

Brainrot

BRAINROT

Running Time:

7:09

Directed By:

**Davis Cameron Chu &
Meezahn Senbetta**

Produced By:

Meezahn Senbetta

Edited By:

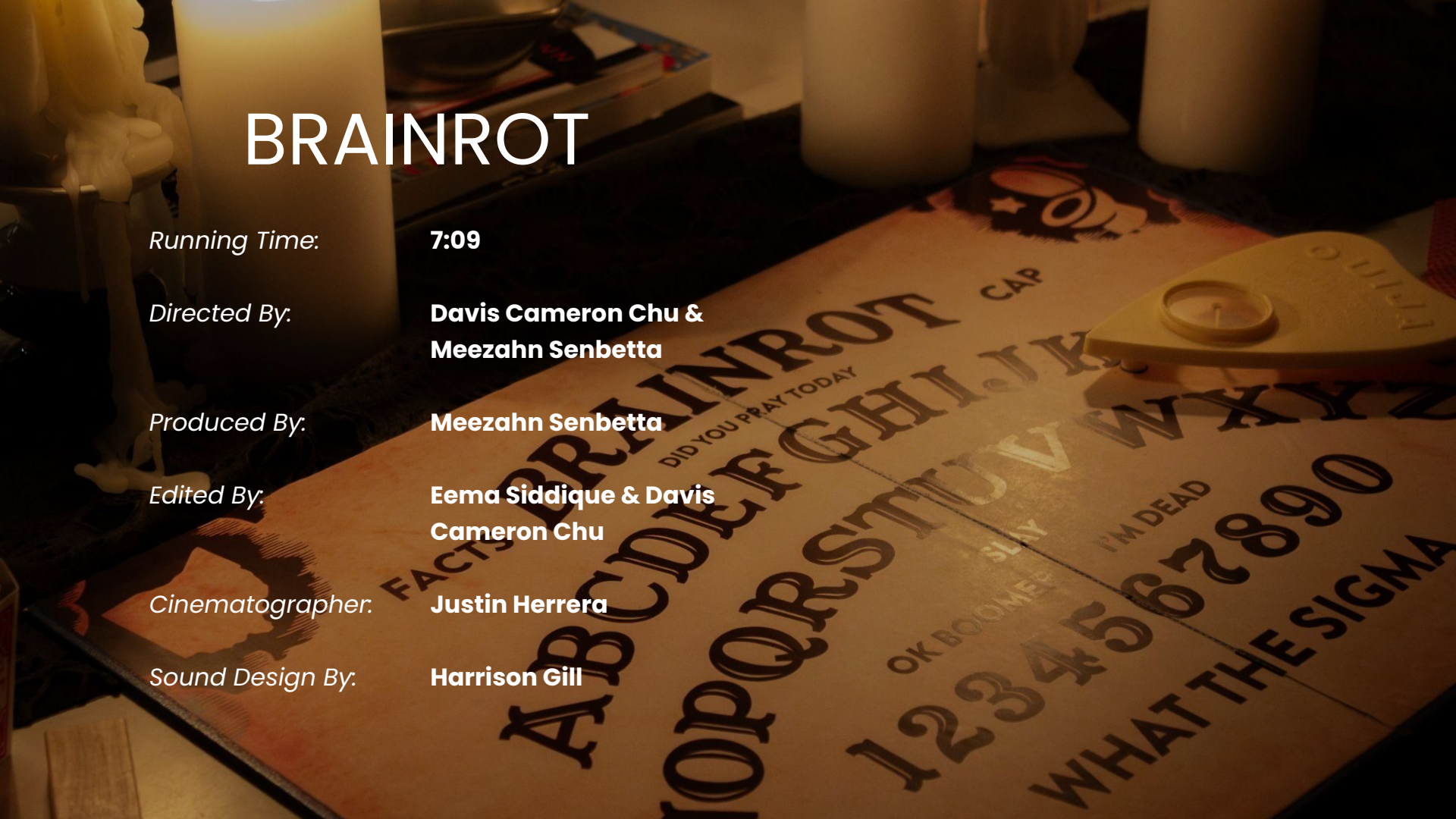
**Eema Siddique & Davis
Cameron Chu**

Cinematographer:

Justin Herrera

Sound Design By:

Harrison Gill

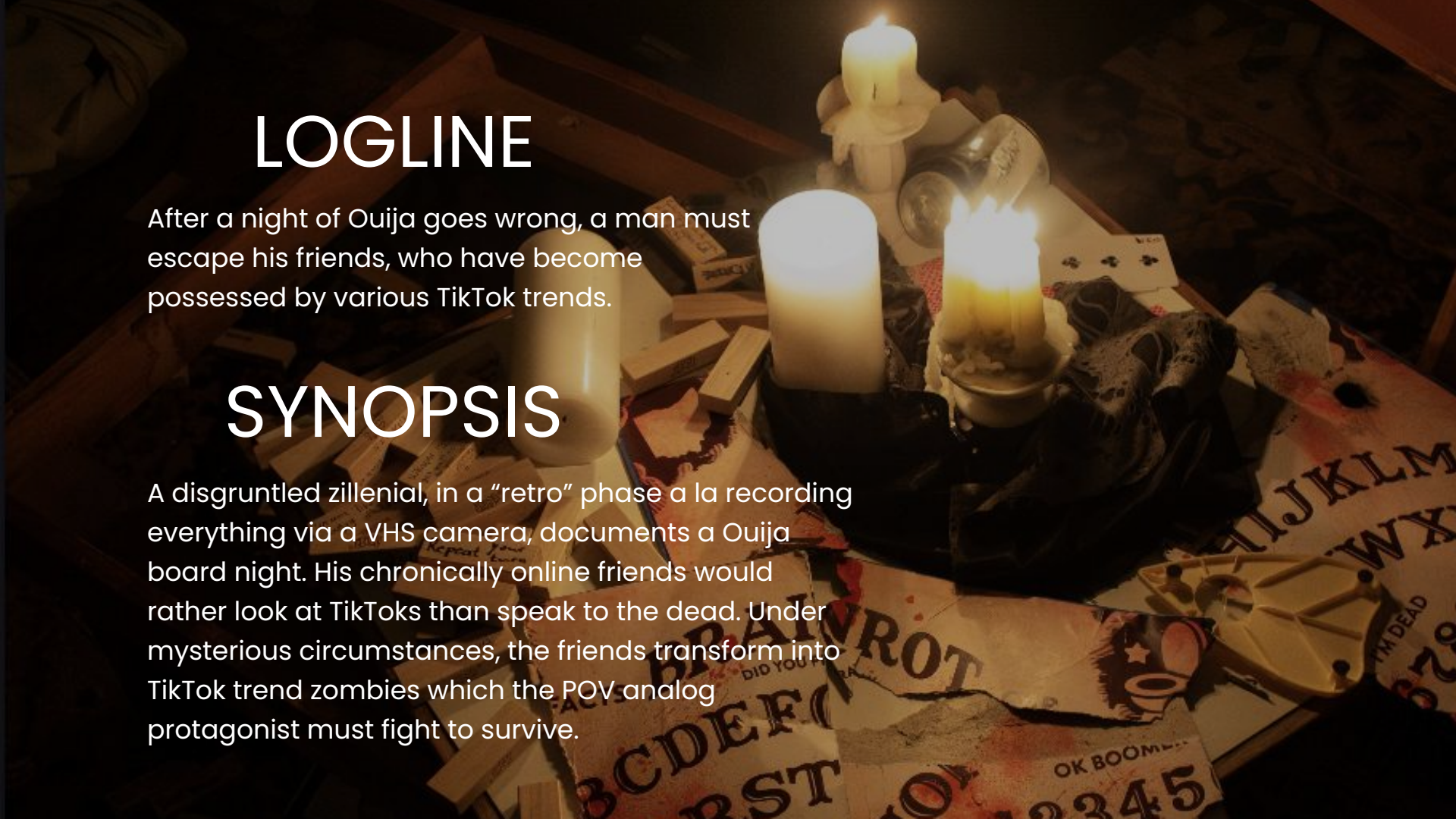


LOGLINE

After a night of Ouija goes wrong, a man must escape his friends, who have become possessed by various TikTok trends.

SYNOPSIS

A disgruntled zillennial, in a "retro" phase a la recording everything via a VHS camera, documents a Ouija board night. His chronically online friends would rather look at TikToks than speak to the dead. Under mysterious circumstances, the friends transform into TikTok trend zombies which the POV analog protagonist must fight to survive.



OUR STORY

Davis Cameron Chu and Meezahn Senbetta were playing film trivia one night with several of their friends. They won! The prize was a Super 8 Camera. So naturally they wrote a script that featured all of their friends from that night through the device of shooting on analogue... which eventually became a VHS camera because they don't have the money for rolls and rolls of film.

"Brainrot" is a time capsule. It's also an earnest critique of social media. More than anything, it's a good entertaining time.



WRITER, DIRECTOR, ACTOR Davis Cameron Chu

Davis Cameron Chu is a New York born, Cincinnati raised, Chicago-based mixed media filmmaker. He's a designer / animator by day and musician, sketch comedy writer, actor, director, and.. he'll admit it, a chronically online TikTok addict. His favorite TikToks from 2024 are AJ & Big Justice. Check out Davis' work at daviscameronchu.com and contact him at daviscameronchu@gmail.com



DIRECTOR, PRODUCER, Meezahn Senbetta

Meezahn Senbetta is a Chicago-based design/VFX producer with professional experiences in reality TV, documentary and post production. She has a strong passion for creating meaningful diverse content and advocating for artists. Though she doesn't have a TikTok she's finally up to speed on the 2024 TikTok trends thanks to Instagram reels.. meezahn.senbetta@gmail.com



ART DIRECTOR, PRACTICAL FX, HMU, Francely

Chicago based production designer and art director, Francely is truly a creative mastermind. No matter the impossibility of the ask, they are always down to learn, experiment and collaborate. Incredibly creative credits that Francely has to their name include Production Designer for [Prawn Star](#) (award winning 2024 short film) and Art Director for [Starlight](#) (2025 music video). **francely379@gmail.com**



Sound Recordist / Designer, Harrison Gill

Chicago based audio engineer, sound designer and musician, Harrison is always thinking and creating in waveforms. As a consistent collaborator and friend of Meezahn and Davis he agreed to join team Brainrot despite allegedly not knowing any of the TikTok references. Check out Harrison's work at <https://www.hg.works/> and contact him at **chhgill@gmail.com**



CREDITS

Sound Recordist:

Harrison Gill

Gaffer:

Lincoln Rogers

Art Director/Practical

Effects:

Francely Vargas

Art Crew:

Sadie Van Wie

Lucas Simes

Dylan Martin

Assistant Editor:

Jane Carlson

CG Artists

Alex Pearson

Alances Vargas

Henry Smalstig



CAST

*Justin Herrera as **Justin***

*Dylan Ptak as **Dylan***

*Galeela Senbetta as **Galeela***

*Davis Cameron Chu as **Davis***



SPECIAL THANKS

Dylan Martin

Bryce Cameron

Charli XCX

Costco Guys

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