

Minnetonka Center for the Arts

summer arts camp

Real art | Real fun!



Ages 5 to 15

June 12 – August 25, 2023

Half or full days / Monday-Friday

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REGISTRATION OPENS FEBRUARY 13 AT NOON

Register online at www.minnetonkaARTS.org/summer-arts-camp/ or call the Registrar at 952.473.7361, x. 160 during business hours. See page 11 for complete registration details, cancellation policies and late pickup fees.

PRE-CAMP CHECKLIST

Have you read the Art Center's COVID-19 policy and signed/completed the MCFTA Release of Liability form?

The MCFTA liability form is required in order to process your registration. This is part of the online registration process, so it doesn't need to be submitted separately if you registered online. The registrars will email this form to camper families that register over the phone.

- ☐ **Health, Photo Release & First Aid Waiver Forms in?**
Health, Photo Release & First Aid Waiver Forms must be completed and submitted before first camp. Find it at www.minnetonkaARTS.org/summer-arts-camp/ Email to registration@minnetonkaARTS.org or complete online before start of camp.

- ☐ **Camp schedules on your calendar?**
Drop-off AM Camp 8:55 a.m.
 PM Camp 12:55 p.m.

NOTE: Please arrive 15 minutes before the start of camp on your camper's first day to allow time for paperwork.

Pickup AM Camp Noon
 PM Camp 4 p.m.

\$10 late pickup fee starts at 12:15 and 4:15 p.m. and compounds by \$10 with each additional 15-minute increment.

- ☐ **Do you need directions?**
2240 North Shore Drive, Wayzata
(map and directions on back cover)
- ☐ **Food packed?**
Please provide a snack and beverage for each class, plus a bag lunch and beverage if staying for a full day.
NOTE: MCFTA will do its best to accommodate children with allergies. As a public venue, we cannot guarantee a peanut-free facility, yet steps to control the camp program environment will be taken when needed. Please note allergies in the Health Form.
- ☐ **Questions?**
Call the Registrar at 952.473.7361, x. 160.

COVID POLICY

Visit minnetonkaARTS.org to review current COVID-19 policies and the liability release form you are required to sign when registering your camper.

WELCOME

Summer is always my favorite time of year as Summer Arts Camp fills the building with enthusiastic young artists. Summer Arts Camp at the Minnetonka Center for the Arts (MCFTA) provides a unique opportunity for children to experience a professional art studio environment and learn from working artists.

The visual arts play an important role in child development, building character as well as skills. While campers experiment with new techniques and materials, they are exercising problem-solving skills, developing fine motor abilities and gaining confidence in their own talents and abilities that will spill over into schoolwork and other endeavors.

Running for 11 consecutive weeks from June through August, the Minnetonka Center for the Arts Summer Arts Camp surpasses all other programs in the number of options, scope of art forms taught and scheduling flexibility. With weekly camps for ages 7 to 15, and combinable daily options for ages 5 to 6, our camps can be easily slotted in with other activities to create an inspiring and educational summer experience, beginning to end.

The value of Summer Arts Camp lies in the quality of the art projects and the credentials of our Artist-Instructors. Our mission is to deliver visual arts education to the broadest possible audience, so we work hard to keep our per-hour price as low as possible and make scholarships available. Contact the Registrar if you need more information and be sure to register early! Many classes fill quickly and we hate to disappoint!

Best wishes for a creative summer!

Sincerely,



Roxanne L. Heaton, Executive Director



COVID SAFETY

Covid-19 safety precautions include but are not limited to the following:

- Masks and vaccines are recommended, not required, as of this catalog publication.
- Campers and camp staff may choose to wear a mask indoors. The Art Center has paper masks available near the front desk.
- Indoor break spaces for snacks and lunches are cleaned regularly. Outdoor break spaces are available when weather permits. Campers should bring/apply sunscreen as needed.
- Handwashing and hand sanitizer stations are available in every studio.
- All spaces will be cleaned and disinfected daily.
- Touchless paper towel and soap dispensers are available in restrooms and studios.

CAMP SCHEDULE

June 12 - August 25, 2023
Half or full days, Monday - Friday

Morning Camp: 9 a.m. - noon
Afternoon Camp: 1 - 4 p.m.

Bring a snack and beverage for each camp and a lunch and beverage if full-day. There is a one-hour midday break for lunch and outdoor play (indoor if raining). Breaks are supervised by camp assistants.

Please dress for mess and play (more on pages 3 & 11, **Camp Attire**). Closed-toe athletic shoes are best.

(1 class) \$44 Members / \$49 Non-members

Give the Art Center a try with summertime-inspired art projects. Many of these sampler classes introduce art media and techniques that are offered as week-long classes later in the summer.

COLOR LAB

AGES 7-12

See how colors can blend, swirl and pop in our paintings. Colorful marbling and kaleidoscopic effects will inspire this camp. Sample activities include a wet-into-wet watercolor abstract painting or a complementary color pet portrait. Enrollment limited to 12. (Groups B & C)

FS01AM23 Wednesday, July 5, 9 a.m. - Noon

STILL LIFE DRAWING

AGES 7-12

Let's make 2-D drawings come to life through texture. Learn how to easily create texture in drawings by varying pencil strokes, using hatch marks and building up tone. We will further develop our landscapes with collage layers of paper, paint, or mixed media. Enrollment limited to 12. (Groups B & C)

FS01PM23 Wednesday, July 5, 1 - 4 p.m.

Art Project Pickup

Campers are so proud of their completed artwork! Yet some ceramic and glass projects need firing and can't be taken home until later. Instructors will provide specific pickup information. Please pick up children's projects on time, typically three weeks after class end. We strongly recommend that you bring your child with you to help identify their project. **All unclaimed items will be recycled after September 30.**

HAPPY WATERCOLORS

AGES 7-12

Let's make our watercolor paintings even livelier by focusing on texture! Instead of just using our brushes, you will dab, sponge, and add simple ingredients while the paint is wet to make the surface texture exciting. Let's embrace both the expected and unexpected results of watercolors. Enrollment limited to 12. (Groups B & C)

"We don't make mistakes, just happy accidents."
Bob Ross

FS02AM23 Thursday, July 6, 9 a.m. - Noon

MOSAIC ART

AGES 7-12

Experience the art of mosaic, creating images by arranging small pieces, or *tesserae*, which can be made from ceramic, glass, trinkets, and more. Make a mosaic board keepsake using decorative and shiny objects from glass gems to vintage buttons. Enrollment limited to 12. (Groups B & C)

FS02PM23 Thursday, July 6, 1 - 4 p.m.

ACRYLIC HORIZONS

AGES 7-12

Let's expand our painting horizons with this acrylic painting class inspired by artists who paint *en plein air* (outdoors). You will paint with a primary color palette, creating tints and shades to best reflect the landscape and mood of your chosen scene. Create organic shapes and interesting line work with brushes and painting tools. Enrollment limited to 12. (Groups B & C)

FS03AM23 Friday, July 7, 9 a.m. - Noon

PRINT PATTERNS

AGES 7-12

Let's study the colorful patterns found around us. Inspiration can come from nature, fashion, or subjects displayed on the Art Center's walls. Ideas are everywhere! Next it's your turn to create a design using lines, shapes, and symbols that have a special personal meaning. Experience the art of relief printmaking, and leave camp with a bright, patterned design on paper and/or fabric. Enrollment limited to 12. (Groups B & C)

FS03PM23 Friday, July 7, 1 - 4 p.m.



CAMP HIGHLIGHTS

- Camps explore many different art forms, media and techniques in all age groups.
- Instructors are working artists, all with quality teaching experience.
LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR INSTRUCTORS ONLINE
minnetonkaarts.org/about-us/artist-instructors
- Small class sizes ensure lots of personal attention.
- Age-appropriate learning is fine-tuned to four age tracks to build confidence and skills.
- Extra consideration for the youngest artists, with single project classes to optimize focus and success.
- Skills advance as more sophisticated techniques are introduced each year.
- Campers enjoy professional studios and quality art materials and tools.





Camp Attire

Summer Arts Camp classes use high-quality arts materials for all projects. As some pigments and materials may stain, please dress your children in appropriate clothing. The Art Center is not responsible for clothing that is damaged in art classes. Children will play games outdoors during snack and lunch breaks, weather permitting. Please dress your children in appropriate clothing and footwear for outdoor play (closed-toe athletic shoes are best).

Camp Instructors

Summer Arts Camp Instructors are all college graduates who are either teaching artists or art educators. Camp assistants and interns are college students currently enrolled in studio art or art education courses. Every class has an assigned instructor and many have assistants.

2023 Camps at a Glance

WEEK 1 JUNE 12-16	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.
MON-FRI	Learn about our instructors at minnetonkaARTS.org/about-us/artist-instructors		B200AM23 Animal Comics	B200PM23 Mixed-Media Art (Paper & Paint)	C300AM23 Nature Designs	C300PM23 Fantastic Art	D400AM23 Paint Expressions (Abstract) 	D400PM23 Drawing Studio
WEEK 2 JUNE 19-23	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.
MON	A100AM23 Rainforest Gifts (Paint)	A100PM23 Rainforest Gifts (Mixed Media)	B201AM23 Kinetic Sculpture	B201PM23 A Painter's Palette	C301AM23 My Bedroom Rocks	C301PM23 Art Imagined	D401AM23 Inspired Illustrations	D401PM23 Jewelry Studio
TUE	A101AM23 Comic Arts	A101PM23 Budding Painters (Portraits)						
WED	A102AM23 Aquatic Animals	A102PM23 Seed Art						
THU	A103AM23 Pop Prints (Uncommon Objects)	A103PM23 Sculpture Basics (Animals)						
FRI	A104AM23 <i>Phineas and Ferb</i>	A104PM23 <i>My Father's Dragon</i>						
WEEK 3 JUNE 26- JUNE 30	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.
MON - FRI			B202AM23 Personal Pottery	B202PM23 Drawing Skills	C302AM23 Drawing Essentials	C302PM23 Global Pottery	D402AM23 Drawing from Nature	D402PM23 Stone Carving 
WEEK 4 JULY 5-7	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.
MON	NO CAMP — Due to the July 4th Holiday							
TUES	NO CAMP — Due to the July 4th Holiday							
WED			 Sampler FS01AM23 Color Lab	 Sampler FS01PM23 Still Life Drawing	 Sampler FS01AM23 Color Lab	 Sampler FS01PM23 Still Life Drawing		
THU			 Sampler FS02AM23 Happy Watercolors	 Sampler FS02PM23 Mosaic Art	 Sampler FS02AM23 Happy Watercolors	 Sampler FS02PM23 Mosaic Art		
FRI			 Sampler FS03AM23 Acrylic Horizons	 Sampler FS03PM23 Print Patterns	 Sampler FS03AM23 Acrylic Horizons	 Sampler FS03PM23 Print Patterns		
WEEK 5 JULY 10-14	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.
MON-FRI			B203AM23 Just Fabulous	B203PM23 Pop Art Play	C303AM23 Collage It!	C303PM23 Ceramics - Wheel & Hand (10 DAYS) Week 1	D403AM23 Clay Surface Design 	D403PM23 Thrift Thread Makeover 
WEEK 6 JULY 17-21	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.
MON-FRI			B204AM23 Magical Clay Creatures	B204PM23 Mixed-Media Art (Off the Wall)	C304AM23 Print & Paint Paradise	C303PM23 Ceramics - Wheel & Hand (10 DAYS) Week 2	D404AM23 Mixed-Media Studio	D404PM23 Living in Color 

WEEK 7 JULY 24-28	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.
MON	A105AM23 It's a Small World (Paint)	A105PM23 It's a Small World (Mixed Media)	B205AM23 Clay at Play	B205PM23 Drawing Skills	C305AM23 Watercolor Scenes	C305PM23 Handmade Jewelry	D405AM23 Paint Expressions (Nature) C+D	D405PM23 Dining in Style (Clay) C+D
TUE	A106AM23 Drawing Basics (Still Lifes)	A106PM23 Budding Painters (Splatter)						
WED	A107AM23 Animals in Flight	A107PM23 Garden Art						
THU	A108AM23 Pastel Play	A108PM23 Sculpture Basics (House)						
FRI	A109AM23 <i>Encanto</i>	A109PM23 <i>Mary Poppins</i>						
WEEK 8 JULY 31- AUG 4	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.
MON-FRI			B206AM23 Watercolor Fun	B206PM23 Building Worlds	C306AM23 Sculpt It!	C306PM23 Drawing Essentials	D406AM23 In the Art Studio C+D	D406PM23 Stone Carving C+D
WEEK 9 AUG 7-11	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.
MON	A110AM23 Story Beats (Tale)	A110PM23 Story Beats (Sea)	B207AM23 Magical Art Tales	B207PM23 Character Creation	C307AM23 Sewing Basics	C307PM23 Acrylic Painting	D407AM23 Drawing Studio	D407PM23 Simple Screen Printing
TUE	A111AM23 Drawing Basics (Animals)	A111PM23 Budding Painters (Mixed Media)						
WED	A112AM23 Land Animals	A112PM23 Fruit Art						
THU	A113AM23 Pop Prints (Shapes)	A113PM23 Mixed-Media Masks						
FRI	A114AM23 <i>Peppa Pig</i>	A114PM23 <i>Lilo & Stitch</i>						
WEEK 10 AUG 14-18	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.
MON-FRI			B208AM23 A Painter's Palette	B208PM23 Prints & Patterns	C308AM23 Drawing to Painting	C308PM23 The Art of Weaving C+D	D408AM23 Watercolor Remix	D408PM23 Painting with Acrylics
WEEK 11 AUG 21-25*	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.	9 a.m. - Noon	1 - 4 p.m.
MON-FRI	*AM Camp meets 5 days (Aug. 21-25)		B209AM23 Art in Color		C309AM23 Special Effects		D409AM23 Painting on the Flip Side	
MON-THU	*PM Camp meets 4 days (Aug. 21-24)			B209PM23 Art Treasures (4-day PM camp)		C309PM23 Mixed-Media Mashup (4-day PM camp)		D409PM23 Made by Hand (4-day PM camp)

Scholarships available. Call the Registrar at 952.473.7361, x. 160.

GROUP A: Art Camps for Ages 5-6

There are three weeks of art camps for children ages 5-6, with complete planning flexibility.

June 19-23 / July 24-28 / August 7-11

Each three-hour camp (1 class) \$44 Members / \$49 Non-members

Art camps for this age group focus on single-class projects to hold attention, challenge without frustration and provide happy outcomes and pride in finished projects. Solid skills are taught that become building blocks for future work. See page 11 for camp registration instructions.

MASTER MONDAYS

RAINFOREST GIFTS

Senaka Senanayake (1952-) is a Sri Lankan artist who paints the rainforests of his country. His colorful paintings of exotic plants, insects, birds, and animals celebrate the amazingly diverse species living in the rainforest. Senanayake creates vibrant colors and bold shapes in his paintings, and our young artists will do the same! The morning class will draw and paint a rainforest with flowers, plants, butterflies, and insects. The afternoon class will create mixed-media art inspired by the rainforest. Enrollment limited to 12.

Monday, June 19
A100AM23 9 a.m. - Noon (Paint)
A100PM23 1 - 4 p.m. (Mixed Media)

IT'S A SMALL WORLD

Mary Blair (1911 - 1978) was one of Walt Disney's favorite artists. She created art for the classic Disney films' *Cinderella*, *Alice in Wonderland*, and *Peter Pan*. With her palette of primary colors, she created colorful, imaginative art admired by people of all ages. Blair even designed art for Disneyland's *It's a Small World* ride. The morning class will draw and paint scenes inspired by Blair's concept art for film. The afternoon class will create mixed-media collages of imaginary theme park attractions. Enrollment limited to 12.

Monday, July 24
A105AM23 9 a.m. - Noon (Paint)
A105PM23 1 - 4 p.m. (Mixed Media)

STORY BEATS

Ashley Bryan (1923 - 2022) wrote and illustrated children's books that celebrate African and African American folk tales, songs, and stories. He worked in a variety of art media - drawing, painting, printmaking, paper arts, and puppetry. Bryan's books include *Beautiful Blackbird*, *Sail Away*, and *Beat the Story-Drum*. The morning class will create artwork inspired by a folk tale using pencils, markers and tempera paints. The afternoon class will create artwork inspired by the Caribbean and the sea. Enrollment limited to 12.

Monday, August 7
A110AM22 9 a.m. - Noon (Tale)
A110PM22 1 - 4 p.m. (Sea)

FUNDAMENTAL TUESDAYS

COMIC ARTS

Let's create drawings inspired by comics and cartoons that we love. Learn to draw characters and their background scenes with graphite, colored pencils, markers, and/or paints. Your comic characters can come from a real or fantastic imaginary world. Enrollment limited to 12.

Tuesday, 9 a.m. - Noon
A101AM23 June 20

DRAWING BASICS

Learning to draw helps children confidently express themselves on paper. This class will introduce tools and techniques and train the eye to see shapes and details. You will practice drawing different subjects and study prints by master artists that provide visual clues and inspiration. Enrollment limited to 12.

Tuesdays, 9 a.m. - Noon
A106AM23 July 25 (Still Lifes)
A111AM23 August 8 (Animals)

BUDDING PAINTERS

Budding painters will love working with a watercolor or tempera palette, turning primary colors into secondary and beyond! Let's experiment with colors and learn new techniques with paints and brushes while creating an expressive and vibrant painting. Enrollment limited to 12.

Tuesdays, 1 - 4 p.m.
A101PM23 June 20 (Portraits)
A106PM23 July 25 (Splatter)
A111PM23 August 8 (Mixed Media)



SCIENCE WEDNESDAYS

Animal Kingdom Mornings



ANIMALS IN FLIGHT

The summer is a great time to witness animals in flight. There are many insects and birds to catch your eye like monarch butterflies and ruby-throated hummingbirds. You will draw and paint winged creatures in this camp, and learn how to illustrate their wings with pencils, markers, and watercolor paints. Next you'll create a painting of your winged creature from a birds-eye view of clouds, hills, trees, and water. Enrollment limited to 12.

Wednesday, July 26
A107AM23 9 a.m. - Noon

LAND ANIMALS

This camp celebrates land animals and all the fun ways they move. Through games and art activities we'll share how animals move in different ways such as a rabbit hopping, a kangaroo skipping, or a frog jumping. You will draw and paint animals in motion with pencils, markers, and watercolor paints. Add mixed-media and collage additions to your painting to show your animal's habitat. Enrollment limited to 12.

Wednesday, August 9
A112AM23 9 a.m. - Noon

AQUATIC ANIMALS

Join us for a pretend snorkeling trip to visit the fascinating animals living under the sea. Using oil pastels and watercolor paints, you'll create an underwater scene featuring animals of all sizes and shapes. Draw and paint your aquatic animals' features like gills and fins which make them suited to life underwater. Then add shells, coral, sand, and rocks (or buried treasure) to your water world. Enrollment limited to 12.

Wednesday, June 21
A102AM23 9 a.m. - Noon

Plant Life Afternoons

SEED ART

It's amazing how many varieties of plants and trees grow from some of the smallest seeds. Create artwork that is inspired by seeds, seedlings, and the whole plant cycle. First you will draw and paint seeds, fruit, and plants found in gardens or forests. Then you'll create a mini-seed art piece pieced together from a variety of seeds found in your local grocery or garden store. Enrollment limited to 12.

Wednesday, June 21
A102PM23 1 - 4 p.m.

GARDEN ART

If you had your very own garden, what would you grow? Become an art gardener and map out your vegetable patch, trees, and ponds on paper. Then add color and life to your plants, flowers, and trees with oil pastels and watercolor paints. Once your garden is growing, it's time to design your garden's first visitor - whether it's a garden gnome or a rabbit snacking on carrots. Enrollment limited to 12.

Wednesday, July 26
A107PM23 1 - 4 p.m.

FRUIT ART

Fruit has been painted by artists across the world. Museums have fruit paintings on the walls from master artists such as Paul Cézanne and Claude Monet. In Europe and Asia, fruit carving and fruit centerpieces become edible works of art. Let's take art inspiration from our favorite summer fruits as we create our own fruit still life paintings. Enrollment limited to 12.

Wednesday, August 9
A112PM23 1 - 4 p.m.

GROUP A: Art Camps for Ages 5-6

BEYOND BASICS THURSDAYS

POP PRINTS

Learn the unique art of printmaking to make prints that will get rave reviews at home. Be inspired by the work of contemporary printmakers and create vibrant, bold mixed-media prints using a variety of tools. Enrollment limited to 12.

Thursdays, 9 a.m. - Noon
A103AM23 June 22
(Uncommon Objects)
A113AM23 August 10 (Shapes)

PASTEL PLAY

Experience the magical effects of drawing with oil pastels. Starting with a rainbow of pastel color options, you'll draw with a sense of play. Learn new drawing techniques as you explore layering color and creating bold lines and shapes. You'll draw objects and scenes that celebrate the special qualities of oil pastels. Enrollment limited to 12.

Thursday, 9 a.m. - Noon
A108AM23 July 27

SCULPTURE BASICS

Venture into the exciting world of 3-D sculpture. Learn basic construction techniques using different materials such as found objects, natural material, paper, yarn, wood, and/or modeling clay. Enrollment limited to 12.

Thursdays, 1 - 4 p.m.
A103PM23 June 22 (Animals)
A108PM23 July 27 (House)

MIXED-MEDIA MASKS

Let's create mixed-media masks decorated with paints, feathers, beads, and more. Make animal masks that play with texture, color, and patterns. By the end of camp, you'll have your cast of characters for a masquerade. Enrollment limited to 12.

Thursday, 1 - 4 p.m.
A113PM23 August 10



FAVORITE FRIDAY FILMS

PHINEAS AND FERB

Let's take a summer vacation with comedy duo and stepbrothers Phineas Flynn and Ferb Fletcher. Learn how to change up a character's face shape and expression in a story. With pencils and markers, you'll draw Phineas, Ferb, and their pet, Perry the Platypus. Recreate one of the duo's projects like building a roller coaster using your imagination, art materials, and everyday objects. Enrollment limited to 12.

Friday, June 23
A104AM23 9 a.m. - Noon

MY FATHER'S DRAGON

Join us for an art adventure that goes from a small-town candy shop to a big city to magical Wild Island. Elmer and his friend the cat travel to Wild Island where they meet the friendly dragon Boris. You will draw and paint Boris the dragon from his green and yellow stripes to the red scales down his back. Then you will paint an island adventure featuring island animals of your choice like crocodiles, tigers, and monkeys. Enrollment limited to 12.

Friday, June 23
A104PM23 1 - 4 p.m.

ENCANTO

Welcome to the Family Madrigal! Let's go on an art-filled adventure to the magical land of Encanto to visit Mirabel's family. You will draw some of your favorite characters and create a mixed-media background that shows off your character's special skills. Then create your own Casita with fun features like hidden rooms and sliding staircases. This class combines drawing, painting, paper arts, collage, and more! Enrollment limited to 12.

Friday, July 28
A109AM23 9 a.m. - Noon

MARY POPPINS

Let the wind blow us to 17 Cherry Tree Lane, London, England, alongside Mary Poppins and her trusty umbrella. Create drawings and paintings of some of the well-known musical scenes in the film. Take a walk in the park, ride a magical carousel, tap dance on a rooftop, or go for a kite-flying adventure! Your artwork will depict a few of the Banks family adventures with their amazing one-of-a-kind nanny. You'll add some mixed-media art elements, inspired by the film's music, characters, and props. Enrollment limited to 12.

Friday, July 28
A109PM23 1 - 4 p.m.

PEPPA PIG

The animated world of Peppa Pig and her family, friends and neighbors are the stars of this art camp. Learn how to create the characters of Peppa Pig and her brother George with pencils and markers. Add any fun details like George's toy dinosaur or Peppa's mud puddles. Make a scene in Peppa's world that brings in other favorite characters such as Rebecca Rabbit, Pedro Pony, and Zoe Zebra. Enrollment limited to 12.

Friday, August 11
A114AM23 9 a.m. - Noon

LILO & STITCH

Let's visit the Hawaiian home of sisters Nani and Lilo, and see how their life gets interesting when they adopt a pet dog (or really alien) named Stitch. Let's draw this rebellious intergalactic alien's expressions – big eyes, spiky teeth and all. You'll create Stitch's character in a fun pose, and then create the ocean backdrop. This class celebrates Stitch and his new home in Hawaii in drawings, paintings, and mixed media. Enrollment limited to 12.

Friday, August 11
A114PM23 1 - 4 p.m.

GROUP B: Art Camps for Ages 7-9

Having mastered school day routines, aspiring artists ages 7-9 are ready for bigger, multi-day projects. Art fundamentals are practiced in fun, age-appropriate projects that provide both challenge and success, building confidence as skills are mastered. See page 11 for camp registration instructions.

Week 1: June 12 - 16

ANIMAL COMICS

Create original comics based on animals – birds, fish, mammals, reptiles, or amphibians. Create a cast of animal characters inspired by your own pets’ personalities, animal folk tales, or your favorite wild animals from around the world. Develop your animal comic characters, plan the storyline, and bring it to life with graphite pencils, colored pencils, markers, and paints. Enrollment limited to 15.

B200AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

MIXED-MEDIA ART (PAPER & PAINT)

Let’s combine drawing, paper arts, and water-based paints in a fun way. See how these art forms can play together on the same canvas. You’ll freely draw with pencils, markers, oil pastels, and more. Experiment with collage as you layer decorative papers on your canvas. Make washes of color with watercolor and bold brushstrokes with acrylic paints. Switch up the order of painting, paper arts, and drawing each time! Enrollment limited to 15.

B200PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members



Week 2: June 19 - 23

KINETIC SCULPTURE

Bring a sculpture to life! Assemble 3-D sculptures from art materials and everyday objects upcycled into something new and surprising. Imagination and creative problem solving join forces when creating *assemblage* sculpture – sculpture made from paper, wood, fabric, metal, and more. Best of all, your 3-D art will be set in motion and move with the breeze or by hand. You will explore and play with art materials and natural and found objects while learning sculpture techniques. Enrollment limited to 15.

B201AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

A PAINTER'S PALETTE

Mix your painter's palette to create a rainbow of warm and cool colors of all hues. Learn basic brush handling skills and color mixing, and put these skills to use creating expressive paintings inspired by the Masters. Every day, you will gain new insights into painting in watercolor, acrylic and/or tempera, and get a better sense of the special painting techniques and qualities of each media. Enrollment limited to 15.

B201PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 3: June 26 - 30

PERSONAL POTTERY

Come make functional and decorative pottery to enjoy every day! Learn the same fundamental clay handbuilding techniques that ceramic artists use to make bowls, wall vases, figurines, and more. Your pottery will reflect your distinctive personal style. Projects will be glazed and fired and ready for pickup in three weeks. Enrollment limited to 12.

B202AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$238 Members / \$264 Non-members

DRAWING SKILLS

Anything is possible with a pencil! You’ll create drawings with graphite and colored pencils, charcoal, oil pastels, and/or markers. Each media offers new creative avenues. Your drawing activities will cover visual arts elements in an engaging way – color, form, line, shape, and more. Each day will have a different drawing media focus and subject matter – from still lifes to animal portraits. Enrollment limited to 15.

B202PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 4: July 5 - 7

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Week 5: July 10 - 14

JUST FABULOUS

Let’s assert our unique fashion sense and style creating personal accessories and fabulous jewelry with fabric, beads, ribbon, and found objects. This class introduces basic sewing construction and jewelry-making techniques. Accessories may include pendants, rings, necklaces, and bracelets. Sample projects include polymer clay pendants, braided cord bracelets, and hand-sewn bows and headbands. Enrollment limited to 12.

B203AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

POP ART PLAY

Comics, cartoons and films in popular culture are the inspiration for this printmaking and painting camp. Your original drawings of a favorite character become prints and/or vibrant paintings. Create multiple prints with water-based inks, and paint like artists in the Pop Art movement from America to Japan. Learn color theory, color mixing, and artistic tricks with inks, paints, brayers, stamps, and more. Enrollment limited to 15.

B203PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 6: July 17 - 21

MAGICAL CLAY CREATURES

Celebrate mythical creatures in this clay camp! You’ll learn pinch, coil, and slab building techniques to create magical creatures in their natural environment. Whether you recreate Irish fairies who live under mounds, Chinese dragons that bring good fortune and rain or a gnome or Pegasus, it’s up to you! Projects will be glazed and fired, ready for pickup in three weeks. Enrollment limited to 12.

B204AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$238 Members / \$264 Non-members

MIXED-MEDIA ART (OFF THE WALL)

This mixed-media art class will take your artwork off the wall and into 3 dimensions. Combine different art media from drawing to painting to paper arts. These 2-D artworks will be crafted and transformed into mixed-media sculptures that delight the eye from every angle. Sample projects are paper and/or fiber sculptures, altered art books, mosaics, and/or air-dry clay figurines. Enrollment limited to 15.

B204PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 7: July 24 - 28

CLAY AT PLAY

Join us in the clay studio where you’ll learn handbuilding and surface design techniques while having a lot of fun. Perhaps you’ll make a mug that has a little emoji smiley face at the bottom or a tray with a unicorn drawing on it. How about a bobble head or a sweet-and-not-too-scary monster figurine? You’ll see examples of pottery that will make you smile, and then add your own sense of humor to your creation. Projects will be glazed and fired, ready for pickup in three weeks. Enrollment limited to 12.

B205AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$238 Members / \$264 Non-members

DRAWING SKILLS

Anything is possible with a pencil! You’ll create drawings with graphite and colored pencils, charcoal, oil pastels, and/or markers. Each media offers new creative avenues. Your drawing activities will cover visual arts elements in an engaging way – color, form, line, shape, and more. Each day will have a different drawing media focus and subject matter – from still lifes to animal portraits. Enrollment limited to 15.

B205PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 8: July 31 - August 4

WATERCOLOR FUN

Watercolor painting is a fluid, fascinating art form with so many exciting techniques and styles. With a focus on fun, play with watercolors as you dap, splot, and splash paint onto paper and create masterpieces painting with brushes and unexpected tools like string, tissue paper, soap, straws, sponges, or fingers. Enrollment limited to 15.

B206AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

BUILDING WORLDS

Attention Minecraft fans who enjoy building shelters and crafting tools for game environments! You’ll plan and build imaginary worlds with pencils, brushes, paints, and mixed media. First you will choose an environment like the swamp, desert, or jungle. Then you’ll create shelters, natural landscapes, and animals with mixed-media art techniques. You will go from sketches on paper to 3-D environments. Enrollment limited to 15.

B206PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 9: August 7 - 11

MAGICAL ART TALES

Immerse yourself in fables and fairy tales, and free up your imagination to draw, paint, and sculpt your own fantasy world. You will create magical creatures and characters, first sketched and then transformed into 3-D figures made out of air-dry clay, paper, wood, and more. Dream up the world for your character with colored pencils, markers, and watercolor paints – whether it is a space station or an enchanted castle. Enrollment limited to 15.

B207AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

CHARACTER CREATION

Depict a character’s appearance and personality with pencil and paper in a comic style. First we will focus on the lines and shapes of the head and body of human characters. Draw the features of their face, what they wear, and a fun pose. Then we’ll move on to animal characters, real or imagined, from the past, present, or future. Your comics will be made with graphite pencils, colored pencils, markers, and/or water-based paints. Enrollment limited to 15.

B207PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 10: August 14 - 18

A PAINTER'S PALETTE

Mix your painter's palette to create a rainbow of warm and cool colors of all hues. Learn basic brush handling skills and color mixing, and put these skills to use creating expressive paintings inspired by the Masters. Every day, you will gain new insights into painting in watercolor, acrylic, and/or tempera, and get a better sense of the special painting techniques and qualities of each media. Enrollment limited to 15.

B208AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

PRINTS & PATTERNS

Let’s explore all the ways we can make prints using art supplies, everyday objects, and natural materials. Learn how to make a collagraph print, creating a textured plate from paper, yarn, leaves, and more. Create a hand-drawn design that you turn into a print that you carve, ink, and print yourself. Learn how to use printmaking tools to making multicolored prints and patterns on paper and/or canvas. This class will combine drawing, printmaking, and painting. Enrollment limited to 15.

B208PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 11: August 21 - 25*

ART IN COLOR

Your artist palette will be awash in color, from warm and cool to bright neon and metallic colors. In this kaleidoscopic painting camp, you will paint a still life in complementary colors and experiment with painting techniques to create sunlit landscapes like Pointillism and Impressionism. You'll even add special color effects to a night sky, painting the Northern Lights or a neon-lit cityscape. Enrollment limited to 15.

B209AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
***Monday - Friday, August 21 - 25**
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

ART TREASURES

The more you look, the more you see. Sometimes artists hide messages in their art that you can uncover by looking carefully. This is a mixed-media art class where you create art treasures in unexpected places. Sample projects include a landscape painting with personal symbols hidden in the background, a mosaic treasure box, or a secret message hidden in an origami or book art project. Enrollment limited to 15.

B209PM23 (4 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
***Monday - Thursday, August 21 - 24**
\$176 Members / \$196 Non-members

GROUP C: Art Camps for Ages 10-12

Week 1: June 12 – 16

NATURE DESIGNS

Nature is one of the best sources of inspiration for artists. Witness the colors, textures, and patterns found in the sky, land, water, and plant life. Then build your color palette around a natural scene, and create textures that mimic trees, grasses, rocks, and more. You'll examine the patterns found in trees, spirals, waves, and symmetries. This class provides opportunities to paint en plein air (outdoors) near the art center. Enrollment limited to 15.

C300AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

FANTASTIC ART

Free up your imagination to draw and paint your own fantasy world. You will draw magical creatures and characters in active poses that showcase their talents and personal traits. Class will include drawing prompts to jumpstart your character development and fantasy worldbuilding. Experiment with shading, value, perspective, and lighting techniques to improve your fantasy drawings. This class will use a variety of art media like colored pencils, pens, markers, and/or water-based paints. Enrollment limited to 15.

C300PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-member

Week 2: June 19 – 23

MY BEDROOM ROCKS

Join us as we make unique décor to brighten up a room. You'll create color-popping posters, hand-drawn with pens and markers, filled with words and images that are meaningful to you. Design your own mosaic pieced together with ceramic tiles, glass gems, beads and buttons, and learn how to paint on fabric. You will explore a wide range of art materials as you create in both 2-D and 3-D. Enrollment limited to 15.

C301AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

ART IMAGINED

All you need is a pencil to activate your imagination! Start by developing a character, whether it's a person, super hero, or a favorite animal. Then, build a world for your character's adventures. Your character can live under the sea or on another planet – it's up to you. Practice your drawing skills as you sketch with graphite, colored pencils, and/or markers. Then add color to bring your scenes to life with watercolor paints. Enrollment limited to 15.

C301PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Find more camps for ages 10 – 15 (Groups C & D) on page 10! Options include stone carving, drawing and painting, fiber arts, clay handbuilding, and more!

Week 3: June 26 – 30

DRAWING ESSENTIALS

Take your drawing skills to a new level using graphite, colored pencils, charcoal, pastels, and/or markers. Learn the characteristics of each drawing media as you create charcoal sketches of still life objects, colored pencil landscapes, and oil pastel animal studies – to name a few possible projects. You will build skills and confidence seeing and drawing shapes and forms, and bringing color and life into your drawings. Enrollment limited to 15..

C302AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

GLOBAL POTTERY

You'll circle the globe discovering ceramic styles and ideas from Central and South America, Asia, and Europe. Learn new clay handbuilding and surface design techniques that can help you create dramatic functional and decorative ceramics for the table. Projects will be glazed and fired and ready for pickup in three weeks. Enrollment limited to 12.

C302PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$238 Members / \$264 Non-members

Week 4: July 5 – 7

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Week 5: July 10 – 14

COLLAGE IT!

Join us as we explore the imaginative paper arts technique of *collage* (French word "to paste"). Using an assortment of decorative papers, magazines, newspapers, and more, you will tear out and glue papers together in fun ways. You'll also explore *découpage* (French word for the art of cutting out and pasting cutouts on different surfaces). Projects include collage posters, paper accessories, and decoupage boxes, trays, and/or journals. Learn additional embellishment techniques for finishing touches! Campers are welcome to bring paper and items from home to use at camp. Enrollment limited to 15.

C303AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 5 & 6: July 10 – 21

CERAMICS—WHEEL & HAND [10 days/2 weeks]

In this 10-day clay camp, campers will create a variety of functional and decorative ceramic ware using both handbuilding and wheel-throwing techniques. Gain experience on the potter's wheel as you learn how to throw and trim mugs and bowls. You will glaze some work for food-safe use and apply paints to your decorative pieces. Projects will be ready for pickup in three weeks. Enrollment limited to 12.

C303PM23 (10 classes) July 10 – 21, 1 - 4 p.m.
\$476 Members / \$528 Non-members

Preteens ages 10-12 are curious about their world and how they fit into it. Group C art camps provide a fun and positive environment for preteens to explore, experiment and discover who they are. Projects introduce new art media, more advanced skills and engage the abstract thinking skills that are beginning to develop at this age. See page 11 for camp registration instructions.

Week 6: July 17 – 21

PRINT & PAINT PARADISE

Unleash your creativity by painting and printmaking both separately and combined in the same artwork! Learn about brush handling, color blending, block-outs, stamping, stencils, washes, and more. Your paintings will have brushstrokes, dabs, and washes of color. Your prints will offer design possibilities made with stamps, found objects, stencils, and more. Together, we'll print and paint colorful compositions on paper and canvas boards. Enrollment limited to 15.

C304AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$230 Members / \$255 Non-members

Week 7: July 24 – 28

WATERCOLOR SCENES

Experience the magic of watercolor painting as we delve into watercolor fundamentals. Mix colors on a palette or directly on your paper, witnessing how pigments swirl and blend together for exciting results. Learn brush handling techniques to create a variety of shapes and lines. Explore both wet-into-wet and wet-into-dry painting techniques. Try out some fun techniques to create texture in your paintings. Enrollment limited to 15.

C305AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

HANDMADE JEWELRY

Create your own eye-catching jewelry using an assortment of beads, ribbon, thread and findings. Your wearable art creations will reflect your unique sense of style. Projects may include a beaded bracelet, braided necklace, polymer clay ring, or tulle hair clip. You'll create trendy jewelry features that are equally fun to make and wear. Enrollment limited to 12.

C305PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members



Week 8: July 31 – August 4

SCULPT IT!

Explore the exciting world of 3-D sculpture! Experiment with air-dry clay, wood, fabric, wire and/or found objects. Learn the tools and techniques for working with each art media. Once you have some sculpture know-how, you can follow your muse to create fantastic sculptures, both realistic and abstract, decorative and functional. Enrollment limited to 15.

C306AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

DRAWING ESSENTIALS

Take your drawing skills to a new level using graphite, colored pencils, charcoal, pastels, and/or markers. Learn the characteristics of each drawing media as you create charcoal sketches of still life objects, colored pencil landscapes, and oil pastel animal studies – to name a few possible projects. You will build skills and confidence seeing and drawing shapes and forms, and bringing color and life into your drawings. Enrollment limited to 15.

C306PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 9: August 7 – 11

SEWING BASICS

Sewing opens up new artistic possibilities with thread, felt, and fabric. Learn the basics of hand sewing – threading the needle, knotting - and then you're off and running learning basic embroidery stitches. Your stitches will decorate and give structure to art projects. Project ideas include hand-sewn pouches, felt creatures, bookmarks, and other small fiber arts items. Enrollment limited to 12.

C307AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

ACRYLIC PAINTING

Acrylic paints are vibrant, fun, and forgiving. Practice mixing colors, stamping, blending, and creating washes. Learn how to break down an image into simple shades, dark and light, warm and cool colors. Experiment with brushes of different sizes, palette knives, sponges, and more. Each study will give you new ideas for creating full-scale artworks. Enrollment limited to 15.

C307PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 10: August 14 – 18

DRAWING TO PAINTING

Many works of art begin as a pencil sketch on paper. Let's start with basic drawing techniques to help you capture the likeness and feeling of your subject. Practice creating strong compositions in pencil before turning your drawings into paintings. Learn painting fundamentals such as selecting a palette, color mixing, layering paints, and brush handling. This camp uses water-based paints like watercolor and acrylic paints on paper and/or canvas. Enrollment limited to 15.

C308AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

THE ART OF WEAVING

Join us as we experiment with color, texture and pattern in small-scale weavings. Using a simple frame loom, learn how to warp a loom and prepare weft yarn for weaving. The majority of class time will be devoted to weaving with yarn – from cotton to wool to acrylic-blends – representing a rainbow of colors. Expand your weaving know-how with techniques to add texture and pattern. You'll even learn finishing techniques for creating a woven wall hanging. Enrollment limited to 12. **(Groups C & D)**

C308PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 11: August 21 – 25*

SPECIAL EFFECTS

Did you ever wonder how painters capture special visual effects? Let's create atmospheric effects like underwater bubbles, splashing water, or fireworks exploding in the sky. You will learn how to brush, splatter and pour paint to add interest to your work. Next you'll see how you can transfer these atmospheric techniques to other subjects such as portrait painting, becoming a special effects artist for the day. Enrollment limited to 15.

C309AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
***Monday - Friday, August 21 - 25**
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

MIXED-MEDIA MASHUP

Explore a variety of art media and techniques, combining art forms in refreshing ways. Our art projects will introduce new artistic tools and concepts and encourage a sense of play and discovery. Sample projects are printmaking designs for paper and textiles, acrylic paint + collage on canvas, and/or 3-D paper and wire sculptures that bring a freehand sketch to life. Enrollment limited to 15.

C309PM23 (4 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
***Monday - Thursday, August 21 - 24**
\$176 Members / \$196 Non-members

GROUP D: Art Camps for Ages 13-15

Whether new to art or well on their artistic journey, teens will find satisfying projects and creative challenges in Group D art classes. With a focus on discovery and self-expression, teens explore visual art forms in ways that relate to their personal experience. Camps seek to expand an artist's repertoire of art techniques and to open windows to the broader art world. See page 11 for camp registration instructions.

Week 1: June 13 - 17

PAINT EXPRESSIONS (ABSTRACT)

AGES 10-15

Experiment with a variety of water-based painting techniques! Choose a color palette that will bring your art subject to life. There are so many ways to expressively apply paint to canvas, and we'll cover brush handling, painting with palette knives, and mark-making with sponges, stamps, paper, and more. Learn how to use gel medium and modeling paste to create textural effects. You'll see examples of paintings from art history where artists made colors sing. Art history spotlight: Expressively Painting the Abstract. Enrollment limited to 12. **(Groups C & D)**

D400AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

DRAWING STUDIO

This is a relaxed drawing class that will build your confidence in drawing freely. There will be time to work with charcoal, graphite pencils, pens, and/or colored pencils. Each day you'll have a drawing prompt to encourage artistic exploration, and a chance to sample a different drawing media. You'll have time to develop your drawings which may combine different art media in the same piece. Enrollment limited to 15.

D400PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 2: June 19 - 23

INSPIRED ILLUSTRATIONS

If you admire hand-lettered signs in storefronts, the playful graphics and text on band posters and a well-designed book cover, then this camp is for you. You'll work on illustration projects of your choosing. Explore a variety of drawing techniques as you create studies in pen and ink, graphite, markers, and more. You'll also get hands-on experience working with watercolor and gouache in illustration. There will be artist demos, drawing prompts, and studio time for developing your illustrations. Enrollment limited to 15.

D401AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

JEWELRY STUDIO

There are so many techniques when it comes to jewelry! Wire can be bent, twisted, or wrapped to create interesting jewelry designs. Beads can be strung on nylon beading thread, embroidery floss, and wire to add color and pattern possibilities. Your teaching artist will demonstrate wire and beading techniques and share project ideas, while encouraging campers to investigate their own interests. Enrollment limited to 15.

D401PM23 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 3: June 26 - 30

DRAWING FROM NATURE

Let's hone our observational drawing skills as we gather and/or sketch in-situ objects from nature. You will study up close the wildflowers, plants, and trees surrounding the Art Center and the nearby Dakota Rail Regional Trail. You will learn new drawing techniques with pencil, colored pencil, and ink. Develop a basic understanding of color theory, still life composition, and plant identification. Realistic and abstract ideas will be explored. Enrollment limited to 15.

D402AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

STONE CARVING

AGES 10-15

Take a chip off the old block and rock like a sculptor, transforming a limestone block into three-dimensional art. This is the real thing – banging, chiseling, then filing and sanding to finish. Safety with traditional carving techniques will be taught and historical sculptures and artists referenced. Enrollment limited to 12. **(Groups C & D)**

D402PM23 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$230 Members / \$255 Non-members

Week 5: July 10 - 14

CLAY SURFACE DESIGN

AGES 10-15

Let's pinch, coil and slab our way into creating fun and functional ceramics with attention-getting designs on a clay surface. Projects may include a one-of-a-kind mug, bowl, or garden decoration. You'll experiment with texture tools, stamps and even kitchen utensils to make abstract, representational or freehand textures or drawings. Roll up your sleeves for a fantastic clay experience! Enrollment limited to 12. **(Groups C & D)**

D403AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$238 Members / \$264 Non-members

THRIFT THREAD MAKEOVER

AGES 10-15

Bring in your thrift store finds, T-shirts, or favorite pair of jeans to transform and/or remake in this fiber arts camp. You'll begin by transforming T-shirts, learning how to cut and alter the fabric to best match your designs. Gain experience with patterns and basic sewing construction terms and techniques as you recreate your clothing. Then personalize it with embroidery stitches, fabric painting, and/or printmaking techniques. Bring a couple clothing options (T-shirts, thrifted jeans) to the first day of camp. Enrollment limited to 12. **(Groups C & D)**

D403PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 6: July 17 - 21

MIXED-MEDIA STUDIO

If you like to experiment with different art media, then this class is for you! Explore drawing, painting, and printmaking in the Art Center's studios. Your mixed-media art will include washes of paint, collaged imagery, hand-drawn elements, stamped and printed motifs, and more. This class uses water-based paints applied to paper and/or canvas boards. Learn about color mixing, brush handling, printing with paints or inks, and how to add paper and fibers to paintings. Enrollment limited to 15.

D404AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$230 Members / \$255 Non-members

LIVING IN COLOR

AGES 10-15

Our palettes with be awash in color from vibrant hues to pastels. Learn how colors can harmonize together, and play up each color's aspects to impact the whole mood of a piece. Let's explore color theory with analogous, complementary, and split-complementary color schemes. Gain inspiration from painters who applied color masterfully such as Vincent Van Gogh, Helen Frankenthaler, and David Hockney. Experiment with color and make your own splash in the art world. Enrollment limited to 12. **(Groups C & D)**

"I prefer living in color" -David Hockney

D404PM23 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 7: July 24 - 28

PAINT EXPRESSIONS (NATURE)

AGES 10-15

Experiment with a variety of water-based painting techniques! Choose a color palette that will bring your art subject to life. There are so many ways to expressively apply paint to canvas, and we'll cover brush handling, painting with palette knives, and mark-making with sponges, stamps, paper, and more. Learn how to use gel medium and modeling paste to create textural effects. You'll see examples of paintings from art history where artists made colors sing. Art history spotlight: Expressively Painting Nature. Enrollment limited to 12. **(Groups C & D)**

D405AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

See also page 9 for The Art of Weaving (Groups C & D)

DINING IN STYLE (CLAY)

AGES 10-15

Come experience the joy of eating and drinking out of something handmade. You will make your own plates, mugs, bowls, trays, and more. Learn various handbuilding techniques using molds, pinch, coil, and hard and soft slab construction. Consider fun touches to add to your pottery like feet, handles, and/or small figurines. Experiment with carving and applying texture with stamps, roller tools, and found objects. All work will be painted with underglazes and colored slips and glazed. Projects will be fired, ready for pickup in three weeks. Enrollment limited to 12. **(Groups C & D)**

D405PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$238 Members / \$264 Non-members

Week 8: July 31 - August 4

IN THE ART STUDIO

AGES 10-15

Let's create our own art camp atelier – a French word for studio or workshop for a group of artists. You'll be guided through drawing and painting activities that improve your understanding of art techniques. Art subjects may be still life set-ups, interiors, landscapes, or a favorite object. Explore art media like charcoal, pencils, and water-based paints on paper and canvas. Learn tips for creating eye-catching compositions, choosing your palette, blending and contrasting colors, and handling brushes for best results. Enrollment limited to 12. **(Groups C & D)**

D406AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

STONE CARVING

AGES 10-15

Take a chip off the old block and rock like a sculptor, transforming a limestone block into three-dimensional art. This is the real thing – banging, chiseling, then filing and sanding to finish. Safety with traditional carving techniques will be taught and historical sculptures and artists referenced. Enrollment limited to 12. **(Groups C & D)**

D406PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$230 Members / \$255 Non-members

Week 9: August 7 - 11

DRAWING STUDIO

This is a relaxed drawing class that will build your confidence in drawing freely. There will be time to work with charcoal, graphite pencils, pens, and/or colored pencils. Each day you'll have a drawing prompt to encourage artistic exploration, and a chance to sample a different drawing media. You'll have time to develop your drawings, which may combine different art media in the same piece. Enrollment limited to 15.

D407AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

SIMPLE SCREEN PRINTING

Experiment with printmaker's tools and water-based screen printing inks to create multicolored prints based on original designs. You'll learn how to design and cut paper stencils that add depth and variation to your prints. Hone your skills applying ink to screens for best results. This camp opens up new printmaking possibilities easy to duplicate at home. Sample projects are paper prints to decorate the wall, and a printed tote bag and/or apron. Enrollment limited to 10.

D407PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$230 Members / \$255 Non-members

Week 10: August 14 - 18

WATERCOLOR REMIX

Advance your skills with watercolor painting and discover fresh new techniques in this versatile medium. You'll cover wet-on-wet and wet-on-dry painting, then explore mixing in other media with your transparent watercolors like collage, ink, gouache, and printmaking. Enrollment limited to 15.

D408AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

PAINTING WITH ACRYLICS

Acrylic paintings can show off lively brushwork, vivid colors, and interesting textures. This is an all-skill level class encouraging experimentation with a variety of techniques popular for acrylic work. You'll learn more about composition, selecting your paint palette, and brush handling tips for best results. Building up paint layers to create depth will be covered, along with color, value, and perspective. Enrollment limited to 15.

D408PM23 (5 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

Week 11: August 21 - 25*

PAINTING ON THE FLIP SIDE

Let's open up possibilities of water-based paint on traditional and unconventional surfaces like wood boards, canvas, and/or acrylic sheets. You'll look at street artists Shepard Fairey, Banksy, and Lady Pink whose works appear on the streets and within exhibit galleries. Their painting techniques, style, and subject matter will serve as inspiration to advance your skills. Enrollment limited to 15.

D409AM23 (5 classes) 9 a.m. - Noon
***Monday - Friday, August 21 - 25**
\$220 Members / \$245 Non-members

MADE BY HAND

There is something special about an object that is made by hand. In this class you will have an opportunity to design and create objects that are fun to use and that show off the personality of the maker, too. Projects may include a hand-painted sign with your favorite quote, a painted pinch pot bowl, and/or a poster designed with relief block prints. Enrollment limited to 15.

D409PM23 (4 classes) 1 - 4 p.m.
***Monday - Thursday, August 21 - 24**
\$176 Members / \$196 Non-members

summer arts camp

June 12-August 25

Morning sessions: 9 a.m. - Noon
Lunch/play break: Noon - 1 p.m.
Afternoon sessions: 1 - 4 p.m.

Campers must be picked up promptly at the end of class. Late fees are charged at 15 minutes or more (see below).

Age Policy

All Summer Arts Camp projects are carefully developed to be age appropriate according to the Lowenfeld stages of artistic development. In order to ensure a positive and successful camp experience for everyone, there are no exceptions on placement. The age groups as defined are firm. Children must have reached the minimum age by the date of the first class. Documentation of age may be required.

Lunch & Snack Breaks

All classes take a 15-minute supervised snack break halfway through class. Campers participating in full-day classes take a one-hour, supervised lunch break. Pack a bag lunch and snack.

Please notify us at least three weeks in advance if your child has special dietary issues that may affect the other campers and we will do our best to notify parents of the issue. **Please note: The Art Center is NOT a peanut-free facility.**

Camp Attire

Summer Arts Camp classes use high-quality arts materials for all projects. As some pigments and materials may stain, please dress your children in appropriate clothing. The Art Center is not responsible for clothing that is damaged in art classes. Children will play games outdoors during snack and lunch breaks, weather permitting. Please dress your children in appropriate clothing and footwear for outdoor play (closed-toe athletic shoes are best).

Art Project Pickup

Campers are so proud of their completed artwork! Yet some ceramic and glass projects need firing and can't be taken home until later. Instructors will provide specific pickup information. Please pick up children's projects on time, typically three weeks after class end. We strongly recommend that you bring your child with you to help identify their project. **All unclaimed items will be recycled after September 30.**

Camp Instructors

Summer Arts Camp Instructors are all college graduates who are either teaching artists or art educators. Camp assistants and interns are college students currently enrolled in studio art or art education courses. Every class has an assigned instructor and many have assistants.

Camp Pricing & Scholarships

Prices are provided with class descriptions. Prices for Art Center members are 10% less than non-members. A Basic membership is \$60. The membership discount is effective immediately and valid for all classes taken by any member of the household for 12 months from the date of purchase. Scholarships based on financial need are available for campers. Funds are limited, so please apply at least 14 days prior to camp start date. Ask the Registrar for information, 952.473.7361, ext. 160, or download an application form at www.minnetonkaARTS.org/summer-arts-camp/.

Register online: www.minnetonkaARTS.org/summer-arts-camp/

Register by phone: 952.473.7361, x. 160

Register by mail: 2240 North Shore Drive
Wayzata, MN 55391

Registration payment may be made online or by phone using Visa or MasterCard. You may also register by mail or in-person at the Art Center.

Registrations are taken on a first-come, first-served basis. Register early for the greatest selection. Keep your confirmation email for reference as camp approaches.

All tuition fees must be paid in full when you register. Class space will not be reserved without full payment and a completed MCFTA liability waiver form. This form is required in order to process your registration. It is part of the online registration process and doesn't need to be submitted separately. The Registrars will email this form to camper families that register over the phone.

Health, Photo Release and Waiver forms must be completed and submitted prior to camp start.



The Minnetonka Center for the Arts is accessible to students with disabilities. If you require special assistance, please let the Registrar know at 952.473.7361, x. 160, or the Minnesota Relay Service (for the hearing impaired) at 800.627.3529 two weeks prior to class. We will be happy to accommodate your needs.

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CANCELLATIONS

There will be a \$5 administrative fee charged per class for all changes, transfers or cancellations.

Campers who withdraw 29 or more days prior to the class start date will receive a 100% refund, minus the administrative fee per class.

Campers who withdraw 15 to 28 days prior to the class start date will receive a 50% refund, minus the \$5 administrative fee per class.

No refunds will be issued 0 to 14 days prior to the class start date.

Campers may transfer from one class to another up to 14 days prior to the class start date with a \$5 administrative fee per class.

In the case of illness (physician's note required), campers may transfer classes until the first day of class, subject to availability, with a \$5 administrative fee per class. **No refunds will be issued after the start of the class due to illness.**

In the event the Art Center must cancel a session due to insufficient enrollment, a full refund will be issued. If a session is canceled, the Art Center will notify parents five business days before the class is scheduled to start.

The Art Center reserves the right to cancel classes that do not meet the enrollment minimum of six or more campers.

LATE PICKUP FEES

Caregivers should accompany children to and pick up from their classrooms. Please do not drop your child off more than 5 minutes before class time.

At the end of class, please pick up your child promptly. A \$10 per 15-minute late fee per child will be charged to parents when campers are not picked up on time after their Summer Arts Camp activities. **Late pickup fees are due at pickup.** Check or credit card is accepted.

15 minutes late = \$10
15 - 30 minutes late = \$20
30 - 45 minutes late = \$30
45 - 60 minutes late = \$40

MCFTA will do its best to accommodate children with allergies. As a public venue, we cannot guarantee a peanut-free facility, yet steps to control the camp program environment will be taken where needed.

MCFTA SUMMER ARTS CAMP REGISTRATION

TODAY'S DATE

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME

ADDRESS CITY/STATE/ZIP

PHONE NUMBER ALTERNATE PHONE

EMERGENCY CONTACT (NAME, RELATIONSHIP, PHONE)

PARENT EMAIL

CLASS NUMBER	CLASS OR WORKSHOP TITLE	CAMPER NAME	BIRTHDATE	TUITION
NEW TO CAMP? TELL US HOW YOU DISCOVERED THE ART CENTER? (PLEASE CIRCLE ONE)				TUITION SUBTOTAL
WORD OF MOUTH • ADVERTISEMENT • WEB SEARCH • FACEBOOK • INSTAGRAM • TWITTER				MEMBERSHIP (OPTIONAL)
ARTICLE • CATALOG MAILING • EVENT/EXHIBIT • RIDGEDALE • DRIVE BY				SUBTOTAL
OTHER				MINUS DISCOUNTS OR SCHOLARSHIPS
				TOTAL

REGISTER ONLINE AT www.minnetonkaARTS.org
or call 952.473.7361, X. 160

METHOD OF PAYMENT ☐ CHECK # ☐ VISA ☐ MASTERCARD

ACCOUNT #

EXP. DATE

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DATE INTO RE (OFFICE USE)

REGISTRATION & CLASS FEES

All fees must be paid in full when you register. We cannot reserve space without full payment.

YOU MAY REGISTER BY:

MAIL: 2240 North Shore Drive, Wayzata, MN 55391 **OR IN PERSON**
PHONE: 952.473.7361, EXT. 160
OR ONLINE: www.minnetonkaARTS.org

MEMBERSHIP STATUS (MEMBERSHIP IS ENCOURAGED BUT OPTIONAL)

- ☐ CURRENT MEMBER
☐ NEW MEMBER
☐ BASIC \$60 (\$55 SENIOR DISCOUNT)
☐ FRIEND \$100
☐ SPONSOR \$250
☐ PATRON \$1,000
☐ NON-MEMBER

Art Center Hours (Summer)

June 19 – August 25, 2023

Monday	9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Tuesday	9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Wednesday	9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Thursday	9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday	9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Sunday	Closed

The Art Center is closed July 4, and the week before Labor Day (August 26 – September 4) for cleaning and maintenance.

*Phone lines will be open Monday – Friday, excluding holidays, from 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. to take class registrations.

Art Center Café Hours

The Art Center Café remains closed until further notice.



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In the belief that the visual arts are indispensable to a healthy community, it is the mission of the Minnetonka Center for the Arts to provide teaching excellence, quality exhibitions and cultural enrichment for people of all ages, interests and abilities.

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