



The Mountaineers Players present  
*Rodgers & Hammerstein's*

*The Sound of Music*

at the magical

**Kitsap Forest Theater** in Bremerton

May 30, 31 & June 5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 20 2010

Open auditions will be held in Seattle and Bremerton

<b>Thursday</b>	<b>February 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Bremerton*</b>	<b>7:30 pm to 9:00 pm</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>February 27<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Seattle**</b>	<b>10:00 am to 4:00 pm</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>February 28<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Seattle**</b>	<b>2:00 pm to 5:00 pm</b>

Callbacks will be Tuesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> from 6:00 to 10:00 pm in Seattle at TPS

\* Bremerton audition held at Chico Alliance Church, 3670 Chico Way, Bremerton  
(next to Crosspoint Academy, formerly known as King's West School;  
park in the back of the church and enter through the glass doors)

\*\* Seattle auditions and callbacks held at TPS Rooms, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Seattle Center House

**Rehearsals start Monday, March 15, 2010**

Weeknight rehearsals are held in Seattle at TPS, 4<sup>th</sup> floor, Seattle Center House

Weekend rehearsals are at the Kitsap Forest Theater outside of Bremerton.

All shows are at 2:00 pm on the weekends.

**\*see [ForestTheater.com](http://ForestTheater.com) for complete rehearsal schedule**

Join us for *The Sound of Music* to be performed in our beautiful and unique outdoor amphitheater located in Bremerton. All roles, including children's roles, must be cast. We seek actors of all ages and all roles require singing and dancing.

**To sign up for an audition, please call (206) 542-7815  
or e-mail [auditions@ForestTheater.com](mailto:auditions@ForestTheater.com) with your preferred time.**

Please prepare one song (bring taped accompaniment or use our accompanist)  
and a 1 – 2 minute memorized monologue or scene cutting.

**A resume with photo is desired.**

All those auditioning should wear loose-fitting,  
comfortable clothing and footwear suitable for dancing.

Please warm up both physically and vocally prior to your audition.

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## *Sound of Music* CHARACTER DESCRIPTIONS

CHARACTER	AGE	SINGING/DANCING	CHARACTER DESCRIPTION
Mother Abbess	40+	Soprano, wide vocal range	Motherly, understanding, strong and authoritative, but kind
Sister Berthe		Alto moves well	Mistress of Novices, prudish, straight laced with a quick tongue, she is less tolerant than other nuns
Sister Margareta		Mezzo moves well	Mistress of Postulants, very kind, understanding and concerned
Sister Sophia		Soprano moves well	Neither demanding nor critical, sticks with the rules
Maria Rainer	20's	Mezzo/Soprano dance	a Postulant at Nonnberg Abbey - young, free spirited, warm, gentle and kind with much determination
Captain Georg von Trapp	40's	Baritone moves well	A retired Austrian Naval Captain. Polished and gentle, yet very military in the way he runs his life to repress his sadness over the death of his wife; underneath, he is warm, understanding, and determined
Liesl von Trapp	16	Mezzo dance	The oldest child, blossoming into a young lady with an interest in boys. She has a maternal edge to her, and cares very deeply for her younger siblings.
Friedrich von Trapp	14		very tough exterior
Louisa von Trapp	13		rebellious attitude
Kurt von Trapp	10	falsetto	
Brigitta von Trapp	9		smart, reads alot
Marta von Trapp	7		
Gretl von Trapp	6		must have the cute factor
Rolf Gruber	17	Low tenor dance	Suitor to Liesl, telegram delivery boy, later Nazi soldier. A very pleasant young man, somewhat aggressive but in a gentle way.
Franz	30+	Non-solo	The Von Trapp Butler, rather formal but not without spirit, he is very German and loyal to the Fascist cause
Frau Schmidt	30+	Non-solo	The housekeeper, stoic, very little personality; she does her job efficiently but without affection; strong and somewhat dominating
Elsa Schraeder	30+	Soprano, up to high C, moves well	A Baroness of taste and elegance, sophisticated, dignified and mature
Max Detweiler	30+	Tenor/Baritone, moves well	Charming and vital; a man of sophistication who enjoys the good life; true and loyal friend to the Von Trapp Family
Herr Zeller	40+	Non-solo	Stern and unsmiling, a typical Nazi official whose primary concern is to see that everyone toes the line
Baron Elberfeld	30+	Non-solo	
Baroness Elberfeld	30+	Non-solo	
Admiral Von Schriber	50+	Non-solo	

And neighbors, nuns, new postulant, novices, postulants, students, nazis, archbishop, contestants at Festival Concert