

Prod Meeting 4, 1/24/08

Present: Sarah, Will, Mike, Karen, David, Leslie, Peter, Eric, Ashley, Yuri, Avril

Positions: Avril is still light board op. Harrison is sound board op. Run crew is Kellie Young or Mike Shields.

Scheduling updates:

store put-in (minus light boxes and counter) tomorrow (Friday)

Doors etc. will come later

Proscenium right pipe will still be accessible

Sunday is light hang

Mike and Sarah need to talk about Event Registration, and Yuri will deal with the check

Relevant rehearsal scheduling:

Run through: Thursday 31st, 2-5...shorter than stumble through

Food through/prop through: Monday 28th, slow work through the whole day. Mike will not be there, but is reachable by phone if there are questions.

Props:

We now have fake cigarettes

Getting drinks from Thirsty Ear for good price with ad in program

First tech with food is Monday, 4th

Newspaper dispensers: no luck yet, try The Tab, The Phoenix, The Improper Bostonian, other locals

Theater Arts purchasing cash register for stock

15" golfing gnome is on the way

Leslie will pick up 100 white pint size Chinese food cartons, 50 medium cardboard coffee cups at iParty

For food through: need coffee in the pumper, cream, sugar, etc. Poll actors on what should be in the coffee pumper, something dark.

Pills = white tictacs for food through, different mint variety for show

Now have fridge and microwave for heating, cooling, rice cooking

Eric has a rice cooker!

Have fortune cookies

Keep working on marijuana

Talking to Bertuccis about pizza, if that fails we will talk to Cambridge Grill, 1/day

Payphone can be ready tomorrow morning if we are ready to pick it up; Washington St. (around Chinatown?). If not tomorrow, early next week. Ashley will call Mike in the morning.

Need to borrow a decent guitar

Squeeze bottle into bucket for realistic peeing in the woods

Costumes:

Doing lots of fittings tomorrow

David can stop by sometime next week to check out what there is already

Budget range to Mike
Need purses
Look at Brian Cass's sunglasses to be sure they are ok

Scenic:

Window in back wall is complete!
Fence will hopefully appear by Thursday, but will be a very quick install
Dumpster is being worked on, possibly after store installation
New hunk of macho scaffolding in the 1st or 2nd truckload tomorrow
Trees: still have to go out a-lumberjacking
Garage door: having trouble getting it, still working on it
Shadow boxes and counter unit are under construction
Actors should be careful with the wood pallet onstage, there is probably an exposed nail or 2
Shop hours!!! Need to look at who hasn't showed up to shop hours and beat on them a bit
Might need extra bodies for painting because Nikki doesn't like mornings
Working on appropriate trash receptacle
Need 'bell' for store

Sound:

Intermission: band for all 6 performances, sudden and unobtrusive music
Covers: need rehearsals for Suburbia and the Pixie Song
Recording next week
Negotiating with university person for recording studio
Teenage Wasteland: finances to be talked about with Mike
Rehearsal samples have been put up
Pony's songs: songwriter has been ill, but song has been transcribed
Recording of first fragment tonight, has been lured with some money
Will work over weekend and next week with Yoni
Sound effects will be easy
Some cars, trucks, ventilation/refrigeration, dogs, etc, etc
Peter is away Fri-Sun, but it accessible by phone. Meeting with David on dinner break on Monday
Talking to Mike about speaker locations
Need band: Can see show on Monday if want, definitely Tues, Wed, etc.

Lights:

Lights in cages: no wattage limit, run power up through halls and back
When do we focus? Friday the 1st would be a good day, as it is actor-compromised.
Keep the possibility of a special attached to the scaffolding itself in mind

Budget:

Seems to be ok, really need paperwork for Ted
Email Mike if there are any outstanding costs that may come up