

MATILDA IS BACK!

**AUDITIONS TO BE HELD
SATURDAY, APRIL 20TH & SUNDAY, APRIL 21ST
Kids-ages 8-15yrs (10am-Noon)
Adults- (12:30-3:00pm)**

Chestnut Street Playhouse is thrilled to announce the return of *Matilda, the Musical*, after it was abruptly shut down in 2020—just a few days before opening—in response to COVID-19. A few of the adult leads will be returning, but there are MANY roles still available.

The following roles are presently filled:

- Miss Agatha Trunchbull***
- Mrs. Phelps***
- Escapologist/Doctor***

We are casting for the following roles:

Matilda Wormwood: age 8-12, Vocal Range: Top D5, Bottom A3 Be prepared to sing “Naughty” Matilda is clever and wise beyond her years. She has a thirst for learning and is serious and intense with and instinctive acting ability.

Mrs. Wormwood: age 25-45, Vocal Range: Top F5, Bottom A3, If possible, prepare “Loud” for the audition. Matilda’s self-absorbed, negligent mother and amateur ballroom dancer. She is obsessed with her dance partner, Rudolpho. She berates Matilda and she is obnoxious and loud. Must have strong comic ability.

Mr. Wormwood: age 25-45, Vocal Range: TopA4, Bottom D3, Prepare “Telly”, if possible or other song of choice. Matilda’s uncaring father. A slimy, greedy used car salesman and a strong comedic actor. He is not a nice person.

Miss Honey: age 25 to 40, Vocal Range: Top D5, Bottom, F3, If possible prepare “This Little Girl” for the audition. Matilda’s kindhearted teacher. She lives in fear of Miss Trunchbull. A nice, quiet person who is warm and compassionate toward children.

Bruce: age 8-12, Matilda’s Classmate. Strong Vocal Range: Top E5, Bottom C4 Be prepared to sing “When I Grow Up” or other.

Lavender: age 8-12, Matilda’s good friend. Be prepared to sing, “Naughty” or other.

Kid’s Ensemble: age 8-12, Boys & Girls Vocal Audition: “When I Grow Up” or other.

Girls Vocal Audition: “Naughty” or other.

Michael Wormwood: age: 10-15 Matilda’s older brother. Not very bright. Needs good comedic deadpan ability. Can possibly be part of ensemble.

The Acrobat: Female, age 20s- 30s, Vocal Range: Top A4, Bottom D4 Must sing, act, dance and do walkovers.

Rudolpho: age 25 to 45 Vocal Range: Top A4, Bottom D#3 Mrs. Wormwoods ballroom dance partner. A comedic character actor who can sing, dance and has a flair for Physical comedy. Prepare Doctor’s vocal part from “Miracle” or other.

Sergei: age: 15 & Up. Russian Mafia Boss with Russian accent. (Will also most likely be in adult ensemble)

Children’s Entertainer/Adult Ensemble: A party entertainer. If you can make balloon animals or do clown tricks, it’s a plus. Vocal Range: Top Eb4, Bottom F#3 Sing “Telly” or Doctor’s song from “Miracle” or other.

**Ensemble: Younger Kids, Big Kids, Parents, Cook, Henchmen 1, Henchmen 2, Henchmen 3
Ages: Various
Prepare any song from the show.**