

The Atlanta Workshop Players

Virtual Performing Arts Camp 2020

Virtually Everything You Need, Virtually

Artists are adaptable, creative, resilient people. Nothing can stop creativity and we can't wait to share this NEW ARTISTIC ADVENTURE!

Information Guide Book & Policies for all sessions

Our Goal is to provide you with superior, creative opportunities AND fun all on ZOOM!!

(Yeah, we are SERIOUS!) Let's make some magic!

FIRST DAY OF EACH SESSION-10am Check-in and Orientation w/Parents & Students.

EXPECTATIONS FOR STUDENTS: Approach each class with enthusiasm, focus, professionalism and positive energy, knowing that you have a lot to share. You'll increase your artistic skills and have a blast in the process! Please be on time to every session, dressed in clothing that you can easily move in and prepared with any scenes or assignments. Let's get those creative juices flowing!

EQUIPMENT NEEDED TO PARTICIPATE:

Laptop, I-Phone OR other device with video and audio capability AND strong internet connection to access ZOOM programming. You will NOT need a zoom account to participate. Quiet area, with some space for movement is encouraged. Movie campers will need a device to do video recordings for various projects. (Phone is great) Zoom links for all events will be emailed the week before camp.

FUN STUFF: DR. WIZO'S MAGICAL MYSTERY ADVENTURE BOX will arrive at your home address (or any alternate/vacation address you provide us) filled with camp surprises, gifts, challenges & info. YES, the adult students get this too! Why would we stop having fun, just because we are grown up??

SHOWCASE AUDITION FOR CASTING DIRECTORS AND AGENT: Everyone has the option to prepare a 1 minute, contemporary, film/tv oriented, conversational, age appropriate, 1 person scene to present to Top Agents, Talent Managers and Casting Directors from both coasts. Prepare in advance. You will have a private coaching session to fine-tune your audition during camp.

FOOD: Keep a water bottle handy during classes and events. Have snacks/meals ready for breaks during the day. Meals will often feature an optional 'open-mic' opportunity to share jokes etc. So we'll eat together online.

COMMUNICATION WITH TEACHERS AND STAFF: There will be 10 minutes during check-in at the beginning of each day to get updated information and answer any questions you may have. You may also reach the camp staff by leaving a message at (770) 998-8111 or emailing:

Info@AtlantaWorkshopPlayers.com. If it is an emergency, text Director: Lynn Stallings' cell phone, (770) 366-6888. We'll be busy creating a joyful, artistic experience for the students, so please call ONLY if it's URGENT. Thank you.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

Yep! We Get It! Virtual Performing Arts Camp is a Wild, New Concept. You have a lot of questions & concerns. We're here to address those FAQs right here!

1. **Will students be sitting in front of a computer all day?**

Nope. Screen time is 3-5 hours daily depending on the camp you attend AND, there is an abundance of 'up and moving' (Physical comedy, Dance, Theatre Games, Scene work etc.) This is hands-on, learning by doing. Whether you're sitting or standing, you are an active participant!

2. **Will there be learning outside of the zoom classes?**

Yes, movie camp and some special classes in other sessions have self-filmed assignments that are prepared outside of class and are later reviewed by the industry pros during class.

3. **What about socializing and finding my 'peeps'?**

Absolutely! There are social events every week. (Parties & Cabaret Shows) All students ages 8-18 are divided into groups who meet with super-fun Counselors at the beginning and end of each day. They get to know each other thru social activities and collaborating on projects.

4. **How do you choose the counselors?**

Most AWP counselors have grown up thru our programs. All come highly Recommended, have background checks and participate in an in depth training program.

5. **Who are the teachers?**

All are Successful, Entertainment Industry Pros, Emmy Award-winners, Broadway Stars, Disney/Nickelodeon/Primetime Directors, Filmmakers, Actors, Dancers.....who are hand picked for their credentials AND because they are awesome, inspiring human beings.

6. **Will AWP camp help my acting career?**

The more serious you are, the more you will gain from the program. It's all there. You can network and audition for people in a position to offer representation and open doors for you. This is a learning opportunity. Although there are no guarantees of employment, you will be in a much better position to launch or enhance your career thru this practical training and developing industry relationships.

7. **Tell me about the Audition Opportunity at camp.**

Students in Movie Camp, Broadway Camp, Industry Pro-Camp and Pro-Track/Adults all have the opportunity to audition for a panel of Casting Directors, Agents and Managers from LA, NYC and Atlanta. Each student will come prepared with a one-minute monologue/scene and receive a private coaching session prior to the audition showcase. The panel of pros will provide feedback after each audition.

8. Is this camp just for students with experience?

No. There is something for everyone. Classes are designed in all programs so that students may progress at their own pace in a positive, supportive, non-competitive atmosphere. Option #1 Performing Arts Adventure Camp is the perfect option for the newer performer. All other programs cater to those on a pro-track as well as those who simply have a love of the creative arts.

9. What is the refund policy?

Full refund, minus \$50 processing fee, if Written Cancellation is received more than 2 weeks prior to camp. No refund with less than 2 weeks notice. Of course, we will work with you to resolve any challenges that would prevent attendance. We don't want you to miss this ultra-cool experience!

10. Is the camp just for kids?

Nope. There are sessions designed for Kids, Teens AND Adults.

11. Can students take more than one camp?

Yes, serious students can participate for up to 7 weeks of camp! It's a blast & they'll leave stronger artists, armed with knowledge, a clearer mindset & tools for success in show business & in life.

12. Please Explain the "Cabaret Show".

Campers have the option to perform for each other at Cabaret! It's an evening filled with entertainment and standing ovations! You are welcome to perform whatever you are best at ...dancing, singing, comedy, juggling, playing a musical instrument etc. You must PREPARE and sign up IN ADVANCE in your online registration OR at check-in the first day of camp. *NOTE: IN ORDER TO HAVE TIME FOR EVERYONE, performance pieces are limited to 2 minutes & YOU MAY ONLY PERFORM IN 1 PIECE PER SESSION! Material needs to be appropriate for ALL ages. Please prepare any needed music source, costumes, props etc. ahead of time, to be totally ready to perform. We can't wait to be entertained by you!

13. May parents watch classes and activities?

Absolutely. You may zoom in anytime. We just ask that you keep your video and audio off, so it doesn't distract the class. And parents are invited to shows and the movie premiere.

14. How do parents communicate with staff?

There is a 10 minute period at the beginning of each day that you may zoom in to ask questions. You may also leave a message at the AWP Hotline at 770-998-8111. Email: Info@AtlantaWorkshopPlayers.com

15. Is there a show at the end of camp?

Yes, there are informal, virtual sharings of work done during the week. The Movie Camp ends with a Movie Premiere and a 'Talk Back' with the cast and crew. The Broadway Camp ends with a performance by the students, along side Broadway Stars. Scroll down for schedule w/show dates/times.

16. What if I have more questions?

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Virtual Camp Sessions

*Learn * Collaborate * Audition * Perform w/the Pros

Parents/spouses may tune in to observe at anytime

SPECIAL EVENTS SCHEDULE, Outside regular class time:

Option #2. Three Week Movie Camp (June 29-July 17th)

Welcome Beach Party Mon. June 29th 7:30pm

Cabaret Show Thurs July 2nd 7:00pm Parents welcome

Pajama Movie Night Thurs July 9th 7:00pm

Beach Party-Monday July 13th 7:00pm

2nd Cabaret Show Tue. July 14th 7:00pm Parents welcome

Agent/Casting Director Showcase Thurs. July 16th 4pm

YOUR MOVIE PREMIERE/Formal/Photo Op/Talk back w/Cast/Crew

FAMILIES INVITED Fri. July 17th 7:00

Option #3. One Week Industry Pro-Camp (July 13-17th)

Beach Party-Monday, July 13th 7:00pm

Cabaret Show Tues. July 14th 7:00pm Parents welcome

Agent/Casting Director Showcase Thurs. July 16th 4-6pm

Fri. July 17th Option to attend Movie Camper's Movie Premiere & Talk back w/Cast & Crew 7:00

Come see the movies your friends made.

Option #4. Three Week Broadway in the ATL. (July 13-31st)

Beach Party-Monday, July 13th 7:00pm

Cabaret Show Tues. July 14th 7:00pm Parents welcome

Agent/Casting Director Showcase Thurs. July 16th 4-6pm

Fri. July 17th Option to attend Movie Camper's Movie Premiere & Talk back w/Cast & Crew 7:00

Come see the movies your friends made.

Tentative-Cabaret Show-Tue. July 21st-7PM Parents welcome

Pajama Broadway Show Movie Night-Thurs. July 23rd 7:00

Open Mic & Improv night-Tues. July 28th 7pm

It's Your SHOWTIME-Fri. July 31st 7:30pm PARENTS & FAMILIES INVITED

Option #5. Actor's Pro Track-Adults (July 13-17) AGENT/CASTING DIRECTOR **SHOWCASE** Thurs July 16th 4-6pm

Option #6. Five Weeks-Movie Camp AND Broadway in the ATL (June 29-July 31st)

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Welcome to the AWP Family!

We can't wait to get to know each and every one of you!

Come prepared for exciting classes and tons of fun!

An abundance of industry pros and TV/Film personalities are looking forward to meeting you!!!!

Excitement Abounds!!

With Smiles,

Lynn Stallings & the AWP Staff

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