

Media Release
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NEW TIME, FORMAT & PRICING FOR IMPROV AT THE HA CLUB

Charlottetown, PE - HA Club improv classes by Laurie Murphy and guest instructors will be offered the first and second Wednesday, February - June 2021, 7pm – 8:30pm, at the Haviland Club, 2 Haviland Street, Charlottetown, PEI. Improv is creating characters, scenes and situations on-the-spot, and is as fun and terrifying as it sounds. No prior improv experience is required. Students must be 16 years of age or older. As per Health PEI, safety protocols during Covid-19 are mandatory. Classes are \$25 each, six for \$135 or 12 for \$255. Pre-registration is required. For information, visit <https://marram.ca>, or send an email to info@marram.ca.

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HA Club Artistic Director Laurie Murphy is offering a new time and format for improv classes, to be held on the first and second Wednesday, February – June 2021, from 7pm to 8:30pm, at the Haviland Club, 2 Haviland Street, Charlottetown, PEI. Individual classes are \$25 per person. New pricing offers savings with packages of six classes for \$135 or 12 classes for \$255. Students do not need prior improv experience but must be 16 years of age and older. As per Health PEI, safety protocols during Covid-19 are mandatory.

Students will learn how to create scenes, environments, and characters through exercises and games in both short-form and long-form improv. “People often arrive nervous and unsure about their improv abilities, but they almost always leave more confident, and happy with their new or improved presentation skills,” says Murphy, an experienced improv player and teacher. “There’s a lot of freedom and entertainment to be had with improv. At the HA Club, there will be fun in 2021!”

Each class will be different, designed so people can take one class and see what improv is about, or take all 12 once they have tried it and want to learn as much as they can. Classes are taught by Murphy with guest instructors, including musician Michael Peters, sound/lights technician Dylan Smith, and other theatre creators.

Dates for all 12 classes in the Winter/Spring term are February 3rd and 10th, March 3rd and 10th, April 7th and 14th, May 5th and 12th, and June 2nd and 9th. To pre-register, or to learn more about theatre improv instruction, visit <https://marram.ca>, or send an email to info@marram.ca.

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