

MARY-ELLEN (HICKEY) SCHUSTER

Equity Membership Candidate

Hair: Brown, Eyes: Blue, Height: 5'3", Weight: 115

REGIONAL THEATRE EXPERIENCE

- ***West Side Story***/ Anybodys, Town Hall Arts Center, CO, Director: Nick Sugar
- ***How to Succeed in Business..***/Dance Ensemble, Town Hall Arts Center, CO, Director: Bob Wells
- ***Producers***/ Dance Ensemble, Town Hall Arts Center, CO, Director: Bob Wells
- ***Dracula***/Mina, Heritage Square Music Hall, CO, Director: Tom "T.J." Mullin
- ***Harvey***/ Nurse Ruth Kelly, Cortland Repertory Theatre, NY, Director: Johnny Carmichael
- ***Forty Shades of Green***/ Annie Moore, Chatham Theatre Co., NY, Director: Rod Foote
- ***Little Women, the Musical***/ Beth, Callan Studio Theatre, MA, Director: Brian Twoomey
- ***Hello Dolly!***/ Ermengarde, Quisisana Music Theatre, ME, Director: Doug Hodge
- ***Bye Bye, Birdie***/ Gloria Rasputen, Cortland Repertory Theatre, NY, Director: Brian Runbeck
- ***Charlotte's Web***/ Templeton, Cortland Repertory Theatre, NY, Director: Chad Sweet
- ***Joseph... Dreamcoat***/ Benjamin's Wife, Quisisana Music Theatre, ME, Director: Amy Rogers
- ***I am the Brother of Dragons***/ Sis, Saltworks Theatre, PA & Northeast Tour, Director: Norma Alrutz
- ***The Happiest Girl in the World***/ Myrrhina & Dance Capt., NYC; Off-Broadway @ Medicine Show Theatre-
A Musical Adaptation of Lysistrata Director: Barbara Vann (OBIE Award Winning Director).
- ***Nine Days in the Sun***/ Maid, Lark Theatre, NYC; Pittsburgh Playwrights Theatre. Dir: Mark Southers
- ***Rent***/ Mimi Marquez, Neverland Theatre; MA, Director: Andy Diskis
- ***Carousel***/ Carrie Pippidge, Curtains Up Theatre, CO, Director: Charles Burden
- ***A Little Night Music***/ Petra, Hartt School, CT, Director: Henry Fonte
- ***West Side Story***/ Anybodys, Hartt School, CT, Director: Rob Ruggiero (Broadway Director)
- ***Goodspeed Festival of New Musicals***, Goodspeed Opera House, CT, Director: Alan Rust

EQUITY THEATRE INTERNSHIPS

- Florida Studio Theatre, James Ashford- Director, FL & Hartford Theatre Works, Rob Ruggiero-Director, CT

CHILDREN'S THEATRE

Performing Arts Dir. at Boys & Girls Club: Salem, MA- ***Anne of Green Gables, Snow Image, Jungle Book.***

TRAINING - **BFA: Music Theatre**, The Hartt School (University of Hartford), CT; PTPP

Terri Schreiber Studio; NYC; Boston University, MA; Circle in the Square, NYC.

Singing: Doug Houston, NYC; Brian Gill, ME; Leah Miles, NYC; Bill Reid, NYC; Ginny Bowles, MA.

Acting: Peter Jensen, Alan Rust, Henry Fonte, Rob Ruggiero, Michael Kaye, Alan Langdon, NYC.

Dance: Ralph Perkins-Jazz, Tap; Ching Hosier, Ala Nikitina-Ballet.

Speech: Paige Clemmons, NYC; Paula Langton, MA; David Watson & Bob Davis, Andrea Haring.

SKILLS: Running, Dramaturgy, Types 70 wpm, Youth, Yoga, Hiking, Spanish, Culinary, Gardening, Nutrition, Travel.