



Auditions

Sunday, Monday & Tuesday
Sept 12-13-14 @ 7pm

Playcrafters Barn Theatre
4950 35th Avenue, Moline, IL

Directed by Jennifer Kingry
Show dates: Nov 10-14, 17-21

Young Jim Hawkins longs for adventure, but gets more than he imagined when a treasure map is brought to his family inn. Jim has to match wits with Long John Silver and a mob of pirates to obtain a secret treasure. Based on the book by Robert Lewis Stevenson, and featuring a host of legendary swashbucklers, *Treasure Island* is an unforgettable tale of treachery, mayhem and adventure for the whole family.

Casting needs: Cast size flexible. This adaption of "Treasure Island" is designed for doubling, with potentially as few as 12 actors playing as many as 30 roles. Various ages from 20 to 60's.

- **Jim Hawkins** - A bright and brave boy with a taste for adventure. While Jim is depicted as approximately 13-14 years old, auditions will be open to young men that can pass for that age, even if they are actually older. This is a MAJOR ROLE, with many lines and long stretches onstage. (Jim has to hide in a barrel, so small size is a plus!)
- **Long John Silver** - A one-legged ship's cook, the leader of the pirates, and a "friend" of Jim's. Silver's age is indeterminate, but must appear old enough to be a suitable father-figure to Jim Hawkins. Must walk with crutch and period "prosthetic device." MAJOR ROLE.

Remaining characters are subject to doubling. The first three "civilian" roles are quite large.

Civilians:

- **Dr. Livesey** - decent, fair, intelligent, brave.
- **Squire Trelawney** - adventure-loving, foolish, can't keep a secret, is a good shot.
- **Captain Smollett** - captain of *The Hispaniola*, determined and resolute.
- **Jim's Mother**
- **Rev. Mainwaring**
- **The Bailiff**
- **Town Drunk**
- **Guests of the Inn**
- **People on Bristol pier**
- **A Cutpurse**

Pirates:

- **Captain Flint**
- **Billy Bones**
- **Blind Pew**
- **Israel Hands**
- **Job O'Brien**
- **Justice Death**
- **George Merry**
- **Israel Hands**
- **Ben Gunn** - a marooned pirate.
- **Anne Bonny**
- **Calico Jack**
- **Tom Morgan**
- **Ezekial Hazard**