



Call for Auditions: *The Sound of Music*

Are you ready to be part of a beloved musical classic? We are thrilled to announce auditions for our upcoming stage production of *The Sound of Music*. If you have a passion for performing and want to bring this timeless story to life, we want to hear from you!

Audition Details:

- **Dates:** Saturday, September 21, 2024 & Sunday, September 22, 2024
- **Time:** Email communityplayers@umei.ca to book your 6 minute time slot
- **Location:** UMEI Chapel, 614 Mersea Road 6, Leamington

Roles Available:

Maria Rainer – A spirited and loving young woman, the heroine of our story

Audition song: *The Sound of Music*. Call back: *The Lonely Goatherd*.

Captain Georg von Trapp – A retired naval officer and father of seven children.

Audition song: *Edelweiss*. Call back: *How Can Love Survive*

Liesl – 16 years old

Audition song: *Do-Re-Mi*. Call back: *Sixteen Going on Seventeen* and excerpt from *The Lonely Goatherd*.

Friedrich – 14 years old

Audition song: *Do-Re-Mi*. Call back: *So Long, Farewell*

Louisa – 13 years old

Audition song: *Do-Re-Mi*. Call back: *So Long, Farewell*

Kurt – 10 years old

Audition song: *Do-Re-Mi*. Call back: *So Long, Farewell*

Brigita – 9 years old

Audition song: *Do-Re-Mi*. Call back: *So Long, Farewell*

Marta – 7 years old

Audition song: *Do-Re-Mi*. Call back: *So Long, Farewell*

Gretl – the youngest

Audition song: *Do-Re-Mi*. Call back: *So Long, Farewell*

Rolf Gruber – a 17 year old telegram delivery boy

Audition song: *Sixteen Going on Seventeen*

Elsa Schraeder

Audition with a song of your choice from *The Sound of Music* (let us know which song and we will provide you with the sheet music). Call back: *How Can Love Survive*

Max Detweiler

Audition with a song of your choice from *The Sound of Music* (let us know which song and we will provide you with the sheet music). Call back: *How Can Love Survive*

Mother Abbess – The wise and caring head of the abbey.

Audition song: *Climb Ev'ry Mountain*

Supporting and ensemble roles: Audition with a song of your choice.

Herr Zeller
Baron Elberfeld
A Postulant
Admiral Von Schreiber
Sister Berthe – Mistress of Novices
Sister Margaretta – Mistress of Postulants
Sister Sophia
Franz – the butler
Frau Schmidt – the housekeeper
Ursula – a maid
Ensemble

How to Sign Up:

- **Email the online form to:** Jill Suta at communityplayers@umei.ca

Rehearsal and Performance Dates:

- **Music Rehearsals Begin:** October 13, 20, 27 & November 3, 10, 17 2024 @ 2:00 - 5:00
- **Staging Rehearsals Begin:** January 5th, 2025 on Sundays 1:00 - 5:00 & Wednesdays 6:00 - 9:00
- **Tech Weeks:** February 9–13, February 16–20
- **Performance Dates:** February 21–23, February 26, February 28 – March 2

Additional Information:

- All ages and experience levels are welcome.
- Callbacks will be held on Sunday, September 22.

We look forward to seeing you at auditions and can't wait to embark on this musical journey together. Break a leg!