

**2nd ANNUAL**  
**IMPROVISATION WORKSHOP**  
**FOR HORN PLAYERS**  
**2008**

**Friday, July 11<sup>th</sup> to**  
**Sunday, July 13<sup>th</sup>**

**Heath, Massachusetts**  
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**Goal of Workshop**

The goal of the workshop is to “de-mystify” the process of improvisation for hornists, and provide the opportunity to learn to create one’s own music with the instrument (something that has been neglected in music education and in other horn workshops). No previous improvisation experience is necessary – just a spirit of fun and adventure.

**Workshop Leaders**

**John Clark (horn, composer)**

Drawing on his distinguished career as a jazz hornist, John will present the fundamentals of jazz improvisation and emphasize blues, rhythm changes, bebop, etc. Instruction in the use of play-along aids such as Band-in-a-Box may also be included.

**Jeffrey Agrell (horn) and Evan Mazunik (piano)**

Jeff and Evan have worked together for seven years, giving concerts and workshops in improvisation for classical musicians and making contemporary improvisation recordings. This workshop will feature Soundpainting, soloing and accompaniment, use of extended techniques, use of improvisation in daily technique, working in duet formation, creating improvised compositions, and more.

**Workshop Description**

The workshop will begin with private study to identify interests and abilities, and then proceed to masterclass and workshop sessions. Ensembles will be organized so that all participants may play and apply the concepts they have just learned. An evening concert involving faculty and students will be presented Saturday, July 11th. Sunday, July 13<sup>th</sup> will be devoted to masterclasses, with a farewell concert involving all participants scheduled for the afternoon.

**Workshop Tuition**

\$200 (Enrollment is limited.)

Download your registration form ([HERE](#)).

<http://www.hmmusic.com/Registration%20Form%202008%20IHW.pdf>

### **Workshop Accommodations**

Dinners and lodging are up to the participant to arrange. Click [HERE](#)

<http://www.hmmusic.com/IWHP2008.htm> (scroll down)

for suggestions. Lunches will be provided at the workshop. (We may try to organize meals for Friday and Saturday nights...so we'll keep you informed.)

### **Workshop Schedule**

#### **Friday, July 11<sup>th</sup>**

*5:00 PM to 7:00 PM*

Arrival and REGISTRATION (*place tbd*)

*7:00 PM to 9:00 PM*

DINNER (*place tbd*)

*9:00 PM to 10:00 PM*

JAM SESSION W/ FACULTY & ATTENDEES

#### **Saturday, July 12<sup>th</sup>**

*8:30 AM*

Coffee, muffins, etc.

*9-00 AM to 12:00 noon*

MORNING WORKSHOP

*9:00 AM – 10:30 AM*

Session #1 with Jeff Agrell & Evan Mazunik

*10:30 AM – 12:00 noon*

Session #2 with John Clark

*12:00 noon to 12:30 PM*

LOCAL MINI CONCERT (w/ VOLUNTEERS)

*12:30 PM to 1:30 PM*

LUNCH

*1:30 PM to 4:30 PM*

AFTERNOON WORKSHOP

1:30 PM – 3:00 PM

Session #3 with John Clark

3:00 PM – 4:30 PM

Session #4 with Jeff Agrell & Evan Mazunik

4:30 PM

LOCAL MINI CONCERT (w/VOLUNTEERS)

6:30 PM

DINNER (*place tbd*)

8:30 PM to 10:00 PM

CONCERT: PARTICIPANTS+FACULTY+FRIENDS

## **Sunday, July 13<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 AM

Coffee, muffins, etc.

9-30 AM to 12:30 PM

MORNING WORKSHOP

9:30 AM – 11:00 AM

Session #5 with Jeff Agrell & Evan Mazunik

11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Session #6 with John Clark

12:30 PM to 1:30 PM

LUNCH

1:30 PM to 3:00 PM

AFTERNOON WORKSHOP

Individual study and/or rehearsal

3:30 PM to 5:00 PM

AFTERNOON CONCERT

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