



OPEN BOOK THEATRE

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Sponsor DRIVEWAY THEATRE

- Provide FREE shows to the community
- Keep costs affordable for individuals and organizations
- Ensure payment for local, professional theatre artists
- Promote Connection and Community



WHAT IS DRIVEWAY THEATRE? These 30 minute, original plays meet people where they live, work, and play. Open Book invented Driveway Theatre in the summer of 2020 as a way to bring theatre to the community during a global pandemic, and we've discovered that it's a great way to bring together families, neighborhoods, and organizations. We've performed for church gatherings, birthday parties, senior centers, and more... in driveways, backyards, parks, parking lots. Gathering together to tell and hear stories is a way to connect with each other, practice empathy, learn something new, and have a great time! We've expanded the program so that we can connect communities in new ways. Each year we commission playwrights to write shows that speak to our community NOW. The shows are fun, fast paced, and can be enjoyed by all ages.

\$2500 – Show Sponsor Provides FIVE FREE SHOWS TO THE COMMUNITY, plus you get a show for your organization or family (great for company picnics!). You will be thanked in our preshow speech and your name/logo will be on a sign at every performance, as well as on our website and in advertising

\$1000– Backyard Sponsor Brings one performance to your organization/family. You will be thanked in our preshow speech and your name/logo will be on a sign at every performance, as well as on our website and in advertising

FREE, SPONSORED SHOWS will be performed for not for profit organizations as a way to support their work and community, or offered as publicly advertised and open performances in parks. We have organizations we will work with to offer the shows, but are also open to working with sponsors to provide the show to organizations and communities you are connected with and would benefit from a free show! Free shows may not charge admission for entrance. All performances have a free will donation jar where audience members may donate to support our work.



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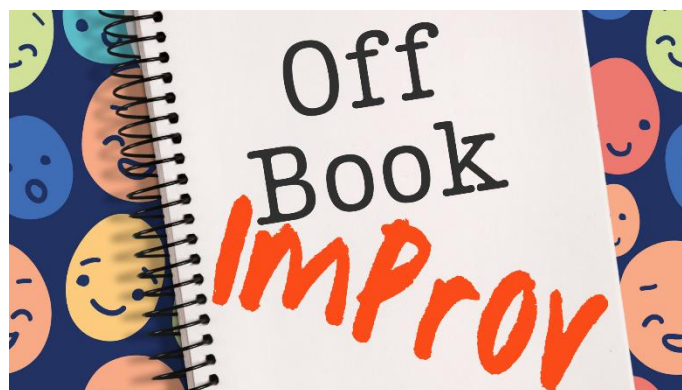
It's My Party by Meg Berger

When two costumed party characters show up to work at the same party, they see themselves as rivals and fight for control. But soon they find common ground in the challenges of modern day survival.



Dance With Me by Craig Ester

It's the week before Senior Prom, and friends Des and Bell have been dancing around their relationship for years. Will they make it official and go to prom together, or will their differences continue to get in the way? A follow up to last year's play *You Talk White*, *Dance With Me* stands on its own while continuing a touching exploration of race.



Off Book Improv

This show uses input from the audience... and even gives willing volunteers a chance to get up on stage... as the performers make up everything right on the spot. Extra fun for celebrations with guests of honor like birthdays, anniversaries, etc, Improv is sure to be fun for any gathering!

ACT NOW to sponsor DRIVEWAY THEATRE for the summer of 2022!

Sponsorship Form

Company Name	
Contact Name	Title
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Company Website	

SPONSORSHIP

- Show Sponsor \$2500**
(indicate which show you'd like to sponsor. We are happy to answer any questions about the shows!)
 - It's My Party
 - Dance With Me
 - Off Book Improv
- Backyard Sponsor \$1000**

PAYMENT

- Check Enclosed
- Credit Card
 - Please have a representative contact me to make payment over the phone
 - I have already paid using the DONATE feature on the Open Book website

Make checks payable to Open Book Theatre Company.

Mail completed form to 1621 West Road, Trenton, MI 48183

THANK YOU!