

Charles H. MacNider Art Museum Winter/Spring 2024 Classes—Youth

YOUTH CLASSES

ART BUGS Ages 2-4 with adult caregiver
An art class for the smallest of artists - explore a variety of mediums. Children must be accompanied by caregiver.
Sat., January 6, 10-11 am *Frozen*Sat., February 3, 10-11 am *Be My Valentine*Tues., March 26, 6-7 pm *Bunnies, Chicks and Eggs*Tues., April 16, 6-7 pm *April Showers*Tues., May 7, 6-7 pm *Mother's Day Gifts*Fee: \$12 per class, Members \$11 per class Instructor: Pamela

CREATING WITH CLAY Ages 6+

An introductory class for kids who are curious about the versatility of clay and want to try out its limitless possibilities. Session A: Wednesdays, Jan. 10—Feb. 28, 3:30—5 pm Session B: Wednesdays, Mar. 20—April 24, 3:30—5 pm Instructor: Peggy Cornick Fee: \$75 per session, Members \$68 per session

WINTER-THEMED PAINTING CLASS FOR KIDS! Ages 6+

In this class kids will be learning step-by-step how to paint their own masterpiece with acrylic paint! **Saturday, January 20,** 10 am-noon Fee: \$25, Members \$23 Instructor: Pamela

Sponsored by First Citizens Power Savers



Kids' Club is a cool way to explore the visual arts and treasures of the MacNider Art Museum. Designed for ages 5-12. It's hands-on, fun and absolutely FREE! Register by calling 641-421-3666!

Thurs., January 18, 6:00-7:00 pm Sat., February 17, 9:00-11:00 am Thurs., March 21, 6:00-7:00 pm Sat., April 20, 9:00-11:00 am Thurs., May 16, 6:00-7:00 pm Winter Wonderland Washington's B-day! Eggtastic Earth Day Puppet Party

SPRING PUPPET SHOW DATE:

The Spring Puppet Show will be Thursday, April 4, 2024!

ALL YOUTH STUDENTS MUST BE PICKED UP FROM CLASS BY A CAREGIVER.

Weather Policy: All classes will be postponed when Mason City Community Schools cancel class due to inclement weather. Watch Facebook, our website, and the "closings" list on KIMT.

CLASS CREDIT REQUESTS will be honored if the request occurs at least 1 week prior to the first meeting of the class.

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE for youth classes. Please call 641-421-3666.

SQUISHIES Ages 9+, 7-8 with adult helper

Squeeze out some creativity in this class. We will sculpt your favorite video game characters into squishies using foam and then paint them.

Saturday, February 10, 1-4 pm Fee: \$30, Members \$27 Instructor: Laura

COLOR PENCIL DRAWINGS Ages 8+

In this class, students will be guided to explore the techniques of sketching, shading and blending while drawing with colored pencils. Basic color theory will be introduced.

Tuesday, February 27, 5:30-7:30 pm Fee: \$25, Members \$23 Instructor: Pamela

SPRING BREAK MINI CAMP Ages 5+

Come to the museum for two mornings of designing, painting, gluing, and drawing with Springtime Creations theme projects. Enjoy your time off from school with colorful and creative crafts. Dress for a mess. Snack provided.

Tuesday-Wednesday, March 12-13, 8 am—Noon Fee: \$45 Members \$41 Instructor: Pamela

PROCESS ART Ages 5+

Process art is about exploring creativity during the making of art and less about the finished product. Have fun in the process.

Thursday, March 28, 5:30-7:30 pm Fee: \$25, Members \$23 Instructor: Laura

OIL PASTELS Ages 9+

Explore space with oil pastels by creating some out of this world art. **Thursday, April 25**, 5:30-7:30 pm Fee: \$25, Members \$23 Instructor: Laura

NO PAINT BRUSHES ALLOWED Ages 5+

We will explore different ways of painting in this class with objects like forks and combs, hands and fingers. Get ready for some messy fun!

Saturday, May 4, 2-4 pm Fee: \$25, Members \$23 Instructor: Laura

PRINTMAKING PALOOZA Ages 8+, 6-7 with adult helper Learn the techniques and tools of printmaking. Design your own art and print it on paper. Plus, a visit to the Print Gallery! Saturday, May 11, 10 am-Noon Fee: \$25, Members \$23 Instructor: Pamela

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FAMILY CLASSES Ages 5+

NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM

Spend time with the kids and have a night of fun at the Museum. A behind the scenes tour, nighttime crafts and glow in the dark art. Crafts for an adult and child to work on together.

Thursday, January 11, 5:30-7:30 pm

Fee: \$35 per adult/child pair, \$15 for each additional child; Members \$32 per adult/child pair, \$14 for each additional child. Instructor: Laura

ST. PATRICK'S DAY GNOMES

Make and create artistic leprechaun gnomes styled with green and rainbow colors. Great décor for home or a gift. **Saturday, March 2,** 1-3:30 pm

Fee: \$30 per adult/child pair, \$15 for each additional child; Members \$27 per adult/child pair, \$14 for each additional child Instructor: Pamela

ADULT & TEEN CLASSES

CLAY CLASS: LEARNING TO THROW Ages 14-Adult

Learn how to center on the potter's wheel and make a variety of pottery forms. All skill levels welcome. Clay and tools are an additional charge. **Thursdays from 5:30-7:30 pm**

Session A: Thursdays, Jan. 11-Feb. 29, Bill Mateer Session B: Thursdays, Mar. 21-May 9, Randy Reid Fee: \$85, Members \$77

CLAY CLASS: HANDBUILDING Ages 16+

Learn the basics of handbuilding with clay. All skill levels welcome. Clay and tools are an additional charge. **Tuesdays, Jan. 9-Feb. 13,** 5:30-7:30 pm Fee: \$85, Members \$77 Instructor: Peggy Cornick

VINTAGE JEWELRY MONOGRAM Ages 13+

Go back to the 1970's to create a beautiful, one-of-a-kind collage from donated, vintage jewelry. Choose a letter at time of registration or you can choose from a butterfly, heart, tree or make your own. You are welcome to bring any of your own collected jewelry for a personal touch, but it is not required.

Saturday, January 27, 1-4 pm Fee: \$35, Members \$32 Instructor: Laura

ACRYLIC PAINTING - LANDSCAPE Ages 13+

Follow along step by step to create a beautiful landscape painting on canvas.

Saturday, February 24, 1-4 pm Fee: \$30, Members \$27 Instructor: Laura

ENCAUSTIC/BEES WAX ART Ages 13+

Be part of an exciting encaustic painting experience. Learn to manipulate the wax and incorporate other materials and color to your design. This unique medium will have you buzzing. All supplies are included.

Saturday, March 16, 9 am-Noon Fee: \$35, Members \$32 Instructor: Pamela

WATERCOLOR FLOWERS FOR BEGINNERS Ages 13+

Learn wet on wet and wet on dry techniques with liquid watercolors. The class will go step by step so beginners are very welcome.

Saturday, April 6, 12:30-4 pm Fee: \$30, Members \$27 Instructor: Laura

WHIMSCIAL CHAIRS Ages 13+

Each student will create a design for an uniquely styled chair provided by the Museum. Paint it, bling it, or add a variety of materials to create texture— unlock your creativity when creating a new piece of furniture for your home or office. **Saturday, April 27,** 9 am-Noon

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SAVE THE DATE!

The next MacNider Arts Festival will be on Sat., June 8, 2024!