



2023 UpStage Players Matilda Rehearsal Schedule:

Welcome to our 29th Season of UpStage Players. For Questions or Concerns Text Mrs.Walsh-Hilf at 216-978-2395. If you are sick, going to be tardy or miss rehearsal, please text Mrs. Walsh-Hilf asap. Other actors/crew are depending on everyone to be present at rehearsal. If you are absent, you need to find out what you missed. The show is constantly evolving, changing at every single rehearsal. We are adding layers to the scene such as props, costumes, moments, etc. We all want to make the show the best it can be, this can only happen if we are at rehearsal, and if we have to miss, to find out what you missed so you are prepared when you come back. **Take time to go through the rehearsal schedule and highlight when you need to be in attendance.**

Every Cast and Crew member should have a buddy that is in their scenes/role, to take notes for them if they are sick. Please reach out to your buddy if you are out and find out what you missed.

For Every Saturday Rehearsal, bring your folder, script, pencil, notebook, water bottle and light snack.

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You need to rehearse on your days away from rehearsal. Review notes, lines, music, practice choreography. Come to rehearsals prepared with ideas, questions, new moments so rehearsal is productive and moves the show forward.

Check your email and Remind for directors notes after Saturday rehearsals and tech rehearsals. Write the notes in your script and implement them for the next rehearsal.

Be kind to others and respect the process. Rehearsals are our time to grow as a team, to learn our roles on and backstage, how we all work together. It will take each and every rehearsal to get better. Trust in the process. Try to make connections with others and build relationships. Show gratitude for those around you.

Rehearsal Schedule:

Sat. Jan. 7: 10-2 Auditions

Sun. Jan. 8: 10-2 Auditions

Mon. Jan. 9: 6:30-8 Builders Club Meeting at Euclid Public Library, all invited.

Tues. Jan. 10: 6-8 Callbacks

Thurs. Jan. 12: 6:15 Mandatory Parent Meeting Zoom Link

<https://zoom.us/j/91725781792>

Tickets go on sale today. Visit www.showtix4u.com to purchase tickets - search UpStage Players
Cast List posted on UpStage Players Facebook page.

Sat. Jan. 14: 10-2 Rehearsal: **Full Cast and crew**

10-11: **Miracle** vocals
 11-12: **Miracle** choreography.
 12:00-12:15 break
 12:15-1:15: Blocking Act 1
 1:15-2:00 **Revoltng Children** Choreography/Announcements

Also: Builders Club Canned Food Drive, **bring a nonperishable item.**

10-11 **Set Meeting:** All those interested in volunteering to design, develop, Build, paint, sets, please meet behind the yellow wall. We will start building on January 28th. Please contact Ms. Walsh with questions at krisupstage@aol.com
 Volunteers need this day to pull all props/set pieces out of back storage.

Tues. Jan. 17: 6-8:

6:15-7:15 **Miracle** Choreography Matilda, Nigel, Eric, Tommy, Amanda, Bruce, Lavender, Alice, Hortensia, Kids, Mums, Dads, **This Little Girl** Miss Honey
 7:15-8 **School Song** Vocals, Nigel, Tommy, Lavender, Eric, Amanda, Alice, Kids, Bruce

Builders Club Canned Food Drive, bring a nonperishable item.

Thurs. Jan. 19: 6:15-8:

6:15-7:15 **School Song** Choreography Nigel, Tommy, Lavender, Eric, Amanda, Alice, Kids, Bruce,
 7:15-8 **Revoltng Children** Vocals

Builders Club Canned Food Drive, bring a nonperishable item.

Sat. Jan. 21: 11-2 Full Cast and crew, others called at 10, see schedule below

10-11 Matilda **Naughty, Naughty Superglue Part 2** Scene 2/3: Mr. Wormwood, Mrs. Wormwood, Matilda, Mrs. Phelps
 11-12 Full Cast Arrive Blocking Act 1
 12-12:10 Break
 12:10-1:10 Blocking, review vocals
 1:10-2 Review Choreography

Builders Club Canned Food Drive Ends Today, bring a nonperishable item.

- We will be picking up set supplies from Home Depot today. Need volunteers to unload and volunteers with trucks to meet at Home Depot. Please contact Ms. Walsh with questions at krisupstage@aol.com

Tues. Jan. 24: 6:15-8

6:15-7:15 **School Song** Choreography Nigel, Tommy, Lavender, Eric, Amanda, Alice, Kids, Bruce,
 7:15-8 Begin **Bruce** Vocals, run scenes

Thurs. Jan. 26: 6:15-8 Costume Check in

Bring in your costume boxes back today. Make sure they are decorated. Email rochellewilde@gmail.com, or text (216)773-2917 for questions.

Jan. 28: 11-2 Full Cast and crew, others called at 10, see schedule below

10-11 Escapologist, Acrobat, Acrobat's Sister, Trunchbull, Matilda, Mrs. Phelps Scenes: 3, 9, 11, 13, 15
 11-12 **Full Cast** Blocking 1-8
 12-12:15 Break
 12:15-2 Blocking 12-Epilogue, Bows

T-Shirts/Program Book Ads/Rehearsal ware due at beginning of Rehearsal: The desk will be closed after attendance is taken. Please make sure you have paperwork and/or payment submitted in the folder at the beginning of rehearsal. Bios need to be emailed to krisupstage@aol.com by today.

Set Building starts today at 10:30 - all volunteers welcome - please bring tools. Please contact Ms. Walsh with questions at krisupstage@aol.com

Tues. Jan. 31: 6:15-8

6:15-8 **Bruce** Choreography The Cook, Trunchbull, Miss Honey, Lavender, Nigel, Kids, Hortensia, Amanda, Tommy, Bruce, Miss Honey **This Little Girl** Blocking pages 50-60

Thurs. Feb. 2: 6:15-8

6:15-7:15 **Bruce** Choreography The Cook, Trunchbull, Miss Honey, Lavender, Nigel, Kids, Hortensia, Amanda, Tommy, Bruce
 7:15-8 **The Hammer p. 19-37** Choreography

Sat. Feb. 4: 11-2 Full Cast and crew, others called at 10, see schedule below

10-11 Epilogue: The Wormwood House Mrs. Wormwood, Matilda, Mr. Wormwood, Rudolpho, Sergei, Michael, Russians, Miss Honey p. 106-109
 11-12 Run Show
 12-12:15 Break
 12:15-2 Run Show

Tupperware Fundraiser begins. All orders must be made through the website. Visit UpStage Players facebook page for more information. All questions should be directed to Clarice Bowie.

Mon. Feb. 6: 6:30-8 Builders Club Meeting at Euclid Public Library, all invited.

Tues. Feb. 7: 6:15-8

6:15-8 **When I Grow Up** Bruce, Tommy, Amanda, Eric, Alice, Eric, Lavender, Nigel, Matilda, Kids, Miss Honey p. 63-73 Blocking and choreography

Wed. Feb. 8: UpStage Players Chipotle Fundraiser, Where? Shoregate 30482 LakeShore Blvd. Willowick, Ohio, 44095

Thurs. Feb. 9: 6:15-8

6:15-8 **When I Grow Up** Bruce, Tommy, Amanda, Eric, Alice, Eric, Lavender, Nigel, Matilda, Kids, Miss Honey p. 63-73 Blocking and choreography

Sat. Feb. 11: 10-2 Full Cast and Crew

10-12 Rough run through

12-12:10 Break

12:10-2 Rough run through

Make Valentine's for Our UpStage Friends.**Costumes pieces due today or before.****Tues. Feb. 14:** 6:15-8 **Happy Valentine's Day, Share Valentine's with your UpStage Friends**6:15-8 Scene 14: School Gymnasium: Miss Honey, Matilda, Trunchbull, Burce, Lavender, Kids, Eric, *The Smell of Rebellion*, *Quiet* p. 76-93 Blocking and choreography**Thurs. Feb. 16:** 6:15-86:15-8 Scene 14: School Gymnasium: Miss Honey, Matilda, Trunchbull, Burce, Lavender, Kids, Eric, *The Smell of Rebellion*, *Quiet* p. 76-93 Blocking and choreography**Sat. Feb. 18:** 10-2 Full Cast Run Show**Off book Act 1 You should be able to say all of your lines in Act 1, on stage without your script**

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Tues. Feb. 21: 6:15-86:15-8 Scene 6: The Playground at School Lavender, Matilda, Nigel, Big Kid 2, Trunchbull, Amanda Thripp, Kids, *Chokey Chant* p. 40-45 Blocking and Choreography**Thurs. Feb. 23:** 6:15-86:15-8:15 Scene 15: Miss Honey's Classroom Trunchbull, Miss Honey, Kids, Matilda, Eric, Hortensia, Lavender, Nigel, Amanda, Bruce, Tommy, Mrs. Phelps *Revoltng Children* p.97-106 Blocking and review
Choreography**Sat. Feb. 25:** 10-2 Full Cast and Crew**Off Book Act 2, You should be able to say all of your lines in Act 2 on stage without your script**

Polish bows and add curtain call

Tues. Feb. 28: 6:15-86:15-8 Prologue: Birthday Party: Eric, Bruce, Amanda, Tommy, Kids, Lavender, Alice, Hortensia, Nigel, Mums, Dads, Matilda, p.1-10 *Miracle***Thurs. March 2:** 6:15-8 Full Cast and Crew

Photo Shoot, head shots. Wear light makeup and have your hair neat when you come in. You will change into your costume when you arrive. Crew wear All black clothing

Sat. March 4: 10-2 Full Cast and Crew

Group Shots and Candid. Wear light makeup and have hair neat when you come in. You will change into your first costume.

Mon. March 6: Order Moes

Tues. March 7: 6:15-8 Full Cast and Crew

Finale/Choreography review

Moe's Fundraiser **pickup** day - all taco kits must be pre-ordered. Taco pickup from 530-6 at the library. Visit UpStage Players facebook page for more information.

Thurs. March 9: 6:15-8 Full Cast and Crew

Finale/Choreography review

Sat. March 11: 10-2 Full Cast and Crew

Makeup due: Your makeup should be in your box, labeled with your name.

Tech week begins: [Special Activities Planned this week!](#)

Tues. March 14: 6-8 Mandatory Full Cast and Crew Tech Week, please adjust your schedule to make sure you are present for tech days

Wed. March 15: 6-8 Mandatory Tech Week Full Cast and Crew , please adjust your schedule to make sure you are present for tech days

Thurs. March 16: 6-8 Mandatory Tech Week Full Cast and Crew , please adjust your schedule to make sure you are present for tech days

Fri. March 17: 6-8 Mandatory Tech Week Full Cast and Crew , please adjust your schedule to make sure you are present for tech days

Pre-sale tickets end today.

Sat. March 18: 10-2 Mandatory Tech Week Full Cast and Crew , please adjust your schedule to make sure you are present for tech days [Show your UpStage Spirit and Wear Purple and Black this day. Annual Egg Hunt.](#)

Sun. March 19: 10-2 Mandatory Tech Week Full Cast and Crew , please adjust your schedule to make sure you are present for tech days

Mon. March 20: 5-9 Mandatory Tech Week Full Cast and Crew , please adjust your schedule to make sure you are present for tech days

Tues. March 21: 5-9 Mandatory Tech Week Full Cast and Crew please adjust your schedule to make sure you are present for tech days

Wed. March 22: 5-9 Mandatory Tech Week Full Cast and Crew , please adjust your schedule to make sure you are present for tech days

Thurs. March 23: 5-9 Mandatory Tech Week Full Cast and Crew please adjust your schedule to make sure you are present for tech days

Fri. March 24: 5-10 Performance Call times listed on makeup/hair appointment sheet

Sat. March 25: 5-10 Performance Call times listed on makeup/hair appointment sheet

Sun. March 26: 10-6 Performance and Strike Call times listed on makeup/hair appointment sheet

Everyone is asked to stay after the show to strike the set. Bring tools. If everyone stays this usually takes about an hour.

Mon. April 3: 6:30-8 Builders Club Meeting at Euclid Public Library, all invited.

Mon. May 1: 6:30-8 Builders Club Meeting at Euclid Public Library, all invited.

Matilda Scene Breakdown:

Act I

Prologue: Birthday Party: Eric, Bruce, Amanda, Tommy, Kids, Lavender, Alice, Hortensia, Nigel, Mums, Dads, Matilda, p.1-10 *Miracle*

Scene 1: The Wormwood's Living Room

Mr. Wormwood, Mrs. Wormwood, Matilda p. 10-12

Scene 2: Matilda, Mr. Wormwood, Mrs. Wormwood *Naughty* p. 12-17

Scene 3: The Library, Mrs. Phelps, Matilda, Acrobat, Escapologist p. 17-19

Scene 4: The School Gates Little Kids, Nigel, Tommy, Lavender, Eric, Amanda, Alice, Big Kids, Miss Honey, Matilda, Trunchbull, *School Song, The Hammer* p. 19-37

Scene 5: The Wormwood's House Mr. Wormwood, Mrs. Wormwood, Michael, Matilda, *Naughty Superglue Part 2* P. 37-40

Scene 6: The Playground at School Lavender, Matilda, Nigel, Big Kid 2, Trunchbull, Amanda Thripp, Kids, *Chokey Chant* p. 40-45

Scene 7: Wormwood's Motors Mr. Wormwood p. 45

Scene 8: Wormwood House Miss Honey, Mrs. Wormwood, Rudolpho *This Little Girl* p. 45-49

Scene 9: The Library Matilda, Escapologist, Mrs. Phelps, Trunchbull, Acrobat's Sister p. 49-50

Scene 10: Miss Honey's Classroom Miss Honey, Matilda, Kids, Trunchbull, Bruce, Cook, Lavender, Nigel, Hortensia, Amanda, Tommy p. 50-60

Intermission

Scene 11 The Library Mrs. Phelps, Matilda, Acrobat, Escapologist p. 60-63

Scene 12: The Park: *When I Grow Up* Bruce, Tommy, Amanda, Eric, Alice, Eric, Lavender, Nigel, Matilda, Kids, Miss Honey p. 63-73

Scene 13: The Wormwood House: Mr. Wormwood, Matilda, Michael, Mrs. Wormwood, Trunchbull, Escapologist, Aunt, p. 74-p. 76

Scene 14: School Gymnasium: Miss Honey, Matilda, Trunchbull, Burce, Lavender, Kids, Eric, *The Smell of Rebellion, Quiet* p. 76-93

Scene 15: Miss Honey's Classroom Trunchbull, Miss Honey, Kids, Matilda, Eric, Hortensia, Lavender, Nigel, Amanda, Bruce, Tommy, Mrs. Phelps *Revolting Children* p.97-106

Epilogue: The Wormwood House Mrs. Wormwood, Matilda, Mr. Wormwood, Rudolpho, Sergei, Michael, Russians, Miss Honey p. 106-109

Bows: 109-116