

GARY BURFIELD-WALLIS

ACTOR | SCREEN & CHARACTER PERFORMER | PRESENTER

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Playing age 55-70 | Height 5'4" / 163 cm | Stocky build | Blue eyes | Long greying hair | Full greying beard

PROFILE

Distinctive mature character actor with a grounded, natural screen presence and a particular interest in film and television. Recent on-camera experience includes the dark-fantasy short film Trial of the Greenwood, following camera-focused training in frame awareness, marks, eyelines and continuity. Brings strong character instincts, an expressive voice, comic timing and life experience to warm, authoritative, eccentric and world-weary roles.

SCREEN

Production	Role	Format	Director
Trial of the Greenwood (2026)	Elder	Short film	Tobey Gannon

TRAINING

Ifield Barn Theatre - Acting Workshops | August 2026

Improvisation; character interpretation; voice and breath work; physicality; script analysis; scene work; frame awareness; marks; eyelines; continuity.

EARLIER PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

Newchapel Hall, Surrey - Amateur theatre productions

Character roles in live comedy/parody dinner-theatre productions based on Peter Pan, The Pied Piper and West Side Story, using accent, physicality and comic timing.

Public speaking and on-camera presentation - audience-facing talks plus direct-to-camera and YouTube presentation experience.

ACCENTS & SKILLS

Accents: Southern English (Surrey/London); RP / Heightened RP; Italian comic character; Scottish character work; Welsh, Liverpool, Newcastle, Australian and German with preparation.

Performance: Improvisation, character creation, voice characterisation, comedy performance, public speaking, direct-to-camera delivery.

Animals: Advanced dog handling and canine behaviour knowledge; confident horse handling.

Practical: Full clean UK driving licence; cars, vans and minibuses; former St John Ambulance emergency-care experience; ambulance driving; mechanical background.

Media & Food: Photography, videography and editing; experienced cook and baker.

AVAILABILITY

Based in Swindon, Wiltshire, with practical access to Wiltshire, Bristol/Bath, Oxford/Reading and London. Full-day location work available; longer stays by arrangement. Travel considered nationally for suitable work.