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10th Annual Toronto Improv Festival Releases Mainstage Schedule Something Funny's Going On October 18-22

TORONTO, SEPT. 22, 2011 -- The Toronto Improv Festival (TIF) is thrilled to celebrate its 10th anniversary October 18-22 with over 150 of the best improvisers from across Canada and the US.

"The best" is no exaggeration! Representing Western Canada, Edmonton's **Rapid Fire Theatre** and Vancouver's **Sunday Service** are nominated for Best Improv Troupe at next month's Canadian Comedy Awards. They'll be joined at TIF by teams from Chicago, New York, Buffalo, Philadelphia, Detroit, Minneapolis, and Boston. Plus, more Toronto improvisers than you can shake a script at!

TIF offers Toronto comedy fans more chances than ever to experience stellar improv comedy of all kinds, including the all-female musical improv group **Stacked** (Chicago, IL), improvised frat party **Mantown** (Toronto, ON), and 1920s wiseguys **Listen, Kid** (Philadelphia, PA).

In celebration of its 10th year, TIF expands to two simultaneous comedy stages under one roof. Comedy Bar (945 Bloor St. W.) will host both the nightly mainstage shows, plus alternative-flavored improv in the newly-constructed side room.

"TIF's party atmosphere this year will make the shows even more energetic, daring, and hilarious," says Executive Producer Adrienne Gagnon, who heads up a new TIF leadership team for 2011.

Full mainstage schedule and advance tickets are now available at www.torontoimprovfestival.com.

Pricing: Mainstage shows \$10 / Sidestage shows \$5 / Day Pass \$20 / Festival Pass \$60 / Student Festival pass \$50.

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