

Meet the Team!

Director / Choreographer: Rachel Rienits

Producers: Merrin and Dennis Ross

Musical Director: Mark McKinnon

Vocal Director: Sandy Basham



Assistant Choreographer / Dance Captain: Abby Hopkins

Meet the Team!

Costume Design: Isabelle Rienits

Set Construction: Oliver Gait

Stage Manager: Greg Lloyd

Properties: Amy Barrett

Photography: Dennis Ross



Show Season

6 Performances at the Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre



Friday 10th November – 7.30pm Saturday 11th November – 7.30pm Sunday 12th November – 2pm Friday 17th November – 7.30pm Saturday 18th November – 7.30pm



Audition Dates!

Saturday 22nd July 10am – 4pm Sunday 23rd July 11.00am – 4pm Saturday 29th July 10am – 3:00pm Sunday 30th July 10am – 4pm <u>AUDITIONS at the School Of Arts</u>

Call Backs: Monday 31st July 6.30pm Dance Workshops:

9.30am on Sunday 23rd and 3.30pm on Saturday 29th

Most auditionees are required to attend a dance workshop



Monday and Thursday nights from 6.30 - 9.30pm

Location: Nowra School of Arts

<u>First Rehearsal:</u> Monday 7th of August

Extra Rehearsal Dates!

<u>Sundays:</u> Generally only once a month – Dates TBA

Sitzprobe: (Rehearsal with band) – Date TBA

<u>Tech Week Rehearsals:</u> - Compulsory Monday 6th – Tech Rehearsal Tuesday 7th – Dress Rehearsal Wednesday 8th – Media Night (Full Dress Rehearsal)

We're looking for a large cast of exciting and engaging performers from 15 years of age!

Most of the cast are required to be good "Movers" – which means they can hold a beat and have a decent dance ability. Some of the cast are "Dancers" and it would be greatly preferred for them to have dance experience.

MAIN CAST:

- **Ren McCormack:** (Male Presenting, Aged 16 30) Needs to be a strong Actor, Singer and Dancer. *Required: Onstage intimacy*
- Ariel Moore: (Female Presenting, Aged 16 30)
 Needs to be a strong Actor, Singer and Mover.
 Required: Onstage intimacy

MAIN CAST:

- Rev. Shaw Moore: (Male Presenting, Aged 35 60) Needs to be a strong Actor and Singer.
- Vi Moore: (Female Presenting, Aged 35 60) Needs to be a strong Actor and Singer.
- Ethel McCormack: (Female Presenting, Aged 35 60)
 Needs to be a strong Actor and Singer

MAIN CAST:

- Willard Hewitt: (Male Presenting, Aged 15 – 30) Needs to be a strong Actor, Singer and Mover.

 - Rusty: (Female Presenting, Aged 15 – 30) Needs to be a strong Actor, Singer and Mover.

SUPPORTING CAST:

- Urleen and Wendy Jo: (Female Presenting, Aged 15 30)
 Both need to be a strong Actor, Singer and Mover.
- Chuck Cranston: (Male Presenting, Aged 16 30) Needs to be a strong Actor, Singer and Mover. *Required: Onstage Intimacy*
- Cowboy Bob: (Male Presenting, Aged 20 40) Needs to be a strong Actor, Singer and Mover.

SUPPORTING CAST:

- Coach Dunbar, Lulu Warnicker, Wes Warnicker,
 Eleanor Dunbar, Betty Blast, Principal Clark: (Aged 25 55) Need to be strong Actors.
- Lyle, Travis, Jeter, Bickle, Garvin: (Male Presenting, Aged 15 – 30) Need to be strong Actors, Singers and Movers.

ENSEMBLE CAST:

- Youth Ensemble: (Aged 15 30) Need to be Singers and Movers.
- Dance Ensemble: (Aged 15 30) Need to be strong Dancers (aren't required to do a singing audition)
- Adult Ensemble: (Aged 30-60) Mostly made up of the adult characters. Won't have to dance a whole lot.

Who we're looking for!

CREW:

- **Stage crew:** If you are interested in being a part of our back stage crew you can let us know. The Stage Manager will contact you closer to the date!

- **Band:** We are on the look out for an experienced guitarist to join our band (there's a killer guitar solo in the finale!)

So how do you audition?

- Come with a song of your choice. To keep things on brand, perhaps a classic from the 80s! Choose something you're going to have fun with! Most of the musical is upbeat.
- It CAN be a song from the musical if you'd prefer to do that, but doesn't have to be.
- Please bring your track on USB which has a backing tune, but no lead vocals

So how do you audition?

- You will be asked to sing first and then you may be asked to do a short script reading.
- All auditionees will be required to do the dance workshops (Except for some adult characters, eg. Rev. Moore).
- When you apply, there will be a link to the dance that you'll learn in the workshop so you can practise before the audition)
- If you are auditioning for the dance ensemble only you'll only be required to do the dance workshop

Audition Requirements

- Book online: go to <u>www.amtc.org.au</u> and follow the link to the booking form
- Check that you've received your confirmation email
- Arrive 15 minutes early for meet and greet, and have your track uploaded from USB to the audition computer
- Check your diary for any upcoming clashes you have with rehearsal dates so that you can be upfront and honest at auditions



You may be called back for an additional audition to check chemistry between performers and to read for specific characters.

You will be required to sing / read / dance a certain part that you'll either be sent prior or taught at the call back.

If you don't get a Call Back — it doesn't mean you haven't received the role you auditioned for!

If you're successful!

<u>Code of Conduct:</u> You will be required to abide by AMTC's code of conduct.

<u>Working with Children Check:</u> All adults involved in the show will require a current WWCC that is to be provided to the committee.

<u>AMTC Member:</u> If you wish to become an AMTC member you can lodge your expression of interest via the AMTC website.

If you're successful!

Other Activities:

- You may be required to participate in activities that promote the show.
- You may be asked / encouraged to help with set construction, decoration, costume acquisition.

Photography:

In accepting a part in this production you grant AMTC the permission to use your images for promotion.

THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING!

If you have further questions: secretary@amtc.org.au

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