

POLKA DOT PANTOMIMES
THE UMBRELLA, WESTLODE STREET, SPALDING, LINCS, PE11 2AE
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& THE BRINDLEY, RUNCORN
PRESENTS
BEAUTY AND THE BEAST

Do you want to be part of the most spectacular pantomime that has ever been staged at The Brindley, Runcorn? Perhaps you'd like to perform alongside our professional West End and Celebrity cast. We promise to bring you everything you'd expect from a professional pantomime... and more! Dazzling costumes, fabulous scenery and some truly magical surprises are just a few of the things you can expect when you take part.

For the run of the performances there will be professional principal actors and three casts of children's chorus. The three children's casts will alternate performances between Monday 10th December, 2018 and Sunday 13th January, 2019 which will include some schools performances. This is your chance to perform in front of thousands of people – an amazing experience you won't want to miss. This year we are looking for an all singing, all dancing chorus of boys and girls who are full of personality and can move well, aged between 9 and 18 years of age.

Auditions will take place on Saturday 30th June from 2pm – 5pm at The Brindley, High Street, Runcorn, WA7 1BG.

Children must be no younger than 9 by September 1st 2018. Parents will be asked to sign their child in and return to collect them at the end of the audition. **NO PARENTS** will be allowed into the auditions whilst they are taking place.

To audition, you must fill in the enclosed form and bring it with you on the day. The form will also require you to attach TWO recent photographs...passport style is probably best.

Please note that you will not need to bring any audition material with you on the day as it will be provided by Polka Dot. This ensures that everyone is auditioned fairly from the same material.

During the audition we will play some games and teach everyone a short dance routine. It is important to try your best and show us lots of personality – that is more important to us than watching perfect dancers with bored faces. We are looking for potential and ambition so just try your best and don't panic – we are here to help.

If you have any questions or require additional information about the audition please contact us on 01775 712359 or email us at admin@polkadotpantomimes.co.uk

We look forward to seeing you.....and **GOOD LUCK!**

AUDITION NOTES

Please keep this sheet attached to the audition form and bring it with you to the auditions

Should my child be selected from the auditions, I am aware of the following information:

I am required to pay a one off fee of £50 to cover the administration and insurance that is necessary for child performers. This payment must be made by August 14th, 2018.

I will be required to purchase one pair of dance shoes for the show, together with two pairs of tights. These will remain my child's property after the show has finished.

I will be required to chaperone for three performances plus one rehearsal during the production. I understand that I will have to become a registered licenced chaperone which will require me to attend an appointment with the local Child Welfare Officer.

I am aware that my child will need time off school for some of the shows. I will make my child's school aware of this. I will provide Polka Dot with a copy of the letter of permission from my child's school by August 14th, 2018.

I am aware that my child will be required for rehearsals on the following dates and I shall ensure that my child can attend.

Saturday 17th November 10am – 6pm
Sunday 18th November 10am – 6pm

Saturday 24th November 10am – 6pm
Sunday 25th November 10am – 6pm

Saturday 1st December 10am – 6pm
Sunday 2nd December 10am – 6pm

Tuesday 4th December 5.30pm – 8.30pm
Wednesday 5th December 5.30pm – 8.30pm
Thursday 6th December 4pm – 9pm
Saturday 8th December 1pm – 9pm (TEAM A & B ONLY)
Sunday 9th December 1pm – 9pm (TEAM C ONLY)

SIGNED: _____

PRINT NAME: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN OF: _____

POLKA DOT PANTOMIMES
AUDITION APPLICATION FORM
BEAUTY AND THE BEAST, RUNCORN
2018

NAME:

ADDRESS:

SCHOOL CURRENTLY ATTENDING:

DATE OF BIRTH:

CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBER:

EMAIL ADDRESS:

HEIGHT:

SHOE SIZE:

Please write a few words (no more than 100) about yourself below:

PLEASE ATTACH
PHOTOGRAPHS HERE:

