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## Discover the Magic of Salt Run Entertainment

### Description

![Salt Run Entertainment Logo](https://gvillepress.postandcourier.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/09/Salt-Run-Entertainment-Logo-1024x553.jpg)

Salt Run Entertainment is a new production studio. It is led by Charles Randolph-Wright and John Gramling III. They will work at Spartanburg Community College's Spark Center. This is good news for South Carolina's film and TV industry.

The Spark Center is 25,000 square feet. It will be Salt Run Entertainment's main office and creative space. It has offices, a writers' room, a place for set design, and a filming studio. This shows that Spartanburg is becoming a creative city.

Salt Run Entertainment will work with SCC. They will give students workshops, internships, and hands-on opportunities. Dr. Michael Mikota, SCC President, said, "Innovation is very important. This partnership helps students get ready for the future."

Salt Run Entertainment also works with the Urban League of the Upstate. They want to create job opportunities. Dr. Gail Wilson Awan, ULUS President, said, "Salt Run brings new chances for many people."

Randolph-Wright, from York, SC, said, "This is a homecoming. We want to create a place where stories can be made in the Carolinas." Gramling added, "We want to help people and make Spartanburg a place for film and TV."

Matthew Storm, SC Film Commission Director, said Salt Run will help create more jobs: "Film crews need many workers, like carpenters and drivers. There is work for everyone."

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## Vocabulary List:

1. **Entertainment** /ˌentər'teinmənt/ (noun): The action of providing or being provided with amusement or enjoyment.
2. **Partnership** /'pɑ:rt.nər.ʃɪp/ (noun): The state of being partners or in an agreement to work together.
3. **Opportunities** /,o:pər'tju:nɪtɪz/ (noun): A set of circumstances that makes it possible to do something.
4. **Innovation** /,ɪnə'veɪʃən/ (noun): The introduction of new ideas methods or products.
5. **Creative** /kri'eɪtɪv/ (adjective): Relating to or involving the use of the imagination or original ideas to create something.
6. **Filming** /'fɪlmɪŋ/ (noun): The act of recording motion pictures.

## Comprehension Questions

### Multiple Choice

1. Who are the leaders of Salt Run Entertainment?

Option: A. Charles Randolph-Wright and John Gramling III  
Option: B. Michael Mikota and Gail Wilson Awan  
Option: C. Matthew Storm and Ratan Tata  
Option: D. Gail Wilson Awan and Michael Mikota

2. Where will Salt Run Entertainment work?

Option: A. South Carolina State Capitol  
Option: B. San Francisco Bay Area  
Option: C. Spartanburg Community College's Spark Center  
Option: D. New York City

3. What is the size of the Spark Center?

Option: A. 10,000 square feet  
Option: B. 15,000 square feet  
Option: C. 25,000 square feet  
Option: D. 30,000 square feet

4. Which organization does Salt Run Entertainment work with to create job opportunities?

Option: A. SC Film Commission

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- Option: B. Urban League of the Upstate
- Option: C. Carolinas Creative Studio
- Option: D. Tennessee Entertainment Network

5. What does Salt Run Entertainment provide students at SCC?

- Option: A. Book subscriptions
- Option: B. Workout sessions
- Option: C. Workshops, internships, and hands-on opportunities
- Option: D. Movie tickets

6. Who said, "We want to create a place where stories can be made in the Carolinas?"

- Option: A. Dr. Gail Wilson Awan
- Option: B. Charles Randolph-Wright
- Option: C. Matthew Storm
- Option: D. John Gramling III

### **True-False**

7. Salt Run Entertainment is an established production studio.

8. The Spark Center has facilities for set design and filming studio.

9. Dr. Michael Mikota is the President of the Urban League of the Upstate.

10. Matthew Storm mentioned that Salt Run Entertainment will not create jobs for carpenters and drivers.

11. Randolph-Wright and Gramling aim to make Spartanburg a hub for film and TV productions.

12. Salt Run Entertainment is not collaborating with SCC to enhance student opportunities.

### **Gap-Fill**

13. Salt Run Entertainment will work at Spartanburg Community College's Spark Center which is \_\_\_\_\_ square feet in size.

14. Dr. Gail Wilson Awan is the President of \_\_\_\_\_ of the Upstate.



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15. Randolph-Wright is from \_\_\_\_\_ in South Carolina.

16. Matthew Storm is the Director of SC \_\_\_\_\_ Commission.

17. Salt Run Entertainment wants to assist in creating job opportunities for \_\_\_\_\_.

18. Dr. Michael Mikota mentioned that innovation is crucial to help students prepare for the \_\_\_\_\_.

## Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. A. Charles Randolph-Wright and John Gramling III 2. C. Spartanburg Community College's Spark Center 3. C. 25,000 square feet 4. B. Urban League of the Upstate 5. C. Workshops, internships, and hands-on opportunities 6. B. Charles Randolph-Wright

**True-False:** 7. False 8. True 9. False 10. False 11. True 12. False

**Gap-Fill:** 13. 25,000 14. Urban League 15. York 16. Film 17. many people 18. future

## Vocabulary quizzes

**Multiple Choice ( Select the Correct answer for each question. )**

1. What word can be used to describe the thrilling roller coaster ride?

Option: Creative  
Option: Exciting  
Option: Earnings  
Option: Innovation

2. What term describes the connection between the main characters in the movie?

Option: Opportunities  
Option: Confidence  
Option: Relationship  
Option: Battles

3. What is a synonym for the revenue generated by the film?

Option: Nervous  
Option: Earning  
Option: Creature  
Option: Strategies

4. Which word best describes the innovative approach used in the production?

Option: Experience  
Option: Improvement  
Option: Creative  
Option: Intensity

5. What activity involves actors showcasing their talents on stage?

Option: Earnings  
Option: Performing  
Option: Emotions  
Option: Competitive

6. What term is used to describe the collaboration between two production companies?

Option: Surprising  
Option: Partnership  
Option: Creature  
Option: Exciting

7. Which type of dance is commonly associated with elegant formal gatherings?

Option: Experiment  
Option: Battles  
Option: Improvement  
Option: Ballroom

8. How might a performer feel before going on stage for a big scene?

Option: Innovation  
Option: Nervous  
Option: Earnings  
Option: Competitive

9. What aspect of a character's portrayal evokes feelings in the audience?

Option: Intensity  
Option: Emotions  
Option: Relationship  
Option: Exciting

10. What is the process of enhancing a film through changes and upgrades?

Option: Filming

- Option: Improvement
- Option: Earnings
- Option: Strategies

**Gap-Fill ( Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list. )**

11. Actors undergo \_\_\_\_\_ to hone their craft and skills.
12. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the final battle scene captivated the audience.
13. The box office \_\_\_\_\_ exceeded expectations.
14. The plot twist at the end was truly \_\_\_\_\_.
15. Effective marketing \_\_\_\_\_ are crucial for a film's success.
16. Actors need to exude \_\_\_\_\_ in their performances.
17. The horror movie was so \_\_\_\_\_ that some viewers covered their eyes.
18. The special effects brought the mythical \_\_\_\_\_ to life.
19. The epic film featured intense \_\_\_\_\_ scenes.
20. The director wanted to \_\_\_\_\_ with a new filming technique.

**Matching Sentences ( Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list. )**

21. The actors portrayed a diverse range of personalities in the film.
22. The CGI created stunning visual in the sci-fi movie.
23. The circus performers provided hours of fun and for the audience.
24. The director's use of groundbreaking technology showcased his .
25. The actors were in a friendly yet mood during the audition process.
26. The cast and crew shared unforgettable while filming in a remote location.
27. The twist ending was both unexpected and .

28. The lead actress exuded in her ability to perform the challenging role.

29. The collaboration between the two studios led to the production of a blockbuster film.

30. The final scene was filled with such raw that it left the audience speechless.

## Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. Exciting 2. Relationship 3. Earning 4. Creative 5. Performing 6. Partnership 7. Ballroom  
8. Nervous 9. Emotions 10. Improvement

**Gap-Fill:** 11. training 12. intensity 13. earnings 14. surprising 15. strategies 16. confidence 17. scary  
18. creature 19. battles 20. experiment

**Matching sentence:** 1. characters 2. effects 3. entertainment 4. innovation 5. competitive 6. experiences  
7. surprising 8. confidence 9. partnership 10. intensity

## CATEGORY

1. Entertainment - LEVEL1

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