

**SEPT-DEC 2025**

**CLASS CATALOG**

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**WHITE BEAR CENTER FOR THE ARTS**



MEMBERS' EXHIBITION



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FUTUROS  
POSIBLES

A FALL GROUP EXHIBIT AT  
WHITE BEAR CENTER FOR THE ARTS



JESUS LI, "FUTUROS POSIBLES"

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ARE ALWAYS  
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TO THE PUBLIC.**



MINNESOTA ARTISTS ASSOCIATION

# IN THE GALLERIES



## "Futuros Posibles / Possible Futures"

Sep 11-Oct 31, 2025

In the Ford Family Gallery

What if Latin American cultures had developed, all the way through our contemporary times, without the impact of colonization? One could marvel at how the languages, traditions, and spiritual beliefs could have evolved along with the advent of new technologies. This exhibition honors the artists' Latin cultural backgrounds while infusing them with a reimagined and current perspective. *Find related programming starting on page 6.*

**Curators:** Maria Jose Castillo, Co-Curator, Alondra Garza, Co-Curator, William Franklin, Curatorial Advisor.

**Artists:** Jesús Li, Savannah Bustillo, Ivonne Yáñez, Andrés Pérez, Alondra Garza, María José Castillo, Victoria Eidelsztein

### Opening Reception:

Thursday, Sep 11, 2025, 6:00-8:00 PM

Curator/artist panel at 7:00 PM



## "Minnesota Artists Association Fall Juried Exhibition"

Minnesota Artists Association (MAA)

Sep 25-Oct 31, 2025

In the Exhibition Hall and Atrium

Founded in 1937 during the Great Depression, the MAA is Minnesota's original art organization, showcasing work in all media, including sculpture, painting, drawing, photography and more.

### Opening Reception:

Thursday, Sep 25, 2025, 6:00-8:00 PM

## "Indoors Outdoors"

Sep 17-Oct 25, 2025

In the Community Hall

Dan Mackerman's 'alla prima' oil paintings from the North Country.

*Find classes with Dan on pages 16 & 35.*

## "WBCA Members' Exhibition"

Nov 17, 2025-Jan 23, 2026

In the Ford Family Gallery, Exhibition Hall, & Atrium

WBCA members ages 16 + can submit their work to the annual Members' Exhibition, a non-juried show with all submissions displayed in the Ford Family Gallery, Exhibition Hall, and Atrium. 2D and 3D media are welcome. Want to show your work? Learn about membership on page 46.

## "WBCA Members' Exhibition Jr."

Nov 17, 2025-Jan 23, 2026

In the Community Hall

NEW

WBCA invites young members, ages 6 to 15, of all levels and abilities to submit their 2D artwork.

### CALL FOR ENTRY:

Sep 4-Oct 24, 2025

### Members' Exhibition Community Reception:

Thursday, Dec 4, 2025,

4:00-8:00 PM

Remarks at 7:00 PM

## "The Mixed Effect:" A Mixed Media Arts Exhibition

Feb 9-March 27, 2026

In the Exhibition Hall

White Bear Center for the Arts presents a mixed media exhibition featuring regional emerging and established artists, curated by a panel of Twin Cities artists.

CALL FOR ENTRY: Nov 5-Dec 15, 2025

## 52nd Annual Northern Lights Juried Art Exhibition

Feb 16-March 27, 2026

In the Ford Family Gallery

The Northern Lights Juried Art Exhibition shines as a celebration of regional artists, showcasing their artistic talents in a variety of mediums.

CALL FOR ENTRY: Dec 1, 2025-Jan 9, 2026

Visit [WhiteBearArts.org/call-for-entries](https://WhiteBearArts.org/call-for-entries)

# WELCOME TO THE CLASS CATALOG

Dear Friends,

This catalog is the first to carry White Bear Center for the Arts' new logo: a symbol of possibility, creativity, and transformation. The open rectangle you'll see throughout these pages is more than a shape; it's a fresh canvas, a blank page, a bare pedestal. It represents the limitless potential that lives within WBCA, waiting for you to make your mark.

We always see registration leap in September, and we're looking forward to welcoming everyone to WBCA Homecoming Week, a heartfelt invitation for students and alumni to return, reflect, and support the programs and mediums they love most. It's a time to celebrate the artistic journeys nurtured here and to ensure they continue for future creators.

We'll cap off the year with our beloved Members' Exhibition which starts in November, a vibrant showcase of the many mediums our community explores. It's a chance for students to take what they've learned in the classroom and see it honored in the gallery, a powerful reminder of how art comes alive at WBCA. If you're not a member yet, consider joining and sharing your talents with our community!

Thank you for being part of WBCA's evolving story.

*Christopher Scholl*  
Executive Director



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WBCA Executive Director

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## SKILL LEVELS

**ALL LEVELS:** All students from beginner to advanced are welcome. The teaching artist provides balanced and responsive instruction suitable for participants at any experience level.

**BEGINNING 1:** Students have little to no experience with the medium and would like step-by-step instruction throughout class. Teaching artists will cover the basics of the medium.

**BEGINNING 2:** Students have some experience, having taken at least one class in this medium. Teaching artists will provide guidance during class, and students will continue to learn the foundations of the medium.

**INTERMEDIATE:** Students are comfortable with the medium. They will receive some guidance from the teaching artist, as well as time to work independently.

**ADVANCED:** Students have taken multiple classes in the medium and are confident in their abilities. Students are self-motivated and interested in developing their artistic voice.

# EVENTS

## Bald Eagle Art Crawl

WBCA is proud to participate in this self-guided lakeside art tour, featuring WBCA artists alongside local creatives. Enjoy art, music, and community as Bald Eagle Lake homeowners open their lawns to celebrate the arts. Original artwork will be available for purchase.

**Saturday, Sep 13 11:00 AM-5:00 PM**

Find more info at [www.belarts.org](http://www.belarts.org)

## Winter Solstice Labyrinth Experience

*Lisa Moriarty*

Celebrate the longest night of the year with stories, poetry, darkness and light. Walk an indoor labyrinth, weather permitting you may also walk the outdoor labyrinth.

**Friday, Dec 19, 6:00-7:30 PM**

ID: 64593

\$10 Member/Non-Member

Adults, All Levels

## Winter Open House 2026

Save the date for one of our favorite traditions of the year! Enjoy creative activities and connect with our vibrant art community. Stay tuned for more details to come.

**Saturday, Jan 17, 2026, 1:00-3:00 PM**

ID: 64933

Free with Registration

All Ages

**Find a labyrinth class with Lisa Moriarty on page 30.**

## Writer's Speak: An Open Mic Night for the Community

FREE

Join fellow writers for an open mic night to share your latest work, test new ideas, or soak in the words around you. Please register in advance and let us know if you'd like to read. Readings should be under five minutes.

**Wednesday, Oct 1, 6:00-8:00 PM**

ID: 64803

Free with registration (\$20 suggested donation)

Adults, Teens 14+

**Tuesday, Dec 2, 6:00-8:00 PM**

ID: 64808

Free with registration (\$20 suggested donation)

Adults, Teens 14+

## Free Events Sponsored by Rice Creek Watershed District

NEW

Through a grant appropriation from the Rice Creek Watershed District, these events are available at no cost to participants. Join us in exploring water conscious ways to care for our land and community.

## Turning the Tide: Art and Action

*Dallas Rising*

FREE

Gather trash from a local polluted waterway while connecting with the water, land, and wildlife who call the area home. Learn about watershed conservation from a local expert, then transform the collected materials into meaningful art. Limited spots available.

**Friday, Sep 19, 9:00 AM-4:00 PM**

ID: 63985

Free with registration

All ages (kids under 12 must be accompanied by an adult), All Levels

Location: WBCA & White Bear Lake County Park (5050 Lake Ave, White Bear Lake, MN)

## No-Dig + Hügelkultur Gardening

*Michelle Bruhn*

FREE

Discover what no-dig gardening looks like for home gardeners, from building garden beds to harvesting and preparing for winter. Learn how small changes can improve soil health and plant growth including layering organic materials to build a Hügelkultur bed.

**Tuesday, Sep 23, 6:30-8:00 PM**

ID: 64023

All ages, children must attend with an adult, All Levels

Free with registration

## Matrix Garden Design

*Kyle Manley*

FREE

Learn how to create resilient, low-maintenance landscapes using native garden plants and matrix planting techniques. We'll cover design principles, plant selection, and practical installation tips tailored to the Upper Midwest.

**Friday, Dec 12, 3:00-5:00 PM**

ID: 65133

Free with registration

Adults

# CLASSES

## YOUTH

### Youth Wheel Throwing

In this beginner-friendly class, learn to shape cups, bowls, and plates on the potter's wheel while laying down a foundation for wheel throwing, trimming, and surface design.

#### **MONDAYS WITH MADDIE ALTHOFF**

**4 Mondays, Sep 8-29, 4:15-6:15 PM**

ID: C65093

\$144 Member/\$180 Non-Member  
Ages 8-14, All Levels

**4 Mondays, Oct 20-Nov 10,  
4:15-6:15 PM**

ID: C65098

\$144 Member/\$180 Non-Member  
Ages 8-14, All Levels

#### **THURSDAYS WITH MARGIE JONES**

**4 Thursdays, Sep 18-Oct 9,  
3:45-5:45 PM**

ID: C64388

\$144 Member/\$180 Non-Member  
Ages 8-14, All Levels

**4 Thursdays, Oct 16-Nov 6,  
3:45-5:45 PM**

ID: C64393

\$144 Member/\$180 Non-Member  
Ages 8-14, All Levels

**4 Thursdays, Nov 13-Dec 11,  
3:45-5:45 PM**

No class Nov 27

ID: C64398

\$144 Member/\$180 Non-Member  
Ages 8-14, All Levels

### Bug Luminary

*Beth Lunsford*

Create a glowing clay luminary inspired by your favorite bug—real or imagined!

**Saturday, Sep 20, 12:30-2:30 PM**

ID: C64423

\$44 Member/\$54 Non-Member  
Ages 6-11

### Family Apple Cups

*Rhea O'Shion*

**NEW**

Make memories with the whole family while creating apple-shaped cups using the pinch pot method. Add color and a handle to make the perfect cup for sipping hot apple cider together on a cozy fall day.

**Saturday, Sep 27, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: C64413

\$46 Member/\$58 Non-Member  
Ages 8+

### Clay Giraffe

*Beth Lunsford*

Have fun making your very own giraffe friends with long necks and tongues using pinch pots and coils!

**Saturday, Nov 15, 12:30-2:30 PM**

ID: C64418

\$44 Member/\$54 Non-Member  
Ages 6-11

### Pumpkin Lanterns

*Rhea O'Shion*

Get into the spirit by creating a custom handmade pumpkin lantern perfect for the holidays, or any time of year! Start by shaping a bowl into a pumpkin, carve in a face or design, then add a stem and color for detail.

**Saturday, Oct 11, 9:30 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: C64408

\$46 Member/\$58 Non-Member  
Ages 8+

### Sweet Treats Made of Clay

*Maddie Althoff*

**NEW**

Make your favorite sweet treat out of clay. Learn how to handbuild your favorite desserts like cookies, cakes, cupcakes, and more! All projects are made out of clay and are not edible.

**Saturday, Nov 8, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: C64403

\$46 Member/\$58 Non-Member  
Ages 8-14, All Levels



## Parent/Child Clay Exploration

*Margie Jones*

Listen to an inspirational story, then create a clay project together while learning basic handbuilding techniques. One registration per adult/child pair.

### APPLE PIE TREE

Saturday, Sep 20, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

ID: C64463

\$46 Member/\$58 Non-Member

Ages 5-8 with an Adult

### MONSTER MADNESS

Saturday, Oct 18, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

ID: C64468

\$46 Member/\$58 Non-Member

Ages 5-8 with an Adult

### GET SQUIRRELY!

Saturday, Nov 22, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

ID: C64473

\$46 Member/\$58 Non-Member

Ages 5-8 with an Adult

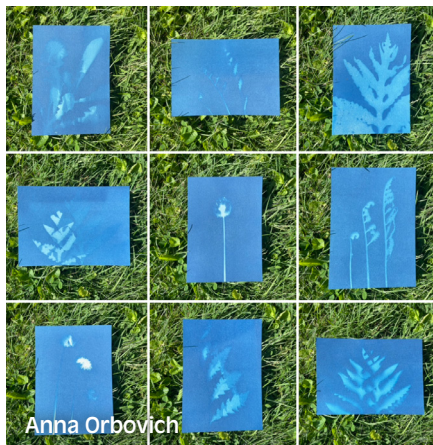
### FOX'S DREAM

Saturday, Dec 13, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

ID: C64478

\$46 Member/\$58 Non-Member

Ages 5-8 with an Adult



## Parent/Child: Cat and Pumpkin Luminary

*Beth Lunsford*

Create a festive cat and pumpkin luminary. Form the shapes using slab building techniques, paint your pieces, and take them home to be the perfect seasonal decorations.

Saturday, Oct 11, 12:30-2:30 PM

ID: C64483

\$46 Member/\$58 Non-Member

Ages 5-8 with an Adult

## Sun Printing with Cyanotypes for Families

*Anna Orbovich*



Discover the magic of cyanotypes—a non-toxic sun printing process that turns natural objects into blue-and-white-toned prints. Spend time both in the studio and outdoors as you experiment, create a series of prints, and learn from hands-on demos. Please come prepared with weather-appropriate clothing.

Saturday, Sep 13, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

ID: 65018

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Children 6+, All Levels



## Story Time, Draw and Paint

*Beth Lunsford*

Enjoy a morning of fun that includes story time and a book-themed art experience. Each child must be accompanied by a parent/guardian; one registration per child/adult pair.

### POLAR BEAR

Saturday, Sep 20, 10:00-11:30 AM

ID: 65048

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

Ages 4-6 with a Parent/Guardian

### ERIK CARL

Saturday, Oct 11, 10:00-11:30 AM

ID: 65053

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

Ages 4-6 with a Parent/Guardian

### THE SQUIRREL STORY

Saturday, Dec 6, 10:00-11:30 AM

ID: 65058

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

Ages 4-6 with a Parent/Guardian

## Paint Date: It's Snowing

*Swetha Avula*

A parent-child paint date is a fun, creative way for families to bond while exploring their artistic side. Work together with step-by-step guidance to create a beautiful, cohesive painting.

Saturday, Nov 1, 2:00-4:00 PM

ID: 63960

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$20 material fee/pair payable to instructor

Adults and Children 8+, All Levels

## Teen Writers Speak: An Open Mic Night for Teens



Join fellow writers for an open mic night just for teens. Share your latest work, test new ideas, or soak in the words around you. Please register in advance and let us know if you'd like to read. Readings should be under five minutes. This event is for teens but adults are encouraged to attend.

**Thursday, Nov 6, 6:00-8:00 PM**

ID: 64913

Free with registration (\$20 suggested donation)

Teens 12+

## The Pen and Ink Society: A Writing Club for Teens



*Amber Guetebier*

Come hang with fellow writers, talk about the writing process, get inspiration, and write! Each session will start with a writing prompt and discussing a facet of creative writing. Bring your journal and pen (or favorite writing instrument).

**7 Thursdays Sep-Dec, 4:30-6:00 PM**

**Sep 18, Oct 2 & 23, Nov 6 & 20**

**Dec 4 & 18**

ID: 65028

Free with Registration (\$20 suggested donation)

Teens 12-18

## Practical Horror Writing for Teens

*Amber Guetebier*

Who doesn't love a good horror story? We'll explore some classic elements of the genre, then spend time writing our own. Prompts, games, and flickering candles galore!

**Saturday, Oct 25, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 65043

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member

Teens 12-18

## Club Create: A Teen Art Club

*Leslie Perrine*



This is a chance for teens to get together and be creative in a relaxed, instructor-led environment, bring your own art projects to work on, or try a new art project introduced each month. Materials will be provided but students are welcome to bring their own to work with.

**Thursdays, 4:00-6:00 PM**

**Sep 11 & 25, Oct 9 & 23,**

**Nov 13, Dec 11**

ID: 65158

Free with Registration (\$20 suggested tuition)

Teens 12-18

## Zines and Chap Books for Teens!

*Savannah Bustillo*



Learn foundational skills in bookbinding to make five sewn and folded book structures. There will be time to play with your own stories, narratives, and ideas to fill your DIY books. You'll walk away with the skills to make your own zines and chapbooks.

**Saturday, Nov 22, 10:00 AM-3:00 PM**

ID: C65068

\$116 Member/Non-Member

Teens 13+, Beginning 1

## Spooky Stories—A One-Page Zine Workshop for Teens

*Leslie Perrine*

Create your own ghost story, monster tale, or otherwise spooky creation to share. Teens will learn the basics of creating a one-page zine, and write and illustrate a short fiction or nonfiction story to go in it. Students will then make copies of their zines to swap with each other and take home.

**Tuesday, Oct 28, 4:30-6:30 PM**

ID: 64513

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

Teens 11-18, All Levels

## Twisted Fairy Tales for Teens

*Amber Guetebier*

What's your favorite fairy tale? We'll work together as a class to dissect some of the classic tenets of a fairy tale, then spend time upending it. The result: a new way of exploring lore—both that of society and of ourselves.

**Saturday, Sep 20, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 65038

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member

Teens 12-18

**Scholarships are available!**

**Call WBCA at 651-407-0597  
or email**

**wbca@whitebeararts.org**



## ARTIST DEVELOPMENT & WELLNESS

### Studio Coffee

Neil Johnston

FREE

At Studio Coffee, Neil Johnston leads conversations on all topics related to art making: studio practice, marketing, philosophy, and more. Everyone is welcome, no experience necessary.

**Fridays, Sep 5-Dec 19, 9:30-10:30 AM**

ID: 63744

Free (\$20 suggested donation)

Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

### Artist to Artist

No Instructor

FREE

Artist to Artist is a space to come together and create. Bring your own project and supplies, and connect with like-minded artists.

Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for dates and times.

ID: 65088

FREE for Members/\$20 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 14+, Under 14 with an Adult

### Mabon Medicines: Being Deeply Rooted

Gigi Stafne

Reconnect with your seasonal self and embrace the rhythm of autumn through traditional and contemporary plant medicine. Explore earth element energetics, seasonal transitions, and practices that support health, happiness, and harmony.

**Wednesday, Oct 15, 12:00-3:00 PM**

ID: 63759

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$20 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

### Creating a Sacred Space or Sanctuary

Gigi Stafne

Create a personal sanctuary that offers calm, clarity, and renewal. Explore northern perspectives on land energies and the art of sacred space-making. Learn to use herbs, plants, and colors to evoke harmony and protection in your home or chosen sacred space.

**Wednesday, Nov 12, 12:00-3:00 PM**

ID: 64018

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$20 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

### Sound Bath Meditation

Terrie Arfi

Experience the healing vibrations of crystal singing bowls in this peaceful meditation. The frequencies and sounds produced by the bowls help reduce stress, release emotional tension, and promote deep relaxation. Wear comfortable clothing and bring a yoga mat, pillow, and light blanket.

**FALL EQUINOX SOUND BATH:  
HONORING THE FOUR DIRECTIONS**

**Monday, Sep 22, 7:00-8:00 PM**

ID: 61541

\$15 Member/Non-Member

Adults

**WINTER SOLSTICE SOUND BATH  
& BURN CEREMONY**

**Thursday, Dec 18, 6:00-7:00 PM**

ID: 61546

\$15 Member/Non-Member

Adults



## Soap Making

*John Hanson*

Learn how traditional bar soap has been made for thousands of years in this demonstration and lecture. Due to the use of lye, this class is observation only. Each student will take home three bars of finished soap.

**Wednesday, Nov 12, 6:00-8:30 PM**

ID: 64043

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$5 payable to instructor

Adults, Ages 10+ with an Adult, All

Levels



Jeni O'Brien



Leila Denecke

## CLAY

### Tile Making

*Alex Chinn*

Explore various ways to make and decorate tiles using a slab roller. Cover drying techniques, and how to keep the tiles flat. Learn brushwork, inlay, mishima, sgraffito and more. Bring a scaled drawing or image to render on your tiles.

**8 Fridays, Sep 12-Oct 31,  
10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: C64288

\$340 Member/\$425 Non-Member

Adults, All Levels

### Teapot Workshop

*Leila Denecke*

Learn to throw all the different parts of a teapot—from the body and lid, to the spout and handle. Then, after trimming them, assemble them into a functional piece. Add some teacups for a complete set.

**5 Tuesdays, Oct 14-Nov 11,  
1:30-4:00 PM**

ID: C64293

\$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member

Adults, Beginning 2 to Advanced

### Pocket-Sized Treasures

*Jeni O'Brien*

Bring your small-scale visions to life. Whether you want to sculpt tiny pets and houses, or feathers and acorns, learn the handbuilding techniques and fine detail work to do it.

**2 Tuesdays, Sep 9, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM  
& Sep 16, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: C64308

\$65 Member/\$81 Non-Member

Adults, All Levels

NEW

### Glaze Techniques

*Rob Lieder*

Learn to glaze like a pro as you explore techniques like layering, spraying, underglaze, and resist methods. Bring some bisque-fired pots to decorate together before they head to the kiln.

**Saturday, Oct 18, 1:00-3:30 PM**

ID: C65063

\$38 Member/\$48 Non-Member

Adults, All levels

**Saturday, Nov 15, 1:00-3:30 PM**

ID: C65068

\$38 Member/\$48 Non-Member

Adults, All levels



## Raku and Smoke Firing

Alex Chinn

Spend a morning taking advantage of our easy lift raku kiln and a dry stack smoke kiln. Bring your bisque-fired pieces ready to fire. Come to the information session to discuss the process and materials. See the online description for more information.

**Info Session: Friday, Sep 12,  
1:30-2:30 PM**

**Firing: Saturday, Sep 27,  
10:00 AM-1:00 PM**

ID: C64313

\$62 Member/ \$77 Non-Member  
Adults, Beginning 2 to Advanced

**Info Session: Friday, Sep 26,  
1:30-2:30 PM**

**Firing: Saturday, Oct 25,  
10:00 AM-1:00 PM**

ID: C64318

\$62 Member/ \$77 Non-Member  
Adults, Beginning 2 to Advanced

## Throw a Sushi Tray

Leila Denecke

Using a basic cylinder, learn to alter your pottery to make a functional sushi tray. If you've taken a basic wheel throwing class, you're ready to roll.

**3 Tuesdays, Nov 18-Dec 2,  
1:30-4:00 PM**

ID: C64298

\$127 Member/\$158 Non-Member  
Adults, Beginning 2 to Advanced



Alex Chinn

## How to Make Plates

Maddie Althoff

NEW

Learn to throw plates on the potter's wheel. Go over techniques for throwing and trimming plates, including how to prevent cracking during drying.

**4 Wednesdays, Oct 8-29,  
6:00-8:30 PM**

ID: C64303

\$170 Member/\$212 Non-Member  
Adults, Beginning 2 to Advanced

## Throwing Small Pots

Alex Chinn

NEW

Learn to throw small forms "off the hump," where you center a large amount of clay on the wheel, but only the amount needed is used. As each pot is formed, it's removed, and the next is started. Perfect for working in repetition without centering each piece. Explore shot, salt, and sauce vessels.

**4 Fridays, Nov 7- Dec 5,  
10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

No Class Nov 28

ID: C64793

\$170 Member/\$212 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate to Advanced



## CLAY CLUB

### Queer Clay Club

FREE

Queer folks deserve spaces of belonging and expression. Queer Clay Club is a space for all gender identities, gender expressions, and sexual orientations to create and express through clay. Meet a group of queer-identifying people and play with clay through independent projects and group projects. No clay experience is required.

**Wednesdays, Sep-Dec,  
4:00-6:00 PM**

Pay What You Can (\$40 per class  
suggested tuition)  
Ages 13+, All Levels

**Members save money  
on class tuition and  
get early access to  
registration**

**See page 46 for  
details.**



## Clay Pumpkin Jar

*Beth Lunsford*

Pinch your way to a fun, festive clay pumpkin! Choose to keep it as a jar or turn it into a glowing luminary.

**Wednesday, Sep 10, 6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: C64338

\$50 Member/\$62 Non-Member  
Adults, Beginning 1 & 2

## Clay Cat and Pumpkin Sculpture

*Beth Lunsford*

Sculpt an adorable cat perched on (or peeking out of) a festive pumpkin, perfect for autumn decor. Keep it as a simple decoration or turn it into a charming luminary.

**Wednesday, Oct 8, 6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: C64343

\$50 Member/\$62 Non-Member  
Adults, Beginning 1 & 2

## Leaf Bowls

*Rhea O'Shion*

Celebrate the warm colors of fall with leaf bowls or trays—large or small, you can do it all. Form the leaf shape, add colors, and carve or Sgraffito details into your creation.

**Saturday, Oct 25, 1:00-3:30 PM**

ID: C64333

\$45 Member/\$56 Non-Member  
All Ages, Beginning 1 & 2



Rhea O'Shion

## Gnome Sculpture

*Beth Lunsford*

**NEW**

Design and hand-build your very own gnome sculpture. Learn basic handbuilding and decorating techniques in this seasonal workshop.

**Wednesday, Nov 5, 6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: C64348

\$50 Member/\$62 Non-Member  
Adults, Beginning 1 & 2

## Cookie Platter

*Rhea O'Shion*

Cookies are the best part of the season! Create a cookie platter that reflects your favorite treats and enjoy a one-of-a-kind piece to celebrate the fall.

**Saturday, Nov 15, 9:30 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: C64323

\$45 Member/\$56 Non-Member  
Adults, Beginning 1 & 2



Rhea O'Shion

## Clay Plate and Ornaments

*Beth Lunsford*

Have fun making and decorating festive clay trees for the holidays. Using white clay and slab-building techniques, you'll create unique tree forms and learn how to apply clay transfers (aka "clay tattoos") for a personal touch.

**Wednesday, Dec 3, 6:00-8:30 PM**

ID: C64353

\$48 Member/\$59 Non-Member  
Adults, Beginning 1 & 2

## Hot Chocolate Cups

**NEW**

*Rhea O'Shion*

Create your own coiled cup with personalized colors and designs perfect for a steaming cup of cocoa. Bring a friend or make one here while learning a new skill.

**Saturday, Dec 6, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: C64328

\$45 Member/\$56 Non-Member  
All Ages, All Levels



## Beginning Pottery

New to the potter's wheel or want to revisit the fundamentals of thrown pottery? Learn the skills and process to transform a lump of clay into incredible functional forms.

Adults, Beginning 1 & 2

### WEDNESDAY EVENING WITH KATIE REEVES

5 Wednesdays, Sep 3-Oct 1,  
6:30-9:00 PM

ID: C64358

\$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member

5 Wednesdays, Oct 15-Nov 12,  
6:30-9:00 PM

ID: C64363

\$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member

5 Wednesdays, Nov 19-Dec 17,  
6:30-9:00 PM

ID: C64368

\$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member

### TUESDAY EVENINGS WITH ROB LIEDER

5 Tuesdays, Sep 9-Oct 7, 6:00-8:30 PM

ID: C64373

\$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member

5 Tuesdays, Oct 14-Nov 11,  
6:00-8:30 PM

ID: C64378

\$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member

5 Tuesdays, Nov 18-Dec 16,  
6:00-8:30 PM

ID: C64383

\$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member



## Functional Handbuilding

*Rob Lieder*

Do you love making functional pots, but don't want to hunch over a pottery wheel to make them? Learn to make utilitarian objects using the primary method of hand-building.

Adults, Beginning 1 & 2

4 Mondays, Sep 11-Oct 2,  
10:00 AM-12:30 PM

ID: C64923

\$170 Member/\$212 Non-Member

4 Mondays, Oct 30-Nov 20,  
10:00 AM-12:30 PM

ID: C64928

\$170 Member/\$212 Non-Member



# MONTHLY CLAY CLASSES

Come experience our vibrant clay community! Our classes are guided by the creative input of our students, shaping the course's direction and encouraging the exploration of exciting clay techniques, whether on or off the wheel. Work at your own pace and learn through both individual and group demonstrations. Each instructor brings a unique artistic perspective to the classroom. All materials and supplies included.

Unless otherwise noted, age/skill level: Adults, 16+, All Levels

*\*Beyond the Basics with Leila Denecke is a wheel throwing class for intermediate to advanced students. All other classes listed here are for all levels.*

## September

<b>Mondays</b>	<b>Monday Morning with Adam Gruetzmacher</b>	<b>Monday Afternoon with Adam Gruetzmacher</b>	<b>Monday Evening with Rob Lieder</b>
	5 Mondays, Sep 8-Oct 6, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM ID: C64148 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member	5 Mondays, Sep 8-Oct 6, 1:30-4:00 PM ID: C64163 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member	5 Mondays, Sep 8-Oct 6, 6:30-9:00 PM ID: C64178 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member
<b>Tuesdays</b>	<b>Tuesday Afternoon with Adam Gruetzmacher</b>	<b>Tuesday Evening with Adam Gruetzmacher</b>	<b>Beyond the Basics with Leila Denecke*</b>
	5 Tuesdays, Sep 2-30, 2:00-4:30 PM ID: C64193 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member	5 Tuesdays, Sep 2-30, 6:00-8:30 PM ID: C64208 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member	5 Tuesdays, Sep 2-30, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM ID: C64273 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member
<b>Wednesdays</b>	<b>Wednesday Morning with Alex Chinn</b>		<b>Wednesday Afternoon with Alex Chinn</b>
	8 Wednesdays, Sep 11-Oct 29, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM ID: C64223 \$338 Member/\$402 Non-Member		8 Wednesdays, Sep 11-Oct 29, 1:00-3:30 PM ID: C64233 \$338 Member/\$402 Non-Member
<b>Thursdays</b>	<b>Thursday Afternoon with Adama Sow</b>		<b>Thursday Evening with Adama Sow</b>
	4 Thursdays, Sep 4-25, 1:00-3:30 PM ID: C64243 \$170 Member/\$212 Non-Member		4 Thursdays, Sep 4-25, 6:00-8:30 PM ID: C64258 \$170 Member/\$212 Non-Member

# October

Mondays	Monday Morning with Adam Gruetzmacher	Monday Afternoon with Adam Gruetzmacher	Monday Evening with Rob Lieder
	5 Mondays, Oct 20-Nov 17, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM ID: C64153 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member	5 Mondays, Oct 20-Nov 17, 1:30-4:00 PM ID: C64168 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member	5 Mondays, Oct 20-Nov 17, 6:30-9:00 PM ID: C64183 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member

Tuesdays	Tuesday Afternoon with Adam Gruetzmacher	Tuesday Evening with Adam Gruetzmacher	Beyond the Basics with Leila Denecke*
	4 Tuesdays, Oct 7-28, 2:00-4:30 PM ID: C64198 \$170 Member/\$212 Non-Member	4 Tuesdays, Oct 7-28, 6:00-8:30 PM ID: C64213 \$170 Member/\$212 Non-Member	6 Tuesdays, Oct 7-Nov 11, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM ID: C64278 \$254 Member/\$318 Non-Member

Thursdays	Thursday Afternoon with Adama Sow	Thursday Evening with Adama Sow
	5 Thursdays, Oct 2-30, 1:00-3:30 PM ID: C64248 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member	5 Thursdays, Oct 2-30, 6:00-8:30 PM ID: C64263 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member

# November

Mondays	Monday Morning with Adam Gruetzmacher	Monday Afternoon with Adam Gruetzmacher	Monday Evening with Rob Lieder
	4 Mondays, Nov 24-Dec 15, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM ID: C64158 \$170 Member/\$212 Non-Member	4 Mondays, Nov 24-Dec 15, 1:30-4:00 PM ID: C64173 \$170 Member/\$212 Non-Member	4 Mondays, Nov 24-Dec 15, 6:30-9:00 PM ID: C64188 \$170 Member/\$212 Non-Member

Tuesdays	Tuesday Afternoon with Adam Gruetzmacher	Tuesday Evening with Adam Gruetzmacher	Beyond the Basics with Leila Denecke*
	7 Tuesdays, Nov 4-Dec 16, 2:00-4:30 PM ID: C64203 \$297 Member/\$372 Non-Member	7 Tuesdays, Nov 4-Dec 16, 6:00-8:30 PM ID: C64218 \$297 Member/\$372 Non-Member	5 Tuesdays, Nov 18-Dec 16, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM ID: C64283 \$212 Member/\$266 Non-Member

## Wednesdays

## Wednesday Morning with Alex Chinn

6 Wednesdays, Nov 5-Dec 10, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM

ID: C64228

\$254 Member/\$318 Non-Member

## Wednesday Afternoon with Alex Chinn

6 Wednesdays, Nov 5-Dec 10, 1:00-3:30 PM

ID: C64238

\$254 Member/\$318 Non-Member

## Thursdays

## Thursday Afternoon with Adama Sow

6 Thursdays, Nov 6-Dec 18, 1:00-3:30 PM

ID: C64253

\$254 Member/\$318 Non-Member

## Thursday Evening with Adama Sow

6 Thursdays, Nov 6-Dec 18, 6:00-8:30 PM

ID: C64268

\$254 Member/\$318 Non-Member



## Individual Clay Open Studio

This class is open to students experienced enough to work independently in ceramics. This is meant for independent work time, instructors and staff will only be present for limited assistance. Clay, glazes, and firings are included for projects completed during open studio hours. All work created outside of WBCA must go through our Clay Services program. Please see our website for more information. Open studio times vary from month to month and will be posted online. To register online, email or call 651-407-0597. Paying in advance reserves your spot.

**Tuition:** \$42 Member/\$52 Non-Member (Per Session), \$15 if enrolled in regular clay class

**Age/Skill Level:** Adults, Teens 16+, Experienced Beginner to Advanced

## Clay Services

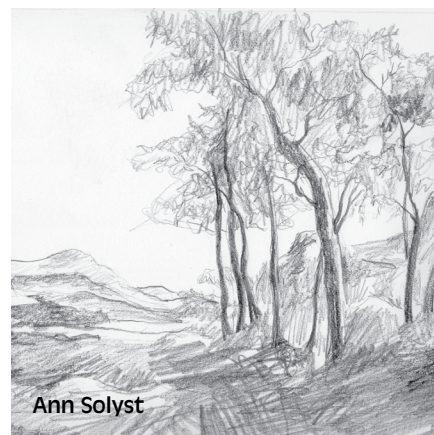
No kiln? No problem. With WBCA's clay services, you can purchase clay and glazes to use at home, and then fire them at WBCA—perfect for hobby potters looking to keep creating outside the studio. See [WhiteBearArts.org/clay](http://WhiteBearArts.org/clay) for information on clay and glaze purchases.



Sue Swanson



Aryn Lill



Ann Solyst

## DRAWING

### Zentangle Style Drawing

*Sue Swanson*

Do you love doodling and want to learn some new patterns? Tangling and doodling are meditative drawing methods that use simple repetitive strokes to build patterns combined to make small works of art.

**Saturday, Sep 13, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: 64728

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$12 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

### Adding Color to Zentangle Style Drawing

*Sue Swanson*

**NEW**

Experiment with using white pens and chalk on black paper. You will work with mirror image tangles and learn methods of shading designs to create a 3D effect.

**Saturday, Nov 15, 1:00-3:00 PM**

ID: 64733

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$12 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 12+, Beginning 2

### Bluebird in Colored Pencil

*Aryn Lill*

**NEW**

Draw a beautiful bluebird on tan-toned paper with guidance on drawing through close observation by exploring shape, value, layering, and texture. Learn through demos, experiment with materials, practice, and have fun!

**Thursday, Nov 20, 6:00-8:30 PM**

ID: 64963

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member

\$5 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

### Crash Course: Graphite Pencils

*Lauren Hefty*

New to graphite or want a refresher? This is the class for you! Learn the basics of shading, texture, composition, and lighting.

**Tuesday, Sep 16, 11:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 63734

\$40 Member/\$50 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 12+, Beginning 1

### Crash Course: Colored Pencils

*Lauren Hefty*

Curious about colored pencils but don't know where to start? Get to know the basics of materials, color, form, and blending. No colored pencil experience is necessary, however, experience with graphite pencils is recommended.

**Monday, Sep 22, 11:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 63739

\$40 Member/\$50 Non-Member

\$20 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 12+, Beginning 1 & 2

### Beginning Drawing: Level 2

*Ann Solyst*

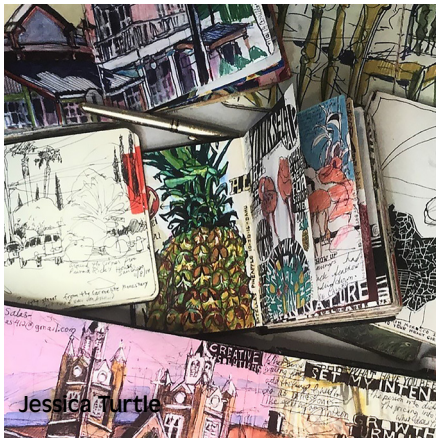
Continue your drawing journey with this calm and meditative drawing class. Through exercises and demonstrations, you're encouraged to slow down and enjoy the process of drawing while learning about space, value, and texture, leaving with a finished drawing and several sketches. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list

**4 Mondays, Sep 8-29, 6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: 64973

\$137 Member/\$171 Non-Member

Adults, Beginning 2



## Field Notes

Jessica Turtle

Pack your sketchbook for an outdoor mixed-media adventure combining exploration, sketching, research, and writing. Build a library of inspiration from nature as you connect with your surroundings, create a field notes toolbox, overcome the need for perfection, and develop a lasting creative habit. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**4 Tuesdays, Sep 16-Oct 7,  
6:00-8:00 PM**

ID: 65103

\$100 Member/\$125 Non-Member  
\$40 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels

Meet at different outdoor locations. See website for details.

## Charcoal Portraits

NEW

Ann Solyst

Want to flex your portraiture skills but aren't sure which medium to choose? Try charcoal: affordable, portable, and perfect for creating expressive, painterly portraits. Through exercises and demos, you'll learn proportion, value, and facial expression, leaving with a finished portrait and several sketches. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

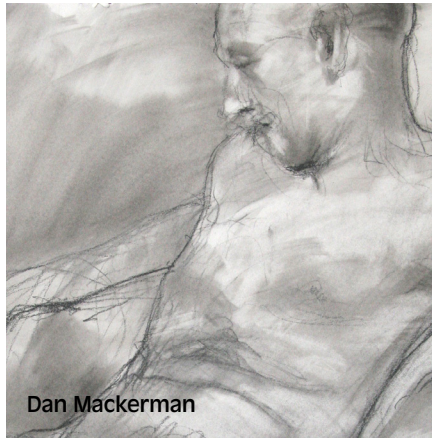
**4 Mondays, Oct 6-Nov 3, 6:00-9:00 PM**

No Class Oct 13

ID: 64978

\$137 Member/\$171 Non-Member

Adults, Intermediate



## Life Drawing

Dan Mackerman

Drawing from a live model has endured since the time of Leonardo da Vinci. Mastering life drawing means mastering form—a skill essential for any visual medium and style. Learn an unusual but intuitive sketch technique first popularized by French painter Eugène Delacroix. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**4 Tuesdays, Sep 2-30,  
10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

No Class Sep 9

ID: 64893

\$160 Member/\$200 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate to Advanced

**4 Tuesdays, Oct 7-28,  
10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 64898

\$160 Member/\$200 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate to Advanced

**4 Tuesdays, Nov 4-25,  
10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 64903

\$160 Member/\$200 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate to Advanced

**3 Tuesdays, Dec 2-16,  
10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 64908

\$160 Member/\$200 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate to Advanced



## How to Draw Faces

Suzann Beck

Focus on accurately placing facial features, analyzing light and shadow, and creating realistic lighting effects to draw faces. Learn how to map the face and avoid common portrait drawing mistakes through demos and hands-on practice, including drawing from sculptor's casts and a live model. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**2 Mondays, Sep 8-15,  
9:30 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 63930

\$127 Member/\$158 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

## Focus on Facial Features

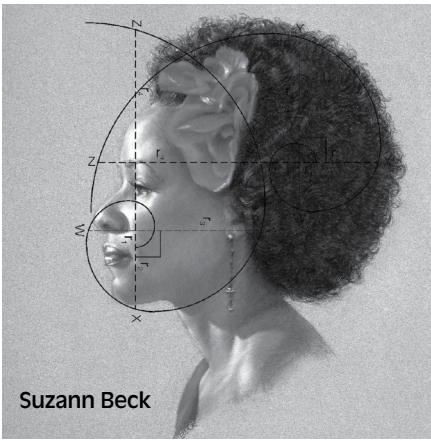
Suzann Beck

Focus on drawing the key features of the face: eyes, nose, ears, and lips. Get a short lecture and a structural demonstration of drawing each feature. Then get hands-on practice working from sculptor's casts before moving on to a live model. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**2 Mondays, Sep 8-15, 1:30-4:30 PM**

ID: 63724

\$127 Member/\$158 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels



## Drawing the Face at Any Angle

Suzann Beck

Apply what you learned about drawing faces to accurately draw someone when their head is turned. Analyze the anatomical structure of the head in a profile or  $\frac{3}{4}$  position through a short lecture, and hands-on work with worksheets and sculptor's casts, then from a live model. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**2 Thursdays, Oct 9-16,  
9:30 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 63935

\$127 Member/\$158 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

## Drawing the Figure in a Constructive Approach

Suzann Beck

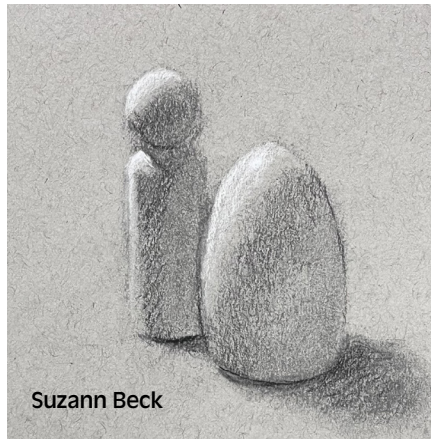
NEW

Mastering the human figure doesn't require medical knowledge—just a solid understanding of proportion and anatomy. Learn a system to draw the figure in a believable way, and get tools to develop body masses and understand key muscles that shape the human form. Drawing experience helpful but not required. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**2 Mondays, Nov 3-10  
9:30 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 63453

\$127 Member/\$158 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels



## Drawing the Figure in Trois Crayons Technique

Suzann Beck

NEW

*Trois Crayons* (French for "three pencils") is a classic drawing technique using sanguine, black, and white chalk popularized by artists like Rubens and Watteau. Learn light and shadow values and render them with vibrant color harmony. You'll draw from a draped figure model, exploring how this technique illustrates form and fabric. Drawing experience suggested but not required. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**2 Mondays, Nov 3-10, 1:30-4:30 PM**

ID: 65143

\$127 Member/\$158 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

## Fundamentals of Drawing

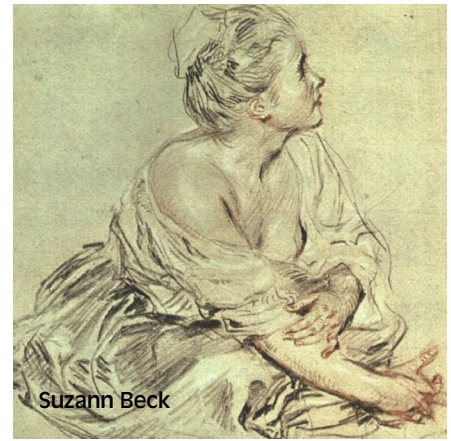
Suzann Beck

For beginner and intermediate students looking to strengthen their drawing foundations, you'll work at individual stations as you learn and practice drawing fundamentals. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**2 Mondays, Dec 15-22,  
9:30 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 63955

\$127 Member/\$158 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels



## Portraits in Trois Crayons Technique

Suzann Beck

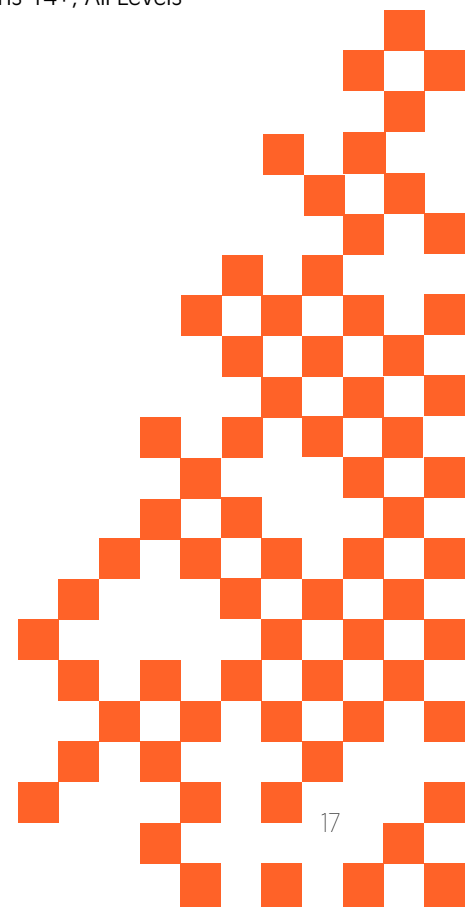
NEW

*Trois Crayons*, (French for "three pencils") is a classic drawing technique using sanguine, black, and white chalk, popularized by artists like Rubens and Watteau. Learn to identify light and shadow values and render them with vibrant color harmony while working from a portrait model. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**2 Thursdays, Oct 9-16, 1:30-4:30 PM**

ID: 65153

\$127 Member/\$158 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels





## FIBER

### Fiber Open Studio

*Sue Swanson*

FREE

Join us at Fiber Open Studio, where creativity and community come together. Work on projects, share ideas, and inspire one another. All types of fiber art that can be done at a table are welcome.

**1st and 3rd Fridays, 1:00-3:00 PM**

**Sep 5 & 19; Oct 3 & 17;**

**Nov 7 & 21; Dec 5 & 19**

ID: 64723

Free with registration (\$20 suggested tuition)

Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

### Weave a Scarf

*Katherine Buenger*

Learn the art of weaving on a rigid heddle loom as you warp it, wind a shuttle, and perfect your hem stitch. You'll be guided through every step, with at-home weaving to help you finish your scarf. To bring the loom home, students will be required to provide credit card information as a deposit on the loom.

**Monday, Sep 8, 10:00 AM-4:00 PM,**

**and Thursday, Sep 11,**

**10:00 AM-1:00 PM**

ID: 63975

\$109 Member/\$136 Non-Member

\$45 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, All Levels

### Needle Felted Pumpkins

*Lauren Hefty*

NEW

Fall in love with needle felting as you're guided through creating adorable felted pumpkins. Needle felting uses sharp needles, so good hand-eye coordination is recommended.

**Tuesday, Sep 9, 6:00-8:00 PM**

ID: 63729

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$15 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, All Levels

### Strawberry Needle Books

*Becka Rahn*

NEW

Stitch a classic wool felt needle book to store your pins and needles, choosing from three different strawberry-stealing animals: dog, cat, or rabbit. Learn stitches like blanket stitch, back stitch, fly stitch, and more. You'll walk away with a 2.5-by-3.5 inch book with a snap closure and three felt pages for storing needles.

**4 Thursdays, Sep 18-Oct 9,**

**6:00-9:30 PM**

ID: 64573

\$118 Member/\$148 Non-Member

\$25 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, All Levels

### Macrame Plant Hanger

*Haley Harnagel*

Learn the art of macramé and create a custom plant hanger for your home. Master three essential macramé knots and personalize it to bring greenery and artistry into your space.

**Saturday, Sep 27, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM**

ID: 65118

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

### NEW Basket Weaving Classes

NEW

*with Kirsten Skoglund this October*

### Kurv Lerrett Basket

Create a versatile tote basket perfect for carrying knitting projects, computers, or daily essentials.

### Storage Basket Making

Designed for the new basket weaver, learn basic basket-making techniques to make a storage basket.

*Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for registration details.*



Ivonne Yáñez

## SAORI Weaving

Chiaki O'Brien

SAORI is a fun, expressive Japanese weaving style discovered by mistake! It's joyful and easy to learn. Get an introduction to this color-blending, expressive weaving style and dive into "freestyle weaving." No need to worry about perfection, just find your unique style.

**Tuesday, Sep 23, 9:00 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: 63749

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$20 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Ages 8+ with an Adult, All Levels

**Tuesday, Sep 23, 1:00-4:00 PM**

ID: 63754

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$20 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Ages 8+ with an Adult, All Levels

## Tenango Embroidery

Ivonne Yáñez



Learn the basics of Tenango, a vibrant and symbolic stitching technique originating from the Tepehua region of Hidalgo, Mexico. Known for its colorful animal and floral designs, Tenango embroidery tells visual stories deeply rooted in the cultural identity of the region.

**Wednesday, Oct 15, 6:00-8:00 PM**

ID: C65113

\$60 Member/Non-Member

\$20 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels



Leslie Granbeck

## Felted Wall Pockets

Leslie Granbeck



Create a versatile felted "pocket" to hold anything from pet toys to mail. Hang it from a hook, a chair, or wherever you need a little storage. Learn the seamless wet felting technique and explore how to embellish and personalize your pocket. Some physical stamina is needed for felting. Bring an old bath towel, hand towels, smooth cotton fabric, sharp scissors, lunch, and a plastic bag for your wet items.

**Saturday, Oct 25, 10:00 AM-3:30 PM**

ID: 63920

\$77 Member/\$96 Non-Member

\$25 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels

## Macrame Coasters and Trivets

Haley Harnagel



Macrame coasters and trivets are a perfect addition to the home. They make wonderful gifts that anybody would enjoy. Learn how to tie a half hitch in the round and play with different colors and designs for a personal touch.

**Saturday, Oct 25, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM**

ID: 65123

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels



Haley Harnagel

## Intermediate Cross Stitch: Moo Deng

Cami Andersen



Calling all pygmy hippo lovers: come create your very own cross-stitched Moo Deng through step-by-step instructions. Some needlepoint experience is recommended. Bring scissors and eyeglasses for small needles if needed.

**Saturday, Nov 8, 1:00-4:00 PM**

ID: 64613

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$35 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 16+, Beginning 2 & Intermediate

## Shibori 101

Erica Spitzer Rasmussen



Learn Japanese indigo dyeing techniques to create blue and white patterns on cotton bandanas using resist methods. You'll explore techniques like rubber banding and stringing, clamp resist and stitching to make interesting designs. Wear casual clothing that can get messy and bring a pair of cheap vinyl or rubber gloves.

**2 Saturdays, Nov 15-22,**

**10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 64108

\$72 Member/\$90 Non-Member

\$15 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels



Becka Rahn

## Weave Kitchen Towels

*Katherine Buenger*

Create colorful kitchen towels on a rigid heddle loom by learning to follow a weaving draft and learn a new way to warp a loom with shoelaces. You'll be guided step-by-step with at-home weaving between sessions to help you finish your project. In order to bring home the loom, students will need to provide credit card information.

**Monday, Nov 17 & Friday, Nov 21**

**10:00 AM-12:00 PM**

ID:63980

\$100 Member/\$125 Non-Member

\$35 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, All Levels

## Ugly Sweater Dinosaur Ornaments

*Becka Rahn*

Make a one-of-a-kind dinosaur ornament from wool felt and shining sequins. You can personalize the "ugly" sweater in school colors, holiday themes, or your favorite colors. You'll learn three hand embroidery stitches, adding sequins and beads and learn tips to make it easy and fun to stitch.

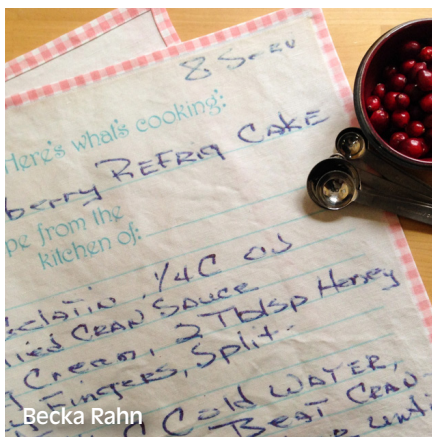
**Friday, Nov 7, 1:00-4:00 PM**

ID: 64568

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 12+, Beginning 1 & 2



Becka Rahn

## Recipe Card Tea Towel

*Becka Rahn*

**NEW**

Make a keepsake tea towel by scanning and scaling a vintage handwritten recipe card onto fabric. Upload your design to Spoonflower and digitally print it on linen-cotton fabric. Don't have a recipe card? Use a handwritten message, poem, or quote instead. Bring a laptop or tablet to class.

**Thursday, Nov 13, 6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: 64578

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

Adults, Beginning 1

## Macrame Ornaments

*Haley Harnagel*

Get in the holiday spirit by making macramé ornaments! Learn to make five different ornaments: a snowflake, a candy cane, a reindeer, a tree, and a wreath.

**Saturday, Nov 29, 10:00 AM-2:00 PM**

ID: 65128

\$63 Member/\$79 Non-Member

\$15 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels



Cara Corey

## Nordic Floral Folk Art Cross Stitch

*Cami Andersen*

**NEW**

Learn about cross stitch with a folk art twist. Enjoy a short intro to Scandinavian folk art and history, then learn to read a cross stitch chart to make your own floral cross stitch piece. Bring scissors and eyeglasses for small details if needed.

**Monday, Dec 1, 6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: 64603

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$15 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

## Cozy Knit Blanket

*Cara Corey*

Make a dreamy and thick knit blanket out of merino wool roving using a "table knitting" technique, forming the stitches with your hands rather than using knitting needles. No knitting experience needed to take home this luxurious blanket.

**Sat, Dec 13, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM**

ID: 65108

\$142 Member/\$155 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 12+, Beginning 1

## Nuno Felted Cowl

Leslie Granbeck

**NEW**

This cozy, reversible, and convertible cowl is perfect for winter—and makes a great gift. Learn the art of nuno felting, combine wool fibers and silk fabric, then decorate your cowl with fun embellishments. Felting experience is helpful but bold beginners are welcome. Some physical stamina needed for felting. Bring towels, scissors, tape measure, lunch, and a plastic bag for your wet items.

**Saturday, Dec 6, 10:00 AM-4:00 PM**

ID: 63915

\$81 Member/\$102 Non-Member

\$35 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels



Arntson, Taras, Wiski

## Winter Window Mosaic

Rachel Arntson

**NEW**

Bring winter inside with a window mosaic featuring snow, snowmen, Christmas trees, lights, and more seasonal magic. Decorate using rocks, glass, beads, and mortar. This class includes intricate details so good vision, patience, steady hands, and hand strength for cutting glass are important. Bring safety glasses.

### OUTDOOR WINTER SCENE

Monday-Tuesday, Dec 8-9,

10:00 AM-3:00 PM

ID: 64053

\$134 Member/\$168 Non-Member

\$50 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

### INDOOR WINTER SCENE

Wednesday & Friday, Dec 10 & 12,

10:00 AM-3:00 PM

ID: 64058

\$134 Member/\$168 Non-Member

\$50 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

## Intro to Italian Micro Mosaic Pendants

Rachel Arntson, Liz Taras & Shawn Wiski

Create a unique pendant with venetian glass that you'll be proud to wear. Learn terms like millefiori, filati, stringers, nippers and more. Explore how to cut tiny pieces of glass and insert them into a round silver-plated bezel, chain included.

**Saturday, Nov 1, 10:00 AM-3:00 PM**

ID: 64558

\$90 Member/\$113 Non-Member

\$40 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels. Good vision and steady hands are important.

## Abstract Micro Mosaic Pendant

Rachel Arntson, Liz Taras & Shawn Wiski

Create an abstract style necklace using a variety of media and glass. Tap into your imagination while exploring new types of glass like millefiori canes, 24 ct. gold smalti, metal, pebbles and more. Choose from a variety of pendant styles to make your piece unique.

**Saturday, Oct 4, 10:00 AM-3:00 PM**

ID: 64553

\$90 Member/\$113 Non-Member

\$40 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels. Good vision and steady hands are important.



## Copper Foil Stained Glass 101

John Hanson

Learn the art of stained glass design. Use patterns, cut and grind glass, and add a border to take home a small window. Bring safety glasses, hard-toed shoes, and a long-sleeved top. No fleece or sweaters that can catch glass chips as you cut.

**Tuesday & Wednesday, Sep 9 & 10,**

5:00-8:30 PM

ID: 64028

\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member

\$30 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

**Tuesday & Wednesday, Oct 21 & 22,**

5:00-8:30 PM

ID: 64033

\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member

\$30 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

**Tuesday & Wednesday, Nov 25 & 26,**

5:00-8:30 PM

ID: 64038

\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member

\$30 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels





Polly Carlson

## Fused Glass Moons

*Polly Carlson*

Make your own moon to look at no matter the time of day. Use crescent moons as a base and add accessory glass to make them as fantastical as you want. After firing they can either be drilled or have a bail attached for hanging. Address will be provided at the time of registration. Your glass will be ready for pickup at WBCA 7-10 days after class.

**Saturday, Sep 6, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM**

ID: 65073

\$90 Member/\$113 Non-Member  
\$25 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels  
Location: Polly's studio in Oakdale, MN

## Fused Glass Coasters

*Polly Carlson*

Make a pair of coasters by cutting your own glass and making your coasters as unique as you. Bumpers will be added to the bottom after firing. Address will be provided at the time of registration. Your glass will be ready for pickup at WBCA 7-10 days after class.

**Saturday, Oct 4, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM**

ID: 65078

\$90 Member/\$113 Non-Member  
\$25 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels  
Location: Polly's studio in Oakdale, MN



Polly Carlson

## Fused Glass Night Light

*Polly Carlson*

**NEW**

Light up the night with a custom fused glass night light. Create a one-of-a-kind piece using murrini, stringers, and other accessory glass, plus learn how to grind glass on different grinders. After firing, hardware and a bulb will be added. Address will be provided at the time of registration. Your glass will be ready for pickup at WBCA 7-10 days after class.

**Thursday, Nov 6, 6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: 65083

\$90 Member/\$113 Non-Member  
\$25 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 15+, Intermediate  
Location: Polly's studio in Oakdale, MN

## Mosaic Tiles

*Sushila Anderson*

**NEW**

Learn the art of glass cutting to create a mosaic design on tile. Bring your creation to life by grouting it to finish it off. Please wear closed-toe shoes.

**Tuesday, Nov 18, 6:00-8:00 PM**

ID: 63875

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member  
\$25 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels



Arntson, Taras, Wiski

## Micro Mosaic Bracelet

*Rachel Arntson, Liz Taras & Shawn Wiski*

Make a silver-plated bracelet from round or square links, each with its own unique mosaic design. You'll be guided through different techniques of cutting Italian glass and hone your micromosaic skills while making a distinctive bracelet.

**Saturday, Dec 6, 10:00 AM-3:00 PM**

ID: 64568

\$90 Member/\$113 Non-Member  
\$40 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels. Good vision and steady hands are important.

## Mosaic Panel: MN Custom Sign

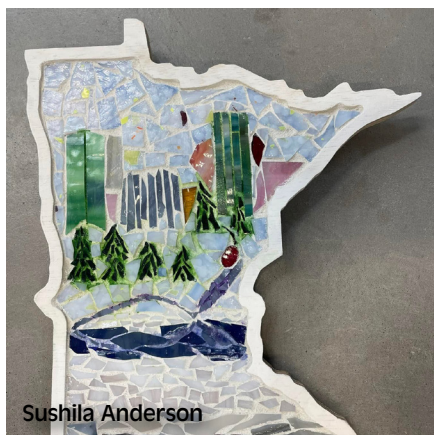
*Sushila Anderson*

Learn the art of glass cutting! In this class, you'll design a custom sign featuring the word Minnesota using mosaic techniques. Grout your creation to bring it to life. Please wear closed-toe shoes.

**2 Tuesdays, Sep 30-Oct 7  
6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: 63880

\$81 Member/\$102 Non-Member  
\$50 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels



Sushila Anderson

## Minnesota-Shaped Mosaic Panel

*Sushila Anderson*

Learn the art of glass cutting to create a stunning mosaic on a framed wooden panel in the shape of our state. Grout your creation to bring it to life. Please wear closed-toe shoes.

**2 Tuesdays, Nov 4-11, 6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: 63885

\$81 Member/\$102 Non-Member

\$50 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels



Erin Proctor

## JEWELRY

### Painting with Fire: Enameled Earrings

*Erin Proctor*

**NEW**

Spark your creativity with an intro to torch-fired enameling. Learn to fuse vitreous enamels to metal and experiment with techniques like dry-sifting, layering, stenciling, paintable enamels, and more to craft a unique pair of earrings.

**Saturday, Sep 6, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM**

ID: 64998

\$110 Member/\$137 Non-Member

Adults, Teens, 16+, All Levels

### Torch-Fired Enameling with Photo Decals

*Erin Proctor*

Get a fun introduction to vitreous enameling to make colorful keepsakes with fire and glass. Learn to use dry-sifted enamel, paintable enamel, and photo decals on copper to make unique wearable art. Email Erin ([erin@saturn5studio.com](mailto:erin@saturn5studio.com)) a personal photo to use at least 3 days before class starts.

**Saturday, Oct 11, 10:00 AM-1:00 PM**

ID: 65003

\$110 Member/\$137 Non-Member

Adults, Teens, 16+, All Levels



Sue Swanson

### X and O Beaded Bracelet

*Sue Swanson*

Create a lovely bracelet using needle, thread, and size 8 seed beads. Learn right-angle weave for the base and top it with cross stitch to form a thick spiral bracelet. Combine three strands for a cuff bracelet or use them to wrap a Christmas tree ornament.

**2 Wednesdays, Nov 12-19,**

**10:00 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: 64743

\$63 Member/\$79 Non-Member

\$12 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels

### Custom Bezel-Set Pendant

*Erin Proctor*

**NEW**

Choose from a selection of one-of-a-kind pieces of sea glass and create a custom bezel setting for it using sterling silver sheet and wire along with traditional jewelry making tools. This class is the perfect sequel to Intro To Silver Soldering.

**Saturday, Dec 13, 10:00 AM-4:00 PM**

ID: 65008

\$120 Member/\$150 Non-Member

\$12 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults 16+, Beginning 2, Intermediate, Advanced

**Members save money on class tuition and get early access to registration**

**See page 46 for details.**

# LANGUAGE & WRITING

## The Writer's Well: An Ongoing Writer's Group for All

*Amber Guetebier*

Get writing inspiration, write from prompts, and share your work in a welcoming environment. Whether you're a published author or new to writing, you'll find a place at the table here. Register for sessions a la carte at [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org).

**Thursdays, 1:00-3:30 PM: Sep 4, 11;  
Oct 2, 23; Nov 6, 20; Dec 4, 18**

**Wednesdays, 6:00-8:30 PM: Sep 10,  
Oct 29, Nov 12, Dec 10**

\$15 Member/\$19 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

## Bend and Stretch and Reach for the Poem

*Jan Johnson Drantell*

Read poems and create poems inspired from lists, odes to people or things, letters, and more. Write from prompts and share your poems in class. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced poet, loosen those creative blocks and add some arrows to your poetry writing quiver.

**5 Tuesdays, Sep 9-Oct 7,  
10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 64633

\$142 Member/\$177 Non-Member

Adults, All Levels

## The Writer's Room: An Open Studio for Writers

*Amber Guetebier*

FREE

Come write in the company of fellow writers and enjoy the inspiring space of WBCA. Combat your writers block by taking a walk in the OSilas Labyrinth or take a random prompt from the jar. But mostly, write!

**4 Fridays, Sep 19, Oct 24, Nov 21,  
Dec 19, 1:00-3:00 PM**

ID: 64918

Free (\$20 suggested donation)

Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

## Fall Writing Intensive: Take Your Writing to the Next Level

*Amber Guetebier*

For writers with works-in-progress looking for feedback in a small group setting, share your works, tackle writing problems, work as a cohort, and revise. You'll receive one-on-one feedback from the instructor. The final weeks of class will include reading your work aloud. Please submit 10-15 pages from a work in progress before class.

**6 Mondays, Oct 27-Dec 1,  
10:30 AM-1:30 PM**

ID: 64798

\$270 Member/\$325 Non-Member

Adults, All Levels

## Write In: A One- Day Immersion for Daring Writers

*Amber Guetebier*

What would happen if you dedicated an entire day to your writing? Join fellow writers for a transformative, generative day to reinvigorate your writing. Kick off with a creative workshop of prompts, games, and discussion, then spend the afternoon writing individually, in groups, and with partners. Bring a lunch and your favorite writing tools.

**Saturday, Nov 8, 10:30 AM-3:30 PM**

ID: 64813

\$72 Member/\$90 Non-Member

Adults, All Levels

## The Art of the Book Proposal

*Amber Guetebier*

Are you ready to start querying agents or publishers but don't know what they mean when they say "comp titles" and TOC? Fear not, veteran publishing editor and author Amber Guetebier will take you through the book proposal and query letter process and show you what to include, no matter the genre.

**Saturday, Dec 6, 10:30 AM-1:30 PM**

ID: 65033

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

Adults, All Levels

## Taming the Wild Memoir, an Ongoing Project

*Jan Johnson Drantell*

What's your story? We all have one. Explore ways to get started writing a memoir, thinking about what you want to write about, why, and for whom. We'll explore some memoirs, from early times to now, read some excerpts, learn why authors like John Steinbeck wrote to individuals, rather than a "target audience" and who you might be writing to. Share your writing and get feedback from the group and the instructor.

**6 Wednesdays, Sep 3-Oct 8,  
1:00-3:30 PM**

ID: 64623

\$165 Member/\$206 Non-Member

Adults, All Levels

**8 Wednesdays, Oct 15-Dec 3,  
1:00-3:30 PM**

ID: 64628

\$211 Member/\$264 Non-Member

Adults, Intermediate to Advanced

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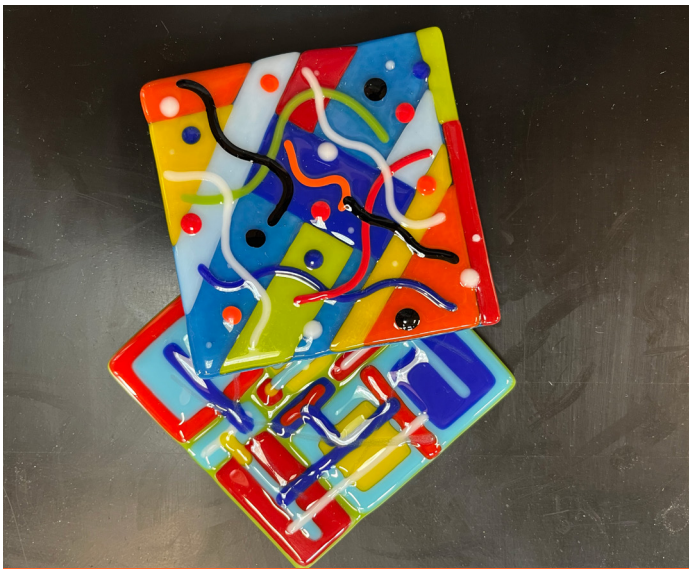
## **INTERESTED?**

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Director Chris Scholl.

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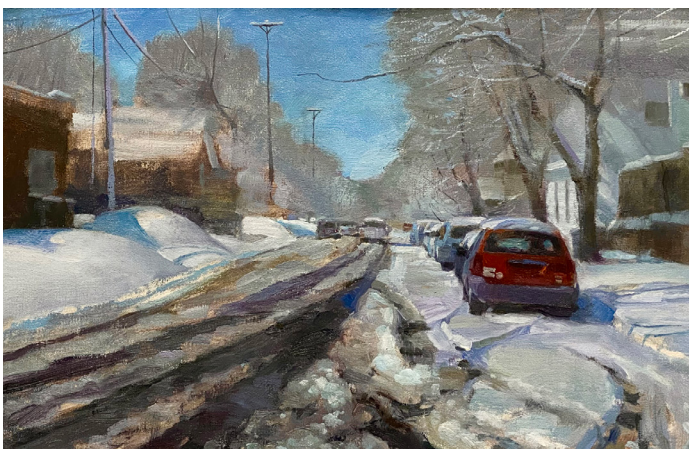
Fused Glass Coasters with Polly Carlson



Beginners Acrylic with Surelle Strike



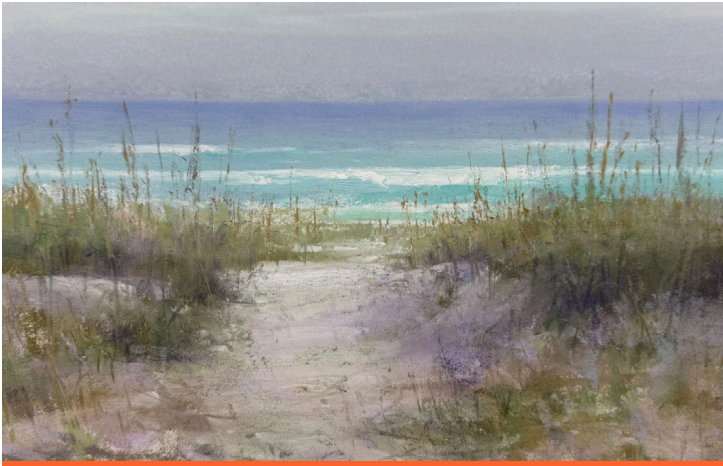
Ugly Sweater Dinosaur Ornaments



Intermediate to Advanced Painting with Dan Mackerman



Winter Window Mosaic with Rachel Arntson



Intermediate Pastel with Christopher Copeland



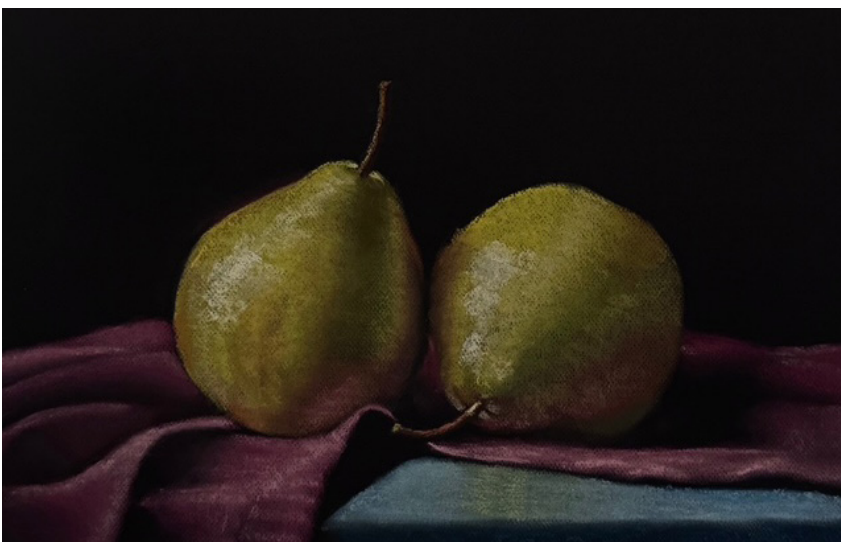
Nuno Felted Cowl with Leslie Granbeck



Intermediate to Advanced Watercolor with Dan Mondloch



Beginners Still Life Oil Painting with Karen Chan



Pastel Painting: Core Knowledge and Applications with Art Jacobs



Sumi-e for the Season with Susan Frame

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Bonnie Cutts



Sue Swanson



Lisa Moriarty

## MIXED MEDIA

### Acrylic Collage with Gel Transfers

Bonnie Cutts

Spend the day applying acrylic paints, gels, and mediums to create unique mixed media effects. Learn to make gel skins, and use stencils and gels to create raised textural designs to create your own personal collage. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

Wednesday, Sep 10,  
10:00 AM-4:00 PM

ID: 63850

\$104 Member/\$130 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels

### Parabolic Paper Stitching

Sue Swanson

NEW

Geometric shapes come to life on black paper when made from metallic threads. Stitch a variety of shapes and sizes using paper piercing and straight stitches.

2 Saturdays, Sep 20-27, 1:00-3:00 PM

ID: 64738

\$63 Member/\$79 Non-Member

\$12 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

### Vision Board Journal

Sue Swanson

Transform a composition book into a personal journal for your thoughts and dreams. Make a collage from different images and types of paper, then explore different journaling methods. The goal is to create a book that you'll return to every day, creating a lasting writing practice.

2 Thursdays, Sep 18-25,  
10:00 AM-12:00 PM

ID: 64748

\$63 Member/\$79 Non-Member

\$12 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels

### Acrylic and Collage Flower Vase

Sylvia Benson

Create an abstract flower vase on canvas using beautiful decorative papers and acrylic paints.

Wednesday, Nov 5, 1:00-4:00 PM

ID: 64543

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Beginning to Intermediate

NEW

### Paint a Pillow

Sylvia Benson

With acrylic paints, design and paint your floral pillow. Fabric is cut to 14" x 14". All materials will be provided with step by step instructions. If you don't have a sewing machine, the instructor will sew your pillow. In the second class, we will stuff the pillow and hand stitch the closing.

2 Wednesdays, Oct 15, 10:00 AM-  
12:30 PM & Oct 22, 10:00-11:00 AM

ID: 64548

\$58 Member/\$73 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels

### Drum Making

Lisa Moriarty

The drum symbolizes the heartbeat of the earth, life, and community. Making a personal frame drum is a meaningful journey. Made out of natural materials: a wooden frame, deer-hide circle, and rawhide lacing, you'll be led through the process as you connect and honor the sources of these materials.

Thursday, Nov 20, 6:00-9:00 PM

ID: 64583

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$50 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels



Bonnie Cutts

## Curiously Colorful Labyrinths

Lisa Moriarty

NEW

Make a table-top labyrinth that can be used for “finger walking” or as art for the wall. Use colorful tissue paper and cording on a stretched canvas to create your unique piece as a gift for yourself or someone special.

**Monday, Dec 8, 6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: 64588

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member

\$4 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens registered with an adult,  
All Levels



Cami Andersen

## Beginner Bookbinding and Collage

Cami Andersen

NEW

Learn the basics of bookbinding and how to incorporate recycled books into new works of art. Use two stitching techniques to create a pamphlet journal and a Japanese stab stitch journal from scratch.

**Thursday, Oct 16, 6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: 64608

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$15 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels



Leslie Perrine

## Polymer Clay Ornaments

Leslie Perrine

Create one-of-a-kind holiday or winter-themed ornaments. Learn the basics of working with polymer clay like mixing and blending colors and molding them into unique shapes. They will be baked in a small oven and ready to hang after class.

**Tuesday, Nov 18, 6:30-8:30 PM**

ID: 64518

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels



## MOVEMENT & DANCE

### Ballet Barre

*Jan Chamberlin*

Learn traditional ballet techniques and choreography that encourages expression through movement. New to ballet or returning, this class is ideal for anyone who wishes to dance.

#### LEVEL 1

**7 Wednesdays, Sep 17-Oct 29,  
10:00-11:00 AM**

ID: 64663

\$100 Member/\$125 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, Seniors, All Levels  
Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350  
Hwy 61, Suite #8

**6 Wednesdays, Nov 5-Dec 17,  
10:00-11:00 AM**

No Class Nov 26

ID: 64668

\$86 Member/\$107 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, Seniors, All Levels  
Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350  
Hwy 61, Suite #8

#### LEVEL 2

**7 Tuesdays, Sep 16-Oct 28,  
10:00-11:00 AM**

ID: 64643

\$100 Member/\$125 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels  
Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350  
Hwy 61, Suite #8

**6 Tuesdays, Nov 4-Dec 16,  
10:00-11:00 AM**

No Class Nov 25

ID: 64648

\$86 Member/\$107 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels  
Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350  
Hwy 61, Suite #8

#### LEVEL 3

**7 Thursdays, Sep 18-Oct 30,  
10:00-10:50 AM**

ID: 64693

\$84 Member/\$104 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels  
Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350  
Hwy 61, Suite #8

**6 Thursdays, Nov 5-Dec 18,  
10:00-10:50 AM**

No Class Nov 27

ID: 64698

\$72 Member/\$90 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels  
Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350  
Hwy 61, Suite #8

### Open Ballet

*Jan Chamberlin*

A full ballet class for intermediate and above dancers. Class begins with a full barre after which move to the centre to enjoy dancing adagio, turn, petit and grand allegro combinations.

**7 Thursdays, Sep 18-Oct 30,  
10:00-11:15 AM**

ID: 64703

\$119 Member/\$149 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels  
Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350  
Hwy 61, Suite #8

**6 Thursdays, Nov 5-Dec 18,  
10:00-11:15 AM**

No Class Nov 27

ID: 64708

\$102 Member/\$128 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels  
Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350  
Hwy 61, Suite #8

## Tap

Jan Chamberlin

Can you tap your foot? Then you can tap dance! Stomp your feet and make some noise as you learn tap steps and a dance routine. Tap is a perfect exercise for balance, coordination, rhythm, and style.

### BEGINNING TAP

**7 Wednesdays, Sep 17-Oct 29,  
11:00 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: 64673

\$100 Member/\$125 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350 Hwy 61, Suite #8

**6 Wednesdays, Nov 5-Dec 17,  
11:00 AM-12:00 PM**

No Class Nov 26

ID: 64678

\$86 Member/\$107 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350 Hwy 61, Suite #8

### INTERMEDIATE TAP

**7 Tuesdays, Sep 16-Oct 28,  
11:00 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: 64653

\$100 Member/\$125 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 14+, Advanced All Levels

Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350 Hwy 61, Suite #8

**6 Tuesdays, Nov 4-Dec 16,  
11:00 AM-12:00 PM**

No Class Nov 25

ID: 64658

\$86 Member/\$107 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 14+, Advanced All Levels

Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350 Hwy 61, Suite #8

### OPEN TAP

**7 Thursdays, Sep 18-Oct 30,  
11:15 AM-12:15 PM**

ID: 64713

\$100 Member/\$125 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350 Hwy 61, Suite #8

**6 Thursdays, Nov 5-Dec 18,  
11:15 AM-12:15 PM**

No Class Nov 27

ID: 64718

\$86 Member/\$107 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350 Hwy 61, Suite #8

## Restorative Dance

Jan Chamberlin

Learn basic dance moves, perform gentle stretches, and explore dance styles in a relaxed and supportive atmosphere. This class is designed for those recovering from an illness or injury, or managing a condition that affects balance or range of motion but anyone interested in gaining the benefits that dance has to offer is welcome.

**6 Wednesdays, Sep 24-Oct 29,  
12:00-1:00 PM**

ID: 64683

\$86 Member/\$107 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350 Hwy 61, Suite #8

**6 Wednesdays, Nov 5-Dec 17,  
12:00-1:00 PM**

No Class Nov 26

ID: 64688

\$86 Member/\$107 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

Location: 4th Street Dance Centre, 5350 Hwy 61, Suite #8

## Yoga in the Gallery

Shaila Cunningham

Step into a sanctuary of tranquility and elevate your midday break with this yoga class in WBCA's Ford Family Gallery. This session blends mindful, purposeful movement with deep meditative practices, offering a powerful rest for your body during the lunch hour.

**5 Tuesdays, Nov 18-Dec 16,  
12:00-1:15 PM**

ID: 63925

\$70 Member/\$88 Non-Member

\*Drop-in rate: \$20 Member/Non-Member

Adults, All Levels

## Rest and Digest: A Yin Yoga Workshop

NEW

Shaila Cunningham

Step into serenity with a 90-minute Yin Yoga practice in the Ford Family Gallery. This slow, meditative practice uses long-held poses to target deep connective tissue calming both the muscular and nervous systems. It's the perfect way to reset, especially after a holiday meal.

All levels are welcome but you must be able to get up and down from the floor unassisted. Bring a mat if you have one or borrow one. Stick around after class for matcha tea and snacks.

**Saturday, Nov 29, 2:00-4:00 PM**

ID: 65138

\$45 Member/Non-Member

Adults, All Levels



# PAINTING - ACRYLIC

## Beginners Acrylic

*Surelle Strike*

**NEW**

Ready to explore the world of acrylic painting? Whether you've never held a brush or just want a refresher, you'll be guided through materials, brush techniques, color theory, and composition to create a painting of a misty Minnesota sunrise.

**2 Wednesdays, Oct 22-29, 6:00-8:30 PM**

ID: 63890  
 \$72 Member/\$90 Non-Member  
 \$23 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

## Fallen Leaves Acrylic Painting

*Aryn Lill*

Paint a fall landscape of a quiet woodland path with step-by-step guidance as you learn about the practice of painting through close observation. Learn about shape, pattern, texture, contrast, and other basics.

**Thursday, Nov 13, 6:00-8:30 PM**

ID: 64958  
 \$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member  
 \$10 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

## Blue Moon Acrylic Painting

*Aryn Lill*

Paint a monochromatic blue moon with clouds in acrylic paint through step-by-step instructions as you learn about the practice of painting through close observation. Learn about shape, pattern, texture, contrast, and other basics.

**Tuesday, Dec 2, 6:00-8:30 PM**

ID: 64968  
 \$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member  
 \$10 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

## Van Gogh Inspired Acrylic Painting

*Aryn Lill*

Vincent van Gogh is one of the most famous painters of all time, known for his rich swirls of color in the post-Impressionist period. In this class, you can take a closer look at his style as you paint "Road with Cypress and Star" in acrylic paint.

**2 Thursdays, Dec 11-18, 6:00-8:30 PM**

ID: 64953  
 \$72 Member/\$90 Non-Member  
 \$10 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

## Acrylics: Tamarack Landscapes

*Lauren Hefty*

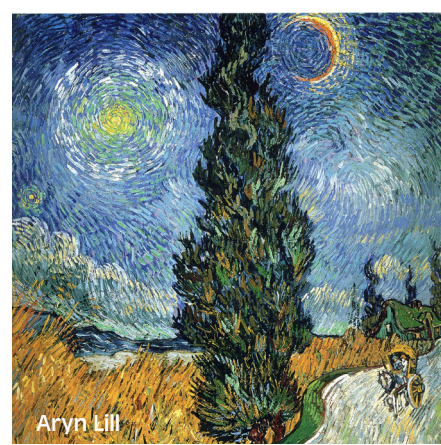
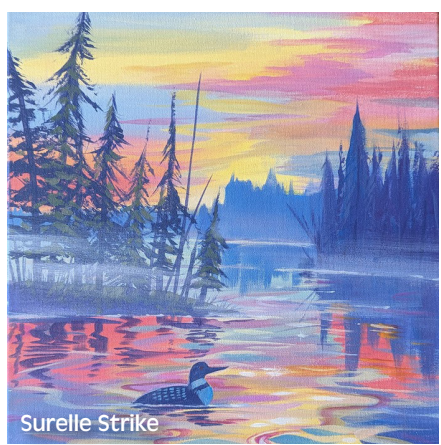
Dive into acrylics and learn to paint the unusual but gorgeous Tamarack tree, a unique deciduous conifer that turns a flaming golden color in late fall. You'll enhance your skills by painting dynamic, vibrant landscapes of this northern Minnesota beauty. Bring a lunch. Visit WhiteBearArts.org for supply list.

**Friday, Oct 17, 11:00 AM-4:00 PM**

ID: 63905  
 \$72 Member/\$90 Non-Member  
 \$20 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Intermediate & Advanced

**Scholarships are available!**

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Sylvia Benson



Suzann Beck



Karen Chan

## PAINTING - ALCOHOL INK

### Alcohol Inks

*Sylvia Benson*

Bring your paintings to life with vivid alcohol inks. You will be amazed by how the colors flow together as you make two tiles in each class.

**SCARECROWS AND WATERFALLS**  
**Wednesday, Sep 24, 1:00-3:30 PM**  
 ID: 64523

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member  
 \$10 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

**FALL BIRCH AND FLOWERS IN VASES**  
**Wednesday, Oct 8, 1:00-3:30 PM**  
 ID: 64528

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member  
 \$10 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

**SPLIT ROCK LIGHTHOUSE AND KOI FISH**  
**Saturday, Nov 29, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM**  
 ID: 64533

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member  
 \$10 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

**GNOMES AND CARDINALS**  
**Wednesday, Dec 3, 1:00-3:30 PM**  
 ID: 64538

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member  
 \$10 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

## PAINTING - GOUACHE

### Painting a Still Life in Gouache

*Suzann Beck*

**NEW**

Add gouache to your water media toolbox! Gouache is a classic medium that combines the easy clean up of watercolor and the opaque qualities of oil. Explore composition and color, then dive into a layering process working from dark to light, covering tiling, glazing, and scumbling techniques.

**2 Mondays, Dec 15-22, 1:30-4:30 PM**  
 ID: 65148  
 \$127 Member/\$158 Non-Member  
 Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

**Members save money on class tuition and get early access to registration**

**See page 46 for details.**

## PAINTING - OIL

### Beginners Still Life Oil Painting

*Karen Chan*

Featuring a variety of simple to complex still life setups, explore key techniques to build a solid foundation for your artistic practice. The final class will include optional critiques for those seeking feedback. Acrylic painters are welcome. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**4 Fridays, Sep 5-26, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM**  
 ID: 64433

\$118 Member/\$148 Non-Member  
 \$30 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 17+, All Levels

**4 Fridays, Oct 3-24, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM**  
 ID: 64438

\$118 Member/\$148 Non-Member  
 \$30 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 17+, All Levels

**4 Fridays, Oct 31-Nov 21, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM**  
 ID: 64443

\$118 Member/\$148 Non-Member  
 \$30 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 17+, All Levels

**3 Fridays, Dec 5-19, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM**  
 ID: 64448

\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member  
 \$30 material fee payable to instructor  
 Adults, Teens 17+, All Levels



Christopher Copeland

## Still Life Painting in Oil

*Christopher Copeland*

Learn to organize a still life set up and how to paint it. You'll start by learning drawing and value structure, then review color temperature and its relation to light, shadow, and form, then finish with accents, edges, and controlled brushwork. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**3 Thursdays, Nov 6-20, 1:30-4:00 PM**  
ID: 64753  
\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate

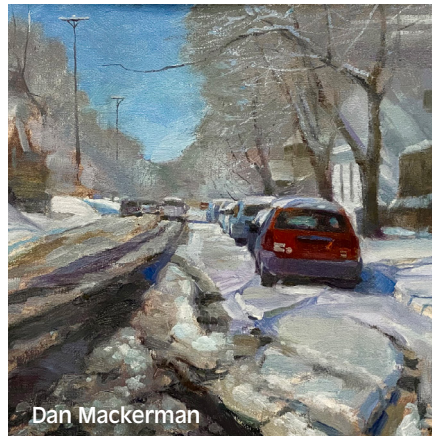
**3 Thursdays, Dec 4-18, 1:30-4:00 PM**  
ID: 64758  
\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate

## Pet Portraits in Oil

*Ann Solyst*

Honor a beloved pet by painting a portrait that captures all of their charm. Develop a painting from a sketch, to underpainting, to a finished product in this deep dive to pet portraiture. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**4 Mondays, Dec 1-22, 6:00-9:00 PM**  
ID: 64983  
\$137 Member/\$171 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate



Dan Mackerman

## Intermediate to Advanced Painting

*Dan Mackerman*

For intermediate and advanced painters looking to expand their skills, work on your own projects with guidance from Dan. Solvent-free oil painting is the focus, but all mediums are also welcome. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**4 Tuesdays, Sep 2-30, 1:00-3:30 PM**  
No Class Sep 9  
ID: 64873  
\$118 Member/\$148 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate to Advanced

**4 Tuesdays, Oct 7-28, 1:00-3:30 PM**  
ID: 64878  
\$118 Member/\$148 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate to Advanced

**4 Tuesdays, Nov 4-25, 1:00-3:30 PM**  
ID: 64883  
\$118 Member/\$148 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate to Advanced

**3 Tuesdays, Dec 2-16, 1:00-3:30 PM**  
ID: 64888  
\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate to Advanced



Wendy Peterson

## PAINTING - PASTEL

### Introduction to Pastels

*Wendy Peterson*

Get a primer on different pastel products, materials, and the painting process. You will learn and practice basic mark-making techniques to create a small painting and finish with how to store and frame pastel artwork. Bring your own pastels and paper or purchase a starter kit for \$20.

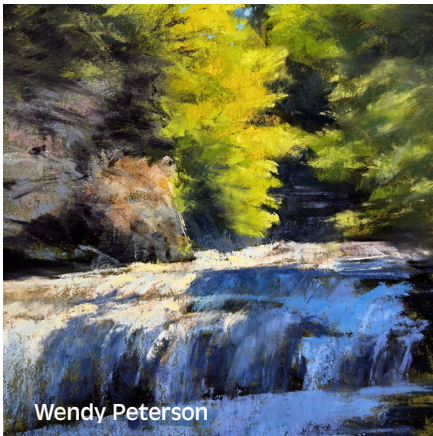
**Saturday, Sep 20, 9:30 AM-12:30 PM**  
ID: 64938  
\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member  
\$20 cash material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels

### Beginning Pastel Painting

*Wendy Peterson*

Learn the four basic stages of the pastel painting process: planning, foundation/underpainting, painting, and evaluating. Build on these core principles while tackling a different subject matter each class. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**Saturday, Nov 8, 9:30 AM-4:00 PM**  
ID: 64943  
\$86 Member/\$108 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 12+, Beginning 2



Wendy Peterson

## Pastel Painting: Core Knowledge and Applications

Art Jacobs

NEW

Begin your colorful journey into the world of pastels. Learn the fundamental techniques like layering colors, blending with ease, and creating stunning light and shadows using chiaroscuro techniques. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**8 Tuesdays, Sep 30-Nov 18, 1:30-3:30 PM**

ID: 64013

\$174 Member/\$218 Non-Member  
Adults, All Levels

## Intermediate Pastel

Christopher Copeland

Explore how to add color, depth, and vibrancy to your pastel painting by experimenting with techniques using a variety of surfaces and textures. The focus will be on drawing, composition, light, and color value. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**3 Wednesdays, Nov 5-19, 1:30-4:00 PM**

ID: 64063

\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate

**3 Wednesdays, Dec 3-17, 1:30-4:00 PM**

ID: 64083

\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member  
Adults, Intermediate



Christopher Copeland

## Exploring Underpainting

Lisa Stauffer

Play with the possibilities that a loose underpainting can provide for the foundation of your paintings. Experiment with different mediums to create colorful, textural designs to paint on from watercolor, oil stain, inks, and gesso. Bring photos, paintings, or field studies of what you love to paint. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**Friday-Sunday, Nov 14-16, 9:30 AM-4:00 PM**

ID: 63764

\$240 Member/\$300 Non-Member  
\$45 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Beginning 2 to Advanced



Susan Frame

## PAINTING - SUMI-E

### Sumi-e: Scenes of Autumn

Susan Frame

Paint colorful maples and golden birch trees using ink, watercolor, rice paper, and bamboo brushes to capture the beauty of this season. Emphasis is on expressive painting from the heart. Bring your favorite photos for inspiration. Bring a lunch. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**Saturday, Oct 18, 10:00 AM-3:00 PM**

ID: 64113

\$95 Member/\$118 Non-Member  
\$32 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, All Levels

### Sumi-e for the Season: Small Size

Susan Frame

Paint small-size sumi-e to use as frameable gifts or holiday cards. Use ink, watercolor and rice paper to paint and collage holiday scenes. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

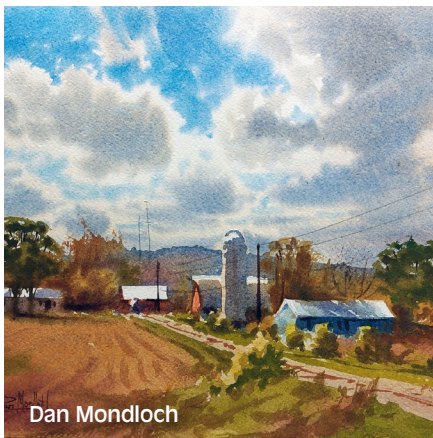
**Saturday, Nov 22, 10:00 AM-3:00 PM**

ID: 64118

\$95 Member/\$118 Non-Member  
\$32 material fee payable to instructor

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Dan Mondloch



Lisa Fertig



Lisa Fertig

## PAINTING - WATERCOLOR

### Intermediate to Advanced Watercolor

*Dan Mondloch*

Join Dan and fellow watercolorists for a morning or afternoon of painting. Watch demonstrations, have time to paint, and take part in critiques and conversations. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list. Adults, Intermediate to Advanced

**3 Thursdays, Sep 4-25, 9:00-11:30 AM**

No class Sep 18

ID: 63769

\$105 Member/\$131 Non-Member

**3 Thursdays, Sep 4-25, 12:00-2:30 PM**

No class Sep 18

ID: 63774

\$105 Member/\$131 Non-Member

**4 Thursdays, Oct 2-30, 9:00-11:30 AM**

No class Oct 16

ID: 63779

\$140 Member/\$175 Non-Member

**4 Thursdays, Oct 2-30, 12:00-2:30 PM**

No class Oct 16

ID: 63784

\$140 Member/\$175 Non-Member

**3 Thursdays, Nov 6-20, 9:00-11:30 AM**

ID: 63789

\$105 Member/\$131 Non-Member

**3 Thursdays, Nov 6-20, 12:00-2:30 PM**

ID: 63794

\$105 Member/\$131 Non-Member

**3 Thursdays, Dec 4-18, 9:00-11:30 AM**

ID: 63799

\$105 Member/\$131 Non-Member

**3 Thursdays, Dec 4-18, 9:00-11:30 AM**

ID: 63804

\$105 Member/\$131 Non-Member

### Watercolors in Bloom

*Catherine Hearing*

Inspired by the flowers of late summer, learn how to mix late summer colors, create value sketches, and how to compose a good painting, create translucent color and work with negative shapes. This class will help you become comfortable working from life with real flowers. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**4 Wednesdays, Sep 10-Oct 1,**

**9:30 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: 63860

\$118 Members/\$148 Non-Members

Adults, All Levels

### Beyond Watercolor Basics

*Lisa Fertig*

Elevate your watercolors in this class designed for students with some experience who are not quite ready for intermediate levels. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list. Adults, Teens 16+, Beginning 2

**4 Mondays, Sep 29-Oct 27,**

**1:00-3:30 PM**

No class Oct 13

ID: 64068

\$118 Member/\$148 Non-Member

**Mondays, Nov 3-17,**

**1:00 PM-3:30 PM**

ID: 64073

\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member

**3 Mondays, Dec 1-15, 1:00-3:30 PM**

ID: 64078

\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member

### Intermediate and Beyond Watercolor

*Lisa Fertig*

Face new watercolor challenges in this class. Reinforce important principles and elements of design while gaining self-confidence and developing your own individual style of painting. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

**4 Mondays, Sep 29-Oct 27,**

**10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

No Class Oct 13

ID: 64088

\$118 Member/\$148 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 16+, Intermediate

**3 Mondays, Nov 3-17,**

**10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 64093

\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 16+, Intermediate

**3 Mondays, Dec 1-15,**

**10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 64098

\$95 Member/\$119 Non-Member

Adults, Teens 16+, Intermediate



Catherine Hearing

## Painting Shiny Objects

NEW

Catherine Hearing

Practice painting shiny surfaces such as glass, metals, and reflective surfaces. Learn how to break down the process, it will be easier than you think! Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

4 Wednesdays, Nov 19-Dec 10,  
9:30 AM-12:00 PM

ID: 63870

\$118 Members/\$148 Non-Members  
Adults, All Levels

## Feathers and Fur

Catherine Hearing

Inspired by our beloved pets and favorite animals, learn how to paint realistic fur, feathers, eyes, and wings. Start by learning a bit about the anatomy of our subjects. Work on curly-haired friends, learn how to create the sheen on the coat of short-haired dogs, paint fluffy cats, and colorful birds. Reference materials available or bring your own photos. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

4 Wednesdays, Oct 22-Nov 12,  
9:30 AM-12:00 PM

ID: 63865

\$118 Members/\$148 Non-Members  
Adults, All Levels



Ronda Dick

## Watercolor Gnome

Beth Lunsford

Learn new skills and fun techniques to paint gnomes in watercolor. Leave with colorful gnomes and a smile on your face.

Wednesday, Sep 17, 6:00-8:30 PM

ID: 64988

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member  
\$2 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 14+, Beginning 1-2

## The Magic of Watercolor

NEW

Telagio Baptista

Immerse yourself in value and color study in this three-day workshop with visiting artist Telagio Baptista. Open to students at any level, learn the power of value and color as you complete several paintings that you'll be proud to take home. Each day includes instructor demos, guided paintings, and feedback. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

Friday-Sunday, Oct 10-12,  
9:00 AM-4:00 PM

ID: 65253

\$355 Member/\$444 Non-Member  
Adults, All Levels



Sylvia Benson

## Watercolor Small Cards and Gift Tags

Beth Lunsford

Have fun exploring watercolor by making small paintings for cards and holiday-themed gift tags.

Wednesday, Nov 19, 6:00-8:30 PM

ID: 64993

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member  
\$3 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Beginning 1-2

## Botanical Painting: Dried Plant Matter

Ronda Dick

Plants beyond their expiration date can still continue to hold our interest. Let their muted colors and their changing shapes and textures be your inspiration as you focus on creating an engaging composition and learn how to mix those understated colors. Visit [WhiteBearArts.org](http://WhiteBearArts.org) for supply list.

6 Wednesdays, Sep 3-Oct 8,  
1:00-3:30 PM

ID: 64453

\$165 Member/\$206 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 16+, Beginning 2



## Intro to Watercolor for Seniors

*Sylvia Benson*

Learn the basics of watercolor painting, from the materials you need, to how the water and pigment work together on the paper. Become familiar with brush techniques, mixing, and graying.

**2 Wednesdays, Nov 12-19,  
1:00-3:30 PM**

ID: 64508

\$72 Member/\$90 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor  
Seniors, Beginning 1 & 2

## Intro to Watercolor I

*Sylvia Benson*

Learn the basics of watercolor painting, from the materials you need, to how the water and pigment work together on the paper. Become familiar with brush techniques, mixing, and graying.

**2 Wednesdays, Oct 22-29,  
1:00-4:00 PM**

ID: 64498

\$81 Member/\$102 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Beginning 1 & 2

**2 Saturdays, Nov 1-8,  
9:30 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 64503

\$81 Member/\$102 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Beginning 1 & 2



## Intro to Watercolor & Ink

*Chris Hansen*

Explore simple techniques on watercolor paper, focusing on greenery, florals, and simple abstracts. Get guidance and practice on a test sheet before creating your paintings. You will leave with your own set of 10 cards.

**Tuesday, Sep 30, 5:00-7:00 PM**

ID: 64618

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$35 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

**Tuesday, Oct 28, 5:00-7:00 PM**

ID: 65208

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$35 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

**Tuesday, Nov 25, 5:00-7:00 PM**

ID: 65213

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$35 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels

**Tuesday, Dec 2, 3:00-5:00 PM**

ID: 65218

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$35 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 16+, All Levels



## Watercolor Christmas Cards

*Lauren Hefty*

NEW

Bring your Christmas spirit and create beautiful, one-of-a-kind cards to send to friends and family! Learn to paint basic holiday motifs and go home with a finished set of 5 cards with matching envelopes.

**Wednesday, Nov 5, 5:00-7:00 PM**

ID: 63910

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 12+, Beginning 2

## Watercolor Mushrooms

*Lauren Hefty*

NEW

Dive into watercolors as you learn to paint beautiful mushrooms! Learn the basics of using watercolors, and about common mushroom species, and more. Basic experience with water-based paint is recommended.

**Tuesday, Oct 7, 11:00 AM-1:00 PM**

ID: 63900

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$20 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Teens 15+, Beginning 2 & Intermediate



Swetha Avula



Glenn Allenspach

## PAPER

## PHOTOGRAPHY

### Paper Quilling Monogram

**NEW**

Swetha Avula

Learn the intricate art of paper quilling to create monogram designs. Get familiar with basic techniques of paper quilling as you roll, shape and glue thin strips of colorful paper into intricate patterns to create a unique monogrammed piece. Please mention your initials at the time of registration.

**Saturday, Sep 20, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: 63970

\$44 Member/\$55 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, All Levels

### Photography Technique and Critique

**FREE**

Deb Berry and Glenn Allenspach

Sharpen your skills and elevate your photos. Bring in three digital photos on a specific theme for group critique and discussion. You'll learn essentials like camera settings, cropping, color vs. black & white, and Photoshop and Lightroom tips.

**Wednesdays, Sep 3, Oct 1, Nov 5, Dec 3, 6:30-8:30 PM**

ID: 63965

FREE (\$20 Suggested Donation)

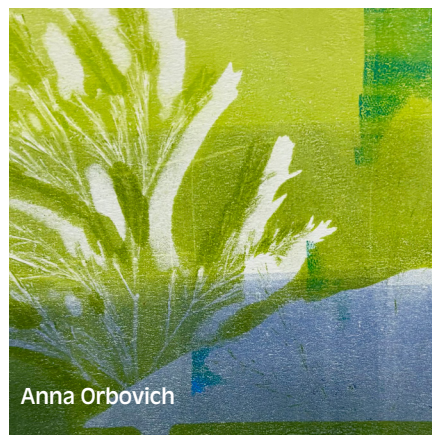
Adults, photography experience suggested



Surelle Strike



Coralette Damme



Anna Orbovich

## PRINTMAKING

### Monotype Printing

*Anna Orbovich*

Make a series of unique monotype prints as you're guided through techniques like stenciling and layering, giving you plenty of time to experiment and create your own portfolio of prints.

**Saturday, Sep 20, 1:00-4:30 PM**

ID: 65023

\$58 Member/\$73 Non-Member

\$20 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, All Levels

### Sun Printing with Cyanotypes

*Anna Orbovich*

Learn to make a cyanotype, a non-toxic sun printing process using natural objects, coated paper, light, and water to create blue-and-white toned prints. You'll spend time experimenting in the studio and outdoors as you create a series of prints and learn from demos. Please come prepared and with weather-appropriate clothing.

**Wednesday, Sep 17,**

**9:00 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: 65013

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, All Levels

### Block Printed Tea Towels

*Surelle Strike*

Learn the fundamentals of block printing. Bring your own design to class or use a seasonal or generic template provided. Master transfer techniques and carve your own block using carving tools, brayers, and baren. Print your design onto a tea towel creating a functional piece perfect for home decor or as a gift.

**Monday, Sep 29, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 63895

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels. The ability to follow instructions is important, as this class uses sharp tools.

**Wednesday, Dec 3, 6:00-8:30 PM**

ID: 64638

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member

\$10 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 12+, All Levels. The ability to follow instructions is important, as this class uses sharp tools.

### Printmaking Monday Night Series

*Coralette Damme*

Make time on a Monday night for some printmaking fun to start your week off with some creativity! Come get your hands dirty and learn something new each month.

#### STAMP CARVING

**Monday, Sep 22, 6:30-9:00 PM**

ID: 64783

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member

\$15 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 13+, All Levels

#### LEAF MONOPRINTS

**Monday, Oct 20, 6:30-9:00 PM**

ID: 64788

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member

\$15 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 13+, All Levels

#### PRINTED PAPER ORNAMENTS

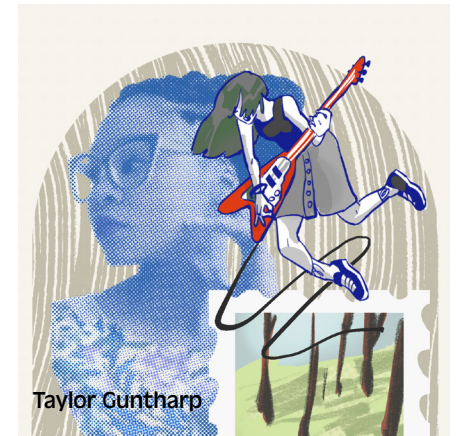
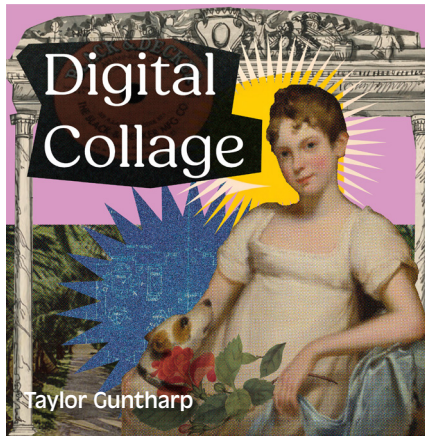
**Monday, Nov 17, 6:30-9:00 PM**

ID: 64948

\$49 Member/\$61 Non-Member

\$15 material fee payable to instructor

Adults, Teens 13+, All Levels



## TECHNOLOGY ARTS

### Digital Illustration: Blossoming with Basics

*Taylor Guntharp*

Learn the basics of digital illustration using iPad app, Procreate. Illustrate fresh, cut flowers as you learn to make the most out of digital brushes, erasers, blending modes, and more. iPads are available; indicate if you'd like to reserve one during registration.

**Thursday, Sep 18, 6:00-9:00 PM**

ID: 64768

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

Adults, Beginning 1

**Thursday, Dec 11, 4:00-7:00 PM**

ID: 64773

\$54 Member/\$67 Non-Member

Adults, Beginning 1

### Digital Collage

*Taylor Guntharp*

Take collaging to a new level with iPad app, Procreate. Use imagery from open sources and incorporate fun digital processes like half tones and blending modes. Bring any magazines or printed material you'd like to use in class. iPads are available; indicate if you'd like to reserve one during registration.

**2 Thursdays, Nov 13-20, 6:00-8:00 PM**

ID: 64778

\$63 Member/\$79 Non-Member

Adults, Beginning 1

### Posters for People, Parks and Parties

*Taylor Guntharp*

Perfect for anyone looking to hone their illustration and design skills in the form of a poster. Using the iPad app Procreate, you'll cover design layouts, illustration processes, and typography for a poster promoting a location or event of your choice. Procreate experience necessary. iPads are available; indicate if you'd like to reserve one during registration.

**3 Saturdays, Sep 27-Oct 11,**

**10:30 AM-12:30 PM**

ID: 64763

\$81 Member/\$102 Non-Member

Adults, Intermediate

NEW



## WOOD

### Intro to Spoon Carving

*Erik Vevang*

Learn safety, knife grips, and traditional techniques for carving. For the rest of the class, apply what you have learned to transform a provided spoon blank into a completed hand-carved serving spoon. Wear comfortable clothes that you don't mind getting full of wood chips and closed-toe shoes. All tools and supplies provided.

**Saturday, Oct 4, 9:00 AM-12:00 PM**

ID: 65233

\$90 Member/\$113 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, Beginning 1-2

### Small Bowl Carving

*Erik Vevang*

Create your very own small bowl using traditional green wood carving techniques! Using gouges, hook knives, axes, and drawknives, you'll hollow out and shape your bowl from a 6- to 8-inch block of green wood. Learn knife and axe safety, bowl design and layout, how to properly dry your bowl, and how to hold your bowl as you work. All tools and supplies provided, but it's helpful to bring your own tape measure/ruler. Feel free to bring your own carving tools, wear comfortable clothes that you don't mind getting full of wood chips and closed-toe shoes.

**Saturday & Sunday, Nov 1 & 2,  
9:00 AM-4:00 PM**

ID: TBD

\$200 Member/\$250 Non-Member  
Adults, Teens 14+, All Levels

### Caricature Carving

*Morris Anderson*

Carve a unique character using a roughout. You'll focus on proper set up and sculpting the human face. Bring a carving glove and good, sharp tools to use in class.

**Saturday & Sunday, Oct 18 & 19,  
9:00 AM-4:00 PM**

ID: 64103

\$156 Member/\$194 Non-Member  
\$30 material fee payable to instructor  
Adults, Advanced

# THE HIDDEN WORLD OF WORDS AT WBCA

by Cynthia Maya



**Walking into an art center,** you might expect to find students crafting clay pots and dipping paint brushes into watercolor palettes. But what about a group of writers scribbling away? Over the past two years, the classrooms at White Bear Center for the Arts have also become a hub for writers of all ages, thanks in large part to Amber Guetebier. In her three years at WBCA, Amber has cultivated a vibrant, inclusive space where writers can grow, thrive, and most importantly, have fun doing it.

To her students and others who know her, it might feel like Amber was born into this role. The truth is, her path to teaching writing was unexpected. When she moved to the area, she sought art classes for her son and found a youth summer camp at WBCA. What she didn't expect was to find a creative calling of her own at the art center. She recalls the moment she walked through the door feeling like, "Ah, this is my place." That feeling led her to join the writer's group and begin teaching in 2022.

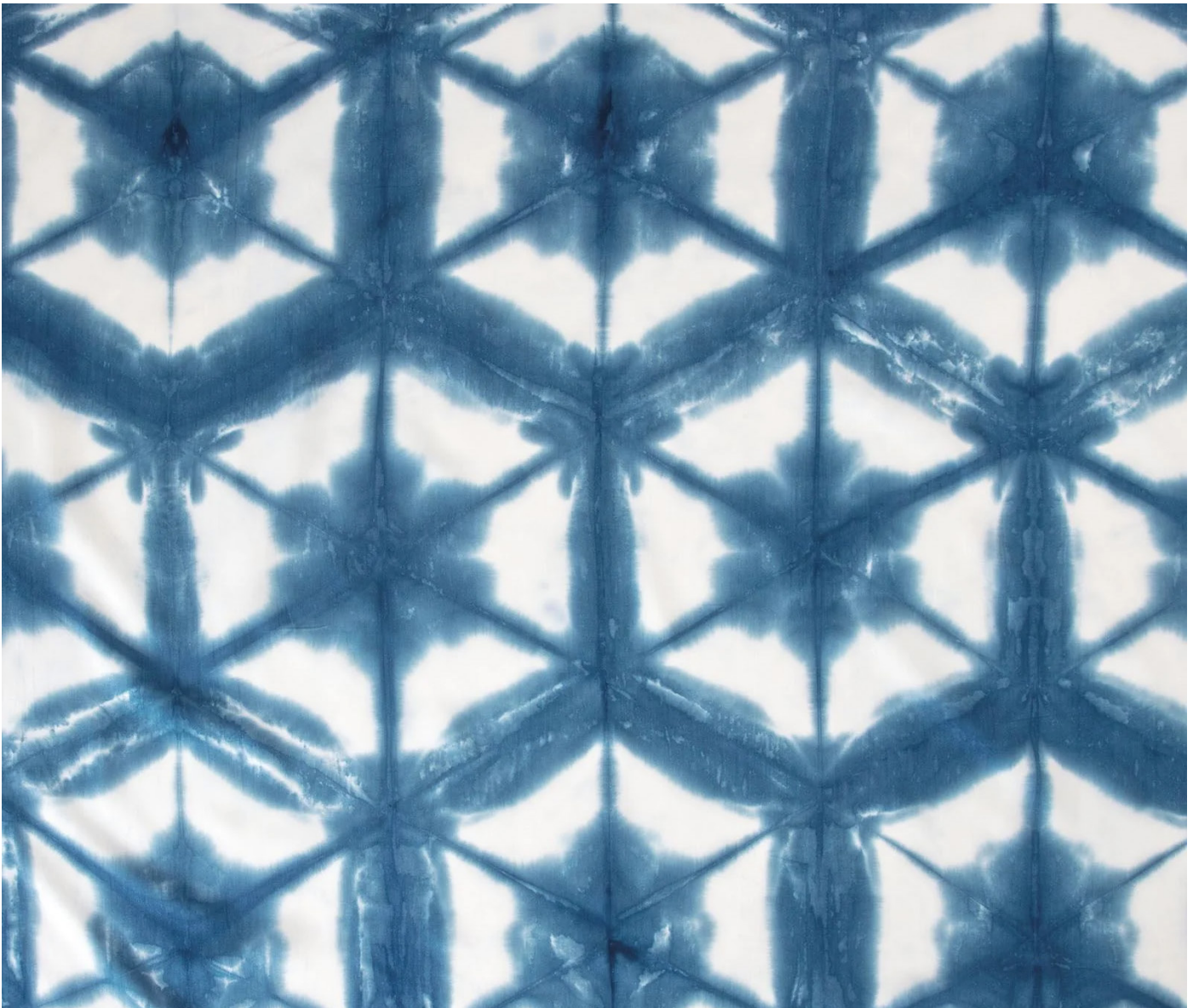
In the last few years, her vision for WBCA's writing program has started to take shape, grounded in the belief that writing is an art form that requires space, time, and dedication, as well as community. "There's something magical about a group of writers when they find their people," she said. "To know they're not alone in a cabin in the woods, but if they wanted to be, the other writers would get it."

While Amber's classes cover technical topics like the nitty gritty of book proposals and character development, her main goal in teaching is to keep it light. "I try to make it fun," she said. "I try to personalize the class and keep it at a pace that allows for creativity, spontaneity, and laughter." This especially comes in handy when working with teen writers. Amber wants young writers to know that writing doesn't have to be solitary, and she's expanded her teen writing classes beyond the Pen & Ink Society, the teen writers club, to include more teen classes and workshops. "I'm not a gatekeeper," she says. "I want to break the lock and kick the gate in so my Pen & Ink Society members can dance around on their mountains of words."

Over the past year, Amber has engaged over a hundred local writers through classes, writing events like Writer's Speak: An Open Mic Night for the Community, or putting their nose down for a writing intensive. Keith Harrower, a longtime WBCA writing student, can attest to the power of the writing community Amber has built, "Amber is dedicated to making each writer feel welcomed and respected for their abilities," he said. "This safe environment nurtures a flourishing writer's community right here in White Bear Lake. It is amazing and fun to be a part of."

As more students join the ranks, Amber looks forward to seeing what perspectives new students will bring. "This allows us to look at our writing from a new place," which is important because, as she said, "the best writers never stop writing and they never stop learning."

**Find all writing classes on page 24.**



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# WBCA POLICIES

## General Class Policies

- Please respect the instructor's time to prepare; do not arrive at your studio more than 10 minutes before class.
- WBCA is a community space; please clean up any messes made during class before the class ends.
- WBCA reserves the right to remove a student from our programming if their behavior is deemed disruptive or not aligned with WBCA's values of inclusion or accessibility by the instructor and/or WBCA staff.
- WBCA is unable to prorate, refund or issue class credit for a missed class session or late registration.
- In unique circumstances and with instructor permission, students may register for a class series after the first class session. Prorating is unavailable for late registrations and students are responsible for the full tuition amount.
- WBCA reserves the right to cancel a class due to low enrollment. In the case that WBCA cancels a class, students will receive a full refund for the class. To avoid seeing your favorite class cancel, we encourage you to register early.
- Unless otherwise stated, WBCA programs are held onsite at 4971 Long Ave, White Bear Lake, MN 55110. Classes held offsite will list the location in the catalog, online class description, and registration confirmation email.

## Cancellations

- Refund requests for a canceled or transferred registration will only be considered if received at least 7 business days prior to the class start date. If approved, refunds will be made to the original form of payment or in the form of class credit. For a series class with multiple sessions, a refund request would need to be made at least 7 business days prior to the first session of the class.
- Cancellations or transfers submitted less than 7 full business days before the class start date are not eligible for a refund or class credit except in the case of family/medical emergency or unsafe weather conditions.
- If requesting class credit for a missed class due to a family/medical emergency, students should notify WBCA as soon as they are able, either by phone: 651-407-0597 or email: [wbcawhitebeararts.org](mailto:wbcawhitebeararts.org) A request for class credit may be denied if it is received more than 7 business days after the date of the missed class.

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## Supply Lists and Material Fees

- Double check if your class has a supply list or material fee listed in the catalog, online class description, or registration confirmation email.
- All supply lists are available at [whitebeararts.org/supply-lists](http://whitebeararts.org/supply-lists). Supply lists are listed alphabetically by class name.
- If your class has a material fee, please bring payment in exact change in the form of cash or check. Material fees are not included in your registration and are due to the instructor on the first day of class.

## Financial Assistance

- WBCA's scholarship fund has been established to help make art accessible to everyone. Scholarships are intended to help students who otherwise would be unable to afford class fees, and each student is trusted to decide the extent of their need. Each student is limited to two scholarships for each 4-month catalog, no matter the length or fee for the class.
- Scholarships are available at two levels: 50% of tuition covered, or 100% of tuition covered.
- Scholarships do not cover any material fees associated with a class, nor do they supply materials. WBCA scholarships cannot be used for any off-site classes or classes led by visiting teaching artists. Additional exemptions may apply; check the class catalog for more details.
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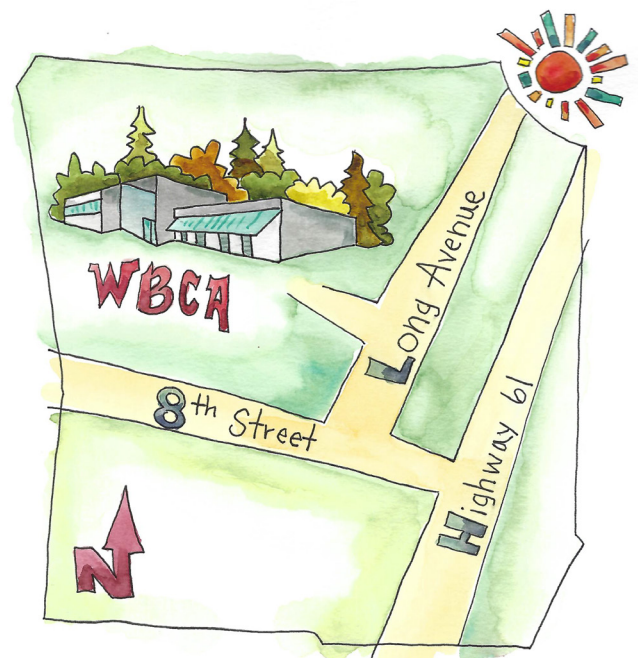


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