

The Players Guild Theatre Proudly Presents:

Fiddler on the Roof

Book by Joseph Stein

Music by Jerry Bock

Lyrics by Sheldon Harnick

Executive Director- Daryl Robinson

Direction by Matthew Heppe

Music Direction by Emily Leishman Roh

Auditions: Saturday, July 11, 6:00-9:00pm

Sunday, July 12, 11am- 2pm

(Video submissions accepted as well)

Please prepare 32 bars (60-90 seconds) of a song in the style of the musical.

Questions and video submissions may be submitted to: playersguildtheatre@gmail.com by July 11th by 11:59pm.

Please fill out the [Audition Form](#) along with your video submission

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Rehearsals begin Monday, July 27, 2026

Rehearsals will run Monday - Friday, 6:30-10:00 PM

Performance dates are Sept 11 - 20, 2026

Fridays and Saturdays @ 7:30 PM

Sundays @ 2:00 PM.

NON-TRADITIONAL CASTING WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR ALL ROLES

Those wishing to audition can make an appointment for an audition time by signing up online [HERE](#). (Role descriptions listed below).

For parking, please park in the student lot 107 next to the Fine Arts Building on Kent State University at Stark's Campus.

The Players Guild Theatre is located at 6000 Frank Ave NW, North Canton, OH 44720 in the Kent State University at Stark Fine Arts Building on floor one.

Roles:

Tevye

The likeable, hard-working, pious dairyman who always tries to see the positive side of life. He is a proud patriarch and father of five daughters, closely raised according to the old scriptures.

Golde

Tevye's strong-willed wife who wishes for her daughters to have good husbands and live easier than she and Tevye.

Tzeitel

Tevye's eldest daughter, who is madly in love with Motel. She is loyal to her family but typically challenges the town's traditions.

Hodel

Tevye's second eldest daughter, who becomes involved with Perchik. She eventually leaves Anatevka to join Perchik in Siberia.

Chava

Tevye's middle daughter who loves to read. Falls in love and runs off with Fydka, a Russian soldier.

Shprintze

Tevye's fourth eldest daughter who takes lessons at home from Perchik.

Bielke

Tevye's youngest daughter. Takes lessons at home from Perchik.

Yente

The meddling matchmaker. She is a widow and village busybody who knows all of the town gossip.

Motel

The poor and meek tailor who shares a deep love with Tzeitel. Sensitive and nervous, but sincere and friendly.

Perchik

The outspoken student and visitor to Anatevka, who constantly challenges the traditions of the town. He eventually falls in love with Hodel.

Lazar Wolf

The feisty, brawny butcher and the town's wealthiest citizen who wishes to marry Tzeitel.

Avram

Runs the local bookshop and keeps the town advised of all the news in the area.

Grandma Tzeitel

Golde's deceased grandmother, who endorses the marriage between Tzeitel and Motel.

Fruma-sarah

Lazar's Wolf's deceased first wife. She becomes enraged when her husband plans to wed Tzeitel.

Constable

Russian military official stationed near Anatevka who knows the villagers well, however he has superficial relationships with the villagers.

Fyedka

A strong, young Russian soldier who sees past his military obligations and falls in love with Chava. He challenges Tevye's imposed silence.

Ensemble

Villagers, Russian Soldiers