

Harvey Audition Notice

Date: TBC

Genre: Comedy

The Cast:

Myrtle Mae Simmons	Age: Late 20's to Mid 30's Daughter of Veta and Neice to Elwood. In her desperation in finding a husband she appears to be hard, ruthless and selfish. She fears being left on the shelf and being a social outcast.
Veta Louise Simmons	Age: Late 50s to early 60's Aunty to Elwood Veta's main objective is to get her daughter married and settled but fears her brothers' antics will spoil any chances they have of making a suitable match. She genuinely loves her younger brother but is frustrated by his antics.
Elwood P Dowd	Age: Early to late 40's Elwood walks to the beat of his own drum. He sees the beauty in the world and takes the time to enjoy it. He is, in every way, a kind and genuine man, who cares about everyone he meets. He lives by the adage "you can't have enough friends"
Mrs. Ethel Chauvenet Act 1 Scene 1 only	Age: Late 60's to 70's Family friend of the Dowds. Society matriarch who has a genuine fondness towards Elwood. A wealthy woman, old fashioned in her ways and who loves to gossip about her society friends.
Mrs. Betty Chumley Act 2 Scene 2 only	Age: Late 60's to 70's Wife of Doctor Chumley. A modern, sophisticated, and well-dressed Doctors wife who may not be as happy as she appears.
Doctor William R Chumley	Age: Late 60's to 70's A learned doctor who takes pride in the institution he has created. A pompous, and very serious character who will not tolerate anything that could harm the sanatoriums reputation.
Judge Omar Gaffney	Age: Late 60's to 70's The local Judge who also acts as the Dowds family attorney. Over the years he has become a firm family friend who reluctantly agrees to Veta's request in committing Elwood to the Sanatorium.
Duane Wilson	Age: 30 to 40 Orderly at the Sanatorium who is very loyal to Dr Chumley.
Doctor Lyman Sanderson M.D.	Age: 30 to 50 An officious Doctor determined to make his mark in the world of Psychiatry under the tutelage of Dr Chumley, and totally oblivious of his feelings towards Nurse Kelly.
Nurse Ruth Kelly	Age: 30 to 40 A very caring, compassionate, and competent nurse with a crush on Doctor Sanderson.
E.J. Lofgren Act 2 Scene 2 only	Age: 40's The local cab driver who shows the only bit of sanity and insight in the room.

Please note:

- The ages above are only a guide.
- The roles of Mrs Chauvenet and Betty Chumley may be played by the same person.
- Audition Scenes will be provided on the day.