



'Release the Voice'

**The Speech Studio Inc.
July & August 2023**

The Speech Studio is dedicated to nurturing the vocal potential of each student in an environment that is creatively stimulating. The summer program offered at *The Speech Studio* provides individuals with an opportunity to 'speak out' and use their vocal and physical instruments to enhance literature, encourage expression and enjoy the benefits of speaking confidently and effectively.

In-Person Summer Programs Include:

*Speech Arts/Effective Communication Private Lessons
Speech Arts & Public Speaking Group Programs
Saturday & Sunday Series*

The Speech Studio Inc.

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Summer Program 2023

July & August

Lessons are open to anyone. Participants *do not* have to be currently registered with *The Speech Studio* to take advantage of this program.

All sessions are in-person and will take place at: **The Speech Studio**

Private Lessons: Speech Arts & Effective Communication

Speech Arts and Effective Communication (Public Speaking) lessons will be offered at the studio throughout the summer. Lessons can run 30, 45 or 60 minutes.

Individually tailored lessons for beginner to advanced levels (including adults) are designed to meet the student's needs and abilities with special attention placed on their unique personalities. These lessons will concentrate on freeing the natural voice and focus on developing effective speaking and communication skills.

Advanced Instructor: Janet Stumph (ATCL)

Instructor **Janet Stumph** holds an ATCL and a Professional Certificate in Communication Skills from Trinity College (London, England). In addition to her regular studio teaching of children, teenagers and adults, Ms. Stumph provides speech coaching for professionals, as well as instructors at the college and university levels. She also has an excellent reputation preparing adult students for the difficult MMI interviews for Medicine, Dental, Rehab Medicine university programs, and college Health Science programs. She has written for numerous newsletters and is a published poet. Janet focuses on skills that include vocal technique, body language, leadership and audience awareness.

Private lessons are currently being booked for:
Tuesdays & Thursdays (between 4:30 – 8:00 p.m.)
Sundays (between 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.).

Private Lesson Fees:

\$40.00 / 30-minute lesson

\$60.00 / 45-minute lesson

\$75.00 / 1-hour lesson

It is recommended that students register for a minimum of FOUR lessons.

Please contact Studio Director, Shirley Konrad, at 469-2446 to book lesson times.

Small Group Programs

Minimum Number of Participants for each program: 4

Maximum Number of Participants for each program: 8

All programs take place in a friendly and supportive environment.

Dive Into Public Speaking!

These afternoons will be a fun introduction to the fundamental skills of public speaking, presentation, and use of your voice. You'll practice expressiveness, learn with and from each other, and enjoy the confidence of new abilities.

Ages 9-11

Days & Times: Tuesday – Thursday
1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Dates: **July 11, 12, 13**
Fee: \$245.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP101

Ages 9-11

Days & Times: Tuesday – Thursday
1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Dates: **August 1, 2, 3**
Fee: \$245.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP103

Ages 12-14

Days & Times: Tuesday – Thursday
1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Dates: **July 18, 19, 20**
Fee: \$245.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP102

Ages 12-14

Days & Times: Tuesday – Thursday
1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Dates: **August 15, 16, 17**
Fee: \$245.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP104

Improve Your Improv

Thinking on your feet, opening your imagination, and having fun - these will be our creative guides as we learn Improv. Think of Improv as the Cousin of debate and the Auntie of public speaking, fostering the same skills of confidence and quick thinking, all in an encouraging and supportive environment.

Ages 12 – 15

Time: 1:00 – 4:00 pm
Dates: **July 25, 26, 27**
Fee: \$245.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP105

Ages 12 – 15

Time: 1:00 – 4:00 pm
Dates: **August 8, 9, 10**
Fee: \$245.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP106

Saturday Summer Series

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A great way to experience The Speech Studio in a group setting. Fall/Winter programs (private and group) expand and continue this work.

Let Me Introduce You to Your Voice

Speech Arts combines vocal techniques with the skills learned in the arts - creativity, confidence, and collaboration. You'll be introduced to how to find and stretch your voice, matching it to text (creative and public speaking), and have the fun of speaking in a supportive group.

Ages 9 - 11

Times: 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Dates: Saturday, July 22nd
Fee: \$85.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP107

Ages 9 - 11

Times: 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Dates: Saturday, August 19th
Fee: \$85.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP109

Ages 12 - 14

Times: 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Dates: Saturday, July 29th
Fee: \$85.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP108

Ages 12 - 14

Times: 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Dates: Saturday, August 26th
Fee: \$85.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP110

Add a Touch of Storytelling

Are you already an 'ok' speaker but would like to take your abilities to a higher expressive level? You'll be amazed at how working with storytelling can make you a better speaker. Public speakers, presenters, performers will all benefit from this practice. Writers will also find this a valuable experience.

Ages 11 – 14

Time: 1:00 – 4:00
Date: Saturday July 8th
Fee: \$85.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP111

Ages 11 – 14

Time: 1:00 – 4:00
Date: Saturday August 5th
Fee: \$85.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP112

Leap Into the World of Medicine

Communication is a key skill in every field but especially in medicine. If you've been wondering if medicine may be your future career, join this 3-hour action-packed afternoon. You'll practice the key communication skills of thinking on your feet; sifting through information to pick what's most important; communicating with focus and intention.

Janet Stumph brings 20 years of experience working in hospitals, and many years working with students preparing for medical school interviews.

Ages 13 – 16

Times: 1:00 – 4:00 pm
Date: Saturday **July 15th**
Fee: \$85.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP113

Ages 13 – 16

Times: 1:00 – 4:00 pm
Date: Saturday **August 12th**
Fee: \$85.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP114

Sunday Summer Series

Do You Have a Secret Desire to Try Performing?

But you don't know how to use your voice to convey a character's feelings and ideas? The good news is, these are the same vocal skills used in public speaking or debate - only the delivery is different.

If you'd like to try your voice from a 'drama' perspective and increase your repertoire of vocal skills, join us for this hands-on event. At the end of the afternoon students will perform for each other.

Ages 12 – 15

Time: 1:00 – 4:00 pm
Date: Sunday **July 15th**
Fee: \$85.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP115

Ages 12 – 15

Time: 1:00 – 4:00 pm
Date: Sunday **August 5th**
Fee: \$85.00
Instructor: Janet Stumph
Register For: SP116

The Speech Studio Policies

If a student misses a group class, it cannot be made up. Any classes cancelled by The Speech Studio or Instructor will be rescheduled.

All group classes are subject to a \$25.00 non-refundable registration fee (already included in the fee). **No refunds** will be issued after the start of each program.

All Programs

These summer programs have *limited* enrollment; please register early to avoid disappointment.

Programs without adequate registration will be cancelled *one week* prior to the start date.

All group lessons will take place at:

**The Speech Studio
3136 Parsons Road N.W.
Edmonton, AB
2nd Level (above EKO Foods)**

For more information on The Speech Studio, please contact Studio Director, Shirley Konrad, at shirley@thespeechstudioinc.com



Student Registration Form

(Please Print)

Last Name:

First Name:

Address:

City/Town:

Province:

Postal Code:

Home Phone: ()

Email Address:

Work Phone(s): ()

Cell Phone:

Name of Parent(s)/or Guardian(s):

Pronouns:

School Grade (as of Sept. 2023):

Age:

Fee Enclosed:

Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY):

****Please submit one registration form per individual***

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

Full payment is required upon registration.

Register by email, in person or by mail. Cheques should be made out to:

The Speech Studio Inc.

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If you use online/mobile banking at a participating financial institution, you can send the payment easily through INTERAC e-transfer. No password is required.

E-transfer payments can be made to the following email address:

shirley@thespeechstudioinc.com

Mailing Address:

The Speech Studio Inc. P.O. Box 545, Station Main, Edmonton, AB T5J 2K8

