

SALTWORKS YOUNG ACTORS

# Theater Skills Studio

## IMPROV

Ages 9-16 Cost: \$65  
Tuesdays, 6:00pm to 7:30pm  
January 12—February 2  
Church of the Ascension  
Oakland/Shadyside

Improvisation is instant theatre. This class will teach you to think on your feet, off the top of your head and into the spotlight—learn improv skills and techniques that will help you develop your acting skills. You will learn that saying YES...and agreeing with your scene partner is the first step to improvisation success. This class will be great for the first timer as well as someone brushing up their skills. So come along, improv is fast paced, creative and **FUN FUN FUN!**

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Thursdays, 4:30pm to 6pm  
January 14—February 4  
Christ Church at Grove Farm  
Off of I-79, Mt. Nebo Exit

*Punch, Kick, Dodge, Roll*—This class will focus on the most exciting and difficult aspect of theater, stage combat. Taking a slow methodical process, every class will focus on the safety and proper execution of different stage combat techniques. After students first learn to fall and roll correctly to prevent injury, they will learn the proper way to give and receive punches, kicks, grabs, throws and other elements that compose a thrilling fight routine. Students will also be given the opportunity to learn basic dagger and rapier skills. Stage Combat is a difficult and exciting aspect of theatre and this class will be a great way to put your foot through the door.

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You'll learn how to adjust your performance to changes in the camera situation, how to walk to a mark, where to look, where not to look, how to speak in a natural and relaxed way when the camera is rolling, and more.

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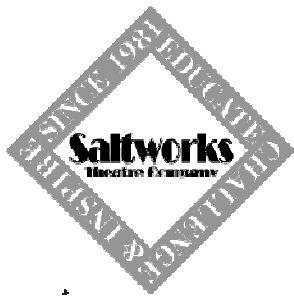
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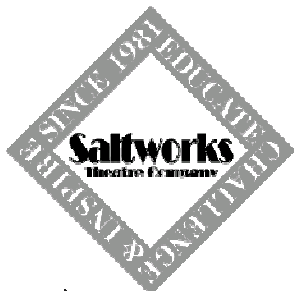
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