

2017-18

# SOA Theatre Department Outreaches

## Fighting Gnomes

The **Fighting Gnomes** are a high school improv theatre troupe sponsored by the Charleston County School of the Arts Theatre Department. Since beginning in 2000, they have maintain a yearly ensemble of around 10 to 15 players and have graduated over 60 improvisers along with a lineage of more than 250 performances and as well as facilitating **workshops** of different lengths to actually **improv clinics**.

*--Open for bookings during the school day.--*

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## Grimm Brothers Spectaculathon

*By Don Zolidis*

Performed by the 8th Grade Theatre Majors, the fairy tales of the Brothers Grimm are turned on their heads in this fast-paced, rollicking ride as two narrators and several actors attempt to combine all 209 stories ranging from classics like Snow White, Cinderella, and Hansel and Gretel to more bizarre, obscure stories like The Devil's Grandmother and The Girl Without Hands. A wild, free-form comedy with lots of audience participation and madcap fun.

*--Three School Day Show in the SOA Black Box Theatre.--*

**Wednesday. October 25<sup>th</sup> 10am**

**Thursday. October 26<sup>th</sup> 10am**

**Friday. October 27<sup>th</sup> 10am**

## Memorandum

*By Vaclav Havel*

A quirky, bizarre Orwellian World results in this fun and entertaining piece of theater performed by the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> Grade Theater majors. The main character, a harassed manager, unwittingly authorizes an experiment that will introduce a new bureaucratic jargon to supplant the popular language and expedite regimentation. The results of the new language are ludicrous in that nobody is able to translate the new directives as the tale spins out of control into a still newer gibberish designed to supplant the last one.

*--Two School Day Shows in the Rose Maree Meyers Theatre.--*

**Monday. March 5<sup>th</sup> 10am**

**Tuesday. March 6<sup>th</sup> 10am**