

**MADDER  
MARKET**  
THEATRE

**WE WANT YOU TO  
JOIN US!**



# PASSIONATE ABOUT GOOD THEATRE?

Since 1921, the Maddermarket Theatre has produced hundreds of plays and musicals to the highest standards, entertaining and delighting the people of Norwich and Norfolk - people just like you.

It is people like you that make the Maddermarket Theatre what it is today and we want you to join us. Our members range from 17 upward – everyone is welcome.

So why not become part of the most exciting and dynamic theatre company in Norfolk. All we want is your talent, enthusiasm and commitment!



## YOU ARE WELCOME TO HELP IN AS MANY AREAS AS YOU WISH

Every event at the Maddermarket Theatre is the work of enthusiastic volunteers, ranging from actors, directors, technicians, stage staff, costume makers to box office staff, bar staff and stewards.

High standards are expected and maintained by a professional full-time staff which includes a Director of Productions, Administrative staff, Wardrobe Master, Technical Manager, Stage Manager and Education Officer plus freelance Designers, Choreographers and Musical Directors.

Rehearsals range from 4 to 6 intensive weeks and each production is performed for 8 to 10 performances, more for the Christmas show. If you have energy and a willingness to learn how, the Maddermarket can show you.

Experience is useful and commitment is essential but you will be part of a great experience, meeting new friends and challenging yourself to go that extra mile.

## THEATRE TRAINING FOR ACTORS

Acting training is available (at minimal cost) from our qualified tutors – our aim is to create versatile and resourceful team players.

Actors for our in-house shows are eligible for free individual tuition sessions (This is only available to those who have been cast and who are recommended by their directors).

We also provide evening classes, exam classes and individual tuition for adults and a Youth Theatre, exam classes and individual tuition for 6 to 17 year olds.

## JOINING

Just fill in the forms opposite and return to us at the address below.

Once you've joined, regularly offer your time and skills and you will quickly become part of this great theatre. Don't wait to be called! Suggest yourself for roles, volunteer for jobs and join us in creating great Theatre!



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# MEMBERSHIP GENERAL DETAILS

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

POSTCODE \_\_\_\_\_

TEL day \_\_\_\_\_

evening \_\_\_\_\_

mobile \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION \_\_\_\_\_

(including name of company/business/school/college etc.)

AGE GROUP

UNDER 18

18-25

26-35

36-50

51-65

65+

**ALL COMPANY MEMBERS ARE EXPECTED TO WORK VOLUNTARILY FOR THE THEATRE IN A PRACTICAL MANNER - AS REGULARLY AS POSSIBLE**

## AREAS OF INTEREST AND EXPERIENCE

interest    experience

- Acting
- Directing
- Box Office
- Steward
- Bar and Coffee Bar
- Costume making and upkeep
- Dressing
- Makeup and hair

interest    experience

- Set Design
- Set painting
- Propmaking/finding
- Stage Management
- Stage Crew
- Lighting
- Sound

I will collect my monthly Newsletter from the Theatre (from the opening night of each show).

I would like my Newsletter posted. I enclose a contribution of £\_\_\_\_\_ towards costs and would like the Maddermarket to reclaim tax I have paid on the contribution.

I would like to receive my Newsletter by email (Adobe pdf format).

We hope you will enjoy working here and being involved. In signing this application you become a member of the Maddermarket Theatre Company for a period of 12 months.

Company Rules are printed overleaf.

I wish to become a member of the Maddermarket Theatre Company and agree to abide by the rules.

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

Note: photographs of Maddermarket activities may be freely used by the Maddermarket Theatre for publicity. All personal information and photographs are kept securely and are not shared with any third parties.

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# MEMBERSHIP ACTING DETAILS

NAME

PLAYING AGE (5 years each side of real age)

SINGING ABILITY

ACCENTS

RELEVANT INTERESTS

DANCE/MOVEMENT/SPORTS SKILLS

MUSICAL SKILLS/INSTRUMENTS (with grades)

INTEREST/EXPERIENCE IN ACTING

experience

interest

**WE MUST  
HAVE A RECENT  
PASSPORT SIZE  
PHOTO OF YOU**

**(HEAD AND  
SHOULDERS  
PLEASE)**

Please also attach your CV and a brief synopsis of your acting training and /or experience (play, role, theatre, company, dates) and any other information you consider relevant.

## RULES OF THE MADDERMARKEET THEATRE COMPANY

- 1 The Association is known as the Maddermarket Theatre Company
- 2 The object of the Company is the presentation of plays in accordance with the objects of the Maddermarket Theatre Trust Ltd
- 3 The Chair is the Chair of the Maddermarket Theatre Trust Ltd
- 4 Membership of the Company is open to anyone who wishes to assist in any way in the work of the Maddermarket Theatre and who signs an agreement to observe the Rules of the Company
- 5 There is no membership subscription
- 6 Members must commit themselves to the work of the Maddermarket Theatre and undertake to the best of their endeavour any tasks which will assist the work of the Theatre. NOTE: In due course and in accordance with the criteria as determined from time to time by the Maddermarket Theatre Trust Ltd, members may be elected as members of the Maddermarket Theatre Trust Ltd. Nominations for election are made by a sub-committee of the Trust. The sub-committee assesses the commitment of members of the Company by considering the range and number of Maddermarket activities undertaken, reliability, trustworthiness and willingness to become involved in the work of the Theatre. A member of the Company is not usually able to demonstrate the required level of commitment in less than two years from joining
- 7 The Maddermarket Theatre Company and the Maddermarket Theatre Trust Ltd operate an Equal Opportunities policy and all members shall respect and act in accordance with this policy. A copy of the policy is available on request from the Theatre Office
- 8 Until such time as they are elected as members of the Trust, members are invited annually by the Secretary of the Trust to renew their membership of the Company. Members of the Maddermarket Theatre Trust Ltd are invited by the Secretary of the Trust to renew their membership of the Company in every fourth year
- 9 There will be at least one meeting of the Company each year
- 10 No member of the Company may receive payment for participating in a Maddermarket Theatre Company production unless such payment has been specially approved by the Maddermarket Theatre Trust Ltd
- 11 Alterations to the Rules may be made only by those members who are also members of the Maddermarket Theatre Trust Ltd. Any desired amendment will be circulated by the Secretary of the Trust 21 days before a properly-called meeting of the Trust. Alterations to the Rules will result from a 75% majority vote in accordance with the voting procedure of the Trust.