AUDITION - *Laughter on the 23rd Floor*

Sunday 13 December 10am

The first show in STG's 2027 season is this Neil Simon hit comedy, set in the writers' room of a major 1950s' hit TV variety show. The six comedy writers (five men, one woman, as was common in those days) are charged with producing ever new, entertaining and funny gags, skits and one-liners for the host of the show each week. The host is a nut case, and not at all funny himself, in fact, he is a rather morose character.
The play is fast paced and full of comedic dialogue.

Cast Required:

Lucas	The newest member of the writing group. Mid 20s. Subtle US accent. Also acts as a 'compere' to move the action along.
Milt	20s – 30s Flamboyant dresser. A bit quirky. US accent
Val	30s upward. Russian émigré with accent. The oldest of the group. Politically aware.
Brian	Late 20s upward. Irish with accent. Heavy smoker, drinker, cougher. Sharp tongue. Caustic
Kenny	20s upward. Neat, sophisticated. US accent
Carol	20s – 30s Defensive of her position in the group. Trying to get pregnant.
Max	Any age. Big personality, quixotic, often monosyllabic. Quite temperamental. Loud. US accent
Helen	Secretary – any age. Very small role. Ideal for a beginner.
Ira	Hypochondriac. Brilliantly mad. NYC accent

Performance Dates:

Friday 26 February evening
Saturday 27 February matinee and evening
Saturday 06 March matinee and evening
Sunday 07 March matinee
Friday 12 March evening
Saturday 13 March matinee and evening
Sunday 14 March morning bumpout for all cast and crew

Rehearsals are planned for Tuesday and Thursday evenings 7 – 9.30pm
and Sundays 10am – 1pm.