
Sharon Academy Gearing Up For 4th Middle School Circus

The Sharon Academy Middle School has begun its two-week circus interim.

Each year, the middle school devotes two weeks to learning and practicing circus skills including clowning, juggling, unicycle riding, gymnastics, stilt walking and much, much more. Students also help to write the script for the clowning acts, arrange and perform live music, coordinate the advertising for the show, set up the staging and seating, build the props and scenery and invent pre-carnival games. The culminating show is a lively carnival and circus, which consistently draws a crowd of over 300.

This year's circus will be performed Friday, March 26 at the Sharon Academy High School gym on Route 14 in Sharon. The pre-game carnival begins at 6 p.m. and the cir-

cus begins at 7 p.m. Tickets will be sold at the door.

Students learn the many skills that come with putting together and executing a show. Under Troy Wunderle's guidance, students create and perform clowning routines interspersed with circus skill acts. A graduate of the Maryland Institute College of Art, and the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Clown College, Wunderle is currently the Big Top Tour artistic director of Circus Smirkus, director of clowning for the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus and founder of Wunderle's Big Top Adventures LLC.

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