# SELF TAPE/ AUDITION PACKAGE "HOLLY HOBBIE"

#### SYNOPSIS:

This is a show about growing up. That time in your life when you have one foot in the kid world and the other in the adult one. When you love your parents even though you don't always agree with them. And your best friend is the most important person on the planet. It's when you figure out who you are and who you want to be. And you discover there's more to everyone than just their online profile. It's when you find out the world is less than perfect, but you believe you can fix it. Because when you're fifteen, anything is possible as long as you can dream it and you can find someone to give you a ride.

Each half-hour episode follows Holly trying to make the world a better place, while tackling the everyday challenges of growing up – from bullies to breakouts, and crushes to curfews – in a funny and emotional way. Malala wouldn't let a pimple stop her from trying to achieve world peace, right?

This show looks like Instagram, sounds like T-Swift, and feels like your mom's or dad's best home-cooked meal. There are lots of laughs and a few tears. (Don't worry, kids today can handle it!) Because this generation knows the world isn't perfect. They understand some families have more than others, that the earth is getting too hot, and some people try to hurt others because they're different. But they don't want be shielded. They want to fix this. Because they have big hearts and big brains. Just like Holly. And this will be their show.

# CHARACTER DESCRIPTION ROBBIE HOBBIE

MALE. AGE 15-18 years. Life's been easy for this laid-back athlete gifted with good looks and a great arm. This fun-loving teen's not a dumb jock but has never tried too hard at school. He'd rather be goofing off with his teammates, canoodling with his girlfriend, or pranking his sisters. Robbie often relies on his charm to get him out of trouble (and his chores on the farm. He's also a little too concerned with his looks –often hogging the bathroom to perfect his hair. When Robbie gets sidelined by an injury, he starts to re-examine his priorities. SERIES LEAD

\*\*\*TALENT MUST BE A CANADIAN CITIZEN

\*\*\*WHEN SUBMITTING PLEASE MAKE A NOTE OF WHERE YOU ARE IN CANADA

## DEADLINE FOR SELF-TAPES: MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2018 @ 5:00 PM EST SEND SELF-TAPES DIRECTLY TO: hollyhobbiecasting@gmail.com

(Self-tape Instructions are on the last page of this audition package)

Note: Please make sure to fill out the forms within this audition package and send them a long when sending in the self tape

Any questions can be sent to <a href="mailto:hollyhobbiecasting@gmail.com">hollyhobbiecasting@gmail.com</a>
PLEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON THE WEBSITE CAREFULLY BEFORE EMAILING.
You do not need to email for permission to submit!

## **Actor Information Form**

Full Name:	
Email Address:	
Age:(for talent under 18)	
Date of Birth:(talent und	der 18)
Grade:	
Height:	
City and Province/State You Live In:_	
Citizenship:	
Parent's Name(s):	
Parent's Email:	
Parent's Cell Number:	
Have they ever acted before (school p specify:	lays, classes, etc)? If so, please
Special skills (Languages they can spe do):	eak, anything extra special they can
If they have an agent:	
Agent name:	Agent contact:
(If they have an agent, please allow them to	submit your child's audition nackage)

## Parental/Guardian Consent Form

(for talent under 18 years old)

Parent/Guardian Name:
Parent/Guardian Email:
Parent/Guardian Telephone:
I consent to have my son/daughter/ward
send their electronic audition for the casting! I understand that this is not a promise of employment. I agree to accompany my son/daughter/ward to any requested additional casting sessions, as needed.
Full Name:
Electronic Signature:
Date:

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# TIPS FOR SELF TAPES PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!!!

- **1.** Frame yourself (the talent) from head to toe. Start off with a brief introduction into camera: state your NAME, age (for talent under 18 years old), HEIGHT, and **LOCATION**.
- **2.** Now, zoom in so that you're framed from the top of the head to the mid chest area ONLY and keep that frame for the entire scene. There should be little to no space over the top of your head. Be sure that the lighting is bright. Make sure that the sound quality is clear. It is very important that we can clearly see and hear you.
- **3.** Now, do the scene(s)! (scene(s) are attached at the bottom of this audition package) Please make sure to read the cover page carefully.
- **4.** Feel free to tape the scene(s) as many times as you'd like, but only send us **one** take, the BEST take. ALL INSTRUCTIONS ARE ON THE LAST PAGE
- **5.** Remember to look natural, be energetic, have fun, and just be yourself!
- 6. Send everything in **ONE** email to <a href="mailto:hollyhobbiecasting@gmail.com">hollyhobbiecasting@gmail.com</a>. Audition videos should be sent via a link such as <a href="mailto:YouTube">YouTube</a>. **Please make sure to set the** privacy settings so that the video is UNLISTED. Auditions must not be made public. Auditions must also NOT BE LISTED AS PRIVATE. If you send us a private link we will be e-mailing you to change it to unlisted.

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### SUBMISSION CHECK LIST

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NO phone calls please

_ Actor Information Form _ Parent/Guardian Consent form (for talent under 18 years old)
_An acting resume if you have one (if not the information sheet above will be fine!)
_A recent photo (we need to see your face and teeth clearly; it does not need to be a professional headshot. This could even be a candid photo – as long as it looks just like you and you're the only one in the photo! No sun glasses)
_Your self taped audition (instructions for self tape are on the last page) (This should be sent via a link such as YouTube, VIMEO etc. Please set the privacy setting so that the video is UNLISTED. (Auditions MUST NOT be PUBLIC or PRIVATE).

NOTE: Your audition submissions will NOT be considered if any of the forms are missing. If you have an agent please allow them to submit you.

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## "HOLLY HOBBIE"

**ROLE: ROBBIE HOBBIE** 

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### **AUDITION REQUIREMENT:**

Please prepare everything in this audition package.

All the information you need to have a successful audition is in the audition package.

**FOR TALENT SENDING IN A SELF-TAPE** (this is not for any talent who have an in person audition)

- SLATE (NOTE: Please make sure in your slate to state your NAME, AGE (only for talent under 18), HEIGHT, and where you live in Canada
- Perform the sides

If there are any additional questions please feel free to send them to <a href="mailto:hollyhobbiecasting@gmail.com">hollyhobbiecasting@gmail.com</a>

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"HOLLY HOBBIE" ROBBIE HOBBIE

### ROBBIE SIDES

### INT. LIVING ROOM - NIGHT

ROBBIE watches TV with HOLLY and HEATHER.

START

HOLLY

Oh, here come the lottery numbers. Got your ticket ready?

ROBBIE

What's the point? I lost my girlfriend, I broke my leg, my football career is over. I've never felt less lucky in my life.

**HEATHER** 

Robbie, what is it you always tell me?

ROBBIE

Whoever smelt it dealt it?

HEATHER

No, the other thing... "anything is possible."

ROBBIE

I was wrong. Nothing is possible. Give up now.

HOLLY

Jeez, you really need to lighten up. Shh! Here come the numbers.

Robbie pulls the crumpled ticket out of his pocket and checks it against the numbers on the TV.

ROBBIE

Fourteen... Twenty six... Twenty nine! Thirty seven?! You're kidding me!!

HOLLY

What is it? Did you win?!

ROBBIE

Yeah! I did! I won... (off the screen)
TWO MILLION DOLLARS?!?!

HEATHER

See?! Anything is possible!

ROBBIE

I take it all back - you were right! You know what I'm going to do?

(to Holly)

I'm going to buy you a horse. No — two horses!

(to Heather)

And I'm going to buy you a dirt bike. And I'll buy mom and dad... whatever it is that parents want. I'm so sorry I've been such a jerk to you guys. Things have been really hard recently, but this is going to change everything.

Holly and Heather exchange looks, like they know something Robbie doesn't. Robbie clocks the weirdness.

ROBBIE (CONT'D)

Why'd you look at each other like that?

HOLLY

Like how?

ROBBIE

Like you're up to something. I know those looks.

(dawning on him)

You didn't...

Robbie picks up the TV remote and hits pause. He sees the date. The wind is knocked out of his sails.

ROBBIE (CONT'D)

You got me a ticket with last week's winning numbers? What the heck is wrong with you two? Is the fact that I'm going to be stuck in this crappy town for the rest of my life funny to you?!

Robbie throws the remote across the room in frustration. Heather is stunned — she didn't mean for things to go this far. Robbie sees the fear in her eyes and backpedals.

ROBBIE (CONT'D)

(half-hearted)

You really got me. I crown you this month's prank champions.

Robbie walks off, humiliated.

