

YOUNG COMPANY AUDITIONS

The Half Girl

'I know he's out there somewhere, I can feel him. There's half of me missing, it's out there calling me to find it, to find him.'

The Young Company return with a mythical journey reimagined for our times. Seeking to heal the broken spirit of her mother, a young girl must face her deepest fears as she steps out into the night to find her father.

The play will be devised by the cast of the show. The production will take place 8-11th April 2015 in the Drum and will be directed by Lee Hart. We are looking for a group young people to work with Lee to create and perform this new play.

Auditions will be held on 10th and 12th January at TR2 for Young Company Members aged 11-16.

You will take part in a group workshop lasting approximately 60 minutes and then we will see everyone individually. For the individual part of the audition we would like you to prepare a one minute monologue, it can be from an existing play or a poem (not something you've written yourselves). We would like you to learn this piece by heart.

If you would like to audition please complete the form attached and return to us by **5th January**. We will contact you with the exact time and date of your audition shortly after.

Rehearsals will begin on the 1st February. Although all the cast may not be called for every rehearsal we would like you to be as available as possible during the period of the 1st February and 11th April. *Please tell us at the audition of any prior commitments you have during that period.* The rehearsal schedule is on the reverse of this letter. If you have any questions please call Jane Pawson on 01752 230542 or email youngcompany@theatreroyal.com

ASM / DSM We'll be looking for several Assistant or Deputy Stage Managers to be involved in supporting rehearsals and the production process. These roles will be of real value, working with our professional Stage Manager, so we're keen to find candidates who are patient, hard working and have an interest in learning more about what goes on backstage.

Please return your completed form by 5th January to:

Jane Pawson, Creative Learning Department, TR2, 12 Neptune Park, Cattedown, PL4 0SJ

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE				
CAST				
Date	Room(s)	Time	Cast hours	Notes
AUDITIONS				
10th Jan	Rehearsal 01	2-5pm		
12th Jan	The Lab	5-8pm		
REHEARSALS				
1st Feb	Rehearsal 01	10am-4pm	6	
8th Feb	Rehearsal 01	10am-4pm	6	
16th Feb	Rehearsal 01	10am-4pm	6	Half term
17th Feb	Rehearsal 01	10am-4pm	6	Half term
18th Feb	Rehearsal 01	10am-4pm	6	Half term
26th Feb	Rehearsal 01	5-8pm	3	
1st March	Rehearsal 01	10am - 4pm	6	
5th March	Rehearsal 01	5-8pm	3	
8th March	Rehearsal 01	10am-4pm	6	
12th March	Rehearsal 01	5-8pm	3	
15th March	Rehearsal 01	10am-4pm	6	
19th March	Rehearsal 01	5-8pm	3	
22nd March	Rehearsal 01	10am-4pm	6	
26th March	Rehearsal 01	5-8pm	3	
	Total rehearsal:		69	
PRODUCTION WEEK				
30th March	Rehearsal 01	10am-6pm	8	
31st March	Rehearsal 01	10am-6pm	8	
1st April	Drum	10am-6pm	8	
2nd April	Drum	10am-6pm	8	
3rd April	Drum	10am-6pm	8	Good Friday
6th April	Drum	10am-6pm	8	Easter Monday
7th April	Drum	10am-6pm	8	Dress Rehearsal
8th April	Drum	12-9pm	8	1st performance
9th April	Drum	6pm-9pm		2nd performance
10th April	Drum	6pm-9pm		3rd performance
11th April	Drum	6pm-9pm		4th performance
	Total rehearsal:		64	
	Full total:		133	