



The Scouts and Guides

Redlands Revue 2026

Magic, Myths & Mayhem

Cast Information

What is Redlands Revue?

The short answer — a joint activity brought to you by the Guides and Scouts of the Redlands.

Redlands Revue provides specialist training in the theatrical arts, just as other areas of Guiding and Scouting might provide specialist training in air activities, camping or water activities.

The founder of Scouting, Lord Baden-Powell, who was a great actor himself, believed that playacting formed part of the essential training of youth, giving them confidence and encouraging an interest in cultural activities.

Revue is a local version of Gang Show and operates at a local level.

Redlands Revue was established in 1978 and this year is our 36th production. Redlands Revue is a variety show and it is not just for those who are great singers or dancers, nor is it just for the youngest members of the associations. Anyone of the age who thinks it would be fun to get up on stage and have a go is more than welcome to join (yes, this means Leaders!). Even if being on stage is not for you, there is a large team working behind the scenes who need your help to get Revue on stage (see Support Crew information).

Please ensure you read all of this information carefully in particular the ‘How do I apply?’ section on page 3.

Joanne Turnbull
Production Director

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Who can participate?

You must have reached the age of 9 by the 30th June 2026. To be a cast member on stage you must be a financial uniformed member of the Scout or Guide Associations and must be an active member within your own Group or Unit. Redlands Revue is an addition to your own regular Scout or Guide activities.

Your commitment as a cast member

You will be required to attend rehearsals each week. Rehearsals are held at Birkdale Scout Den on Sunday from 12:45pm to 5pm. Rehearsals start **Sunday 12th July 2026**. We understand that it is a big commitment to make, on top of your regular Scout and Guiding activities, and the Production team try to accommodate any clashes that may occur between Revue and your regular activities. Should you have other commitment during rehearsal time or wish to be considered for reduced participation (e.g. year 12 commitments), please discuss with the Production Director.

Those rehearsals that are compulsory are identified. Your commitment to these dates is essential for the success of the show. Remember, Revue only happens every second year and participation in the show can usually be assessed as part of an achievement badge/SIA's.

Rehearsals generally commence at 12:45pm and finish at 5pm. From the third week, dependant on what items you are cast in for the show, some cast will be required to start rehearsals at 10am on Sunday. We will also advise these start times via the weekly newsletter (refer to *Communication and Newsletter* section for more information). There are also two intensive rehearsal weekends. For intermediate and senior cast there will be up to three dance rehearsals on an evening during the week.

Important Dates (See Diary for full list of rehearsal dates)

MONTH	DAY	DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	VENUE	
April	Saturday	25th	From 6:30pm	Cast call	Birkdale Scout Den	
April	Sunday	26th	From 1:00pm	Cast call	Birkdale Scout Den	
July	Sunday	12th	From 11am – 5pm	Cast photos First rehearsal	Birkdale Scout Den	
July	Saturday	18th	8:30am to 8:00pm	Rehearsal Intensive	Birkdale Scout Den	Compulsory
July	Sunday	19th	8:30am to 3:30pm	Rehearsal Intensive	Birkdale Scout Den	Compulsory
August	Saturday	22nd	8:30am to 8:30pm	Rehearsal Intensive	TBA	Compulsory
August	Sunday	23rd	8:45am to 3:30pm	Rehearsal Intensive	TBA	Compulsory
August	Sunday	30th	10am-5pm	Costume Rehearsal	Birkdale Scout Den	Compulsory
September	Sunday	20th	8:30am to 4pm 4:15pm to 5pm	Stage Rehearsal Scarf presentation	Victoria Pt SHS	Compulsory
September	Tuesday	22nd	6pm -10:30pm	Stage Rehearsal	Victoria Pt SHS	Compulsory
September	Wednesday	23rd	6pm -10:30pm	Dress Rehearsal	Victoria Pt SHS	Compulsory
September	Thursday	24th	6pm -10:30pm	Dress Rehearsal	Victoria Pt SHS	Compulsory
September	Friday	25th	6pm -10:30pm	Performance	Victoria Pt SHS	Compulsory
September	Saturday	26th	12pm -10:30pm	Matinee and Evening performance	Victoria Pt SHS	Compulsory
September	Sunday	27th	11am -3pm	Performance	Victoria Pt SHS	Compulsory

The Production Director may remove members of cast from items if attendance is unsatisfactory.

Fees for cast members

Fees must be paid by first rehearsal Sunday 12th July 2026. Note: A \$10 discount will apply to all fees paid prior to the first rehearsal.

First child	\$130
Second & subsequent family members	\$110

Fees cover the following: script; revue scarf and woggle if first year; rehearsal intensive weekends (including dinner and workshops), dinner Saturday between matinee performance and night performance.

Please note: these do not include: Revue polo shirt (optional); afternoon tea, lunches at rehearsals – if required for early cast call; DVD of performance.

Wardrobe and costumes

The majority of costumes will be supplied, but you may be required to provide some costumes. The following are the basic wardrobe requirements that you must provide:

- Cast call – full uniform is required
- Rehearsals – casual clothes with dance shoes
- Performances – you will need:
 - Full uniform (hat not required).
 - Black shoes (dance/character shoes for the girls)
 - Beige/white underwear
 - Beige stockings (girls only)
 - Other items from home wardrobe as specified

Communication and Newsletters

Communication with parents and support crew is vital to ensure a smooth-running season. Each week a newsletter will be prepared, providing important information, reminders regarding times and locations, upcoming events and any changes. A hardcopy will be provided if requested. Soft copies will also be emailed.

Parents are also welcome to come inside at 4:50pm at the end of each rehearsal to hear any notices.

How do I apply?

For Cast:

Online Applications

Click on the link to complete a cast application form.

[Qld Scouts - OnLine Applications System \(scoutsqld.com.au\)](http://scoutsqld.com.au)

Link can also be found on the Redlands Revue website, Facebook or Instagram page.

The link will take you to the Scouting Activity Management System. If you have not previously registered for an event through AMS you will need to register (follow instructions on the first page).

If you have registered previously, sign in and select Redlands Revue Cast 2026. Guides see below.

MyEvents
<input type="checkbox"/> Personal
<input type="checkbox"/> Medical
<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Contacts
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Safe Message
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Information
<input type="checkbox"/> Cast Expectations
<input type="checkbox"/> Transport
<input type="checkbox"/> Consent of use
<input type="checkbox"/> Auditions
<input type="checkbox"/> Event Consent
<input type="checkbox"/> Status

Ensure you complete each tab on the left-hand side of the application, this includes all of your personal details and your audition time.

Guides

Please select Guides when you register.

On the first page under Scouting Details please select Guides as your Branch as this will let you enter your membership number and select your District.

Guides who are still 9 will have to select Guides 10+ as your Scouting Role.

Cast call

Cast call for all cast will be held at Birkdale Scout Den, Mary St, Birkdale on Saturday 25th April (evening) or Sunday (afternoon) 26th April (see application for times).

The cast call sessions are to assess the applicant's abilities for casting purposes, not to determine acceptance – as people grow and change so do their abilities.

On the application form you must indicate your preferred audition times. Please attend your first preference time. You will only be advised if this time is **not** available, otherwise please turn up and remember to wear full uniform to your session (no hats are required).

Cast call sessions are held as a group, and you are not required to perform a solo. But, if you would like to perform a solo, whether it be song, dance or instrument, then please come prepared.

Letters of acceptance will be sent after the cast call sessions, confirming details of rehearsals. If you have provided an email address, this letter will be sent via email.

If there is not a suitable time – alternative arrangements must be made in advance by contacting Joanne Turnbull, Production Director, via email: j.turnbull@scoutsqld.com.au