



STARS PLAYHOUSE

AUDITION NOTICE

LONE STAR

By James McLure

Directed by Hank Webb

Audition Dates & Times:

Saturday, January 26, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Sunday, January 27, 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Audition Location:

Stars Playhouse - 2756 Mosasco Street, Bakersfield, CA 93312

Performances Dates, Times, and Location:

March 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16 at 7:30 p.m.

All performances will be held at Stars Playhouse, 2756 Mosasco Street, Bakersfield, CA 93312

Audition Requirements:

Come prepared to do a cold reading from the script. Please plan on attending one of the scheduled audition times. If you have any questions, or are unable to attend either of the scheduled auditions, please contact the show's director, Hank Webb, at (661) 324-3718.

About the Show:

The play takes place in the cluttered backyard of a small-town Texas bar. Roy, a brawny, macho type who had once been a local high-school hero, is back in town after a hitch in Vietnam and trying to reestablish his position in the community. Joined by his younger brother, Ray (who worships him), Roy sets about consuming a case of beer while regaling Ray with tales of his military and amorous exploits. Apparently Roy cherishes three things above all; his country, his sexy young wife, and his 1959 pink Thunderbird. With the arrival of Cletis, the fatuous, newlywed son of the local hardware store owner, the underpinnings of Roy's world begin to collapse as it gradually comes out that Ray had slept with his brother's wife during his absence and, horror of horrors, has just demolished his cherished Thunderbird. But, despite all, the high good humor of the play never lapses, and all ends as breezily and happily as it began.

Roles to be Cast:

Roy - Lean, tough, handsome, former high school hero, Viet Nam Vet. Uneducated, belligerent; his Army service has nearly given him a sense of irony ... nearly. He voted for Nixon, likes John Wayne movies, and thinks Raquel Welch is a great actress.

Ray - Roy's younger brother, Ray looks up to Roy for reasons no one quite understands. Sloth-like and slow, he has no idea what irony is. Wears a John Deere hat. Probably sleeps in it.

Cletis - a friend of Ray's and about as unmemorable a human as you could find in West Texas. He married the first girl he dated that didn't spit on him. She married him because of his father's appliance store. He works there and gets lost in the stock room. Has a pocket protector. Sleeps with it.

For a list of upcoming auditions at Stars Theatre Restaurant and Stars Playhouse, please visit bmtstars.com/auditions or call (661) 325-6100.