



AUDITION WORKSHOP

Information Pack

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Sound of Music Audition Workshop Series will take place from Friday 23rd of October through to Friday 11th December 2015.

Over the duration of the 8 week course, students will learn the children's songs, choreography (stylised movement) and some scene work from the Sound of Music to perform in front of family and friends at the ATADS end of year concert on Sunday 6th December at 6pm. (This performance is not compulsory. If your child is unable to attend the concert, they will still work and prepare all of the content).

Students will also have the option to audition for the London Palladium Production early in 2016. This workshop will teach them the children's music and give them loads of confidence, experience and background knowledge of the show.

Below you will see the heights for the professional audition only.

This **DOES NOT APPLY** for the workshop and performance.

<p>GRETL</p> <p>120cm or under approx. Playing age – little 5/6</p>	<p>MARTA</p> <p>127.5cm to 137.5cm Playing age – 7 years old</p>	<p>BRIGITTA</p> <p>135cm to 145cm Playing age – 9 years old</p>	<p>LOUISA</p> <p>145cm to 155cm Playing age – pre-pubescent 13 year old</p>
<p>KURT</p> <p>139cm to 149cm Playing age – 10/11 years old Voice MUST be unbroken</p>	<p>FRIEDRICH</p> <p>147.5cm to 157.5cm Plays age of a 14 year old Voice MUST be unbroken</p>	<p>LIESL</p> <p>16 going on 17 The oldest of the children</p>	<p>The role of Liesl has already been cast but we are looking for students to learn the part and play the role for our performance!!!</p>

On the final day of the workshop (Friday the 11th December), there will be a mock-audition. This means that the students will get to pretend that they are in an audition situation. This will be imperative for those wanting to attend the professional audition as the experience will be extremely beneficial. It will be a non-threatening and positive experience, I promise ☺ Students can go in pairs or small groups so they feel at ease!

Students will be issued with a folder that contains the script, sheet music (for those that can read music) and other worksheets pertaining to character development etc.

There is the expectation that students will practice at home between classes. Whether it be learning their dialogue, lyrics to the song or going over the dance steps.

Below is a schedule (guide only) for the program:

1	2	3	4
<u>23rd October</u>	<u>30th October</u>	<u>6th November</u>	<u>13th November</u>
Introduction Learn songs Movement Scene	Learn songs Movement Scene	Learn songs Movement Scene	Learn songs Movement Scene
5	6	7	8
<u>20th November</u>	<u>27th November</u>	<u>4th December</u>	<u>11th December</u>
Headshot Learn songs Movement Scene	Rehearsal	Dress Rehearsal for Concert on Sunday 6 th	Mock Audition

Cost

\$200 (inc GST)

Currently enrolled ATADS students \$150 (inc GST)

An invoice will be issued once the enrolment form has been received.

Location

The workshop (and performance and mock audition) will take place at the Hampton Community Centre.

14 Willis Street Hampton

What to wear

Students should wear comfortable clothing that they can move in.

Footwear can either be dance shoes or sneakers. No thongs or shoes that do not provide support.

What to bring

- Water bottle and a light snack such as fresh fruit. **No nuts please.** We will break in the middle of the session for a very quick snack/toilet break.
- Pencil to make notes on music and stage directions on script
- Bring folder to every session (this will be issued on the first day of the workshop)

Performance

There will be a performance on Sunday December 6th at 6pm at the Hampton Community Centre. This will be part of the ATADS end of year concert. Family and friends are invited to come along and watch the performance.

If your child is unable to make the performance, that is ok. They will still learn all of the content.

Students will be required to wear a costume for the performance. I will be working with the good people at the MS Community Shop in Hampton Street to find the right look for each character. You will NOT need to purchase anything.

Sunday Performance Call Time

On Sunday 6th December **all** students will be required from **5:00pm** to get into their costumes and make-up for the performance which will start at 6pm. Costumes and make-up will all be supplied and applied!

If you have any questions at all please contact Alanna on 0419 641 477 or email alanna@atads.com.au

Thank you

Alanna



Introducing Rianna Maloney

Rianna will be the vocal coach for this workshop.



Rianna loves to perform and has done so since she was 4 years old. She discovered her love for singing and Musical Theatre during her time at school and was fortunate enough to have been involved in a multitude of performance opportunities developing her confidence and voice. Rianna played the role of Nancy in Oliver! and more recently the title role of Dorothy in the Wizard of Oz for the Hart Theatre Company. Rianna loves to record music and regularly uploads her tracks to social media. Rianna is delighted to be involved in the Sound of Music Workshop as she is able to incorporate her love for singing and Musical Theatre with her love for teaching and working with children.

www.youtube.com/riannamaloney

www.soundcloud.com/rianna-maloney

<https://www.facebook.com/riannamaloneymusic>

If your child is currently enrolled at Alanna's Theatre and Dance Studio please fill out the following form.



Sound of Music Workshop

Current Student Enrolment Form 2015

SURNAME:
FIRST NAME:

Terms and Conditions

Please ensure you have read and understood the following carefully.

Fees

- Fees are due within 14 days of issue of invoice.

Absence

- In the event of an absence, please notify Miss Alanna via SMS or email prior to the class time.
- Any class that is missed once enrolled is **not** refundable.

Injury/medical condition

- Alanna's Theatre and Dance Studio is not responsible for any injuries in or out of class.
- It is the responsibility of the student to inform the teacher of illness or injury prior to commencing class.
- Basic first aid is available to every student. Due to government regulations we are unable to provide anyone with Panadol or equivalent medication.
- In the event of an emergency – illness or accident, where you (or emergency contact) cannot be contacted, you give the staff of Alanna's Theatre and Dance Studio permission to refer your child to a Doctor, Ambulance or Hospital.

Drop off/Pick up

- Parents/guardians are responsible for drop off and pick up for their child/children from all classes.
- Parents are not permitted to stay and watch during the workshop. If you do arrive to pick up a few minutes early you can pop your head in at the end.

Photos

- Photos of your child that are taken during Alanna's Theatre and Dance Studio workshop may be used in advertising or on our social media page.

Contact

- Dance is a physical activity and the teacher may have to assist your child's understanding of an action, posture or position by physical contact e.g. holding hands in a circle; lifting, correcting posture. You consent to employees of Alanna's Theatre and Dance Studio having contact with your child in this regard.

Thank you for enrolling in the Sound of Music Workshop

Please sign below to acknowledge that you have read and accepted the terms and conditions which are designed to provide a happy, fun and safe learning environment for all students.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Name: _____

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Enrolment Form 2015

Please complete all required fields

SURNAME	
FIRST NAME	M/F
DATE OF BIRTH	AGE (as at 1st January 2015)
SCHOOL YEAR LEVEL IN 2015	EMAIL ADDRESS (Optional)

PARENT/GUARDIAN (if under 18 years)

SURNAME
FIRST NAME

CONTACT DETAILS

ADDRESS	
SUBURB	POST CODE

HOME PHONE	MOBILE
EMAIL (for invoices etc)	

EMERGENCY CONTACT/S

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO STUDENT
HOME	MOBILE

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SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS/MEDICAL CONDITIONS

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PRIVACY STATEMENT: Personal details collected by Alanna's Theatre and Dance Studio are confidential and will only be used by the director Alanna Volker for communication purposes.