

JACK & THE BEANSTALK - REHEARSAL AND OTHER INFORMATION

Hi everyone - well they are finally here - REHEARSALS!! I have blocked the panto into 4 sections again and we will rehearse one section each for the first 6 weeks starting Tuesday 7th September at 8.00pm (see below). Music rehearsals are due to commence on Tuesday 22nd September and a schedule for these rehearsals will be issued in the very near future - these will be between 7.00pm and 8.00pm on each of the rehearsal nights. All chorus members need to attend music rehearsals and after our first rehearsal I will confirm which full rehearsals they need to attend going forward. Please bear with me, as once we begin rehearsals I may have to alter these blocks depending on complexity.

Could you all please, by return, let me know of any rehearsals in the Salterns you are unable to make. Rehearsals in The Victory Hall are compulsory for all.

To ensure that these rehearsals are both productive and enjoyable I would like to make a few requests before we start:

- Please be prompt - we are aiming to start rehearsal at 8.00pm and will not wait for latecomers - blocking below shows characters in the order they appear
- Please bring a pencil to mark any changes in stage direction
- Please switch off mobile phones before you come into rehearsals
- Please keep noise to a minimum - there will be a drinks break
- I will aim to finish rehearsals (certainly in the early weeks) at 9.45pm
- If anyone has a friend who might wish to be in the chorus - **PLEASE BRING THEM ALONG**

CAST LIST - JACK & THE BEANSTALK

Jack	Karen Holloway
Dame Dotty Dibble	Mike Ford
Simple Simon	Jordan McGarry
Piccalilli	Pam Hill
Fairy Sugardust	Lynsey Dickel
Rancid the Ratman	Mark Rogers
King Hubert	Alex McGarry
Queen Hyacinth	Moyra Race
Princess Primrose	Tamsin Andrews
Snatchet	Alison Edmondson
Scarper	Jade Gulliford
Humphrey	Kimberley Croft
Buster Gut-Bucket	Voice only - TBC
Buttermilk	Pantomime Cow - TBC
Harpist	? - dependent on set/music
Chorus	Sarah Carbutt
	Leah Sign
	Amy Sign
	Anna Davis

Block 1 - Pages 1-13

Chorus; Witch; Fairy;
Jack; Simon; Giant;
Rancid; Dotty; Scarper;
Snatchet; Humphrey;
King; Queen; Princess

Block 2 - Pages 13-24

Simon; Rancid; Fairy;
Queen; King; Humphrey;
Princess; Jack;
Snatchet; Scarper;
Giant; Chorus (singing
only); Dotty;

Block 3 - Pages 24-33

Simon; Jack; Dotty;
Fairy; Chorus; Witch;
Rancid; Princess;
Queen; King; Snatchet;
Scarper;

Block 4 - Pages 34-43

Chorus; Giant; Rancid;
Jack; Simon; Dotty;
King; Queen; Fairy;
Snatchet; Scarper;
Princess; Witch;
WALK DOWN

Date	Block	Date	Block
7 th September	1	9 th September	2
14 th September	3	16 th September	4
21 st September	1	23 rd September	2
28 th September	3	30 th September	4
5 th October	1	7 th October	2
12 th October	3	14 th October	4
19 th October	1	21 st October	2
26th October	No rehearsal	28th October	No rehearsal
2 nd November	3	4 th November	4
Sunday 7th November* - FULL CAST - VICTORY HALL - 6.30 PROMPT			
9 th November	1+2 Books Down	11 th November	3+4 Books Down
Sunday 14th November* - FULL CAST - VICTORY HALL - 1.30 PROMPT			
16 th November	1+2	18 th November	3+4
Sunday 21st November* - FULL CAST - VICTORY HALL - 1.30 PROMPT			
23 rd November	1+2	25 th November	3+4
Sunday 28th November** - Set Build and Technical Rehearsal			
Tuesday 30th November*** - Technical Rehearsal 7.00pm			
Wednesday 1st December* - Dress Rehearsal - 7.00pm			
Thursday 2nd December* - 1st Performance - 6.00pm			
Friday 3rd December* - 2nd Performance - 6.00pm			
Saturday 4th December* - Matinee - 12.30pm			
Saturday 4th December* - Final Performance - 6.00pm			
Saturday 4th December - 10.00pm^{ish} WRAP PARTY - Family & Friends welcome			

- * Compulsory for all - please see Anne asap if any of these dates are a problem
- ** Set build from early Sunday morning (10ish) any help appreciated - see Mark Rogers - technical rehearsal will follow but cast **not** required.
- *** Technical Rehearsal - compulsory for all but technical people may change this - will confirm nearer the time.

** Set Build

If any of you are able to help with painting, banging in nails, moving things etc then please see Mark at any of the rehearsals. ALL PARENTS WELCOME!!! You don't have to be experts!