

CALL FOR AUDITIONS FOR THE CANTERBURY TALES

The Arts on the Lake Puppet Theater Group is developing a production of the *Canterbury Tales* by Geoffrey Chaucer. This production includes three of the "tales" enacted by puppets, *The Nun's Priests Tale*, *The Pardoner's Tale*, and *The Wife of Bath's Tale*. Each tale incorporates a different puppetry and narrative style. Directed by Mary Schreiber and Assistant Director, Jen Gazzo. The script is in modern English. The show will go up on at 8PM on April 19th and 20th, and at 3PM on April 21st at Arts on the Lake.

Human actors will play some characters. This production requires a minimum of **8 puppeteers**, **five voice actors** (for the puppets), and **five actors**. The Directors are currently seeking actors and voice actors, 18 years or older, both men and women, to audition for these roles. The position of wardrobe designer/manager is also open.

This is a not-for-profit, not-for-pay production. Any box office surplus will be divided equally between Arts on the Lake and the Arts on the Lake Puppet Group, to cover production expenses and/or to be used for future productions.

Auditions will be Monday evening, February 4, beginning at 6:00, at Arts on the Lake, 640 Route 52, Kent Lakes, NY 10512. Please email Mary Schreiber at mschreiber59@gmail.com to schedule a time. Please prepare a poem of your choice, about one minute in length, to perform for the audition. There will also be cold reading from the script.

Interested applicants with time conflicts for auditions will be considered: email Mary Schreiber to inquire.

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