



The Savannah Sipping Society

What: Open auditions for The Savannah Sipping Society, a comedy written by Jessie Jones, Nicholas Hope and Jamie Wooten.

When: Tuesday, 8th January 2019 at 7:30pm

Where: The Playhouse Theatre - 2B Steffensen Street, Bundaberg

Casting: Four middle-aged females.

Auditions: Actors will read from excerpts from the script, selected by the Director. Audition pieces are available from the theatre on Sunday mornings 9am to 12noon.

Show Dates: 1, 2, 3, 8 & 9 March 2019

About the show: A joyful, touching comedy about four unique Southern women, all needing to escape the sameness of their day-to-day routines, who are drawn together by fate and an impromptu happy hour. They decide it's high time to reclaim the enthusiasm for life they've lost through the years. Over the course of six months filled with laughter, hilarious misadventures and the occasional liquid refreshment, these middle-aged women bond and find the confidence they need to jumpstart their new lives. Together, they discover lasting friendships and a renewed determination to live in the moment and, most importantly, realize it's never too late to make new old friends.

Directed: Phillip Fresta

CAST OF CHARACTERS: Seeking four actors able to play the following roles:

• **Randa Covington, 49** — A perfectionist and workaholic, Randa is struggling to cope with a surprise career derailment that, unfortunately, reveals that she has no life and no idea how to get one.

• **Dot Haigler, 69** — Still reeling from her husband's recent demise and the loss of their plans for an idyllic retirement, Dot faces the unsettling prospect of starting a new life from scratch — and all alone.

• **Marlafaye Mosley, 57** — Earthy and boisterous Marlafaye, a good ol' Texas gal, has blasted into Savannah in the wake of losing her tomcattin' husband to a 23-year-old dental hygienist. The strength of her desire to establish a new life is equalled only by her desire to wreak a righteous revenge on her ex.

• **Jinx Jenkins, 53** — Also new to town, Jinx, a spunky ball of fire, offers her services as a much-needed life coach for these women. But, blinded by her determination to get their lives on track, she overlooks that she's the one most in need of sage advice