Spring 2024 Workshops & Tours



SLOCK PRINT - COHEN

Jewelry Making: Heart Pendant

Ages 13 – Adult
Saturday: Feb. 10, 10 AM – 2 PM
PRESENTER: PAULA GREGOIRE-JONES

Make a unique wire-wrapped stone heart pendant of your choice. We will cover two styles of pendant-making and various ways to decorate your heart with the leftover wire. Each student will be provided with one stone heart and another stone shape. Additional hearts may be purchased. All wire is included. There will be a variety of colors and sizes of hearts to choose from. No experience necessary.

Price: \$55/\$50 members

Beginning Ukulele PLUS!

6 Wednesdays: Feb. 14 – March 20, 5– 6 PM PRESENTER: MAVIS HANSEN

Learn simple chords and strumming techniques for singalongs as you learn/continue to play this fun instrument. If you already have some experience, please join us to hone your skills and learn more advanced chords. Music theory will be provided to understand the techniques and allow moving on to advanced learning. Bring a ukulele, a tuner, a 3-ring binder to hold your songs,

and a pencil to take notes. Price: \$100 /\$90 members

Gelli Plate Printing

Saturday: Feb. 17 10 AM – 3:30 PM

PRESENTER: KATHY LEADER

Explore the wonderful world of gelli plate printing: mono printing without a press, using free painting, botanicals, stencils and string. Image transfers will be touched on too. Take home many beautiful prints! A materials list will be emailed upon registration.

Price: \$105/\$95 for members

SHODO Japanese Calligraphy

Ages 13 – Adults or Parent & Child Pairs
5 Sundays: Feb. 18 – March 17
9 – 11AM

PRESENTER: MARIO RIOS

SHODO is one of the oldest and most profound traditional art forms in Japan, developed and appreciated since the 5th century. Learn the four basic strokes of this ancient meditative art form, and practice through the writing of a haiku poem. Calligraphy brush and pad provided. A materials list for paper and ink will be sent upon registration.

Price: \$150/\$135 members



POLYMER CLAY - CARE

Beginning Guitar

10 Saturdays: March 2 – May 4 10 – 11 AM

PRESENTER: GREG LEROY

This class will teach you all the basic skills required to play chords, rhythms and scales so you can play your favorite songs and new ones, too. A materials list will be emailed upon registration.

Price: \$175/\$158 members



COLLAGE - LEADER

Painting Workshop: Exploring Color and Composition

Saturday: Feb. 24 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM PRESENTER: EMILY THOMAS

This workshop will use composition as a departure point to a more abstract painting style. Whether you come with an idea of what you would like to paint, or you paint from the still-life set up in class, this workshop will allow you to refine your basic skills, explore an alternative color palette, and think about composition and color theory. There will be demos, Q&A, critique, and lots of time for painting. For beginning and intermediate acrylic painters with some experience. A materials list will be sent upon registration.

Price: \$110 members/ \$99 non-members

Block Printmaking

Ages 13 – Adult Saturday: March 9, 2 – 4 PM PRESENTER: JANEY COHEN

During this two-hour class, you will design, sketch, and then carve a block print onto a rubbertype plate. Then you will make a series of prints of your art design in beautiful inks on cards and art papers. It's fun and quite easy, and you will be guided through the whole process. Students who have taken block printing from Janey before are encouraged to come again to enhance their skills and try more complex patterns on larger plates. All materials will be provided.

Price: \$45/\$40 members

Silk Painting

Ages 13 – Adult Saturday: Feb. 24 10 AM - noon

PRESENTER: JANA BRODY

Create a 17" x 17" painting on silk using a design of your choice or a prepared floral template. Learn to use the resist technique. No amount of experience is necessary. All instruction and materials included.

Price: \$50/\$45 members

Intermediate Guitar

10 Saturdays: March 2 – May 4 11 AM – 12 PM PRESENTER: GREG LEROY

This class will be a continuation of the beginning guitar class and will introduce new material. Students should have basic guitar skills in chording, strumming, and finger picking as well as an understanding of timing and harmony in music. A materials list will be emailed upon registration.

Price: \$175/\$158 members

Mindful Mixed Media and Collage Workshop

Saturday: March 2 10 AM – 3:30 PM

PRESENTER: KATHY LEADER

Explore your inner creative voice with abstract mixed media and collage. You will learn many mixed media techniques and compositional styles using acrylics, mono printing and collage in a fun way!

Price: \$105/\$95 for members

Watercolor: Painting a Triptych Saturday: March 16

Saturday: March 16 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM PRESENTER: CATHY QUIEL

A triptych is made up of three separate yet coordinated paintings. It is used to impart a narrative, create a sequence, or show different elements of the same subject matter. It can range from the aging stages of a person's face to the progression of the consumption of an apple. The class will be taught through demonstration and handouts with plenty of time to paint your triptych. Color theory will be emphasized. A materials list will be sent upon registration.

Price: \$120/\$108 members

Springtime Photos in the Garden

Ages 14 – Adult Saturday: March 16, 8 – 10 AM PRESENTER: GLENN DUBOCK

Join local professional photographer Glenn Dubock for a fun photo workshop in the Community Garden Park. Using techniques developed over a 50-year career, Glenn will teach you his tips and tricks for getting the most color, texture, and design in our little Eden by the Sea.

Price: \$99/\$89 members

Wire, Glass and Bead Suncatchers

Ages 13 – Adult Saturday: March 23 10 AM – 2 PM

PRESENTER: PAULA GREGOIRE-JONES

Make fun and creative sun catchers by linking glass beads together with wire, hammered links, and stained-glass pieces. In addition to learning how to link the beads together with wire, you will also learn to make various styles of hammered links to incorporate into your designs. No previous experience is required. All wire, beads and two stained glass links will be provided. Additional stained-glass pieces will be available for purchase.

Price: \$55/\$50 members

Beginning Watercolor: A Weekend Workshop

Ages 12 – Adult Saturday & Sunday: April 6 & 7, 1 – 4 PM PRESENTER: JANEY COHEN

Have you heard that painting with watercolors is difficult? Come learn a variety of techniques that will make watercolor painting fun and approachable, even if you've never tried it. In a stress-free and nurturing environment, you will find that painting with watercolors isn't hard at all if you take it one step at a time. You will take home a "sampler of techniques" painting that will not only be a reference guide for you, but also a work of art. All materials included.

Price: \$100/\$90 members

Beginning Watercolor: The Next Step

Ages 12 – Adult Saturday & Sunday: April 20 & 21, 1 – 4 PM PRESENTER: JANEY COHEN

This class is for students who have taken a beginning watercolor class and have some basic knowledge of watercolor techniques. Come learn how to put those techniques and skills together to continue your journey into watercolor painting. Most materials included. A materials list will be sent upon registration.

Price: \$100/\$90 members

Beach Town Hootenanny Sing Along 4 Fridays: April 19 – May 10 1:30 – 3 PM

PRESENTERS: HANS BETZHOLTZ AND LISA STARR

Join us for fun and lively group singing of the popular songs from the '50s, '60s and '70s. In this 90-minute class, Hans will play guitar and Lisa will lead the singing. The only requirement is the desire to sing and have fun! Singing with others creates fast friends, joy, a sense of community and well-being. This class will also touch upon the art of harmony singing.

Price: \$60/\$54 members

Driftwood Fiber Art Workshop

Ages 13 – Adult Saturday: April 27, 10 - noon PRESENTER: MARY KATE MCGEEHAN

Let your creative energy flow while learning how to assemble your own fiber art wall hanging. Explore various looping techniques as you attach a variety of yarns, twines, jutes, novelty threads and

focal objects onto a rustic piece of Carpinteria driftwood. No experience necessary. Materials provided.

Price: \$50/\$45 members

Trees in Pastel Saturday: May 4, 10 AM – 4 PM

PRESENTER: KRIS BUCK
Painting trees with pastels
can sometimes be tricky! This
workshop hopes to answer your
questions and simplify this for
you. Come explore the soft and

expressive medium of pastels while you create a beautiful landscape of trees. A materials list will be sent upon registration.

Price: \$110 members/ \$99 non-members

Floral Bundle Dye Class

Saturday: May 4, 10 AM - Noon PRESENTER: CHRISTIE BOYD

Using nature's flowers and leaves, you will steam-print a silk scarf using a bundle dying process. This is a really fun process with beautiful and surprising results every time! Everyone will leave with a hand-dyed scarf. All materials provided. Price: \$55 /\$50 members

Handmade Papers and Seed Bombs

Ages 13 – Adult Saturday: May 11, 1 – 3 PM PRESENTER: BARBARA T. BOOTH

Learn three different recycled papermaking techniques and how to choose the best materials for optimum results. Explore the inclusion of flowers, seeds or herbs in your hand-made paper. All materials included. You are encouraged to bring your own special flowers or herbs to add to your paper.

Price: \$60/\$54 members



WC TRYPTICH - QUIE

Introduction to African Drumming

Ages 6 - Adult Sunday: May 5, 1 – 2 PM PRESENTER: JOHN KNECHT

Join John Knecht, music instructor at Cate School, in our courtyard for an hour of African drumming. John has traveled to Guinea, Mali and Senegal to study the art of drumming, dance and song. Don't miss this exciting opportunity to bring the rhythm of the African tradition to our courtyard on a Sunday afternoon! Please feel free to bring your own drum, but John will have plenty to try out. No experience necessary.

Price: \$17/\$15 members

Polymer Clay Workshops

3 Thursdays: April 4 - 18 9 AM – noon

PRESENTER: JEANNE CARR

Soft and moldable at room temperature, polymer clay lends itself easily to small scale projects like jewelry and miniatures. It is durable and waterproof after it is baked.

Session One, April 4: Making polymer clay canes. These rods or logs are made with a colorful design that runs the entire length of the log. If you cross-section or slice the rod at one point, you'll see a two-dimensional pattern.

Session Two, April 11: Learning to blend colors. Learn the basic two-color Skinner blend, the multiple color blend, and gradient and ribbon blends. Can be used to make flower petals, spirals, and lots more.

Session Three, April 18: Mokume Gane, a technique developed in the 17th century. It means "wood grain in metal". Polymer clay is the perfect material to imitate this look.

Price: \$75/\$68 members per session or \$200/\$180 members for all three sessions

Classes for Children

I Art - A Valentines-Making Workshop for Kids

Ages 6 – 12, Saturday: Feb. 10, 10:30 AM – Noon PRESENTER: ZOE IVERSON

Come have a fun time in our courtyard making collage cards and Valentine decorations. You could bring a list of the names of your classmates and make all the Valentines you need this year! All materials will be provided. Price: \$20 / \$18 members

Youth Guitar Lessons

Ages 7 - 12

Session One: 7 Thursdays: Feb. 15 – April 4 (No class on March 28) Session Two: 7 Thursdays: April 11 – May 23

PRESENTER: MICHAEL WITT

Learn to play the guitar in a fun group setting where we will learn songs together and work toward the goal of an end of series/class performance. Please bring a guitar (in a case) and a music stand to class.

Price: \$175/\$158 members per session

After School Art

Ages 7 – 11

Session 1A: 6 Tuesdays: Feb. 13 – March 19, 3:30 – 5 PM Session 1B: 6 Thursdays: February 15 – March 21, 3:30 – 5 PM Session 2A: 6 Tuesdays: April 9 – May 14, 3:30 – 5 PM

Session 2B: 6 Thursdays: April 11 – May 16, 3:30 – 5 PM

PRESENTER: EMILY THOMAS

This class is for kids who are into art and want to explore different art techniques and methods. Experimenting with paint, pencil, oil pastels, collage, printmaking, watercolor, and mixed media, each class will provide a different experience. The combination of learning and imagination will be used to create a full portfolio throughout each session. All materials provided. Tuition assistance available.

Price: \$115/\$104 members per session

Home School Art

Grades K – 5

6 Wednesdays: April 3 - May 8, 9:30-11:00 AM

PRESENTER: FRANNY FREUND

Students will develop their art skills and learn new techniques in a variety of media including pastels, paint, collage, printmaking, and more. New projects each week. Materials provided.

Price: \$180/\$162 members

Register for classes & tours online at 3 (1) www.CarpinteriaArtsCenter.org For questions, call 805.684.7789



Classes fill quickly, so register early!

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*Workshops and tours will be canceled if the minimum number of participants is not reached.

Spring 2024 Art Tours

Art About Agriculture - The 15th Annual Exhibition Santa Paula Art Museum

Thursday: February 22

11 AM - noon (10:45 Arrival)

This year's Agriculture Exhibition features 55 fresh works presented by the Ag Art Alliance, Featured artists include Carpinteria artist Gary Campopiano, The museum is wheelchair accessible. Note that the museum is 45 minutes away via freeway. Carpools can be arranged.

Price: \$15/\$13.50 Members

Camille Corot to Orthodox Icons: Lady Ridley-Tree's Gifts to the Collection **Westmont Ridley-Tree Art Museum**

Thursday: March 14

11 AM – noon (10:45 Arrival)

Enjoy a docent-led viewing of the artworks gifted to the museum from Lady Ridley-Tree's personal art collection. The exhibit includes works by Jean-Baptiste-Camille Corot, Diaz de la Peña, Théodore Rousseau, and several more important artists.

The museum is located on the Westmont College campus and is wheelchair accessible.

Price: \$15/\$13.50 Members

Camille Claudel: 60 Works by the Celebrated 19th Century Sculptor Getty Center, Los Angeles

Thursday: April 18

9 AM – 4 PM (Bus leaves the Arts Center at 9 AM)

Join us for an afternoon at the breathtaking Getty Center campus. One of several special exhibits to view will be sculptures by Camille Claudel, celebrated for her brilliance during a time when women sculptors were rare. She was also known as the muse and mistress of fellow French sculptor Auguste Rodin. Transportation by coach bus (with bathroom) and a picnic lunch at the Getty are included. The bus does not have a wheelchair lift but the Getty Center is wheelchair accessible.

Price: \$85/\$78 Members

Taft Gardens & Nature Preserve

Saturday: May 18

10 AM - 12:30 PM (Meet at Viola Fields to carpool & caravan)

Join us for a guided tour to explore the beautiful 15-acre Taft Gardens in Ojai. These curated gardens motivate visitors to learn about nature and its complexities. Sculptures adorn the garden, inspiring each visitor to explore the connection between themselves and their environment. The walk is about 1.5 miles with gravel pathways and uneven steps. Bring a hat, sunglasses, water and wear comfortable shoes. You may want to plan a picnic lunch. We will meet at 10:00 AM at Viola Fields at 6145 Carpinteria Avenue to carpool and caravan to the location as it is hard to find for first timers.

Price: \$30/\$27 Members (Children under 12, \$10)

The Lynda Fairly Carpinteria Arts Center offers programing for all ages, locals and visitors alike. The arts enrich our lives in countless ways, and we hope you find something here that brings you joy! Tuition assistance is available.

