

Auburn Area Community Theater Performers Spring Show
“Sherlock and Watson: the Game’s Afoot”
Responsibilities and Obligations

Callbacks are Thursday, December 8th, 4-7 pm by invitation at the Jan Dempsey
Art Center

“**Callbacks**” is a theater term, meaning, we want to take a second look to determine who is best for each role. We DO NOT actually call you back, you will need to check the posted list to find out if and when you need to be there.

We will post the callback list Wednesday, December 7th by **5:00 p.m.**

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Please check the list carefully to see what time you are scheduled to be there.

**The cast list will be posted at the same place no later than
Saturday, December 10th by 10:00am.**

Parent Meeting

January 7th Mandatory Parent Meeting 11:15

Rehearsal Dates

Rehearsals: Monday, Wednesday 4:00-6:00, and Saturday 9:00-12:00

December 14th from 4:00-6:00 first rehearsal/Read Through.

January 4th Regular rehearsals begin

January 14th or 16th - There are NO rehearsals for the Martin Luther King Holiday weekend.

March 4th, 6th or 8th - There are NO rehearsals these days of Spring Break - **We will rehearse on the 11th**

March 18th 9:00- 4:00 - Set Build Day Rehearsal (Pizza Lunch will be provided)

March 20nd & 21st 4:00-9:00 Tech Rehearsal (Actors will need to bring a dinner)

March 22nd 4:00-9:00 - Dress Rehearsal (Actors will need to bring a dinner)

Performances Dates

March 23, 24, 25, 27 at 6:30 Matinee - March 25 at 2:00

Mandatory Rehearsals:

December 14th 4:00-6:00 1st Rehearsal/read through

January 4th - Regular rehearsals Begin 4:00-6:00

All Saturdays

All rehearsals beginning Saturday, February 25th

Other Obligations

*Each family is required to spend at least 3 hours per actor helping with the show.

*Set Build Day – Saturday, March 18th We will need as many parents as possible to help putting the set together that day.

*Everyone is required to help “strike the set” after the final show is over.

*Each actor gets one complimentary (free) ticket, you must pay for all other tickets.

Rehearsal Attendance Policy

Theater is the ultimate team activity. It is so important that everyone is at their rehearsals. It is impossible to adequately rehearse a scene when some of the cast is missing.

*Please check **all schedules**, dance, sports, school conflicts etc. when listing your conflicts.

* Please plan to be at ALL rehearsals. We will give you at least one week’s notice if you will not be needed at rehearsal on a given day.

*We do take the number of conflicts into account when casting a show.

*Saturday rehearsals are mandatory. For already scheduled school obligations, you may be excused from ONE Saturday rehearsal, but it must be listed on your conflict sheet. Any other circumstances must be approved by the director.

*An absence is considered unexcused if you must miss rehearsal for any reason other than illness, family emergency or something that is NOT already listed on the conflict calendar.

*After 1 unexcused absence, you will be dismissed from the show.

***You must contact the Stage Manager prior to rehearsal to be excused for illness or family emergency.**

*Due to construction at the Jan Dempsey Arts Center, rehearsal and performance locations are still TBD. Initial read-through and January rehearsals will most likely still be at the Dempsey.

If you have any questions, please contact:

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Holmes and Watson the Game's Afoot
Cast of Characters

Cast size 9-22

This play is comprised of four different stories. Each story will have a separate cast. This means there may be four different people cast to play Sherlock and four different people for Dr. Watson.

For this show we will be casting gender-flexible. All actors will be considered for all roles.

The Adventures of Charles Augustus Milverton

Dr. Watson
Sherlock Holmes
Milverton
Countess
Lestrade

The Adventures of the Beryl Coronet

Dr. Watson
Sherlock Holmes
Mr. Holder
Bank Visitor
Arthur
Mary

The Adventure of the Noble Bachelor

Dr. Watson
Sherlock Holmes
Lord St. Simon
Lestrade
Mr. Moulton
Mrs. Moulton

The Adventure of the Speckled Band

Dr. Watson
Sherlock Holmes
Helen Stoner
Julia
Royslott