



WE GET IT. WE'LL HELP YOU GET IT TOO.

Improving Communication
& Collaboration through
Improvisation

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What is Improvisation?

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What is Improvisation?

- Being in the moment
- Seeing what is present
- Responsiveness
- Spontaneity



Why Improvisation?

MINDSET



Tips for Improvisation Exercises

- Don't think about what you will say.
 - Don't anticipate what others will say or do.
 - Don't worry about making mistakes.
 - Don't try to be funny.
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Warm Up Time

Teamwork/Collaboration



Quick Draw

- On a blank sheet of paper, draw a circle.
- Draw a face or a character.
- When done, name your character.



Quick Draw

- Pair up and place a blank sheet of paper in between each other.
- Take turns drawing a face, one line at a time without hesitating.
- When done, name your character – take turns, one letter at a time.



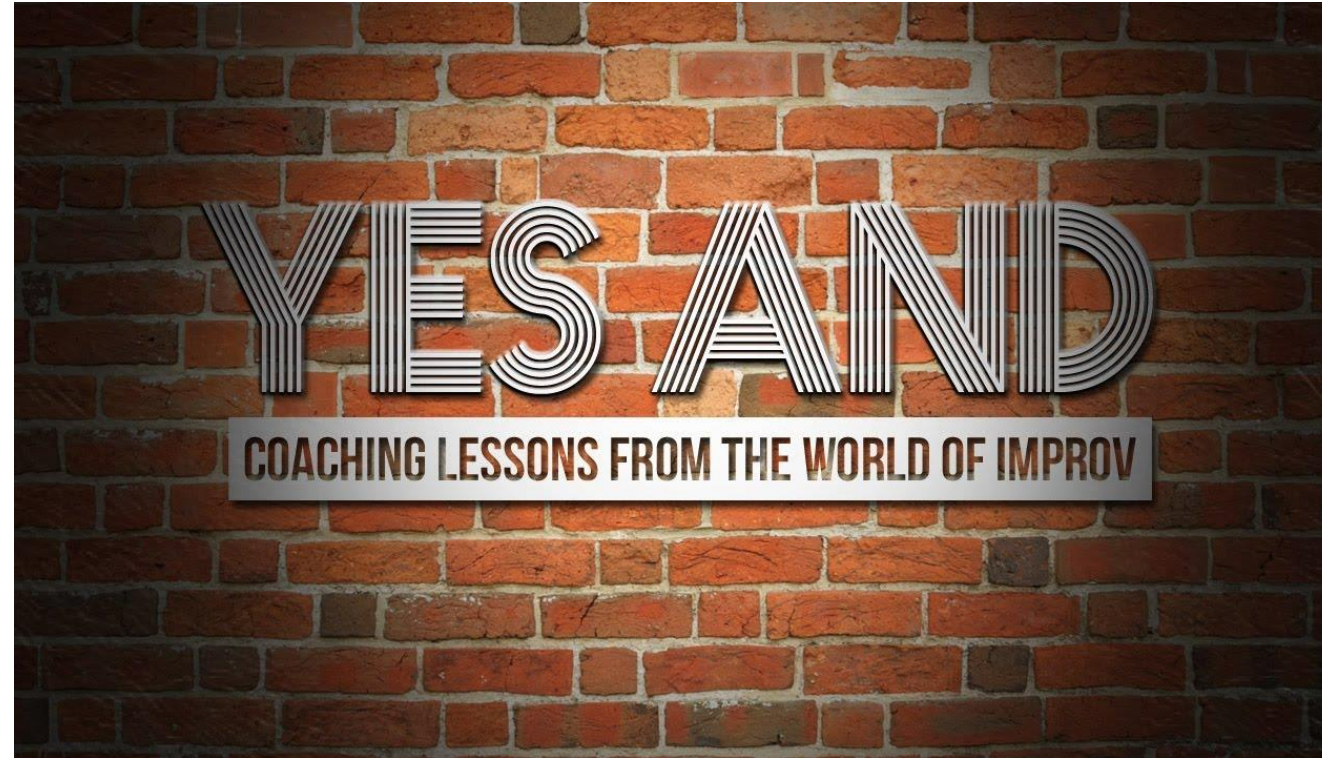
Group Juggle

- Group in a circle.
- Pass the ball to each person once.
-wait for the twist!



“Yes, and...”

- Pair up and have a conversation, one sentence at a time.
- Each person has to start their sentence with “Yes, and...” then add something to continue the conversation.





Being in the *Moment*

Answer Man

- Three people answer questions from the crowd...
- One word at a time.
- Goal is to make complete, logical sentences.
- **Go.**

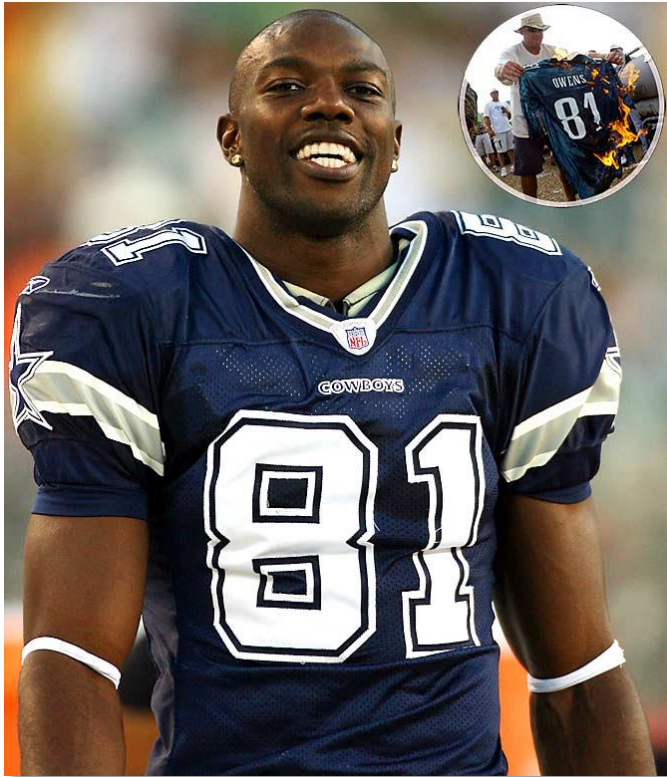


What did you learn?



Final Thoughts

Don't be a jerk.



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