

Puppets in Performance

WORKSHOPS AVAILABLE

90 minutes each

Hands on and interactive

Intended for groups of 4 to 16 participants

Fun for children and adults

Reasonable prices

PLAYWRITING FOR PUPPETS: CREATING CONTRASTING CHARACTERS

- Learn to begin writing a play by creating characters with contrasting attributes
- Various puppets (rod puppets, hand puppets, or mouth puppets) are provided for use in the workshop, or you can bring your own.
- Interact with other participants to create a short skit using two characters in conflict.
- Share your skit with the entire group.

MANIPULATING HAND PUPPETS

- Learn techniques for bringing glove puppets and mouth puppets to life
- Puppets are provided for use in the workshop, or you can bring your own.
- Interact with other participants to create short skits, with or without dialogue
- Share your skits with the entire group

PERFORMING WITH ROD PUPPETS

- Learn techniques of handling rod puppets
- Puppets (made from simple materials) are provided for use in the workshop, or you can bring your own
- Perform in a short play using your rod puppet.

STORIES WITH PUPPETS

- Learn basic elements of story
- Construct a simple puppet from a sock or a wooden spoon
- With other participants, create a story you can do with your puppet
- If you can't think of an idea, you may choose one from a list of possibilities.
- Rehearse your skit with your group
- Share your skit with the rest of the participants in the workshop

CONTACT:

Darlene Fedele Thompson

dfthompson70puppets@gmail.com