

## Audition Information



Youth Theatre Auditions will be held on **Thursday, January 24th from 6pm - 8pm** and on **Saturday, January 26 from 9am – 11am** at the Community Center located at 120 S. Main, Farmington (451-0953). Join us for the Storytelling Festival from 1-3pm in the basement.

Ages 8 to 18 years of age are invited to audition. Please be prepared to sing and read from the script (speaking parts for acting auditions will be provided for you at Parks & Rec or at the door. For singing auditions, you may choose a song to sing-suggestions are given below). A non-refundable \$15.00 (resident) or \$25.00 (non-resident) per person audition fee is due at the time of the audition (parents need to be present). A \$75.00\* refundable volunteer deposit per household is also required at the time of audition (\*\$75.00 is refundable after performances if volunteer obligations are met). Callbacks (if needed) will be **Tuesday January 29 at 7pm**-invitation only. The cast list will be posted on **Wednesday January 30 after 4pm**.

Performance Dates will be on the evenings of **April 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> with a matinee on the 12<sup>th</sup>**. Rehearsals are scheduled from 4-6:05 pm on Tuesdays and Thursdays and from 9am-1:05 pm on Saturdays. On Thursdays there is a possibility that chorus parts will come later (aprox 5:30-6) and leave before or at 8pm. Not all children will be required at every rehearsal and a two-week schedule will be passed out at the mandatory parent & cast meeting on **January 31 at 7:00 pm**. If you have 2 or more unexcused absences you may be dropped from the cast. Parents are required to volunteer for this production in attending assigned rehearsals, performances and different areas where needed if you want volunteer deposit refunded.

### **Singing:**

All singing will be without accompaniment. Here are a couple examples of songs you may sing. Or come prepared with your own. You should try to create a character to go along with your song. You may be asked to harmonize or sing in a round.

#### **Hickory Dickory Dock**

Hickory dickory dock  
The mouse ran up the clock  
The clock struck one  
The mouse ran down  
Hickory dickory dock

#### **My Country Tis of Thee**

My country tis of thee  
Sweet land of liberty  
Of thee I sing  
Land where my fathers died  
Land of the pilgrims pride  
From every mountainside  
Let freedom ring

**Dance:** You may be asked to learn and perform a short routine. There is no preparation necessary for this part of the audition. If you already have a routine memorized you may perform up to 30 seconds of that routine.

**Acting:** You will be asked to read from the script. You may pick up a speaking part at Parks & Rec (720 W 100 N, Farmington) to prepare ahead of time if you wish.

### **Principal Roles: (in order of speaking)**

Alice- you know the one	215 lines	Ump	4 lines
Troubadour- soloist who introduces the show	n/a	Catcher	3 lines
Mother's Voice-.offstage	14 lines	Vendor-generous popcorn seller	2 lines
White Queen- defender of the crown	76 lines	Tweedle Dum	14 lines
Red Queen-vicious, nasty temper	94 lines	Tweedle Dee	18 lines
Red Pawns-in the hands of their queen	32 lines	Train Conductor	9 lines
White Pawns-ditto	32 lines	Ticket Seller	4 lines
Daisy- a talking flower	10 lines	Humpty Dumpty	40 lines
Tiger-Lily- a talking flower	13 lines	White Knight	37 lines
Rose- a talking flower	11 lines	Red Knight	31 lines
Announcer- baseball anyone?	3 lines	Emcee	8 lines
Chorus, Extras- Dancers. Proper Authorities, Baseball Players & fans, Tourists, Dixie Chickens etc.....			

**Thanks for your participation. If you have questions you may contact Stephanie Paget @ 682-9918. Show directed by Carol Thomas, Produced by Denise Littlefield, Lori Dalley & Sally Plott**