

Shenanigans!



A program of Spectrum Arts, Inc.

2012 SCHEDULE

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Winter 1: Jan 9 – Feb 18 (6 wks)
 Winter 2: Feb 20 – Mar 31 (6 wks)
 Spring: Apr 9 – May 19 (6 wks)

Note: If we have to cancel a class, the session weeks will be adjusted accordingly.

For more information and to register, contact:

Sandy Bruce, Exec Dir
 770-354-5770 (sandy@ShenanigansImprov.com)

Fees are due in full one week before the start of class. Please make your check payable to Spectrum Arts, Inc. and mail to:

Spectrum Arts, Inc.
 PO Box 862097
 Marietta, GA 30062

No refunds after class starts. If a class does not meet minimum enrollment, your fee will be returned in full, or you may choose another class.

Credit cards accepted via PayPal email money request. (No PayPal account needed.) The PayPal service charge of ~3% will be added.

AGE	LOCATION	CLASS DESCRIPTION – all classes meet weekly unless noted
3-5 yrs	<u>Decatur/Emory:</u> NEW DAY & TIME!! Sensations Therapun 1704 Chantilly Drive Atlanta, GA 30324	MONDAYS - Stage Play - 3:00-4:00pm: An introduction to theater through games and activities designed to bring out the budding performer in all kiddos. Instructor: Rachelle Freedman Start date: When min enrollment reached Cost: \$165 for 6 weeks
	<u>Decatur/Emory:</u> Sensations Therapun 1704 Chantilly Drive Atlanta, GA 30324	MONDAYS - Kiddie Yoga, 4:00-5:00pm: Creative and gentle exercises and movement to unite the body and mind, promoting relaxation, strength, coordination, flexibility, and body awareness. (Ages 3-6) Instructor: Debi Taylor, Spirit of Autism Start date: When min enrollment reached Cost: \$165 per 6 weeks
	<u>Marietta/east Cobb:</u> Children's Garden Theatre 3380 Canton Rd. Marietta 30066	TUESDAYS *OR* THURSDAYS – Movin' & Groovin': With a focus on improv music and movement, we'll sing, make sounds using instruments and body percussion, learn to listen, and have fun. This music therapy class may be reimbursable through out-of-network insurance. Two class times offered. Instructor: Beth Hampshire, NMT, MT-BC Start date: Tuesday, 10:00-11:00am (when min enrollment reached), or Thursday 3:00-4:00pm (when min enrollment reached) Cost: \$165 per 6 weeks (may be reimbursable as out-of-network)

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Grades K - 5	<p><u>Decatur/Toco Hills:</u> NEW DAY & TIME!!</p> <p>Sensations Therafun 1704 Chantilly Drive Atlanta, GA 30324</p>	<p>MONDAYS - Stage Play, 3:00-4:00pm: An introduction to theatre arts through games and activities designed to bring out the budding performer in all kiddos. Works on team skills, focus, communication, and more.</p> <p>Instructor: Rachelle Freedman Start date: When min enrollment reached Cost: \$165 per 6 weeks</p>
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	<p><u>Woodstock:</u></p> <p>Elm Street Cultural Arts Village 8534 Main St. Woodstock 30188</p>	<p>MONDAYS - Improv Drums, 4:30-5:30: Ignite the spark of musical expression through percussion. Your child will discover his unique inner rhythm and the joy of creating spontaneous music. Communication through sound teaches focus, self-expression, coordination, and builds confidence.</p> <p>Instructor: Randi Gould Start date: When min enrollment reached Cost: \$165 per 6 weeks</p>
	<p><u>NE Cobb/Marietta:</u></p> <p>Chestnut Ridge Christian Church 2663 Johnson Ferry Rd. Marietta 30062</p>	<p>WEDNESDAYS - Improv Drums, 4:30-5:30: Ignite the spark of musical expression through percussion. Your child will discover his unique inner rhythm and the joy of creating spontaneous music. Communication through sound teaches focus, self-expression, coordination, and builds confidence.</p> <p>Instructor: Randi Gould Start date: When min enrollment reached Cost: \$165 per 6 weeks</p>

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<p>MIDDLE SCHOOL</p> <p>(Continued next page)</p>	<p><u>Marietta/east Cobb:</u></p> <p>Children's Garden Theatre 3380 Canton Rd. Marietta 30066</p>	<p>MONDAYS - Tweens & Teens Improv, 4:30-5:30pm: Join the fun in a super cool activity. No experience needed – learn how to be spontaneous, flexible, and think on your feet, so that you'll feel comfortable in any social situation. Instructor: Jstar Start date: When min enrollment reached Cost: \$165 per 6 weeks</p>
	<p><u>Decatur City:</u></p> <p>The Hirsch Academy 705 South Candler St. Decatur 30030</p>	<p>TUESDAYS - Tweens & Teens Improv, 3:30-4:30: Join the fun in a super cool activity. No experience needed – learn how to be spontaneous, flexible, and think on your feet, so that you'll feel comfortable in any social situation. Instructor: Jesse Cramer Start date: Ongoing registration Cost: \$165 per 6-wk session</p>
	<p><u>Woodstock:</u></p> <p>Elm Street Cultural Arts Village 8534 Main St, Woodstock 30188</p>	<p>WEDNESDAYS – Improv for Tweens (Middle school approx), 4:30-5:30: join the fun in a super cool activity. No experience needed – learn how to be spontaneous, flexible, and think on your feet, so that you'll feel comfortable in any social situation. **Meets 1st & 3rd Wed of the month** Instructor: Jstar Start date: when minimum enrollment reached Cost: \$30 per class (prepay for classes through end of school year)</p>
	<p><u>Alpharetta:</u></p> <p>Alexsander Academy 1090 Powers Place Alpharetta 30009</p>	<p>WEDNESDAYS - Tweens Improv, 4:30-5:30pm: Join the fun in a super cool activity. No experience needed – learn how to be spontaneous, flexible, and think on your feet, so that you'll feel comfortable in any social situation. Instructor: Jason Evans Start date: When min enrollment reached Cost: \$165 per 6 weeks</p>

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MIDDLE SCHOOL (cont.)	<u>NE Cobb/Marietta:</u> Chestnut Ridge Christian Church 2663 Johnson Ferry Rd. Marietta 30062	THURSDAYS - Tweens & Teens Improv, 4:30-5:30: Join the fun in a super cool activity. No experience needed – learn how to be spontaneous, flexible, and think on your feet, so that you'll feel comfortable in any social situation. Instructor: Jstar Start date: ongoing registration Cost: \$165 for 6 weeks
	<u>Buckhead:</u> The Basement Theatre 175 W Wieuca Rd NE Atlanta 30342	SATURDAYS - Asperger's Tweens & Teens Improv and Stage performance, 10:30-noon: Bring your creativity and sense of fun! This active class uses improv to work on social communication, teamwork, building self-confidence, and so much more! Instructor: Jesse Cramer Start date: ongoing registration Cost: \$250 per 6 weeks

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<p>HIGH SCHOOL</p>	<p><u>Marietta/east Cobb:</u> Children's Garden Theatre 3380 Canton Rd. Marietta 30066</p>	<p>MONDAYS - Tweens & Teens Improv, 4:30-5:30pm: Instructor: Jstar Start date: When min enrollment reached Cost: \$165 per 6 weeks</p>
	<p><u>Decatur City:</u> The Hirsch Academy 705 South Candler St. Decatur 30030</p>	<p>TUESDAYS - Tweens & Teens Improv, 3:30-4:30: Instructor: Jesse Cramer Start date: ongoing registration Cost: \$165 per 6 weeks</p>
	<p><u>Woodstock:</u> Elm Street Cultural Arts Village 8534 Main St, Woodstock 30188</p>	<p>WEDNESDAYS – Improv for high school and beyond, 4:30-5:30: **Meets 2nd & 4th Wed of the month, Jan-May (9 classes)** Instructor: Jstar Start date: ongoing registration Cost: \$270 for the semester (pro-rated for newcomers)</p>
	<p><u>Buford Hwy Corridor:</u> Through Dowa Support Group Register: Susan Ko, 678-907-3314</p>	<p>SATURDAYS - Improv for Korean and Immigrant teens & young adults, 11:00-noon: This class for first generation Korean immigrants, is sponsored by Dowa Support Group. We use improvisational acting to work on social communication challenges. Instructor: Colin Rust Class information: Contact Susan Ko, 678-907-3314</p>
	<p><u>Buckhead:</u> The Basement Theatre 175 W Wieuca Rd NE Atlanta 30342</p>	<p>SATURDAYS - Asperger's Tweens & Teens Improv and Stage performance, 10:30-noon: This active class uses improv to work on social communication, teamwork, building self-confidence, and so much more! Instructor: Jesse Cramer Start date: Jan 14 (Saturday), 10:30-noon Cost: \$250 per 6 weeks</p>

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Post HS/Adult	<p><u>Woodstock:</u></p> <p>Elm Street Cultural Arts Village 8534 Main St, Woodstock 30188</p>	<p>WEDNESDAYS – Improv for high school and beyond, 4:30-5:30: Using improvisational acting games, we work on social communication challenges, increasing self-esteem through a positive support system, learning how to accept new ideas and unexpected changes in our every day situations, making friends, and having fun!</p> <p>**Meets 2nd & 4th Wed of the month, Jan-May (9 classes)**</p> <p>Instructor: Jstar Start date: Ongoing registration Cost: \$270 for the semester (pro-rated for newcomers)</p>
	<p><u>Buckhead:</u></p> <p>The Basement Theatre 175 W Wieuca Rd NE Atlanta 30342</p>	<p>SATURDAYS – Improv, 12:30-2:00pm: This ongoing 1.5-hr class is great for those who want a fun social experience as well as those who want to be on the stage.</p> <p>Instructor: Jstar Start date: Jan 14 (Saturday), 12:30-2:00 (Extra time may be scheduled on occasion for puppet-building) Cost: \$250 per 6-wk session</p>
	<p><u>Buford Hwy Corridor:</u></p> <p>Through Dowa Support Group Register: Susan Ko, 678-907-3314</p>	<p>SATURDAYS - Improv for Korean and Immigrant teens & young adults: This class for first generation Korean immigrants, is sponsored by Dowa Support Group. We use improvisational acting to work on social communication challenges.</p> <p>Instructor: Colin Rust Class information: Contact Susan Ko, 678-907-3314</p>
	<p><u>Decatur:</u></p> <p>Emory Autism Center 1551 Shoup Court, Atlanta 30322</p>	<p>VARIOUS - Improv: We schedule classes through EAC on occasion throughout the year. Watch for announcements in newsletters from both EAC and Shenanigans! Note: prospective students must be interviewed by Toni Thomas at EAC for appropriate placement. (404-727-8350)</p>

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<p>NEW!</p> <p>Parents</p>	<p><u>Alpharetta:</u> FRIDAYS - 10:00-11:00am Alpharetta Community Center 175 Roswell St. Alpharetta 30009</p> <p><u>East Cobb/Marietta:</u> TUESDAYS - 10:00-11:00am CCYP at Piedmont Village Shopping Center (Suite 600) 2800 Canton Hwy, 30066 (Intersection of E Piedmont Rd & Canton Hwy)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">For Parents!!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Parenting is hard! Add a child with autism, and it becomes an extraordinary challenge.</p> <p>Every minute you spend with your child can be a learning opportunity - for good or for bad. That's why Shenanigans is here to help you make those teachable moments good ones! We've created a new Parents' Class tailored especially for you with discussion, activities, and helpful hints that will give you a better working relationship with your child.</p> <p>Using improvisational theatre exercises, we'll cover how to make the most of non-verbal communication, role-playing, identifying feelings and emotions in others, accepting change and dealing with it, and managing a meltdown!</p> <p>We want this class to be "your time" to have some fun, share, and to learn some helpful techniques from an experienced "autism daddy" who also happens to be one heck of a funny dude!</p> <p>So get ready to let your hair down, laugh, and learn with Shenanigans! <i>(If we get enough interest, we'll try to schedule an evening class, too!)</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Instructor: Jason Evans Start date: when minimum enrollment is reached Cost: \$165 per six weeks</p>

PRIVATE TUTORING: Would your child benefit from one-on-one attention to prepare him or her for our group activities or better communication skills? Shenanigans offers private tutoring with one of our capable and talented instructors. Limited Availability. Contact Sandy for details: 770.354.5770 or sandy@ShenanigansImprov.com.