alias” and “Kyle XY,” before moving on to produce and write for “Elementary” and popular genre fare including “The Originals” and “Once Upon a Time.”



JULIE PLEC

Executive Producer of “Legacies” and “Roswell, New Mexico”

Julie Plec served as creator, executive producer and showrunner of “The Originals,” which was inspired by characters from the long-running series “The Vampire Diaries.” Plec co-developed “The Vampire Diaries” with Kevin Williamson and executive produced for all eight of its seasons. She also developed and executive produced “Containment,” which aired as a limited series.

Along with directing multiple episodes of “The Vampire Diaries,” Plec recently directed an episode of “Riverdale.” She also directed the pilot for the midseason drama “Roswell, New Mexico,” which she is also executive producing.

Plec got her start as a television writer and co-executive producer for the series “Kyle XY,” which she produced for the show’s three-year run. Other television credits include “Dawson’s Creek,” which she collaborated on with creator and executive producer Kevin Williamson, and “The Tomorrow People,” which she collaborated on with fellow executive producers Greg Berlanti and Phil Klemmer.

In the early part of her career, Plec worked with both Wes Craven and Kevin Williamson during the run of their hit “Scream” franchise. She also co-produced Greg Berlanti’s directorial debut film, “The Broken Hearts Club.”