

Ages 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-12 + Teens JUNE 24 - AUGUST 23

# SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAM

Our visual art enrichment program develops creative expression and artistic skills through hands-on activities. For a full-day program, a morning class may be combined with an afternoon class. Supervised "bridge" care is available for these students, between 12-1PM, for an additional \$20 per week (Week 2, July 1-5, \$16). These students should bring a lunch. Teen and adult classes are also open to ages I3+. FINANCIAL AID IS AVAILABLE. Forms available online and at the GAC office, must be returned by June 17.

BECOME A FAMILY MEMBER! SAVE 10% ON CLASSES AND IN THE SHOP for all in your family and many other benefits. You can become a member when you register.

CANCELLATION POLICY: A full refund may be received up to June 8. A full refund less a \$25 processing fee may be received for refunds requested up to 2 weeks before class starting date. Tuition credit less a \$25 processing fee may be received for cancellations requested less than 2 weeks before the class starting date. After that time, no consideration will be given without a written medical excuse. Students missing a regularly scheduled class will not receive a refund or makeup class.

STUDENTS WHO HAVE LEARNING OR SOCIAL CHALLENGES ARE WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE IN CLASSES AT GAC. We recommend you speak with a staff member to discuss your child's needs and suggestions for best meeting them in the classroom.

# WEEK 1

**JUNE 24-28** 

### 1-2-3 WATERCOLORS & ME [Ages 3-1/2-6]

Explore the world of color using watercolors, mixed media and found objects, and a variety of techniques such as splatter, dot and resist painting. Create an underwater seascape and have fun with the favorite shaving cream/paint process.

Renee Soares, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

## PORTRAIT & ANIMAL DRAWING [Ages 7-12]

Working with charcoal, pastel, color pencil and paint, we will draw and paint faces from observation and animals from pictures. Fee payable with tuition \$10.00.

Kristin Liguori, 9:00AM -12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

## **CLAY WATER CREATURES [Ages 5-9]**

Working with self-hardening clay, children will make fish, frogs, turtles, birds, alligators and other creatures found near our ponds and oceans. Then we'll have fun painting our critters in acrylic paints. Bring a smock or wear old clothes.

Betsy Chichester, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, Members \$180.00

## **WEAVING WONDERS [Ages 5-9]**

Learn the timeless techniques of weaving. We will try many different ways to weave and use a variety of traditional and innovative materials: yarn, paper, straws, cups, twigs, cardboard and more.

Bonnie Han, 1:00PM – 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

### **ALL ABOUT CLAY: SESSION A [Ages 8-12]**

Working in the pottery studio, build your artistic skills in clay, learning how to make sculptures as well as vases, cups and bowls that you can use. Combine wheel throwing and hand building, and add ornamental designs.

Stephanie Lush-Mastriano, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

## **LET'S GET SEWING [Ages 8-12]**

Learn the basics of machine, hand sewing and embroidery while designing and stitching a patchwork tote bag, stuffed animal, headbands, embroidered pillows and scented sachets. For beginning students and those with some sewing experience. Fee payable with tuition \$20.00.

Claudia Mathison, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members** \$180.00

# WEEK 2

JULY 1-5 (NO CLASS JULY 4)

### LITTLE GLOBE TROTTERS [Ages 3-1/2-6]

Learn the customs of children from other countries. We'll design carp kites from Japan, sculpt clay animalitos from Mexico, print African Adinkra cloth and build adobe houses from New Mexico. Plus storytelling, music, and games.

Claudia Mathison, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$160.00, **Members \$144.00** 

# SCULPTURE & DRAWING FOR KIDS: SESSION A [Ages 7-12]

Sculpture can be anything you want it to be: a creature, a tent, a blob, something to climb on. And drawing! You love to draw your ideas, so you'll learn new 2D skills. Then we build it 3D with bits of wood, wire, clay and paint.

Lexa McCrady Axon, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$160.00, **Members \$144.00** 

#### HANDS ON HAND BUILDING: SESSION A [Ages 5-9]

Learn basic steps to make a hand built piece either functional or sculptural. Learn how to roll coils, roll and throw slabs, pinch the clay into shapes, and apply texture. Students should wear clothes they do not mind getting DIRTY.

Justin Gerace, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$160.00, **Members \$144.00** 

## KIDS DRAW & PAINT [Ages 5-9]

The class will introduce young artists to the techniques of using paints and drawing materials. They will create from their imaginations as well as some still life objects.

Dolores Marchese, I:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$160.00, Members \$144.00

### **ALL ABOUT ANIMALS [Ages 8-12]**

Design and create 3D animals and habitats out of air drying clay, twisted paper, colorful wire, cardboard and foam. Embellish and decorate your creatures with yarn, beads, tempera paint, fuzzy pompoms and pipe cleaners.

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# WEEK 3

JULY 8-12

# BEADS, BAUBLES, BOXES & BEANS [Ages 3-1/2-6]

Have a fun learning experience using different types of embellishing materials and techniques to create unusual projects.

Renee Soares, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

#### **MULTIMEDIA ART EXPLORATION [Ages 7-12]**

Learn how to blend various materials to create 2D and 3D pieces: beads, stones, plastics, cardboard, styrofoam and many other mediums. Some of our pieces will be made out of everyday objects. Fee payable with tuition \$15.00

Kristin Liguori, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

### **MASTER ARTISTS: A MEDIUM A DAY [Ages 5-9]**

A mixed media art class highlighting the life and work of one master artist per day. Create work using the medium and technique of each individual artist.

Renee Soares, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

# CLAY CASTLES & MYSTICAL CREATURES [Ages 5-9]

Learn clay hand building techniques while constructing a castle. We'll learn about the origin of some mystical creatures and create our own dragons, gargoyles, unicorns, fairies, elves, and gnomes.

Betsy Chichester, I:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, Members \$180.00

# IN & OUTSIDE THE STUDIO: SUMMER PAINTING & DRAWING: SESSION A [Ages 8-12]

Learn a variety of painting and drawing techniques using water based paints, pencil and pastels. The class will work in the studio as well as out of doors, "en plein air."

Dolores Marchese, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

# MIX IT UP! ART-O-RAMA!: SESSION A [Ages 8-12]

Create 3D paper mache creatures, make sculptures from wire, beads and buttons, plus painting, collage, and printmaking. Bring a smock! Fee payable with tuition \$5.00.

Sue Mullaney, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

# WEEK 4

JULY 15-19

**LITTLE ARCHITECTS [Ages 3-1/2-6]** 

Using wood blocks, foam cubes, tubes, cardboard and wire, we'll make tall buildings, boats, abstract sculptures and animals. Fee payable with tuition \$5.00.

Claudia Mathison, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

## WATER MEDIA FOR KIDS [Ages 7-12]

Experiment with different techniques and creative ways to use water based media, such as watercolor and tempera paints. Learn techniques, color theory and mixing.

Marcy LaBella, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

### **OUT OF AFRICA [Ages 5-9]**

We will start our journey in Ghana, West Africa by making an Akuba doll. Then make Adinkra cloth, learn about Mud cloth, make a basket out of telephone wire and more.

Bonnie Han, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

### **AMERICAN GIRL: SESSION A [Ages 5-9]**

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## POTTERY ON THE WHEEL: SESSION A [Ages 8-12]

Learn to use the potter's wheel through demonstrations, individual instruction and wheel time. Bring a smock or wear old clothes. **Meets July 15,16,17, 23, 24.** 

Alice Chittenden, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, Members \$180.00

### **PHOTOGRAPHY FOR KIDS [Ages 8-12]**

Learn to use your digital camera/DSLR. Make a pinhole camera, create photos using cyanotype paper, and more. Smart phone and point and shoot cameras also welcome. Fee payable with tuition \$10.00.

Sophy Johnston, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

## **FUN WITH METAL [Ages 8-12]**

Stamp, hammer, fold, bend, cut, twist, shape, and heat metal to make jewelry and mini sculpture. Fee payable with tuition \$15.00.

Connie Pfeiffer, I:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$225.00, Members \$202.50

## TEEN BLACKSMITHING [Ages 13+]

Learn basic forging techniques. Students will learn how to build and maintain a coal fire, and use the new skills to make several small projects such as hooks, fire pokers, and hand forged jewelry. Bring safety glasses, leather work gloves, and should wear jeans and non-flammable cotton shirt and boots or leather shoes. Fee payable with tuition \$10.00.

Mace Vitale, 3:30PM-5:30PM

Session A: 3 Wednesdays beginning June 12 Session B: 4 Wednesdays beginning July 3

Session C: 3 Wednesdays beginning August 1

Sessions A & C: Tuition \$105.00, Members \$94.50 Session B: Tuition \$140.00, **Members \$126.00** 

# WEEK 5

JULY 22-26

### YOU, ME & THE SEA [Ages 3-1/2-6]

Get ready for an ocean of fun in this mixed media art class. Try a little bit of clay, watercolor, pastels, tempera, markers and fiber arts.

Marcy LaBella, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, Members \$180.00

# PAINTING & DRAWING EXPLORATIONS: SESSION A [Ages 7-12]

Color your world while learning about painting techniques, perspective, nature drawing and more. Experiment with watercolor and acrylic paints, oil crayons, cut paper techniques and a variety of drawing tools.

Claudia Mathison, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, Members \$180.00

### **UNDER THE BIG TOP!** [Ages 5-9]

You can make your favorite parts of the circus to play with: acrobats, lions in cages, dancing dogs, tightrope walkers. We'll paint backdrops of a circus tent in bright colors.

Lexa McCrady Axon, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

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Christa Lorusso, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, Members \$180.00

# POTTERY ON THE WHEEL: SESSION B [Ages 8-12]

Learn to use the potter's wheel through demonstrations, individual instruction and wheel time. Bring a smock or wear old clothes. **Meets July 18,19, 22, 25, 26.** 

Alice Chittenden, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, Members \$180.00

# WEEK 6

JULY 29 - AUGUST 2

### THE ELEMENTS OF ART [Ages 3-1/2-6]

Line, shape, form, value, color, pattern and texture will be introduced with fun creative projects. using tempera, pastel, marker, watercolors, clay and more.

Marcy LaBella, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

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Tori Burnham, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

### MIXED MEDIA [Ages 8-12]

Students will work with water based paints, pencils and pastels, as well as a variety of collage materials to create their art: drawing, painting and simple printing techniques.

Dolores Marchese, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

### GEORGIA O'KEEFE: THE RHYTHM OF COLOR [Ages 8-12]

Explore the colorful world of artist Georgia O'Keefe through the mediums of watercolors and chalk pastels. Students will create works inspired by her vision and have fun learning several different techniques. Projects will highlight the basic elements of art with a specific focus on the use of color.

Renee Soares, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 



#### **INTRO TO CREATIVE FILM MAKING [Ages 14-18]**

An exploratory filmmaking class in which students get real-world, hands-on experience in film production. The group will create a collaborative film by the end of class. Students should feel free to bring any film/video/photography equipment they have. Class meets at Guilford Free Library.

Jeff Reilly Monday-Friday July 8-12, 9:30AM - 4:30PM Tuition \$440.00, **Members \$396.00** 

## COMICS & CHARACTER CREATION [Ages | | + ]

Learn to create dynamic expressive characters. Make brand new characters or redesign old ones! Learn how to tell a story by using techniques like shape, motion and color.

Shannon Grace Blencowe 8 Fridays beginning July 5, 7:00PM - 8:00PM Tuition \$107.00, **Members \$96.30** 

## CROCHETING FOR KIDS WORKSHOP [Ages 10+]

Beginners learn basic techniques for creating 3D plush soft sculptures. Learn to crochet, stuff, and finish closed round objects. Fee payable with tuition \$5.00.

Rachelle Castiglione Saturday June 22, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$40.00, **Members \$36.00** 

# WEEK 7

AUGUST 5-9

### **SUMMERY CRAFTS [Ages 3-1/2-6]**

Let's get crafty with a summer theme! Design paper sail boats, colorful tie dyed tee shirts, decorate shell boxes, mold sea creatures with clay and more. We'll also paint, color and have time for outdoor play, snacks and games. Fee payable with tuition \$5.00.

Claudia Mathison, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, Members \$180.00

# CLAY ARCHITECTURE FOR MOVIE & VIDEO CHARACTERS [Ages 7-12]

Working with clay, we'll design and build vehicles and environments, and characters from movies and video games. Create such structures as mazes, castles and playgrounds. Drawing and painting skills will be used to create a scenic backdrop surrounding.

Lexa McCrady Axon, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

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## INTRO TO THE POTTER'S WHEEL [Ages 8-12]

Learn the magic of the potter's wheel, from clay preparation to how the wheel works, while experimenting with lifting and shaping clay and decorating techniques. Students should wear clothes they do not mind getting DIRTY.

Justin Gerace, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

## FABRIC MANIA [Ages 8-12]

Class will introduce various types of fabrics along with several different techniques such as image transfer, quilting, fabric collage and dying. Projects will include painted t-shirts, circle scarves, canvas bags, masks, decorative boxes and journals. Fee payable with tuition \$10.00.

Renee Soares, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

# WEEK 8

AUGUST 12-16

# KIDS DESIGN GAMES & TOYS: SESSION B [Ages 3-1/2-6]

We'll design game boards of dream islands and planets to follow paths on, and use clay to create character playing pieces. We'll make fantasy animals out of cardboard and stuffing and paper mache.

Lexa McCrady Axon, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

## **PAINTING THE MASTERS [Ages 7-12]**

We'll look at artists throughout history and then make art in their styles with tempera, acyclic and water soluble oil colors. From Audubon to Zubaran, we'll cover the artistic alphabet throughout the centuries.

Amy Peters, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, Members \$180.00

#### POP ART! [Ages 5-9]

Come make art in the style of pop artists such as Andy Warhol, Jasper Johns, Wayne Thiebaud, Claes Oldenburg, Jim Dine, Lucy Sparrow and more. We'll work with paints, fibers, clays, paper mache and more to create pop art master pieces.

Amy Peters, 1:00PM - 4:00PM Tuition \$200.00, **Members \$180.00** 

# IN & OUTSIDE THE STUDIO: SUMMER PAINTING & DRAWING: SESSION B [Ages 5-9]

Students will use water based paints, pencil and pastels working from their imagination and still life as well as nature. Emphasis is on personal expression as well as learning a variety of painting and drawing techniques. The class will work in the studio as well as out of doors, "en plein air."

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# WEEK 9

AUGUST 19-23

#### CLAY EACH DAY [Ages 3-1/2-6]

We'll mold woodland animals, sculpt underwater sea life, design a fairy house, build decorative bowls and more. You'll learn basic coil, pinch and slab techniques. Time for stories, snacks and outside play. Fee payable with tuition \$5.00.

Claudia Mathison, 9:00AM - 12:00PM Tuition \$200.00, Members \$180.00

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### **EASY YARN CRAFTS [Ages 5-9]**

This class will involve exposure to many different types of yarn and techniques. Students will learn a no needles knitting technique using the new Loop-it yarn to create a scarf. Additional projects include silhouettes, wrapped dolls, Ojo de Dios weavings, and more. Fee payable with tuition \$10.00.

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# SPA WEEK...CRAFTS & HEALTHY COOKING [Ages 8-12]

Let's craft scented soaps and lotions, lavender sachets, dream catchers with colorful yarn and design sparkling Mala bead necklaces. We'll have time to make fruit salad, healthy cookies and other yummy treats. You'll learn a little yoga too! Fee payable with tuition \$10.00.

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