

FACT SHEET

WISHBONAFIDE PODCAST

OVERVIEW

Created and produced by three college roommates and best friends, “Wishbonafide” is the podcast for which every book-lover and nostalgic 90s kid has been waiting. The 30 minute podcast offers a humorous look at the literary integrity and tween frame story of the TV show *Wishbone*, and of course talks about the talented terrier himself. Each episode features a guest host who joins the discussion, bringing a fresh perspective to the classical book and contemporary lesson analysis. There are an expected 50 episodes of “Wishbonafide,” following the 50 episodes of *Wishbone* (including a movie). Additional material is provided online, including recommendations based on the literature discussed, “ArfProv,” and bonus audio. What began as a half baked idea in a text message quickly transformed into a lively adventure brought to listeners by Claire McCrea, Erin Venable, and Rory Nachbar.

BREAKDOWN OF THE SHOW

- The Terrier in the Room: An examination of the changes and accuracy of the TV episode compared to the primary source. Discussion of why the changes were made, if they were significant and how they helped or hindered the overall production.
- Scrunch Time: The hosts put on their thinking scrunchies and reflect on the 90’s tween frame story in relation to the primary source and present-day. Discussion of why the lesson to be learned is positive or negative.
- The Dog Factor: A short segment to comment on the dog actor’s abilities in certain categories. For example: stunts, emoting, tricks, patience, adorability, method acting, and costuming.

ABOUT THE CO-PRODUCERS

Claire McCrea: The originator of “Wishbonafide,” Claire puts her TV professional experience to work where it truly counts: rating 90s kids’ TV on a niche podcast. She currently works for Chopped and Chopped Junior on The Food Network, and also consumes all varieties of media content voraciously.

Erin Venable: With an English degree and three dogs, it’s not surprising that Erin loves discussing *Wishbone* and the literature it covers. She works professionally as a copywriter and is an avid reader and actor, enthusiastically bringing those talents to the podcast.

Rory Nachbar: An artist at heart, Rory manages the design, content creation, and promotion of “Wishbonafide,” and occasionally is on the podcast as a guest. She currently works as a Social Media Specialist for Wolfram Research Inc.

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