

## Home Made Theater Announces

# Open Auditions for Brigadoon

(a concert staging)

## Directed by JJ Buechner \* Musical Direction by Richard Cherry

**When:** Monday, July 31st and Tuesday, August 1st starting at 6:30PM. Callbacks will be held after the initial auditions on Tuesday, August 1.

**Where:** Home Made Theater's Wilton Mall location (near the Saratoga Hospital annex and across from Home Goods). As we may be in the Wilton Mall past mall hours, **please use Home Made Theater's "back" entrance**. To find this entrance, drive around to the *exterior* entrance to JCPenney (the side of the mall facing BJ's). To the left of Penneys is a loading dock. Walk through the loading dock (with the wall to Penneys on your right) to the door at the back right corner. Once through the door follow the hallway to Home Made Theater's entrance on the left. There is a sign and the door will be open.

#### For the audition:

- Please prepare 16 bars of an uptempo Broadway song.
- Please bring your own sheet music in your key; a pianist will be provided. No a capella singing.
- Please bring a current photo & resume. Photos cannot be returned.
- Bring a list of all potential conflicts from the date of the first rehearsal. Conflicts can be worked around if known about in advance.
- There will be readings from the script as part of the audition.

Video auditions, with a one-minute monologue (that does not need to be memorized) in lieu of readings from the script, will be accepted from those unable to attend the live audition dates. Videos (with attached picture and resume) should be sent to info@homemadetheater.org no later than July 30th.

## Synopsis

Lerner and Loewe's Brigadoon is an enchanting and beloved Broadway and West End musical. Featuring such standards as "Almost Like Being in Love," "Come to Me, Bend To Me," and "Heather on the Hill," Brigadoon is a timeless, romantic classic which vividly brings the mystery and magic of the Scottish highlands to life. New Yorker Tommy Albright unexpectedly arrives at the mysterious Scottish Highland village of Brigadoon, which

only appears for one day every 100 years. When Tommy meets and falls in love with Fiona, a beautiful villager in this magical hamlet, he must decide whether to return to his old life, or stay in Brigadoon — forever.

## **Character Breakdown**

## (Roles are open to all ethnicities and gender identifications. \*Please note: there will be doubling for most roles.)

#### **Tommy Albright**

An attractive man with a certain machismo, yet with a sensitive side. Gender: Male. Age: 25 to 35. Baritenor.

#### Fiona MacLaren

A lovely and frank young woman. Very intelligent. Gender: Female. Age: 20 to 25. Soprano.

#### **Meg Brockie**

Sells dairy with Angus at MacConnachy Square. Gender: Female. Age: 30 to 40. Alto.

#### **Jeff Douglas**

Good natured and soon to be retired. Gender: Male Age: 30 to 40. Non-singing.

#### **Charlie Dalrymple**

Jean's fiance. Gender: Male. Age: 20 to 30. Tenor.

#### Andrew MacLaren

Fiona and Jean's sincere yet grandiose father. Rough, loud voice and pompous side. Gender: Male. Age: 50 to 60.

#### **Angus MacGuffie**

A dairy seller at MacConnachy Square with Meg. Gender: Male. Age: 30 to 40. Baritone.

#### **Archie Beaton**

A kind Scot who sells fabrics. Gender: Male. Non-singing.

#### **Harry Beaton**

The sensitive son of Archie. Gender: Male. Age: 20 to 24 - Non-singing.

#### Jean MacLaren

Andrew's shy daughter and Charlie's betrothed. Gender: Female. Age: 18 to 24. Mezzo Soprano.

#### Kate

Jean's friend. Gender: Female. Age: 18 to 24. Any vocal range.

#### **Stuart Dolrymple**

Sells clothes in MaConnachy Square. Gender: Male. Age: 30 to 40. Tenor.

#### **Maggie Anderson**

Smitten with Harry Beaton. Gender: Female. Age: 20 to 30. Non-singing.

#### Sandy Dean

Candy seller in MacConnachy Square. Gender: Male. Age: 30 to 50. Bass.

#### **MacGregor**

Salted-meat seller in MacConnachy Square. Gender: Male. Age: 30 to 50. Baritone.

#### **Frank**

A New York bartender. Gender: Male or Female. Age: 30 to 50. Non-singing.

#### Jane Ashton

Tommy's attractive fiancée in New York. Glamorous and slightly severe. Gender: Female. Age: 25 to 30. Non-singing.

## Rehearsal Schedule

Rehearsals will be Monday - Wednesday from 6:30 - 9:30PM starting on Monday, August 7th. There will be one Sunday rehearsal (time TBD) on August 27th.

## Load-In

Load-in of the staging and equipment to Congress Park will happen on Saturday, September 9th. Performers are expected to assist with load-in.

## Performance

Sunday, September 10th, late afternoon or early evening, in Congress Park, downtown Saratoga Springs.

## Strike

Strike of the staging and equipment will be immediately following the performance. Performers are expected to assist with strike.