

# ***MATILDA THE MUSICAL* AUDITIONS - 2022**

## **ST. ANTHONY COMMUNITY THEATER (SACT)**

Auditions are being held at the St. Anthony Community Center, 3301 Silver Lake Road.

Performances will be at the St. Anthony High School Auditorium, 3303 – 33<sup>rd</sup> Avenue NE, St. Anthony, MN 55418

Rehearsals will be at the St. Anthony High School Auditorium whenever possible; other rehearsal locations may be utilized as needed.

**PERFORMANCE DATES:** (Call times are 60-90 minutes prior to the show times listed.)

July 29: 7:00 (Friday) – Opening night.

July 30: 7:00 (Saturday)

July 31: 2:00 (Sunday)

Aug. 4: 7:00 (Thursday)

Aug. 5: 6:00 (Friday) – Cast participation in Village Fest parade

Aug. 6: 7:00 (Saturday)

Aug. 7: 2:00 (Sunday) – **Strike will be Sunday immediately following the performance.** There will be a cast, crew and families picnic after the set strike.

**REHEARSAL SCHEDULE:**

A typical rehearsal schedule may be: Monday-Friday, 6:00-9:00 pm. Every effort will be made to release children by 8:00pm each night. Rehearsals may start earlier and/or run later the final two weeks: July 18-28.

Weekend Tech Rehearsals: Saturday, July 16, time to be determined.; Sunday, July 17, afternoon rehearsal if needed.

NOTE: Attendance at rehearsals is mandatory. Actors may be excused from a rehearsal if it is noted on the audition form and excused by the director. Every effort will be made to accommodate conflicts and to only call actors to rehearsals where their scenes will be rehearsed.

**OTHER REQUIREMENTS:**

St. Anthony Community Theater is a non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization operating on a limited budget. There will be some basic parts of your costume that you may be asked to provide at your own expense (i.e., shoes, makeup, some clothing). You will be expected to care for and maintain your costumes, and to help clean up after every rehearsal and performance.

**Every cast member is also expected to participate in striking the set on Sunday, Aug 7, 2022.**

Please be advised that, because community theater involves adults working with children, all adults 18 years of age and older will be subject to a confidential criminal background check.

Parents or guardians of school-aged cast members, who are not members of the cast themselves, will be expected to volunteer in some capacity – supervising children at rehearsals and performances, costume or set construction, props, hanging posters, box office, ushering, concessions, etc. A minimum of six (6) hours of volunteer work per child is suggested, and will be greatly appreciated!

**AUDITION PROCESS:**

Thursday May 19, 6:30-9 pm, Saturday, May 21, 12:00 Noon -5:30 pm.

Callbacks will be held Sunday, May 22, in the evening, as needed and by invitation only.

Auditioners should:

- Bring two copies of piano sheet music (16-24 bars max); one copy is for the piano player
- Dress comfortably with closed toe shoes for ease of movement
- Bring a facemask
- Remember that we want to cast you. We already like you!

Portions of the audition may be videotaped and will be used for casting purposes only. Please know that we may not be able to cast everyone who auditions. Whether or not you are called back is no guarantee that you will or will not be offered a spot in the cast.

CAST MEMBERS will be notified as soon as casting is completed, and posted on the website at [www.sactheater.org](http://www.sactheater.org).

**St. Anthony Community Theater serves the communities of St. Anthony, New Brighton and surrounding areas. Whenever possible we will make every attempt to include those from within our local communities either in performing roles or in some other area of involvement with the production. We also try to include all family members in some capacity who wish to be involved in the production together. However, casting a show can be very tricky when considering all of the characteristics, abilities and other things related to the individuals being cast; and we must also consider what will be the best combination of individuals in order to have a successful show and a rewarding experience for all involved.**