

AUDITION NOTICE

EASTERN RIVERINA ARTS PRESENTS

BASIN

By Marty Boyle, Sulari Gentill, Diana Lovett, Freda Nicholls, David O'Sullivan, Craig Palmer and John Riddell with Vanessa Bates

BASIN is a new Australian play written in the Riverina by emerging and established writers across the region, mentored by award winning Playwright, Vanessa Bates.

BASIN explores our relationship to water, be it rain, river, creek or tap.

The work is being presented in partnership with venues across the Riverina and toured throughout June/July 2016. In addition it will be presented at the Regional Arts Australia conference 'Artlands' in Dubbo in October 2016.

CASTING:

We are looking for three actors:

1 x Male (aged 30+)

2 x Females (Aged 40+ & 20+)

AUDITION DATES:

COOTAMUNDRA

Thursday 17 March 2016 3-6pm: TIN SHED THEATRE, COOTAMUNDRA ARTS CENTRE

WAGGA WAGGA

Saturday 19 March 2016 from 10am: EASTERN RIVERINA ARTS OFFICE, 98 Fitzmaurice Street

AUDITION PREPARATION:

- Actors should prepare a 2-3 minute monologue of their choice.
- Actors should also be prepared to do a cold reading of part of the script which will be allocated on the day.

AVAILABILITY FOR ACTORS

The rehearsal period for BASIN is 8 weeks part time from 20/4/2016 to 11/6/2016 and we will tour throughout the Riverina on weekends between 17 June and end July 2016. There may also be an occasional Wednesday/Thursday night performance. It is expected that you would be available for the full rehearsal period and tour.

In addition it will be presented at the Regional Arts Australia conference 'Artlands' in Dubbo in 27-30 October 2016.

REHEARSALS

8 week part time rehearsal period from Wednesday 20 April 2016 to Saturday 11 June 2016.

- Wednesdays and Thursdays 6-9pm
- Saturdays 10-4pm

Bump in week in Cootamundra – 14-17 June. You will be required at various times during this week for tech/dress etc.

TOUR

The show will open in Cootamundra and tour to Temora, Young, West Wyalong, Ganmain, Adelong and Wagga Wagga. In addition it will be presented at the Regional Arts Australia conference 'Artlands' in Dubbo in October 2016.

OPENING Night – 17 June 2016 TIN SHED THEATRE, COOTAMUNDRA ARTS CENTRE

REMUNERATION

Actors will be paid according to the Live Performance Award and all travel allowance, transport and accommodation will be covered by Eastern Riverina Arts.

BOOK YOUR PLACE

Please email <u>basin@easternriverinaarts.org</u> for more information and/or to secure your place. Auditions will be no longer than 20 minutes per person.