



Rochedale Revue 2021

Cast Member and Parent Expectations:

To be a member of the cast in 2021, both you and your parents (if under 18) need to be aware of the expectations of cast members. Please review this list and sign before you complete your application:

- 1 **Remain an active member** of Scouts Queensland or Girl Guides Queensland.
- 2 Youth members **must be 8 ½ years of age** by Opening Night.
- 3 **Complete all the information** required in the Cast application.
- 4 **Attend a Sign On Day** - The sign on day will involve some singing, acting and a dance activity, which will be a lot of fun. These fun activities help determine roles for each cast member in the show. We are an inclusive show and a role will be found for everyone.
- 5 Agree to **participate in the entire season** diary available on the Revue App and Website involving all rehearsals. Three or more absences will require a conversation with the Production team and may result in a reduction of roles. We also understand that there may be other scouting activities during the rehearsals, Please communicate with the production team where there could be clashes.
- 6 If you are under 18 – **complete the travel permission** question in the App. This will allow you to travel to and from rehearsals with people who are not your own Parents/Guardians.

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- 7 **Agree to sign in and out** at rehearsals in accordance with established procedures.
- 8 If over 18 or turning 18 during the rehearsal/show season – obtain a **Positive Notice for Working with Children** (blue card), which must remain current throughout the season. This also applies to Parents and Supporters assist in the support crew.
- 9 **Pay the cast activity fee** by end of July. The 2021 fee is **\$150** per cast member.
The Activity Fee covers the cost of the Camp fees and food for the Revue Rehearsal camp, food between the Saturday performances, break up party, subsides cost of hire of venues.

Each cast member will also receive the new **Rochedale Revue Polo Shirt**.



- 10 Agree to **promote the show** actively to all family members, friends, colleagues and other groups in order to assist with ticket sales. Each cast member is asked to sell a minimum of 10 tickets (you advise your contacts to provide your name as a reference when they make their booking to ensure you reach this target).
- 11 Agree to supply the 'Personal Wardrobe Items' per the list distributed each year as part of the season (eg. black shoes, white shoes, joggers, personal support and other clothing items).

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- 12 Ensure your uniform shirt is correctly badged (note – this can include the polo shirt or buttoned up style Scout uniform. In addition you must have cleanly shined black shoes).
- 13 Agree to wear appropriate, comfortable clothing for physical activity during rehearsals (tank tops and tight clothing is not suitable). Closed in footwear must be worn at all rehearsals and suitable deodorant applied and available.
- 14 Agree to participate in additional Patrol or Section activities coordinated by the Production Team.
- 15 Continue your participation in your regular sectional meetings **(You can't tell them about Revue if you're not there!)**
- 16 Agree to adhere to strict social media and personal communications policies implemented at Revue.

Additional Expectations for Cast Members (and their Parents/Carers) under 10 years of Age

Being part of an energetic, exciting and dynamic activity is exhausting for under 10's. The concentration and focus required at times can get the better of our most seasoned Senior performers- so we want to ensure our Junior Cast Members are well supported so they too can participate in the show.

Rehearsal sessions are designed to maximise learning while being broken up with engaging activities and break times. However, even this carefully structured schedule will not meet the needs of our entire Junior cast.

To ensure your child succeeds at rehearsals and for the entire season, it is extremely important that the Production Team is aware of any behavioral matters or learning difficulties.

Parent support between rehearsals

To ensure each child retains the skills learn between rehearsals, parent support

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may be required to assist them with learning their scripts, dance moves and acting. This will ensure they continue to retain what they have learnt.

For most parents this is also a bonding activity with their children too. You never know, as a parent, you too may learn some new skills and songs.

Parent responsibilities at the Theatre

The Theatre is an exciting location for the Junior cast, but it is cramped, busy and hazardous if you are in the wrong place at the wrong time. Junior cast members need to be supported by parents to:

- Dress and change costumes for each item
- Manage costume box and access to small props
- Accessing stairs in low-light
- Arrive on stage on time
- Remain focused and engaged while waiting in-between items.

Adequate rest for Juniors

Late nights, exhausting activities and busy social events are all part of the Revue experience. It is an expectation that all cast have appropriate rest during the day before and after performances. Families who are unable to provide adequate rest time during the performance week should carefully consider the appropriateness of the Revue activity.

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Should the cast member be struggling during rehearsals, the Production Team will make every effort to provide the Parent/Carer the necessary feedback to see what can be done or need to occur.

Please remember, in the event of a youth member demonstrating difficulty participating in the full Revue experience, the Producer has the ability to withdraw the youth member from participating in the show.

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