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The Purple Rose Theatre Announces Virtual Auditions For 2022/2023 Season

Chelsea, Michigan (May 23, 2022) – <u>The Purple Rose Theatre Company (PRTC)</u> announces general auditions, via video submission, for the 2022 / 2023 season. The PRTC is seeking actors of all ages, gender identities, abilities, and ethnicities! Submission dates begin Tuesday, May 24, 2022 and continue through Friday, June 3, 2022. Both Equity and Non-Equity actors are welcome. The theatre will be casting principle, supporting and understudy roles.

Due to COVID-19 safety guidelines, The Purple Rose Theatre Company will only be accepting video submissions as general auditions for the 2022-2023 Season. Actors are asked to submit a video link with two contrasting monologues that are each one minute in length, along with headshot and resume, full body slate, full legal name and Actor's Equity Association name, any representation, and monologue titles, to <u>info@purplerosetheatre.org</u> with "ATTN: Audition" in the email subject line. Submission dates begin Tuesday, May 24, 2022 and end on Friday, June 3, 2022. Auditions will be received by Casting Director and Artistic Associate, Rhiannon Ragland and Artistic Associates, Lucas Daniels and Rachel Keown. Callbacks for specific roles will be held at a later date and those candidates will be notified by phone.

The Purple Rose 2022 / 2023 season includes, "Pickleball" a world premiere by Jeff Daniels; "Human Error" by Eric Pfeffinger; "In Common" a world premiere by Quinn D. Eli; and "A Jukebox for the Algonquin" a world premiere by Paul Stroili. The Purple Rose Theatre Company operates under an SPT Tier 8 contract with Actors' Equity Association and employs both Equity and Non-Equity actors. The current SPT 8 AEA salary is \$657.00 per week.

About The Purple Rose Theatre Company

Founded in 1991 by actor, playwright, musician and Chelsea native Jeff Daniels, the Purple Rose Theatre Company is a creative home for original American plays. In the 168-seat theatre, patrons experience an intimate encounter with live theatre.

The PRTC also provides classes, readings, lectures and tours. It commissions new work from established and early-career playwrights. As a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit professional theatre, the PRTC operates under a Small Professional Theatre agreement with the Actors' Equity Association.

For more information contact PRTC Managing Director, Katie Hubbard at (734) 433-7782 x16, khubbard@purplerosetheatre.org.

Auditions At-A-Glance

Casting Director:	Rhiannon Ragland
Name of Company:	The Purple Rose Theatre Company
Production:	General Auditions For 2022 / 2023 Season
Season Information:	"Pickleball" a world premiere by Jeff Daniels "Human Error" by Eric Pfeffinger "In Common" a world premiere by Quinn D. Eli "A Jukebox for the Algonquin" a world premiere by Paul Stroili
Submission Guidelines:	Audition self-tapes should be submitted via: YouTube unlisted links, Vimeo links, or Dropbox links. Please make sure anyone can view the link. Submissions must have 2 contrasting monologues— limited to 60 seconds each. Please include a full body slate, with your full legal name and your AEA name; any representation and titles of monologues. Please submit your self-tape link and headshot/resume to: info@purplerosetheatre.org with "ATTN: Audition" in your email subject line.
Eligible actors:	Equity and non-Equity actors are welcome to submit an audition.
Callbacks:	Actors will be informed by phone if they are invited to callbacks after their audition and prior to the day of callbacks.
Equal Opportunity Employer:	Yes
Contract/Salary:	Actors Equity Association SPT Tier 8 / \$657 per week; more information can be found at <u>Actorsequity.org</u> .
For More Information:	https://www.purplerosetheatre.org/education/auditions/