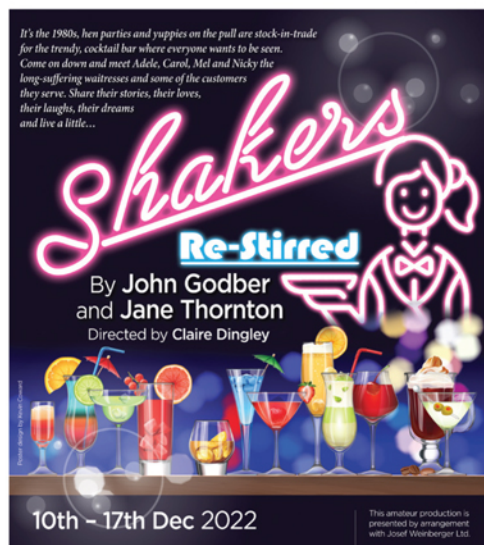


# EAT - 2022/23 SEASON PRODUCTION #02 - SHAKERS RE-STIRRED

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Title: SHAKERS RE-STIRRED  
Theme: Comedy  
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Audition Date: Saturday, 11th June, 2022  
Audition Time: 3pm - 5pm

## Tagline:

*A wickedly funny glimpse of this world by the four long-suffering waitresses*

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## SYNOPSIS

Every town has its *Shakers*, the oh-so trendy cocktail bar where everyone wants to be seen from the check-out girls, to the chinless yuppies and the local lads tittering at the thought of a "Long Slow Comfortable Screw". We are given a wickedly funny glimpse of this world by the four long-suffering waitresses, Carol, Adele, Nicky & Mel.

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## AUDITION INFORMATION

Originally this play was auditioned in 2019 to be performed in July 2020 and we all know what happened earlier that year! Our world changed as we know it, theatres closed, and we were confined to our homes working on theatre projects via Zoom!! So fast forward to 2022 and once again this entertaining play has returned to the EAT to be performed in the 2022/2023 season.

One of the parts – Adele (Hannah Murphy) is already cast from the original auditions, which means I am looking to cast the parts of **Carol**, who has a degree, wants to be a photographer and the only waitress to have real ambition coupled with a desire to escape her hum drum life, **Nicky** who is thinking about taking a job on a cruise ship as a "dancer" and **Mel** who is quite happy with her life but has a secret she has kept from her boyfriend and family.

I will be looking for changes in voice, pace, physicality and ability to switch quickly from one character to another. Northern accents.

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## AUDITION PIECES

Opening Act	Page 1	The waitresses - Carol, Adele, Nicky, Mel
Opening Act 2	Pages 51 - 52	The 'lads'
Carol's speech	Pages 27-28	To "have they tried harder or something"
Mel's speech	Pages 74-75	From "I asked for an abortion....."talk about it but I can't"
Nicky's speech	Pages 58-59	From "I've definitely got to go....."I'm sure I'll get used to it"
Improv	Getting ready for a girls' night out	(All)

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Performing the play in the December slot means we can really bring the festive season alive with all those great Christmas tunes of the 80s and maybe with a special Christmas cocktail thrown in. Look forward to seeing you there!!

If you are interested in auditioning please contact me on my mobile and leave a message or by email and I can scan the audition parts to you. Many thanks.