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Scene Slam: A Dramatic Night at Louis'

Presented by Embrace Theatre

About the Event

Each Scene Slam night will begin with an introduction by the host and a prompt for the weeks' three playwrights. The host will ask the audience for a suggestion and this becomes a prompt from which the playwrights will have one hour to create a play. While the playwrights concoct the next literary masterpiece, the audience will be treated to a theatre presentation of some kind.

Following the variable performance there will be a short break. During the break, audience members interested in reading will be asked to put their names in a hat.

After the break, presentation of the scenes created by the playwrights will begin. The playwrights will announce the characters in their plays and draw names from a hat to decide who will read them. Actors will then take the stage and do a cold reading of the playwright's play. After each play has been read, the audience will vote (by ballot) for their favourite play and their favourite actor of the night. In addition to a small prize, each night's playwright winner will advance to the semi-finals at the end of the semester.

At the end of the evening there would be a presentation of prizes for playwright and actor and closing remarks by the host.

Timeline

This event will take place every Monday night beginning at 7pm.

The first night will be January 27th, 2014 and it will run until the end of April.

Compensation

There is a budget for meals and/or drinks for the playwrights and for those presenting the variable performance each week.

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