

California Community Theatre

Top Ten (or More) List

Tips for Handling a Casting Emergency

This is a list of successful tips and advice for
Efficient Auditions at Your Theatre

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Pull from your troupe members or other members of the cast.

Network.

Reach out to your veterans.

Always have a couple of understudies.

Ask the actors in the show to help recruit.

Get a good actor to sub in who can do it with book.

Post the emergency casting call on your local or regional theatre site/Facebook page.

Double cast if necessary.

Start a practice of casting roles at your theatre with swings (not understudies).

DON'T PANIC! There are always challenges but in my experience things always work out.