

## Newsies workshops and auditions Term 4 Weeks 1 – 3

Please note the following abbreviations which will be regularly used in various documents: **PDs**: Principal Dancers; **JK**: Jack; **CR**: Crutchie; **DV**: Davey; **LS**: Les; **KN**: Katherine; **WS**: Wiesel; **PL**: Pulitzer; **SZ**: Seitz; **BN**: Bunsen; **HN**: Hannah; **SN**: Snyder; **ML**: Medda Larkin; **BBs**: Bowery Beauties; **MR**: Mayor; **RV**: Governor Teddy Roosevelt. Also in the Ensemble will be a number of people playing various roles – there are multiple smaller roles including about 18 Newsies not listed above. All **Newsies** have an audition on Mon 28/10 and other roles not listed here will be appointed.

**Gender**: these roles must be played by males - JK, PL, RV, MR, WS, SN and these roles must be played by females - KN, MD, BB1-3, HN. However, beyond those there is no fixed gender and we will cast the best person for the role.

Role descriptions, audition dialogue and number excerpts (and tracks) are being posted on the **Company Information** page of our website: [www.pnbhspnghsproduction.com](http://www.pnbhspnghsproduction.com). The Ensemble excerpts will be taught in workshops and used for the General Cast audition. **Make sure you bring printed material – trying to read off a small screen does not help your presentation.**

**This schedule avoids choir rehearsals for both schools – Manifesto on Tuesdays; Cantatrices on Weds Oct 16 with a 515pm start and Mr Tankersley has generously given us Weds 23/10**

Date	Time	Little Theatre & Drama rooms except for Dance on Sunday 20/10
<b>Week 1</b>		
Weds 16/10 General audition workshop 1	5.15-7.00	Short meeting then 3 x 30 min workshops covering General audition dialogue (excerpts 1, 2 & 3) and Ensemble numbers: King of New York & The World Will Know
Thurs 17/10 Principal singing workshops	4.00-4.20	CR: #14 Letter From the Refuge
	4.20-4.40	CR/JK: #2 Santa Fe
	4.40-5.10	JK: #12 Santa Fe, #6A I Never Planned
	5.10-5.45	KN, JK, DV, LS: #15 Watch What Happens reprise
	5.45-6.10	KN, JK #18 Something To Believe In
	6.10-6.35	KN: #9 Watch What Happens
	6.35-7.00	ML: #6 That's Rich

Sunday 20/10	12.30-2.30	<b>Both sessions at Red Star Dance</b>	ALL CAST Dance workshop
<b>BOOK AUDITION TIME FOR WEDS</b>	2.45-4.00		Principal Dancer workshop & audition
<b>Week 2</b>			
Mon 21/10 Gen workshop 2 Kirsten out	4.00-5.45	Short meeting then 3 x 30 min workshops covering General audition dialogue and singing material	
Singing wkshops open to all	5.45-6.15	BBs	
	6.15-6.45	PL, SZ, HN, BN	
<b>Weds 23/10 General Cast audition</b>	<b>4.00- Finished</b>	<b>You will audition in mixed gender groups of 6 – 8 at a time of your choosing with a 20 minute time slot per group</b>	
Thurs 24/10	<p><b>Selected Cast will be posted in both schools and on the website &amp; Facebook Weds night or Thurs morning. <u>Those who have been chosen to audition for Principal roles will be named.</u> If you believe you are worthy of a Principal audition and have not been named, email Miss Belcher immediately: <a href="mailto:belchers@pnbhs.school.nz">belchers@pnbhs.school.nz</a>.</b></p> <p><b>From this stage on, Principals will be cast as soon as we have identified them.</b> There are quite a few smaller roles which will be appointed. <b>Once you are cast in a role, you are required to attend further workshop/auditions to read your part.</b> These sessions will include dialogue and singing where required. Numbers &amp; excerpts stated below are a guide only – <b>be prepared to do anything listed for a role.</b></p>		
	3.30-4.00	PL, RV: dialogue excerpt 7	
	4.00-4.40	ALL those wanting to audition for NEWSIES roles	
	4.40-5.00	ML singing: That's Rich	
	5.00-5.20	ML, JK, DV: dialogue excerpt 4	
	5.20-5.45	KN, DV, LS singing: Watch What Happens reprise	
	5.45-6.30	KN, JK dialogue excerpt: 5a & b & singing: Something To Believe In	
	6.30-7.00	JK, CR singing: Santa Fe Prologue + dialogue excerpt 8	
	<b>7.15</b>	<b>Adults dinner</b>	

Week 3

Mon 28/10 <b>Labour Day</b> Dialogue & singing Kirsten out	12.30-1.15	KN, JK, CR
	1.15-1.45	KN, DV, LS
	1.45-2.15	ML, JK, DV
	2.15-2.45	BBs
	2.45-3.30	PL, RV, SZ, SN, HN, MR, BN
	<b>3.30-4.30</b>	<b>AUDITION: ALL NEWSIES including any already cast</b>
Thurs 31/10	4.00	Callbacks if required. All roles named
Sunday 3/11	12.30-2.00 2.00-4.30	Read through of script (no singing) <b>ALL CAST REQUIRED</b> <b>Principal Dancers (PNBHS Little Theatre)</b>

Leanora and Kirsten will provide a detailed schedule for the weekly Sunday sessions commencing on Sunday November 10 and run 12.30 – 4.30pm, usually for All Cast.

**We will be awesome!!!**