

AUDITIONS!!

SHERLOCK HOLMES, THE FINAL ADVENTURE

MYSTERY/THRILLER!

Directed by Ali B. Whitlock

Audition Dates: Aug. 15, 22 (10–1 p.m.) Aug. 17, 18 (6-8 p.m.)

Rehearsals Begin: Aug. 31 (7 – 9:30, M – F)

Performances: Oct. 9 – 11; 16 – 18

Tech Week Begins: Oct. 4th **NO ABSENCES--** other conflicts we try to work around!

STORYLINE: The plot centers around Holmes, who is seemingly reaching the end of his remarkable career, when a case presents itself that is too tempting to ignore: the King of Bohemia is about to be blackmailed by a notorious photograph, and the woman at the heart of this crime is the famous opera singer, Irene Adler. With Doctor Watson at his side, Sherlock pursues first the case, and then the affections of Miss Adler, and marches right into the lair of Professor Moriarty and danger, intrigue, wit, humor and surprise!

CHARACTERS NEEDED: 6+ Men; 2 Women

Sherlock Holmes – (Male 30-60) The World's Greatest Detective. Brilliant, eccentric, and obsessive, full of quick wit and quick speech. He's several steps ahead of the players, and he knows it, just as he is painfully aware that his heart, and his judgement, are affected by the most recent case.

Dr. Watson – (Male 30-65) A Doctor, Holmes' greatest friend, and Narrator. Grounded, loyal, and practical compared to the Detective, but the chaos of Holmes' can bring out bouts of exasperation from him.

Prof. Moriarty (Male 30-70) A Criminal Mastermind, and Holmes' nemesis. He is ruthless, cunning, yet charming. He thinks he's intellectually smarter than Holmes.

Irene Adler – (Female 30-50) A World-Famous Opera Singer – Intelligent, witty, and sophisticated. She is the player who controls Holmes' heart and is his intellectual equal.

James Larrabee (aka Godfrey Norton) – (Male, 40-70) A criminal associated with Moriarty, Larrabee is a sleezy, con artist lawyer, pretending to be a sophisticated gentleman.

Madge Larrabee (aka Marie) (Female, 20-60) A criminal and sister to James, she is assisting him in his con, disguised as Marie, his maid.

King of Bohemia – (Male, 20-60) A wealthy Royal who comes to Holmes for help to prevent scandal. Entitled, educated, passionate, and a bit dramatic.

Sid Prince – (Male, 20-70) A street criminal who works for Moriarty, fast talker with a sense of humor. Cockney accent preferred but not necessary.

Other roles available:

Postboy/girl (any gender / age)

Clergyman/woman (any gender / age)

Police Officer (any gender / age)

Young Swiss Man / woman (any gender / age)

***These are all small roles that can be individually cast or doubled up with another primary role. Would be great for someone who wants a small role or wants to try acting for the first time!**