# **CARA McNIFF**

Cell: 917-628-1153 Email: caramcniff@gmail.com Voice: Alto/Mezzo

Height: 5'6" Weight: 140 lbs Hair: Light Brown Eyes: Hazel

#### **Professional Theatre**

The Wizard of Oz Apple Tree/Featured The Prizery

Jitterbug/Ensemble

Anything Goes Chastity The Prizery

### **Educational Theatre**

Cats Electra Elon University
Working Amanda McKenny/Ensemble Elon University
The Light in the Piazza Ensemble Elon University

Cabaret Fräulein Schneider Staples Players Summer Theatre

Avenue Q Gary Coleman Staples Players
Thoroughly Modern Millie Muzzy Van Hossmere Staples Players

Bye Bye Birdie Mrs. MacAfee Staples Players Summer Theatre

A Chorus Line Sheila Bryant Staples Players

Willy Wonka Violet Beauregarde Staples Players Summer Theatre

Into the Woods Stepsister Staples Players

Jesus Christ Superstar Annas Staples Players Summer Theatre

## **Training**

BFA Musical Theatre – Elon University (North Carolina) – Class of 2018

Dance: Lynne Formato (Musical Theatre Dance), Linda Sabo (Musical Theatre Dance), Cherie Bower (Ballet), Gene Medler (Tap), Michael Schulster (Tap), Jessica Rizzo (Modern, Musical Theatre Jazz), Steve Sirico (Jazz), Angela D'valda Sirico (Lyrical, Ballet), Tap/Jazz Competition Groups (D'valda and Sirico)

Voice: April Hill (Elon University), Hallie Hogan (Elon University), Sarah Pfisterer (Wiremill Academy), Vocal Competition Soloist (D'valda and Sirico)

Acting: Cathy McNeela (Music Theatre), Kirby Wahl (Stanislavsky), Kevin Otos (Meisner, Chekov), David Roth (Uta Hagen, Stanislavsky, Karen Kohlhaas, Augusto Boal, Shakespeare, Masking, Stage Combat)

### **Master Classes**

Julia Murney, Sheri Sanders\*, Søren Møller\*, Dan Knechtges\*, Natalie Weiss\*, Sean Michael Murray\*, Rachel Potter\*, Eden Espinosa, Craig Carnelia (\*denotes participant)

## **Special Skills**

Riffing/improvisation, low alto, basic Spanish language, basic Italian language, Southern accent, jump rope, cartwheel, biking, Connecticut drivers license