# The Winter's Tale

Director: TBA

Callback Dates: TBA Start Date: June 29, 2020

Performance Date: July 29-31, 2020 Location: Dallas and Rickreall, Oregon

## **SUBMIT ELECTRONICALLY**

Please submit a recording of yourself performing a Shakespeare monologue or soliloquy in verse, approximately 15-20 lines long. Send recording, headshot, and resume to <a href="mailto:strutsandfretstheatrecompany@gmail.com">strutsandfretstheatrecompany@gmail.com</a> with your name, and "The Winter's Tale S&F 2020" in the subject line.

#### LEONTES

(Masculine presenting, age 35-65)

The just King of Sicilia, given to an inexplicable and all consuming fit of jealousy. A commanding presence with immense depth of feeling.

## **HERMIONE**

(Femme presenting, age 35-45)

Queen of Sicilia. She is a powerful force and possesses an incredible mind. Falsely accused of infidelity, she is able to maintain grace under extreme pressure.

#### **MAMILLIUS**

(Masculine presenting, age 5-15)

Young Prince of Sicilia. Has a quick wit and a gentle heart.

### PERDITA

(Femme presenting, age 18-25)

Daughter to Leontes and Hermione, raised by Old Shepherd in Bohemia. A wholesome young woman confident and resolute in her love.

## **CAMILLO**

(May be played by an actor of any gender identity, age 35-65)

A noble of the court of Sicilia. Leontes's most loyal advisor who travels with Polixenes to Bohemia

## PAULINA,

(Femme presenting, age 35-65)

A noblewoman of the court of Sicilia. Made of fire and justice and the warmest heart you'll ever meet.

## **ANTIGONUS**

(May be played by an actor of any gender identity, age 35-65)

A noble of the Sicilian court. Married to Paulina and righteous to the core, Antigonus takes the banished Perdita to the shores of Bohemia where he dies in an accident.

## **CLEOMENES**

(May be played by an actor of any gender identity, age 18-65) Lord of Sicilia

#### DION

(May be played by an actor of any gender identity, age 18-65) Lord of Sicilia.

## **POLIXENES**

(Masculine presenting, age 35-65) King of Bohemia. Good natured and honorable.

## FLORIZEL

(Femme presenting, age 18-25)

Heir to the Bohemian throne. An idealistic free spirit in love with Perdita.

## **ARCHIDAMUS**

(May be played by an actor of any gender identity, age 18-65) Noble of Bohemia

## OLD SHEPHERD

(May be played by an actor of any gender identity, age 35-65) Reputed parent of Perdita.

## YOUNG SHEPHERD

(May be played by an actor of any gender identity, age 18-35) Child of Old Shepherd. Life gets away from them. Often.

## AUTOLYCUS

(May be played by an actor of any gender identity, age 25-55) A silver tongued rogue quick with a grift.

## **EMILIA**

(May be played by an actor of any gender identity, age 25-55) a person of the Sicilian court attending on Hermione.

## **MOPSA**

(May be played by an actor of any gender identity, age 18-35) Shepherdess. Young Shepherd's main squeeze. DORCAS (May be played by an actor of any gender identity, age 18-35) Shepherdess. Young Shepherd's other main squeeze.

# TIME

(May be played by an actor of any gender identity and any age) The physical embodiment of Time.