

THE MISSION OF THE ENDLESS MOUNTAINS THEATRE COMPANY

- * Providing affordable professional level cultural performances to the residents of the Endless Mountains Region.
- * Serving as an educational tool exposing students and adults to the art of music, dance, and theatre.
- * Encouraging tourism in the Endless Mountains by providing an entertainment attraction.
- * Allowing for artistic expression & aesthetic appreciation within the community
- * Promoting community participation involvement and pride.

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Important Information

- * EdCamp is a program concentrated into five days. Any absence from instruction or rehearsal is detrimental to the group and individual success of the EdCamp experience for the participant as well as the other participants. For this reason, we ask that parents not schedule appointments for participants and that participants not make plans (e.g. concerts) that conflict with the EdCamp schedule.
- * The teacher recommendation (for first year participants) is a confidential communication between the teacher and the Camp Director. For that reason it should be sent by the teacher directly to the Camp Director.
- * Punctuality is essential. Each participant should arrive each day by 8:50 a.m.
- * For the final performance, black t-shirts will be provided by EdCamp. Participants are required to wear black shoes, black socks or black hose, and black trousers (not shorts, capris, skirts, etc.).
- * Participants should consider their summer schedules before registering to avoid it being necessary to cancel. Supplies are ordered weeks before EdCamp begins. If circumstances make a participant unable to attend EdCamp, no refunds can be issued for cancellations after June 29.
- * Questions? Email the camp director at emtc@nep.net.

Summer Theatre Camp July 2021



The Annual Ed Lonzinski Memorial Middle and High School Theatre Camp (EdCamp)

July 19-23, 2021
at

**First Congregational
Church
5016 Creek Rd
Harford PA 18823**

What is Theatre Camp?

It's an opportunity for middle and high school students (at least 10 years old and in 5th through 12th grade in the 2020-2021 school year) to attend a week-long camp with workshops and clinics led by professional performers and teachers in the art of comedy, drama, and musical theatre.

Who was Ed Lonzinski?

He was a local guy who attended Blue Ridge School District and Mansfield College. He was involved in various community theatres, participating in all areas of production. While directing for Greene High School in New York, Ed realized the value of educating students in the art of theatre, and strived to make it possible for his students to participate in theatre festivals offered in more urban regions. It was the desire of Ed, who was to serve on the Board of Directors of EMTC, to offer students high-level experiences in the art. Through the generosity of his parents, Dolly and Mike, a fund was established to create a living memorial to this extremely committed and talented young man and EdCamp was born.

Preliminary Registration

EMTC will be accepting a maximum of 40 students for participation in EdCamp 2021. All applications must be complete and paid in full by June 30, 2021. Applications will be accepted until camp reaches maximum enrollment or June 30, whichever comes first.

All participants must pre-register by June 30. No applications will be accepted after June 30 so it is advisable to apply early.

When and where is EdCamp and how much does it cost?

When? Monday July 19 2019 through Friday July 23, 2021 from 8:50 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 8:50 a.m. through conclusion of the final performance on Friday.

The final performance (open to the public and free of any admission charge) will be on Friday July 23 at 7:00 p.m. at First Congregational Church, 5016 Creek Rd., Harford PA

Where? First Congregational Church, 5016 Creek Rd., Harford PA 18823

How much does it cost? Tuition is \$99 per student.

- * A limited number of scholarships are available to those who demonstrate financial need. To request a scholarship application, email emtc@nep.net. **Scholarship applications must be postmarked by June 19, 2021**

Workshops/Classes

Students will attend at least four classes each day followed by a daily rehearsal period for the final performance. Class topics will vary including Dance, Improvisation, Vocal Techniques, Monologues, Character Development, Technical Theatre, Stage Combat, Audition Preparation, or other areas of the art of theatre.

Preparation

For the first day of EdCamp, participants must prepare two short monologues 1-2 minutes in length, one comic and dramatic. Additional information will be included in the welcome letter which will be sent to all applicants. Participants who wish to audition a song should be prepared to do so on the first day of classes and should bring the piano accompaniment for that solo. **We cannot use karaoke versions or tracks.**

PRELIMINARY REGISTRATION

Please send the following information to apply to EdCamp

- * Application and tuition
- * Checks payable to EdCamp
- * All first time applicants must arrange a letter of reference from one of the applicant's teachers. This letter of recommendation must be delivered either by email to emtc@nep.net or in an envelope signed and sealed by the teacher writing the recommendation. **A letter of recommendation from a teacher who is related to the applicant is not acceptable. The letter of recommendation must address the applicant's ability, behavior, and integrity.**

\$99 tuition includes a DVD of EdCamp 2021 showing instruction, rehearsal, and the final performance.

Name _____

Email address _____

Date of birth (required) _____

Adult T-shirt size _____

Address _____

School _____

Grade (2020-2021 school year) _____

Teacher Reference by _____

Teacher Phone _____

Daytime phone for parent/guardian _____

Return to **EdCamp c/o EMTC
PO Box 654
New Milford PA 18834-0654**

Total enclosed \$ _____