



16th January 2023

TACT PRODUCTION: IN CONCERT 2023

Spring 2023 Production – IN CONCERT

In Concert is a unique musical theatre opportunity, allowing us to perform songs from productions we may not otherwise be able to perform as full musicals. This is the fourth time that we will be putting together this incredible concert. The first was performed at the Old Hall School, the second livestreamed from locations throughout Shropshire during lockdown, and last year's extravaganza at The Centenary Theatre, where we will be returning this year to start our 2023 season.

This time, it's *In Concert at the Movies*, focusing on songs which have come from movie musicals. You can expect to sing a variety of songs, with lots of ensemble work, some solos and smaller groups too, all put together by Aaron Prior and Jack Pierce.

As with our previous versions of *In Concert*, it's not just about the singing, but the production too, and you can expect more glorious lighting and sound design from our resident team also.

Previous concerts included songs from *Chicago*, *Matilda*, *Dear Evan Hanson*, *Come From Away*, *Anastasia*, *Working, Something Rotten!*, *School of Rock*, *Company* and *When Midnight Strikes*, to name just a few, and there will be plenty more where they came from this time around.

Auditions and Rehearsals

Auditions are on **Saturday 11th February from 12:30pm to 5pm** at The Arts Centre Telford, Holyhead Road, Ketley, TF1 5AN and places must be booked in advance to allow preparation of our studios and materials. All performers who attend the audition will have a place in the production. The auditions will be used to cast the production. Rehearsals will be at The Arts Centre Telford from 12:30pm-4:30pm on Saturdays.

Performers do not need to prepare anything for our 'In Concert' auditions on 11/02/2023– all material will be taught during the session. You should wear TACT uniform, which is now required for all rehearsals. If you do not have uniform yet, you should wear black clothing that you feel comfortable moving in and you can order uniform from our website in time for the first rehearsal. The link to this part of our website is here:

www.TheArtsCentreTelford.com/merch

The show will be performed at Wrekin College Centenary Theatre, Sutherland Road, Wellington, TF1 3BH on Saturday 1st April and Sunday 2nd April 2023 with shows at 1pm and 7pm on each day. Tickets for the show will cost £16.50 each and will be available via the TACT website: www.TheArtsCentreTelford.com/boxoffice

Rehearsal Schedule

Rehearsals on Saturdays will begin at 12:30pm and finish at 4:30pm. There are some additional rehearsals, which are listed in the schedule below.

In Concert - Rehearsals

Saturday 11th February – 12:30-17:00 - Auditions (Full Cast)

Saturday 18th February – 12:30-16:30 (Full Cast)

Friday 24th February – 10am- 18:00 (Timetabled - Solos, Duets & Small Groups)

Saturday 4th March – 12:30-16:30 (Full Cast)

Sunday 5th March – 12:30-16:30 (Full Cast)

Saturday 11th March – 12:30-16:30 (Full Cast)

Sunday 12th March – 12:30-16:30 (Full Cast)

Saturday 18th March – 12:30-16:30 (Full Cast)

Saturday 25th March – 12:30-16:30 (Full Cast)

Sunday 26th March – 12:30-16:30 (Full Cast)

In Concert - Show Week

All cast members must be available for costume, technical and dress rehearsals as listed below.

Technical Rehearsal @ Wrekin College Centenary Theatre

Tuesday 28th March 2023 – 7-10pm

Sitzprobe / Technical Run @ Wrekin College Centenary Theatre

Wednesday 29th March 2023 – 5-10pm

Dress Rehearsal @ Wrekin College Centenary Theatre

Thursday 30th March 2023 – 5-10pm

Dress Rehearsal @ Wrekin College Centenary Theatre

Friday 31st March 2023 – 5-10pm

Membership Fee

The membership fee for 'In Concert' is £210, payable in 2 instalments: £105 with initial sign-up by Thursday 9th February 2023 and a further £105 taken automatically on Saturday 4th March 2023.

Sign Up Deadline & Late Sign Up

The final date for online sign-ups is 7pm on **Thursday 9th February 2023**. Anyone who misses sign-up will need to email us: admin@theartscentretelford.com so that we can make arrangements for them to join the production.

More Information

Our website will be able to provide you with a range of information about our services. We also release further details on our social media, so please refer to Facebook, Instagram and Twitter for more content. We are very happy to explain any information about The Arts Centre Telford in further detail as required. If something isn't clear, we'd like to change that, so your feedback is always appreciated. Please email admin@theartscentretelford.com and your query will be directed to an appropriate member of our team who will get back to you as soon as possible.

Thank you for your continued support,

Ruth, Bobby & Ross

The Arts Centre Telford Proprietors & Producers