



SHADOWBOX LIVE

# 2025 CIVIC PARTNERSHIP PACKAGE

Our mission at Shadowbox Live is to engage the world around us, enrich the community amongst us, and entertain those in front of us.

By using the power of original live performance we create a unified expression of joy that is shared within our community through engaged educational programming, enhanced partnerships, and inspired civic givebacks.

Join us.

Together we can make the world more courageously humane through the power of art.















# Shadowbox Live Education Partnerships

## Behind the Scenes



## Performance



Benefits	\$2,500 Community Partner	\$5,000 Supporting Partner	\$10,000 Major Partner
Major partner recognition at the supporting showcase event(s), in a social media post across all channels, and in event invitations			
Logo on the front of the event program			
Listed in the online event program			
Listed as a patron/corporate contributor for a year on our website			
Recognized as a partner in our Donor & VIP Newsletters			
Complimentary seats at the supporting showcase event(s) for:	2	4	6

\*Partnership package is customizable to meet your needs.



# SBX Performance Academy: Elevating Artistic Excellence

The SBX Performance Academy, a nationally recognized program, offers award-winning arts education led by experienced Shadowbox Live Teaching Artists. As the nation's only STEM-based arts program, our innovative curriculum guides students in discovering and nurturing their artistic talents. Classes culminate in live showcases where students perform alongside professional SBX metaperformers, transforming the stage into an educational laboratory. Through this immersive experience, students explore the process, purpose, and power of art, unlocking their creative potential and developing skills that extend beyond performance. Our unique approach empowers students to grow both on and off stage, setting the foundation for artistic excellence.

## Studio 8 Arts Program

During the 8-day theatrical session select high school students discover their true interest in the arts through their first impressions of performing alongside experienced SBX metaperformers, granting them a rare taste of professional artistry and theatrical mentorship. Students have the opportunity to explore the performance disciplines of voice, acting, dance, and music, as well as the primary production arts of lighting, sound, costuming, and backstage. The Studio 8 graduate experience concludes with a production and live showcase performance of a full-length sketch comedy and music show alongside the professionally trained SBX metaperforming artists.

## Arts Immersion Program

Designed as 10-day intensive study in truly becoming a working artist, through critical and constructive feedback, students are taught resiliency, perseverance, and poise, readying them for a life in the performing arts. Participants are enrolled in master classes, including vocal, acting, dance, and music performance, while learning critical art support curriculums – arts administration, marketing, and professional development skills. The Arts Immersion graduate experience concludes with a production and live showcase performance of a full-length sketch comedy and music show alongside the professionally trained SBX metaperforming artists.

## Artistic American Sign Language Course













This course in collaboration with the Columbus State Community College Interpreter Program applies the cumulative study of American Sign Language (ASL) to the process and purpose of live art. Through the execution of stagecraft and character development, students are challenged to evolve from interpreter to performer and deepen the connection between art and audience. The program culminates with three student interpreted performances of Shadowbox Live's full-length sketch comedy and music show, *Holiday Hoopla*.



# Shadowbox Live Civic Partnerships

## Host the Holidays

This Holiday Givesback initiative gifts the fun of our family-oriented holiday programming to hundreds of underserved individuals, students, and families each December. This partnership with community programs and social services helps us share our artform with those who may not be able to otherwise see it and hopes to be a welcome addition to the season’s celebration of community and goodwill.

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\*Additional partnership levels available at \$250 per family.

## The SBX Live Galleries

We host consciously curated exhibits that aspire to inspire a deeper appreciation and awareness of the protean nature of artistic expression.

The Galleries at Shadowbox Live are open to the public before every live performance, providing emerging and established artists with an opportunity to resonate with new and diverse audiences.





# 2025 Gallery Exhibitions

## ***Love in Bloom: A Gallery of Amorous Artworks***

January 7 – March 2

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The year's first exhibit is an exploration of the passions of the heart through the lens of local and regional artists. Prepare to be captivated by the raw emotion and artistic interpretations of desire, connection, and the beautiful complexities of the human experience.

## ***Rock Legends Reborn: A Visual Tribute to Aerosmith and Van Halen***

March 6 – June 1

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Shadowbox Live's *Rock Legends Reborn* gallery pays homage to two of the greatest rock acts of all time - Aerosmith and Van Halen. Featuring the work of talented artists inspired by the music, style, and legacies of these iconic bands. Experience the power, the energy, and the pure rock 'n' roll spirit embodied in these dynamic artworks.

## ***Millennial Marvels: An Artistic Time Capsule of the 2000s***

June 5 – August 30

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This vibrant exhibition captures the pop culture touchstones and cultural shifts that defined the 2000s. From reflections on Y2K panic to celebrations of early social media, these works offer a unique, artistic perspective on the turn of the millennium.



**SBX Student Gallery:** Starting in September, Shadowbox Live premieres its Student Gallery initiative. The program dedicates gallery space exclusively for young visual artists looking to pursue a life as a visual artist.

## Shadows & Specters: An Otherworldly Art Exhibition

September 4 – November 16

Confront the strange, the supernatural, and the unexplained in this spellbinding exhibition. *Shadows & Specters* features darkly imaginative works from artists who have channeled the allure of the occult, the unsettling pull of the paranormal, and the eerie beauty of the macabre.

## Artful Traditions: A Holiday Celebration with Goodwill Columbus and Open Door Art Studio

November 20 – December 28

*Artful Traditions*, is a special holiday exhibition showcasing the talents of artists from Goodwill Columbus and Open Door Art Studio & Gallery. This joyful display celebrates the rich diversity of artistic expression from individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. These unique perspectives capture cherished holiday themes in one-of-a-kind works with creativity, inclusion, and the true spirit of the season.



Benefits	\$2,500 One Exhibit	\$5,000 Two Exhibits	\$7,500 Three Exhibits	\$10,000 All 2025 Exhibits
Gallery sponsor recognition in the pre-show screens and opening monologue of aligning show(s)				
Your business name and logo on a sign in the gallery during the exhibit				
Listed as a patron/corporate contributor for a year on our website				
Recognized as a partner in our Donor & VIP Newsletters				



**“We have never hesitated to lend our support to Shadowbox Live...it has enriched our community and made a profound economic impact.”**

*- Shannon Morgan, Senior Vice President, Client and Community Relations Director, PNC*


















### **Sensory Friendly Open Rehearsals**

Shadowbox Live invites adults with developmental disabilities who are enrolled in day programs at Goodwill Columbus and ARC Industries to experience the joy of live performance. Each rehearsal serves 100-120 patrons.

For \$1,250 per rehearsal, the benefits include partner recognition in the pre-show screens and opening monologue, your business name and logo on the rehearsal invitations, your business listed as a patron/corporate contributor for a year on Shadowbox Live's website, and being recognized as a partner in the Donor & VIP Newsletters.

### **The Up Front Performance Space**

The Up Front Performance Space provides an opportunity for entertainers, storytellers, and advocates within the Columbus Community to courageously shape their craft and share their joy through the power of art. As a performance space for both established and upcoming artists and organizations, Up Front's renovation easily hosts everything from theatrical productions to mini-musicals, stand-up/improv to sketch comedy, and engaging lectures and special events.

Benefits	\$5,000 Supporting Sponsor	\$10,000 Major Sponsor	\$15,000 Presenting Sponsor
<b>Monologue mention:</b>  During curtain remarks prior to each performance, your logo will appear on screen while your business is mentioned as a presenting or major sponsor and applauded as a supporter of the arts in Columbus			
<b>Name/logo placement:</b>  Your business name listed as presenting, major, or supporting sponsor and logo will appear on:			
Pre-show, intermission, and post-show screens			
Show ticketing page on sbxlive.org			
Cover of digital program where applicable			
Show marquee			
All electronic and printed promotional materials			
Quarterly Donor & VIP Newsletters			
<b>Social media:</b>  Your business will be named as a major or presenting sponsor in a post across all Shadowbox Live social media channels			
<b>Media coverage:</b>  Your business name will be recognized as a presenting sponsor in all press releases			

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