

Minnetonka Center for the Arts

summer arts camp

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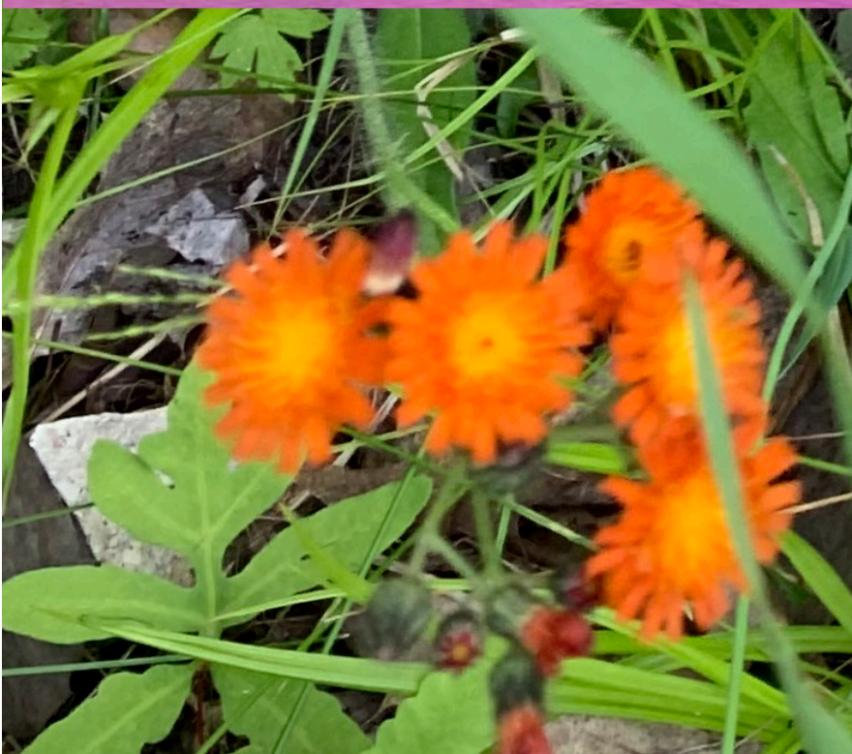


Ages 5 to 15

June 8 - August 20, 2026

Half or full days / Monday-Friday

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REGISTRATION OPENS FEBRUARY 2 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

- Paperwork in?** General Information, Permissions and Release of Liability provided? All information and signatures must be provided when you register your camper. See the website or ask the Registrar for details.
- 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.

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 paperwork.
- Questions?**
Call the Registrar at 952.473.7361, x. 160.

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



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 SCHEDULE

June 8 - August 20, 2024

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.

SUMMER ART SAMPLERS

AGES 7-12

B+C/Ages 7-12

(1 class) \$49 Members / \$54 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 / JUNE 29

See how colors swirl, blend and pop in your paintings. Color marbling and kaleidoscope effects will inspire this camp. Sample activities include wet-into-wet watercolor painting, abstract painting, and complementary color projects. Enrollment limited to 16. (Groups B & C)

FS01AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon

MOSAIC ART / JUNE 29

Experience the art of the mosaic, creating images by arranging small pieces, or tesserae, which can be ceramic, glass or trinkets, found objects, and more. Make a mosaic board keepsake with shiny objects from glass gems to vintage buttons. Enrollment limited to 16. (Groups B & C)

FS01PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4 p.m.

ACRYLIC HORIZONS / JUNE 30

Wake up your painting skills by taking a look at sunrises, sunsets, and Northern Lights. Experiment with primary colors and lights as you mix your own shades to create moods and striations of the solar light show. With a variety of brushes, painting tools, techniques and practice you will make gorgeous landscape paintings of the sky. Enrollment limited to 16. (Groups B & C)

FS02AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon

PRINT PATTERNS / JUNE 30

Study the colorful patterns found around us. Inspiration can come from nature, fashion or art. Ideas are everywhere! Next make a design using shapes, symbols, and colors that have a special, personal meaning. Experience the art of relief printmaking, and leave camp with a bright patterned design on a tee shirt. Enrollment limited to 16. (Groups B & C)

FS02PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4 p.m.

WATERCOLOR WONDERS / JULY 1

Watercolor painting is a fluid, fascinating artform with many interesting techniques. With a focus on fun, play with watercolors as you dab, spot, and splash paint onto the special watercolor papers. You will experiment with effects and unexpected tools like string, soap, tissue paper, sponges and more. Enrollment limited to 16.

FS03AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon

COLLAGE BOXES / JULY 1

These creations can be intimate and personal, humorous or descriptive, commemorations of a special person or event, it's up to you. Using found images, watercolors, inks, and more you will create a memorable place to reflect your visions, thoughts, feelings or memories. You will use a variety of collage materials to express yourself creating a tiny world all your own. Enrollment limited to 16.

FS03PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4 p.m.

MIXED MEDIA ART / JULY 2

Let's combine different media to make artworks that sing! With drawing, paper arts, and water based paints you will see how to use materials in new and playful ways. You will use pencils, markers, oil pastels and watercolors and papers as you add layers to your artwork. Mix it up to express yourself. Enrollment limited to 16.

FS04AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon

JUNK JEWELRY / JULY 2

Making jewelry and wearable sculpture is easy and fun to do when you have a variety of beads, small found objects and findings. You will be shown examples that will stir your imagination as you create with wire, beads, rolled paper, and much more. You may make something that you want to share with someone special. Enrollment limited to 16. (Groups B & C)

FS04PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4 p.m.

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 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.



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 ends. We strongly recommend that you bring your child with you to help identify their project.

All unclaimed items will be recycled after September 30.



2026 Camps at a Glance

WEEK 1 JUNE 8-12	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		B200AM26 Animal Comics	B200PM26 Mixed Media Explorations	C300AM26 Making Waves Art	C300PM26 Fantastic Art	D400AM26 C+D Special Projects Painting	D400PM26 Drawing Studio
WEEK 2 JUNE 15-19	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			B201AM26 Pottery Explorers	B201PM26 Underwater Scenes	C301AM26 Mixed Media Treasures	C301PM26 Sew What?	D401AM26 Illustration Studio	D401PM26 C+D Expressive Landscapes
WEEK 3 JUNE 22-26	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	A100AM26 Paint Expressions: Vincent	A100PM26 Paint Expressions: Marc	B202AM26 Drawing Skills	B202PM26 Paper Sculpture	C302AM26 Drawing Essentials	C302PM26 Ceramic Garden Art	D402AM26 Sketchbook Studio	D402PM26 C+D Stone Carving
TUE	A101AM26 Summer Fun / Butterflies	A101PM26 Summer Fun / Fireworks						
WED	A102AM26 Animals	A102PM26 Treehouses						
THU	A103AM26 Animal Portraits	A103PM26 Trees & Flowers						
FRI	A104AM26 Beads and Beading!	A104PM26 Mobiles!						
WEEK 4 JUNE 29-JULY 2	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			Sampler B+C FS01AM26 Color Lab	Sampler B+C FS01PM26 Mosaic Art	Sampler B+C FS01AM26 Color Lab	Sampler B+C FS01PM26 Mosaic Art		
TUES			Sampler B+C FS02AM26 Acrylic Horizons	Sampler B+C FS02PM26 Print Patterns	Sampler B+C FS02AM26 Acrylic Horizons	Sampler B+C FS02PM26 Print Patterns		
WED			Sampler B+C FS03AM26 Watercolor Wonders	Sampler B+C FS03PM26 Collage Boxes	Sampler B+C FS03AM26 Watercolor Wonders	Sampler B+C FS03PM26 Collage Boxes		
THU			Sampler B+C FS04AM26 Mixed Media Art	Sampler B+C FS04PM26 Junk Jewelry	Sampler B+C FS04AM26 Mixed Media Art	Sampler B+C FS04PM26 Junk Jewelry		
NO CAMP - DUE TO THE JULY 4TH HOLIDAY								
WEEK 5 JULY 6-10	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			B203AM26 Art Around the World	B203PM26 Sculpture Basics	C303AM26 Creative Collage	C303PM26 Ceramic Hand & Wheel (10 days/ 2 weeks)	D403AM26 Ceramic Style	D403PM26 C+D Style ReMix
WEEK 6 JULY 13-17	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			B204AM26 Clay Sea Creatures	B204PM26 Painting with Collage	C304AM26 Posh Printmaking	C304PM26 Ceramic Hand & Wheel (Week 2)	D404AM26 C+D Cafe Style Sketching	D404PM26 C+D Cardboard Craze

WEEK 7 JULY 20-24	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	A105AM26 Paint Expressions: Pablo	A105PM26 Paint Expressions: Claude	B205AM26 Fantastic Fun Ceramics	B205PM26 Comic Arts	C305AM26 Watercolor Scenes	C305PM26 Plein Air Painting C+D	D405AM26 C+D Color Schemes	D405PM26 C+D Tabletop Ceramic Treasures
TUE	A106AM26 Big Trees	A106PM26 Comic Arts						
WED	A107AM26 Summertime Food	A107PM26 Castles						
THU	A108AM26 Sea Creatures	A108PM26 Maps						
FRI	A109AM26 Tie Dye Tees	A109PM26 Wonderful Weaving						
WEEK 8 JULY 27-31	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
MON-FRI			B206AM26 Watercolor Fun	B206PM26 Mosaics and Mazes	C306AM26 Inspired Illustration	C306PM26 Bookmaking Arts	D406AM26 C+D Portrait Expressions	D406PM26 C+D Stone Carving
WEEK 9 AUG 3-7	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
MON	A110AM26 Paint Expressions: Henri	A110PM26 Paint Expressions: Georgia	B207AM26 Fantasy Architecture	B207PM26 Prints and Patterns	C307AM26 Sewing Basics	C307PM26 C+D Cardboard Adventures	D407AM26 Jewelry Studio	D407PM26 Mixed Media Design
TUE	A111AM26 Sunglasses	A111PM26 Superheroes						
WED	A112AM26 Farmyard Friends	A112PM26 Music!						
THU	A113AM26 Birds	A113PM26 Milky Way						
FRI	A114AM26 Cardboard Houses	A114PM26 Scavenger Hunt						
WEEK 10 AUG 10-14	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
MON-FRI			B208AM26 Dream Weavers	B208PM26 Painter's Palette	C308AM26 Drawing to Painting	C308PM26 C+D The Art of Weaving	D408AM26 Figure Drawing	D408PM26 Japanese Art Mix
WEEK 11 AUG 17-20*	Group A: Ages 5-6		Group B: Ages 7-9		Group C: Ages 10-12		Group D: Ages 13-15	
MON-THU	NOTE: *AM & PM camps meet 4 days (Aug. 17-20)		B209AM26 Art In Color (4-day AM camp)		C309AM26 C+D Pen & Ink Expo (4-day AM camp)		D409AM26 Watercolor Scenes (4-day AM camp)	
MON-THU				B209PM26 Small Sculptures Chihuly Style (4-day PM camp)			C309PM26 C+D Small Gems Painting (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.

June 22 - 26 / July 20 - 24 / August 3 - 7

Each three hour camp (1 class) \$46 Members / \$51 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.

MONDAYS: PAINT & PAINTERS

PAINT EXPRESSIONS: VINCENT / MARC / JUNE 22

Morning campers will learn about Vincent Van Gogh, and how Vincent found beauty in everyday things. Campers will try their hand at using broad strokes and bold colors to make paintings of familiar things, possibly their shoes! Afternoon campers will learn about Marc Chagall and his sense of color in figurative paintings techniques. Then with brushes campers will paint people flying as their imaginations soar.

A100AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A100PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

PAINT EXPRESSIONS: PABLO / CLAUDE / JULY 20

Pablo Picasso was known for many different styles of painting. Morning class will focus on his cubist paintings by making cubist paintings and masks of funny faces. Claude Monet was a French painter known for his mysterious impressionist landscape paintings. Afternoon class will make paintings in the style of Claude Monet using watercolor and wet-on-wet techniques.

A105AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A105PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

PAINT EXPRESSIONS: HENRI / GEORGIA / AUGUST 3

Henri Matisse loved to paint his family and his home. Morning campers will paint pictures of their family, friends, pets, or yards, as they learn to see color and patterns around them. Afternoon campers will learn about Georgia O'Keefe, and her keen sense of beauty. Campers will learn how to look closely at flowers, and will learn about early abstract painting from one of the great masters.

A110AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A110PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

TUESDAYS: DRAWING

SUMMER FUN / BUTTERFLIES / FIREWORKS / JUNE 23

After a morning walk we will make small journals to keep, and to draw in, from the things we found in nature on our exploration. Learning to draw is an extension of our thoughts and vision. Campers will draw caterpillars and butterflies using pencils, markers, and colored pencils. In the afternoon camp, we will experiment with the same drawing materials making pictures of fireworks. We will celebrate the night sky with colorful drawing projects.

A101AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A101PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members



BIG TREES / COMIC ARTS / JULY 21

In the morning, campers will look at trees and learn to make drawings of them. Using color pencils and oil pastels these large scale tree drawings will come to life as we learn about color, patterns, shading and size. In the afternoon, campers will create their own comic books using imagination, and lots of creativity as you make new friends, and learn to draw figures, faces, and more.

A106AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A106PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

SUNGLASSES / SUPERHEROES / AUGUST 4

Most artists enjoy making self portraits. We will use some techniques to draw ourselves with sunglasses on. These fun drawings show us how to use color, shading, patterns, and composition to create pictures to remind you that you are beautiful, just the way you are. Afternoon class will make comic books with superheroes, and characters, as you learn about line drawing.

A111AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A111PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members



WEDNESDAYS: 3D / MY FAVORITE THINGS

ANIMALS / TREEHOUSES / JUNE 24

Modeling clay is our medium in the morning. You will learn about animals that live in Minnesota, then make some of our favorite animals into characters to take home. Handbuilding techniques like rolling, coiling and pinching will be used to make this colorful clay into favorite animal friends. Afternoon class will use simple popsicle sticks and other materials to make miniature treehouses. Imagination is the key!

A102AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A102PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

FARMYARD FRIENDS / MUSIC! / AUGUST 5

Are you ready to make some modeling clay farm animals? You can roll it, coil it, bend it, shape it, and even make patterns on it, as you create your own farmyard animals. Maybe you will have cows, chickens or horses. Afternoon camp will use a variety of recyclables and supplies to make a musical instrument to take home and practice.

A112AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A112PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members



SUMMERTIME FOOD / CASTLES / JULY 22

Modeling clay is our medium in the morning. What is your favorite ice cream flavor? You will make artworks that look like some of your favorite foods like ice cream, pizza or spaghetti. Using handbuilding techniques to pinch, roll, coil and build the colorful clay into tiny gourmet treats for the eyes. Afternoon class will use recycled materials to make castles. You will use cardboard, wood shapes, folded paper and more as you create towers, drawbridges and turrets.

A107AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A107PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

GROUP A: Art Camps for Ages 5-6

THURSDAYS: COLLAGE / NATURE

ANIMAL PORTRAITS / TREES & FLOWERS / JUNE 25

After a walk in our backyard you will create a collage featuring animals. Take some tissue paper, decorative papers and other findings to create a portrait of a dog, cat, horse or other animal friend. Afternoon class will focus on trees or flowers, using mixed media to create a tree or flower portrait. You will learn about some fascinating trees of Minnesota as you create your tree project.

A103AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A103PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

SEA CREATURES / MAPS / JULY 23

Morning campers will use tissue paper, findings, paint and glue to create a collage of your favorite sea creatures: octopus, clownfish, sea turtles and more. Afternoon camp will explore land and sea as you make a map of your favorite places, and how to get to there, using watercolor, pencils, markers, and fun papers.

A108AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A108PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

BIRDS / MILKY WAY / AUGUST 6

You will cut out shapes from magazines and use colored pencils to create pictures of flying animals. There could be birds, dragons or bats. Maybe you know a flying dog? The sky is the limit as you collage your way to fun. Afternoon class will explore outer space with collage and oil pastels to create a Universe of galactic wonders, as you learn about the solar system and your favorite planets.

A113AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

A113PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members



FRIDAYS: ADVENTURE CAMPS!

BEADS AND BEADING! / JUNE 26

Today campers will learn about different ways beads have been used, historically, as money, calculators, and of course for jewelry. Campers will have fun making things with beads, and playing counting games as they learn about color and how to string beads.

A104AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

MOBILES! / JUNE 26

Alexander Calder invented mobile sculptures in the 20th century. In this camp you will make your own mobile to take home using a variety of materials. You will try out different ways to balance your creations, as you experiment with different weights, colors and materials.

A104PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

TIE DYE TEES / JULY 24

Campers will be able to learn about ways to make their own colorful T-shirt to take home. Using twist and dip styles, taking turns, campers will create unique designs on their shirts. Class will make drawings with markers of different patterns as they play with design ideas.

A109AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

WONDERFUL WEAVING! / JULY 24

Campers will learn about weaving using paper and simple fibers. These playful art projects encourage mathematical thinking and dexterity, all while having fun. The beautiful creations will become treasures as colors and textures come together in these handiworks.

A109PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

CARDBOARD HOUSES / AUGUST 7

Cardboard is an amazing material for artists. Using chipboard and corrugated cardboard campers will build small houses to take home. These projects encourage resourcefulness and creative thinking as you create stairs, doors, windows and balconies. Then decorate your project and get ready to play with it!

A114AM26 (1 session) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

SCAVENGER HUNT / AUGUST 7

Campers will create their own scavenger hunt using things they have created in class. Weather permitting this will be played outdoors in our backyard. Campers will have fun as they learn to follow directions, make lists, and use their imaginations to see and think both inside and outside the box!

A114PM26 (1 session) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$49 Members / \$54 Non-members

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 8 - 12

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 or animals you have met or read about from around the world. Develop your animal comic characters, plan a storyline, and bring it to life with graphite pencils, markers, colored pencils, and paints. Enrollment limited to 16.

B200AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

MIXED MEDIA EXPLORATIONS

Let's combine different media to make artworks that sing! With drawing, paper arts, and water based paints you will see how to use materials in new and playful ways. You will use pencils, markers, oil pastels and watercolors and papers as you add layers to your artwork. Mix it up to express yourself. Enrollment limited to 16.

B200PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 2: June 15 - 19

POTTERY EXPLORERS

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 16.

B201AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$262 Members / \$291 Non-members

UNDERWATER SCENES

Using watercolors, colored pencils, collage papers and a variety of techniques you will create scenes and artworks of your favorite sea animals, pond dwellers, lake and river fish, and more. Subjects may include axolotls, turtles and frogs, reef fish, whales, mermaids, snails and more. Bring your imagination and be ready to dive into fun. Enrollment limited to 16.

B201PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members



Week 3: June 22 - 26

DRAWING SKILLS

Anything is possible with a pencil! You will create drawings with graphite and colored pencils, charcoal, oil pastels, and markers. Each medium will offer new creative avenues. Elements of art will be discovered as you begin with line drawings, then learn about shape, form, and color through shading. Each day will have a different focus and subject matter, from still lifes to animal portraits. Enrollment limited to 16.

B202AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

PAPER SCULPTURE

In this camp you will learn how to make paper, then use paper to sculpt and build 3D artworks. Paper is an amazing resilient, strong and flexible material. Your imagination will take ordinary paper and fold, bend, weave, cut and shape it into colorful creations. Projects will inspire you to see paper in a new light! Enrollment limited to 16.

B202PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4:00 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 4: June 29 - July 2

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Week 5: July 6 - 10

ART AROUND THE WORLD

Each day campers will learn about the art from a different country. Projects will use paint and materials that reflect what each place uses to create beautiful artworks from different lands and climates. These fun and colorful projects will be the vehicle to travel to new places and learn new things. Campers will make their own passports for these visits to remember their fun journey at art camp.

B203AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

SCULPTURE BASICS

Campers will learn about a new material each day from paper to wire, wood, cardboard, fabric and found objects. Projects will teach 3 dimensional thinking through hands-on works that encourage inventive and independent thinking. Campers will have the opportunity to see sculptures made by artists at the art center, and learn about the tools they use to make their artworks. Enrollment limited to 16.

B203PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members



Week 6: July 13 - 17

CLAY SEA CREATURES

Campers will take a dive into the world of ceramic art! Using clay to make a fish, a turtle or sea anemone, you will learn basic handbuilding techniques like rolling, coiling, arching and pinching. You might make a shark, a dolphin or a mermaid. This camp will help you create small versions of your favorite sea creatures. You might even make a conch shell or coral sculpture. Because of the bisque and glazed firing process, estimated pick up is three weeks after the class. Enrollment limited to 16.

B204AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$262 Members / \$291 Non-members

PAINTING WITH COLLAGE

Let's combine different media to make artworks with depth. Using drawing, paper arts, and water based paints you will see how to use materials in new and playful ways. You will use paper in new ways combined with pencil, markers, oil pastels, watercolors and more as you add layers to your artworks. Mix it up to express yourself! Enrollment limited to 16.

B204PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 7: July 20 - 24

FANTASTIC FUN CERAMICS

In this fun filled camp you will use your imagination to make clay projects like a Fairy or Toad House. You may make small buildings, dragons or flying cars. With handbuilding skills like coiling, you will be able to create things from your imagination that will come to life in clay. Colorful slips will help bring your favorite projects to life. Because of the firing process, estimated pick up for projects is three weeks after the camp. Some projects may not be fired but air dried and taken home sooner. Enrollment limited to 16.

B205AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$262 Members / \$291 Non-members

COMIC ARTS

Looking at examples of comic and cartoon characters will fuel your imagination. This camp will guide you as you create your own comic characters, scenarios, vehicles, animals, places and stories. Using graphite, colored pencils, markers, and water based paints your creations will come to life on the page. Have fun while you learn to develop your ideas into comics for yourself or to share with others. Enrollment limited to 16.

B205PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 8: July 27 - 31

WATERCOLOR FUN

Watercolor painting is a fluid, fascinating artform with many interesting techniques. With a focus on fun, play with watercolors as you dab, spot, and splash paint onto the special watercolor papers. You will experiment with effects and unexpected tools like string, soap, tissue paper, sponges and more. Enrollment limited to 16.

B206AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

MOSAICS AND MAZES

This camp will introduce you to the geometric and organic possibilities of fun. You will use tiles, glass beads, rocks and more in mosaic projects. You may make a decorative tile or flower pot. You will play with paper mosaics to make maps, mazes and other multimedia projects. Enrollment is limited to 16.

B206PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 9: August 3 - 7

FANTASY ARCHITECTURE

Adventure begins at Summer Arts Camp! Create a miniature treehouse, icehouse, igloo, adobe house, skatepark or swimming pool. This camp will show you how to create model habitats for any climate. You will use found objects, cardboard, duct tape, and your imagination as you create your favorite place to be. Enrollment limited to 16.

B207AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

PRINTS AND 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, create a textural plate from paper, yarn, leaves and more. Create a hand-drawn design that you turn into a print you can carve, ink and print yourself. Learn how to use printmaking tools to make multi-colored prints and patterns on paper or fabric. Enrollment limited to 16.

B207PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members



Week 10: August 10 - 14

DREAM WEAVERS

Learn the basics of weaving while having fun with fiber and mixed media. Practice plain weave and its basic "over and under" technique to weave with yarn, fabric scraps, ribbons, and paper. Learn how to warp and weave on a simple loom. Play with color and texture to weave one-of-a-kind mixed media art pieces. Sample projects are a woven basket for a mini felted creature and a "woven" painting made with watercolor artwork we paint, cut, and weave into something wonderful. Enrollment limited to 12.

B208AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

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. You will gain a sense of the special painting techniques and different qualities of each paint. Enrollment limited to 16.

B208PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 11: August 17 - 20*

ART IN COLOR

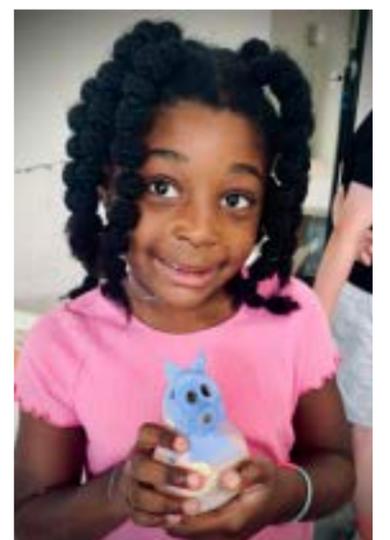
Your palette will be awash in color, from warm and cool to earth tones and metallics. In this camp, you will paint a still life in complementary colors and experiment with painting techniques like Impressionism and Pointillism. Landscapes and other subjects will be explored, as you use colorful effects to create Northern Lights or night skies. Enrollment is limited to 16. (*4 Day Camp)

B209AM26 (4 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$196 Members / \$216 Non-members

SMALL SCULPTURES CHIHULY STYLE

In this camp you will make small sculptures that look like glass but are not. You will learn about Dale Chihuly, the famous glass sculptor. Then, using a variety of materials, you will create your own small and fantastic sculptures. This is a fun way to end your summer arts camp explorations! Enrollment limited to 16. (*4 Day Camp)

B209PM26 (4 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$196 Members / \$216 Non-members



GROUP C: Art Camps for Ages 10-12

Week 1: June 8 - 12

MAKING WAVES ART

From seashells to surfers this camp offers summer subjects for water lovers. Using mixed media you will have prompts for projects using water based paints, oil pastels, and more to explore your favorite things about summer adventures at the water's edge. From lakeside to poolside, you will see how artists like David Hockney portray aquatic fun.

C300AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 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 16.

C300PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 2: June 15 - 19

MIXED MEDIA TREASURES

Create positivity through painting, collage, construction and assembly. This camp will help your imagination flow while you learn visual art skills. Projects like vision boards, hand painted canvas bags, and treasure boxes will help you to create inspirational art for yourself. We will take a look at works made by visionary artists that continue to uplift spirits throughout the world. Enrollment limited to 16.

C301AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

SEW WHAT?

You can make your clothes stand out by adding embroidery and appliques that you design yourself. Bring in a shirt or other item and learn about expressive sewing. Class will provide fabrics, colorful threads and fusible material. You will learn how to customize your clothing to make the everyday extraordinary. Projects will inspire you. Enrollment limited to 16.

C301PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members



Week 3: June 22 - 26

DRAWING ESSENTIALS

Explore drawing with sketching prompts. Each class will feature exercises and projects that help you to learn how to see and draw by understanding shading, dimension, expression, composition, contrast and other formal concepts. You will try different drawing mediums like graphite, charcoal, oil pastels and markers. Each day will have a different focus and different subject matter, from still lifes to portraits.

C302AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

CERAMIC GARDEN ART

Making handmade art for your garden, patio, or porch adds a lot to your summer fun. You will use handbuilding techniques like pinching and coiling, along with molds to create projects like fairy or birdhouses, small garden totems, or bells. Adding surface interest with colorful underglazes, or textural elements will add interesting details to your creative garden artworks. Because of the firing process, estimated pickup is three weeks after the class. Enrollment is limited to 12.

C302PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$262 Members / \$291 Non-members

Week 4: June 29 - July 2

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Week 5: July 6 - 10

CREATIVE COLLAGE

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 will explore découpage (French word for the art of cutting out and pasting cutouts on different surfaces). Projects include collage posters, paper accessories, and découpage 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 16.

C303AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 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 5 & 6: July 6 - 17

CERAMIC HAND & WHEEL (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.

C303PM26 (10 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$525 Members / \$582 Non-members

Week 6: July 13 - 17

POSH PRINTMAKING

You will learn how to take your drawings and turn them into templates for printmaking. Working with printmaking tools you will experiment with color, layering and repetition using your original ideas. With a variety of projects you will learn about how to make prints on both fabrics and paper creating unique artworks. Enrollment limited to 14.

C304AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 7: July 20 - 24

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 16.

C305AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

PLEIN AIR PAINTING

Painting in the great outdoors is both joyful and challenging. This class will work outside in our beautiful backyard as much as weather permits. You will learn to watch the light as it is everchanging the colors before you. Some time will be spent in the studio composing color schemes, and compositions. You will work with drawing boards and easels, oil pastels and acrylic paints, as you learn to paint en plein air, just like many great artists. Enrollment limited to 16. (Groups C & D)

C305PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 8: July 27 - 31

INSPIRED ILLUSTRATION

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 will 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 will 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 16.

C306AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

BOOKMAKING ARTS

Combine your creative skills with your writing or drawing skills in this fun camp. Starting with junk journals we will explore many kinds of handmade books. From accordion books to soft and hard covered books you will experiment and explore the different materials and styles of making unique one of a kind books. There are endless ways to tell a story or turn a page, come see what you can construct as you tell your own tales.

C306PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 9: August 3 - 7

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 16.

C307AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$255 Members / \$280 Non-members

CARDBOARD ADVENTURES

This sculpture class will show you some of the amazing things artists are doing with cardboard. Our adventures will take ordinary recycled cardboard and turn it into 3 dimensional sculptures. Projects will show you how to use tools to score, cut, bend, layer, glue and tape different kinds of cardboard to make fantastic things from your imagination! Bring your ideas to class and enjoy this flexible, durable and neutral material that is free all around you. You may take both cardboard camps for different projects. Enrollment limited to 16. (Groups C & D)

C307PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 10: August 10 - 14

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 16.

C308AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

THE ART OF WEAVING

Experiment with color, texture, and pattern in small-scale weavings. Using a simple frame loom, learn how to warp a loom and prepare a weft yarn for weaving. Sample different yarns, from smooth cotton to fuzzy wool to novelty acrylic blends in a rainbow of colors. Practice weaving techniques that celebrate design! Expand your horizons by weaving with non-traditional materials found in nature. Enrollment limited to 12. (Groups C & D)

C308PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 11: August 17 - 20*

PEN & INK EXPO

This is a fun, crash course on prompt-based illustration. Use both pen & ink and class-picked prompts generated by you to bring new life to your ideas and find what works best for you! Hone your artistic eye, learn ink-based techniques, and explore new ways to use inspiration in this drawing studio class. Enrollment limited to 16. (*4 Day Camp)

C309AM26 (4 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$196 Members / \$216 Non-members

SMALL GEMS PAINTING

This acrylic painting camp will focus on smaller paper and canvas projects. You will create intimate paintings using ideas of your own that you create from sketches made in class. Looking at works by other artists may inspire you or you may make your own set ups of still lifes, portraits or images. Looking deeper and painting smaller may intensify the details of your small gems. Enrollment limited to 16. (*4 Day Camp)

C309PM26 (4 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$196 Members / \$216 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 open windows to the broader art world. See page 11 for camp registration instructions.

Week 1: June 8 - 12

SPECIAL PROJECTS PAINTING

GROUPS C & D

This camp is for young people who love to paint and want to try more techniques. You may bring in your own ideas for special projects or make use of prompts from the artist - instructor. There will be some painting exercises but most of class time will be spent to complete more finished artworks of your own creation. Acrylic paint, canvases, paint, brushes, paper will all be provided. You will practice the art of painting and complete projects as you deepen your understanding of light, shadow, color, dimension, composition, and subject matter. Enrollment limited to 12. (Groups C & D)

D400AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

DRAWING STUDIO

Explore drawing with sketching prompts. Each class will offer projects that help you understand shading, dimension, expression, composition, contrast and other formal concepts. You will try your hand at still lifes, architectural drawing, shapes and forms, fantasy, self portraits, gallery artwork and more, while learning to see light and shadow. This is an experiential, open studio that offers personal feedback and group critiques. Enrollment limited to 12.

D400PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 2: June 15 - 19

ILLUSTRATION STUDIO

Let's find out how to illustrate a story. Begin with something that happened to you. Some examples will be shown in class to prompt you. You will draw your way with pens and watercolors as you tell your tale with mostly pictures. Adding words is an option but the focus will be on making your drawings show moods, actions, reactions, adventure, drama, and locations. Pages will be formatted into book style 'cells' as your story progresses. Last thing will be making a book cover to house this tale of your own making. This is a relaxed class with fantastic outcomes using pens, inks, watercolors and colored pencils. Enrollment limited to 12.

D401AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

EXPRESSIVE LANDSCAPES

Experiment with a variety of water-based painting techniques as you paint landscapes. Choose a color palette that will bring out the beauty of the scenes. There are so many ways to expressively apply paint to canvas, you will try out brush handling, painting with palette knives, and mark-making with sponges, paper, and more. Learn how color affects moods, size, perception. You will see examples of paintings from art history where artists used colors and brush work in expressive ways. Enrollment limited to 16. Registration open to 10-15 year olds. (Groups C & D)

D401PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 3: June 22 - 26

SKETCHBOOK STUDIO

Explore Impressionist painting If you have ever thought about creating your own custom sketchbooks or journals, this camp is for you. Explore the world of bookbinding and junk journaling with a variety of mediums and techniques, including paper-making, collage, ink, and more. Campers will learn how to create their own sketchbooks from cover to spine, ways to repurpose and customize existing books, and experiment with how to fill them. Enrollment limited to 16.

D402AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

STONE CARVING

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. Historical sculptures and artists will be referenced. Enrollment limited to 12. Registration open to 10-15 year olds. (Groups C & D)

D402PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$253 Members / \$280 Non-members

Week 5: July 6 - 10

CERAMIC STYLE

Personal things like soap dishes, trinket trays, votive holders, and artworks will be made by you, for you. Using handbuilding techniques you will create some things for your room and for yourself in this camp. You will learn about surface design techniques and patterns to create texture and interest, or add color to your creations. This is about your unique, personal style. Because of the firing process pick-up is three weeks after the class.

D403AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$262 Members / \$291 Non-members

STYLE REMIX

Upcycle your clothing into your own personal fashion statements. Bring clothing from home or use ours to incorporate materials into new outfits. Gain experience with patterns and basic sewing construction terms. Personalize with embroidery stitches, fabric painting and printing techniques. This is a fun camp for new ideas as you mix it up and recreate your clothing with style. Enrollment limited to 12. (Groups C & D)

D403PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$253 Members / \$280 Non-members



Week 6: July 13 - 17

CAFÉ STYLE SKETCHING

GROUPS C & D

Our palettes will 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 16. 'I prefer living in color,' David Hockney. (Groups C & D)

D404AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

CARDBOARD CRAZE

GROUPS C & D

This sculpture class will show you some amazing things artists are doing with cardboard. This flexible, durable and neutral material is free all around us. It comes in many formats: sheets, tubes, boxes, and can be cut, painted, stickered, scored, torn, bent, glued, taped. You get the idea so bring yourself, your ideas and your curiosity as we take cardboard sculpture to new heights. Enrollment limited to 16. (Groups C & D)

D404PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 7: July 20 - 24

COLOR SCHEMES

GROUPS C & D

This camp will focus on color studies with acrylic paint and oil pastels. You will learn about how colors relate and react in different combinations. Each day will begin with an exercise in color schemes. Then you will use what you learn in a painting of your own choice. Color theory can be fun especially when you apply it to a subject you love. You will learn about light, color, value, and hear some stories about colors that will amaze you. Enrollment limited to 16. (Groups C & D)

D405AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

TABLETOP CERAMIC TREASURES

GROUPS C & D

Explore the art of ceramics by making things to use everyday at your table. Starting with various handbuilding techniques you may use molds, pinch, coil, slab and other construction approaches to create bowls, small plates, mugs, vases, and more. You may design your own pattern or make each piece in a unique design. Examples from around the world will be explored as you create your own delightful pieces for home use. Because of the bisque and glaze firing process, estimated pick-up is three weeks after the camp. Enrollment limited to 12. (Groups C & D)

D405PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$262 Members / \$291 Non-members

Week 8: July 27 - 31

PORTRAIT EXPRESSIONS

Learning to paint people just takes practice. In this class each day will have prompts to get you making portraits of people around you or people you love. You will take a look at portraits by all kinds of artists. You may try a self portrait or animal portrait along the way. There are many ways to capture someone's special qualities, and painting is a fun way to do it. Composition, color, spontaneity, and lighting will be emphasized in this acrylic painting camp. Enrollment limited to 16. (Groups C & D)

D406AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

STONE CARVING

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. Historical sculptures and artists will be referenced. Enrollment limited to 12. Registration open to 10-15 year olds. (Groups C & D)

D406PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$253 Members / \$280 Non-members

Week 9: August 3 - 7

JEWELRY STUDIO

Just BEAD it! Create your own eye catching jewelry using an assortment of beads, threads, wires, findings and ideas. This camp will focus on a variety of beading techniques and kinds of beads. Projects may include bracelets, necklaces, earrings and rings. You will create unique pieces that will be fun to wear and share with others. Enrollment limited to 12.

D407AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

MIXED MEDIA DESIGN

Combining different mediums in the same artwork can create dynamic art pieces. This camp will play around with paint, collage and drawing to achieve layered effects. You will design illustrations in this camp that will explore stillness and motion through the use of multimedia techniques. Enrollment limited to 16.

D407PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 10: August 10 - 14

FIGURE DRAWING

This camp will have you at an easel observing people as subjects. You will learn to do quick sketches, gestural drawing, as well as more in depth studies. You will start out drawing, then use your sketches to create more careful artworks of people that will teach you patience, observation, and the fun of making special artworks with added details to personalize your work. This is a relaxed class that will change how you see others. Enrollment limited to 12.

D408AM26 (5 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

JAPANESE ART MIX

In this camp you will explore the use of pens, inks, watercolors, and papers as you learn about Japanese painting styles. Creating your own zen artworks as you see examples of both traditional and contemporary Japanese artworks along the way. This camp is a hands-on trip to Japan, as you learn about and experiment with new techniques and traditional methods. Enrollment limited to 16.

D408PM26 (5 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$245 Members / \$270 Non-members

Week 11: August 17 - 20*

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 16. (*4 Day Camp)

D409AM26 (4 sessions) 9 a.m. - Noon
\$196 Members / \$216 Non-members

ART OF ILLUSTRATION

Free up your imagination to draw your own characters, stories, settings and worlds. You will draw from your own experiences and personal interests to create characters and the places they live. Class will include prompts to jumpstart your development and worldbuilding. You will examine facial expressions, poses, backgrounds, settings and more. Experiment with shading, values, and lighting techniques to improve your drawings. This class will use a variety of pencils, pens, and markers. (*4 Day Camp)

D409PM26 (4 sessions) 1 - 4 p.m.
\$196 Members / \$216 Non-members



June 8-August 20

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 ends. 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 in person or by mail: 2240 North Shore Drive
Wayzata, MN 55391

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.

Payment must be made in full when you register. We accept Visa or Mastercard. Registrations will not be processed without full payment and completed paperwork.

Paperwork must be completed and submitted when you register.



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.

CANCELLATIONS

There will be a 10% 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
TUITION SUBTOTAL				
MEMBERSHIP (OPTIONAL)				
SUBTOTAL				
MINUS DISCOUNTS OR SCHOLARSHIPS				
TOTAL				

NEW TO CAMP? TELL US HOW YOU DISCOVERED THE ART CENTER? (PLEASE CIRCLE ONE)

WORD OF MOUTH • ADVERTISEMENT • WEB SEARCH • FACEBOOK • INSTAGRAM • TWITTER

ARTICLE • CATALOG MAILING • EVENT/EXHIBIT • RIDGEDALE • DRIVE BY

OTHER _____

METHOD OF PAYMENT CHECK # _____ VISA MASTERCARD

ACCOUNT # _____

EXP. DATE _____

CVV _____

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

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

Art Center Hours (Summer)

June 8 - August 20, 2026

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.



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Two blocks west of the Dakota Rail Regional Trail
About 1/2 mile from the Noerenberg Gardens



OUR MISSION

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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