

Peninsula troupe hosts workshops, auditions

CHINOOK, WASH. — The Peninsula Association of Performing Artists will host an acting workshop for adults 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 17, at the Fort Columbia Theater at Fort Columbia State Park in Chinook.

The instructor will be Brooke Flood of Long Beach, Washington, with assistance from actor-musician Ronald Thompson.

“This is for people who have no idea what they are doing on stage as well as people who have done it a dozen times,” Flood said.

PAPA will host an auditioning workshop 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 24, at the Fort Columbia.

“I have never met anyone who says they like auditions,” said Flood, who is gearing up to pick a cast next month for the summer show, “Beauty and the Beast.”

“PAPA does not expect you to have a monologue memorized or anything like that,” she said. “It’s all about how to walk on stage with confidence and not apologize for everything.”



PATRICK WEBB PHOTO

During rehearsals for last year’s production of “She Loves Me” at the Fort Columbia Theater, assistant director Brooke Flood, left, asks for advice on a costume issue from longtime Peninsula play director Barbara Poulshock.

‘Beauty and the Beast’

“Beauty and the Beast” will be staged by PAPA in July and August. The director is Brooke Flood, musical director Barbara Poulshock and choreographer Cindy Flood.

Auditions will take place 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, April 14, and Sunday, April 15, and 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Monday, April 16, at Fort Columbia. Rehearsals begin the week of April 21.

There are a number of featured roles and opportuni-

ties to join a large chorus.

Washington State Parks Discover Passes are not required for entry into Fort Columbia for any of these three events.

For details, log on to papatheater.com.



DAVID PLECHL PHOTO

A 2016 performance of “Once Upon a Mattress” at the Fort Columbia Theater

Crossword Answers

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