

UPCOMING AUDITIONS

City Theatre Company

2024 Young Playwrights Festival Auditions

Date: Video submissions due by 9am Friday, July 26, 2024

Callbacks: Sunday, August 11, 2024, 12pm -6pm (In-person)

Seeking:

City Theatre Company is hiring an ensemble of 8-10 diverse, professional, non-Equity actors for this year's Young Playwrights Festival, directed by Alex Manalo.

Actors will play multiple roles in six fully produced one-act plays so we are seeking imaginative, outgoing creative spirits who can easily shift between comedy and drama.

City Theatre is committed to non-traditional casting and encourages actors of all backgrounds to audition.

Schedule:

First Rehearsal: Saturday, September 14

Tech Rehearsal: October 3- 6

Performances:

Tuesday, October 8 - Friday, October 11 - 10am Student Matinees

Tuesday, October 15- Friday, October 18 - 10am Student Matinees

Saturday, October 19 & Sunday, October 20- afternoon and evening performances

*Rehearsals will take place weekday evenings and weekend daytimes

**Performances will take place during the morning hours with a brief talkback following each performance

Compensation:

Company members will be paid a \$1,500 stipend for their participation.

We are only seeking non-Equity actors at this time.

How to Audition:

Interested actors must email their headshot, resume and a recorded one- two-minute contemporary monologue- comedic preferred- to auditions@citytheatrecompany.org.

Please upload your video audition to YouTube or Vimeo and send us a link to this email (auditions@citytheatrecompany.org) by 9am Friday, July 26, 2024. Please do not share

via WeTransfer, Google Drive, Dropbox, iCloud or other file sharing platforms. Just use the sharable link straight from YouTube or Vimeo.

Please include a slate with the following information:

Name

Pronouns (if that's part of your practice)

Any conflicts the evenings and weekends of September 14th-October 6th

Would be available for matinee performances October 8-18th?

Do you sing or play musical instruments?

2-minute contemporary monologue

If invited to attend callbacks, actors will be sent specific sides to prepare; monologues are not required. These callbacks will take place on Sunday, August 11 from 12pm -6pm.

About the Festival:

City Theatre's annual Young Playwrights Contest encourages 7-12th grade western Pennsylvania and northern West Virginia students to make their voices heard by writing and submitting original one-act plays.

The Young Playwrights Festival, in its celebratory 25th year, highlights three middle school and high school aged one-act plays. Student playwrights develop their scripts in collaboration with professional theater artists- a director, dramaturge, designers, and actors. Students from the region are invited to attend the 8 daytime performances and family and friends are encouraged to attend the weekend public performances, all held in our Lillie Theatre.