

CASTING NOTICE: TRUE NORTH – MUSICAL WORKSHOP

Produced by Regian Entertainment in association with Holly Reed
Hosted by The University of Texas at Austin – Texas Performing Arts
Directed by Richard Blake
Choreography & Production Number Workshop
June 9–14, 2025 | UT Austin | Stipend Provided
Local Housing Required

WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

Monday, June 9: 4:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Tuesday, June 10 – Friday, June 13: 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM
Saturday, June 14: 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM (Final presentation at 2:00 PM)
Location: UT Austin. Local housing is required.

AUDITION REQUIREMENTS

Deadline for Video Submissions: Wednesday, May 14, 2025, by 11:59 PM (CST)

Email Submissions To: info@regianentertainment.com

Subject Line: TRUE NORTH AUDITION: [Your Full Name]

Include in the body of your email:

- Name
- Age
- Vocal Range
- Daytime and evening availability (June 9–14)
- Attach PDF of your resume
- Attach headshot

Video Submission (attached to email) must include:

- 16–32 bars of contemporary musical theatre (video)
- Full-body slate (on video)
- Dance reel if you have one

SEEKING THE FOLLOWING ROLES

KAMI PATTERSON – Female-identifying, 21, Mezzo

Ben's older sister. Pre-med student at Yale. Disciplined, smart, and cynical. Has always been a team player in a stressful family dynamic and often defers her own needs to support Ben.

HARRY PATTERSON – Male-identifying, 40–50, Bari-tenor

Ben and Kami's widowed father. A skilled engineer and officer in the U.S. Air Force. Strong and confident externally, but internally struggles to balance family, country, and personal grief.

CHARLEY TINSELTOES – Male-identifying, 18+, Tenor

A seasoned Buddy Elf in the North Pole Special Buddies Unit (the North Pole Navy SEALS). Sent to help a hurting family in the Southern Yonder. Despite being sworn not to use magic outside the North Pole, Charley is determined to help them heal. Strong actor/singer/dancer. Acrobatic ability is a plus.

AGENT SKITTLE GOODYSPIRIT – Female-identifying, 18+, Mezzo

An elf and rule-following Junior Agent with the Christmas Intelligence Agency (CIA). Often misread as incapable due to her overwhelming cuteness. Determined to prove her strength. Actor/singer who moves well.

SNAP KRACKLE – Male-identifying, 18+, Baritone

An elf who is a practical and industrious mechanic in charge of Santa's sleigh. Gruff and bumbly with a heart of gold. The kind of elf who'd help change a tire—while grumbling about it. Actor/singer who moves well.

CAROL PATTERSON – Female-identifying, 35–45, Mezzo

Loving mother of Ben and Kami and a supportive partner to Harry. Her warmth grounds the family in the face of grief and distance.

MAYOR – Any gender identity, 35+

Mayor of Hampton Hill, Pennsylvania. Warm, slightly quirky civic leader.

COLONEL GRANT – Any gender identity, 35+

The highest-ranking officer at Fort McCoy Air Force Base in Greenland. Commanding, composed, and decisive.

WALKER – Male-identifying, 18+

A brawny and dependable Airman who serves alongside Harry. Steadfast and loyal.

ENSEMBLE – All gender identities

All ensemble should be singer/dancers. Will appear as Townsfolk, Elves, and Soldiers. **Tap training and acrobatics are a plus.** Featured vocal and character work throughout.

INCLUSIVITY STATEMENT

Regian Entertainment is committed to inclusivity and, unless specifically called for in the script, we cast without consideration to ability, race, ethnicity, gender identity, sexual orientation, size, or shape.

PROJECT OVERVIEW

True North: The Musical is a bold and heartfelt new holiday musical centered on a military family navigating loss, hope, and reconnection. With help from an elite group of elves from the North Pole Special Buddies Unit, the family rediscovers the meaning of the season and the courage to believe again. This choreography and production number workshop will focus on large ensemble staging, movement-based storytelling, and musical development.