



Madison Theatre Guild 2410 Monroe Street Madison, WI 53711 ♦
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Audition Information for: *From Awkward Spaces: The Story of the Bartell & The Journey to Permanence*

by Brendon Smith & Suzan Kurry

Directed by John Jajewski

Auditions: Monday & Tuesday, July 10 & 11, 2017. At the MTG Firehouse, 2410 Monroe Street

Performances: Only 4 performances, August 17, 18, & 19 (two shows on closing day), at the Bartell Theatre, 113 E. Mifflin St., Madison. This is a fundraiser to help celebrate the Bartell's 20th Anniversary season.

Play Description

An original play about the Bartell Theatre's history. Six local theatre groups, who have been producing plays in whatever space they can find, unite to create a permanent home. Being led by a retiree who likes a challenge, they quickly learn there's more drama in building a stage than performing on it.

PRINCIPAL CHARACTERS:

TOM HAIG – 60s - 70s

SARAH WHELAN – 50s (this part has been cast)

GRETCHEN WHEAT – 40s

LEO COOPER –50s

LEE ANN COOPER –50s

CHORUS MEMBER #1 (also plays four other characters) - female; any age

CHORUS MEMBER #2 (also plays four other characters) - male; any age

CHORUS MEMBER #3 (also plays five other characters) - male; any age

CHORUS MEMBER #4 (also plays four other characters) - female; any age

STAGE MANAGER - female or male; any age

Auditions: Monday & Tuesday, July 10 & 11, 2017 – 7:00 – 9:00 each night -- at the Madison Theatre Guild Firehouse, 2410 Monroe Street, Madison. If you can't attend either, please email the producer (jchiolino@sbcglobal.net)

What to prepare: Actors will be reading from the script.

Casting Decisions: Casting decisions will be made as soon as possible. Please be patient. We will contact everyone by phone or e-mail. In addition, the cast list will be posted on the Madison Theatre Guild website shortly after people are notified.

Rehearsals will begin Sunday, July 16th, and will typically be Sunday, Noon to 4:00 or 5:00; Monday, 6:00 to 9:00; Friday, 6:00 to 9:00; and Saturday, 1:00 to 4:00 or 5:00. Not everyone will be called for each rehearsal. Tech week begins on August 13 & rehearsals will be evenings until we open.

Please contact the producer, Jim Chiolino, with any questions: jchiolino@sbcglobal.net

From Awkward Spaces **Actor Conflicts**

Please indicate any and all conflicts below. Rehearsals will typically be Fridays, 6 – 9; Saturdays, noon to 5; Sundays, 1 – 5; Mondays, 6 - 9.

Performances are:

Thurs, Aug 17 – 7:30 pm
 Fri, August 18 - 7:30 pm
 Sat, Aug 19 – 3:00 pm
 Sat, Aug 19 – 7:30 pm

Load-in will be August 13 & we'll rehearse every night that week before opening.

If you are cast, there will be no additional conflicts allowed after casting decisions are final.
Explain conflicts as necessary in the margins.

July, 2017

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

August, 2017

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19

I understand that additional conflicts not represented on this form may jeopardize my participation in this production. I also understand the importance of attendance at rehearsals.

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