

COMEDY IMPROV WORKSHOP SERIES AND PERFORMANCE

Workshop Series: Saturdays, February 9 – March 22, 1 to 4 pm

Performance: Wednesday, March 26, Bartell Theater

Lynda Finn and Emily Jones of Flaming Dykasaurus have taught a four-hour improv class for StageQ during each of the last two seasons. Participants loved the class, but we had lots of requests for more time to delve into the art of improv. In response to popular demand, StageQ is delighted to offer a seven-week comedy improv series!

Join us for a seven-week workshop on the fundamentals of improvisation taught by Lynda Finn and Emily Jones of Flaming Dykasaurus. Lynda and Emily have been performing improv and writing and performing sketch comedy with Flaming Dykasaurus for 12 years. They have studied improv with the likes of Chicago's Susan Messing, Charna Halpern and many others.

This workshop is designed for all levels, whether you are completely new to improv or an experienced veteran. Some of the material covered will include games and exercises, solo scenes, and scene work with other participants. We will create an encouraging, fun, and low pressure environment. The focus will be on shorter forms, but with additional time we will be able to cover long form improv, as well.

At the end of the workshop, participants will present an evening improv performance on Wednesday, March 26 at 7:30 pm at the Bartell Theater.

Pre-registration required by emailing improv@stageq.com. There is a pre-registration fee of \$50 (\$25 for seniors) which will be refunded to students who complete the class and participate in the performance on March 26. Registration is limited to 12 students.