

Hands on a Hardbody Audition Pack

Performance Dates

Thursday	27 June	7.30 pm
Friday	28 June	7.30 pm
Saturday	29 June	7.30 pm
Thursday	4 July	7.30 pm
Friday	5 July	7.30 pm
Saturday	6 July	7.30 pm
Sunday	7 July	2.00 pm (matinee)
Thursday	11 July	7.30 pm
Friday	12 July	7.30 pm
Saturday	13 July	7.30 pm

With possible additional shows on the Saturday 29 June & 6 July (matinee) and/or Sunday 7 July (matinee). Extra shows will only be added if we sell out.

You will need to be available for the 3 weeks of the run.

NAME	ROLE	STAGE AGE	
Benny	Former winner of Hands on a Hardbody, knows how to play the game.	40's	Sings 'Human Drama Kind of Thing', 'Hunt with the Big Dogs', 'God Answered My Prayers'
JD Drew	Recently laid off due to a work accident. Been married to Virginia since late teens.	60's	Sings 'Alone With Me', 'Used To Be', 'Keep Your Hands On It'
Virginia Drew	Former beauty queen. Loves her husband but can see that he is troubled.	50+	Sings 'Alone With Me'
Janis	A mother of six children and wholly devoted to her family.	40 +	Sings 'If She Don't Sleep', 'It's A Fix'
Don	Don devoted family man and husband of Janis.	40+	Sings 'If She Don't Sleep', 'It's A Fix'
Ronald McCowan	Former athlete and believes he is a bit of ladies man.	35+	Sings 'My Problem Right There', 'Joy Of The Lord (reprise)'
Mike	The manager of the car yard.	30+	Sings 'Burn That Bridge', 'Hands On A Hardbody'
Frank	The radio DJ from KYKX that is covering the competition.	30+	Sings 'Hands On A Hardbody' plays guitar
Heather	A waitress with a steely ambition.	25 - 55	Sings 'Burn That Bridge'
Jesus	A young man who wants to study and thinks the car will help pay for university.	20's	Sings 'Born In Loredo'
Chris	Just come back from war and still suffering from the aftermath.	25+	Sings 'Stronger'
Greg	Young lad who just lost his job and is thinking of heading to LA to become a stuntman.	20+	Sings 'I'm Gone'
Kelli	Works at the UPS	20+	Sings 'I'm Gone'
Norma Valverde	A kind hearted mother & wife who has a strong faith.	30+	Sings 'Joy of The Lord'
Cindy	The car yard secretary	25+	Sings in all ensemble songs and has a scene
Ensemble	5 x strong singers Family members, interested public and bystanders	Any	Sing in all ensemble numbers, must be able to harmonise. Dance ability an advantage.

AUDITION TIMES

When: Saturday 10 February & Sunday 11 February 2024

Time: 10 am – 4 pm

Where: Wanneroo Secondary College theatre

56 Quarkum Street

Wanneroo WA 6065

Everyone will be asked to read some lines and do some choreographed movement. Texan accent preferred, however will accept a general American accent.

See below for details of vocal audition.

To book an audition time please email your preferred time to:

wagoora206@gmail.com

We will do our best to accommodate your requested time and date.

The audition slots will be 1 hour, in groups of 6 people, and call backs will be on Monday 12 February in the evening.

If all the time slots are filled, we will extend after 4 pm on both days, however if you can't make it either of those days, let us know and we will see how we can accommodate you.

Please arrive 10 minutes early to complete the registration form. Bring a photo and performance resume if you have one, otherwise we will take a photo of you on the day.

If you have any questions, you can ask on our Facebook page *Hands on a Hardbody at the Limelight Theatre WA* or via the email.

We look forward to seeing you at the auditions!

David and Jane

HANDS ON A HARDBODY

MUSIC AUDITION REQUIREMENTS

*Choose an excerpt of one song from the musical (approx 1 minute),
plus a verse and chorus of a country/rock song of your choosing.*

J.D. Drew (M, 60s) [contestant]

Range: Baritone (G2-D4)

Songs: Alone With Me, Alone With Me (Reprise), Keep Your Hands on It

Virginia Drew (F, 50s) [wife of JD]

Range: Mezzo (G3-C5)

Songs: Alone With Me

Kelli Mangrum (F, 20s) [contestant]

Range: Mezzo (A3-E5)

Songs: I'm Gone

Benny Perkins (M, 40s) [contestant]

Range: Tenor (C#3-G#4)

Songs: Human Drama Kind of Thing, Hunt With the Big Dogs, God Answered My Prayers

Greg Wilhote (M, 20s) [contestant]

Range: Tenor (D3-B4)

Songs: I'm Gone

Jesus Peña (M, 20s) [contestant]

Range: Tenor (E3-B4)

Songs: Born in Laredo

Chris Alvaro (M, 20s) [contestant]

Range: Tenor (Ab2-Ab4)

Songs: Stronger, Joy of the Lord (Reprise)

Ronald McCowan (M, 30s) [contestant]

Range: Tenor (F3-B4)

Songs: My Problem Right There, Joy of the Lord (Reprise)

Heather Stovall (F, 20s-30s) [contestant]

Range: Mezzo (A3-D#5)

Songs: Burn That Bridge, It's a Fix (Reprise)

Norma Valverde (F, 30s-40s) [contestant]

Range: Low Mezzo (D3-G5)

Songs: Joy of the Lord, Joy of the Lord (Reprise)

Janis Curtis (F, 60s) [contestant]

Range: Low Mezzo (D3-B \flat 4)

Songs: If She Don't Sleep, It's a Fix

Don Curtis (M, 60s) [husband of Janis]

Range: Baritone (A2-B \flat 3)

Songs: If She Don't Sleep, It's a Fix

Frank Nugent (M, 50s) [host]

Range: Bari-tenor (E \flat 3-G \flat 4)

Songs: Hands on a Hardbody

Mike Ferris (M, 30s) [host]

Range: Tenor (E \flat 3-B \flat 4)

Songs: Burn That Bridge, Hands on a Hardbody

Cindy Barnes (F, 30s-40s) [host]

Ensemble/Flexi

Doctor Stokes (M, flexi)

Ensemble/Flexi (can be played by Don Curtis)

SUGGESTED MALE COUNTRY/ROCK ARTISTS

Luke Combs, Tim McGraw, Johnny Cash, Keith Urban, Luke Bryan,
Blake Shelton, Billy Ray Cyrus, Chris Stapleton, Noah Kahan, Curtis Mayfield

SUGGESTED FEMALE COUNTRY/ROCK ARTISTS

Dolly Parton, Carrie Underwood, Shania Twain, Kacey Musgraves,
Lady A, The Chicks, Joan Osborne, Alanis Morissette, Taylor Swift