

Program

7:35 pm Introduction By Angelo
Harry Cardillo, Composer & Pianist
Life's Work

SAYIN'

Living Proof by Sarah Rose
Fort Lorenzo by Pamela Latta
Head Games by Robert Kreashko
The Orkin Man by Mariah Passerelli

TRUTH OR LIE

Smokestack High by Angelo
A Story by Pamela Latta
Brush with the TSA by Mariah Passerelli

INTERMISSION

SAYIN'

Africa, Africa, Africa by Pamela Latta
Hunting with my Dad by Mariah Passerelli
Lawrence of Liberia by Angelo

TRUTH OR LIE

More Head Games by Robert Kreashko
Pickles and Jams by Sarah Rose
Trapping Barbara Walters by Angelo

9:30 pm Questions & Comments

9:45 pm Curtain!

*Storytelling is live performance, so we ask that you remain seated
and silent during the telling of the story.*

Sayer Bios

Robert Creo, aka Angelo, is an attorney specializing in dispute resolution. He is the creator and principal of Steel City Storytellers, LLC. Angelo tells stories about his own life experiences— the wacky, the weird, and the wonderful. He started Steel City Storytellers to give storytellers in the Pittsburgh region as a platform to share stories.

Robert Kreashko has retired from his orthodontic practice and now works as an orthodontic consultant for Smile Direct Club. His play “Camp Life”, was produced by the New Kensington Civic Theatre in 2008. He enjoys writing song lyrics and poetry, sports, and outdoor activities. It was from the elders at hunting and fishing camps where he learned the fine art of storytelling.

Pamela Latta is a bon vivant, raconteur and stand-up comedienne, who has appeared on the Risk Show with Kevin Allison and the Moth Radio hour on NPR. She has taken the stage at a variety of venues, including the Old Arcade Theater in Pittsburgh and Machete's Club and Theater in Panama City, Panama. Other performances of note include stand-up gigs at the St. Mark's Club and Stand Up NYC, both in Manhattan. Her real-world job is as an Ordinary Seaman with the USA Merchant Marines. Her greatest passion is being a boat captain and delivering yachts through the Panama Canal and throughout the world.

Mariah Passarelli is a practicing civil defense attorney, avid home cook, and really spotty exercise enthusiast. She enjoys music of all kinds, travelling to both exotic and mundane locations, dive bars, hideous blazers, the occasional cigar, and spending time with her loved ones. She's a big fan of the Pirates, LGBTQ rights, beer, and nonfiction. She has a full portrait of Hillary Clinton tattooed on her shin,

Sarah Rose is a spoken word artist living on the sunny side of Pittsburgh. She is ranked among the top female poets in the city and has competed at the National Poetry Slam in Atlanta GA. Additionally, she has been a regional competitor of The Moth storytelling series. She is a badass single mother of three humans who frequently eat all her favorite snacks and forget to flush the toilet. This year Sarah Rose was published for the first time, raised an entire kid to adulthood, and had her first mammogram all while surviving a pandemic.

If you'd like to be considered to be a Sayer, please email or call us.