



TEEN & ADULT Visual Arts Programs WINTER 2009

Brrr... January – the perfect time of year for fresh starts, getting back on track and committing to resolutions. Let the Estevan Arts Council help you explore & develop your creativity. Join us for an art class or workshop – investing in your creativity has its own rewards!

Avoid disappointment and register EARLY!

We have, in past, turned people away – either because the class was full or because it was cancelled due to low registration. It is true, we sometimes cancel excellent courses, taught by great instructors, but only because too many people wait until the last minute to register.

To cover the cost of running our classes, we require a minimum number of students before a course can run. In fairness to all, classes with less than the minimum are cancelled a week prior to the first class.

How can you help? If planning to take a particular class, please register sooner rather than later and avoid being disappointed.

- **Payment required at time of registration**
- **Separate cheque is required for each class because of possible cancellation**
- **All cheques are payable to: Estevan Arts Council**
- **Low registration is just cause for the cancellation of a program – fee will be refunded**
- **ALL classes in craft room of the Leisure Centre unless otherwise stated.**

ACRYLIC, Introduction to	Eltje Degenhart, Instructor
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\$ 70.00

Saturday

January 24, 2009

15 Maximum 7 Minimum

9:00 am - 4:00 pm

LEARN FROM A PRO! Come and see the versatility of acrylic paint. Color mixing, brush techniques and tricks will be revealed. A great class for the beginner or those wanting to polish their style.

Supplies Needed: Wear old clothes; bring some rags and an ice cream lid for a palette. Other supplies included in registration fee. Short lunch break during the day – please bring a bagged lunch.

BEGINNER BEADING	Ramona Timar, Instructor
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\$ 60.00

Mondays

Jan 19, Jan 26, Feb 2, Feb 9

8 Maximum 4 Minimum

7:30 pm – 9:00 pm

LEARN the basics in creating a necklace, bracelet and earrings from various beads, styles and closures. Class includes an introduction to design ideas and use of color.

Supplies Needed: All beads and jewelry findings are included in registration fee.

BEGINNER WATERCOLOR	Norma Jones, Instructor
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\$100.00

Tuesdays

Jan 20, Jan 27, Feb 3, Feb 10

8 Maximum 4 Minimum

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

These classes are designed for beginner to intermediate students. Participants will be accommodated at their own skill level. Students will learn basic watercolour techniques and the drawing skills required to complete the paintings. The first class will concentrate on painting from a still life; further classes will depend upon student preferences. The class has an open framework and accommodates individual projects and styles. Students are encouraged to bring pictures or ideas they would like to work from.

Supplies Needed: Bring any watercolour supplies you have. Some materials including paper will be included with the cost of registration. Recommended you have: pencil; kneading eraser; watercolour brushes - good quality #4 to #6 round and #8 to #12 rounds; wash brush; some watercolour paper - good quality 140 to 250lb; watercolour palette or white styrofoam egg carton; masking and butcher's tape (brown 1 1/2"); Exacto-knife; thumb tacks or medium weight staple gun; hair dryer; paper towel; small pkg Kleenex; watercolour paints - suggested colours: alizarin crimson, ultramarine blue, aureolin yellow, burnt sienna, sap or hooker's green; optional colours: Payne's gray, Windsor or Grumbacher red, Prussian blue, yellow ochre; a 1/4 - 1/2 " thick board about 18" x 22", if possible.

DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY & Photoshop Enhancement	Angela Clements, Instructor
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\$40.00

Saturday

Pleasantdale School

February 7

10 Maximum 5 Minimum

9:00 – Noon & 1:00 – 4:00 pm

Find out what all those buttons are for on your digital camera! Learn how to use your camera to its full potential. Enhance your photos with Photoshop.

Supplies Needed: Bring your own digital camera and manual. You are welcome to bring your own laptop if you have Photoshop.

MOSAIC MADNESS **Gale Tytlandsvik & Lisa Wock, Instr**

\$ 80.00

Saturday & Sunday

March 7 & 8

10 Maximum 4 – 6 Minimum

9:30 – 4:30 pm & 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Learn basic mosaic techniques while embellishing the frame of a square or round mirror using stained glass or tiles. Bring a bagged lunch on Saturday and plan on a fun time.

Supplies Needed: Old spatula, rubber gloves, rags, sponges, ice cream pail, glass cutters (if available), plus any special items you want to incorporate into your finished mosaic frame. Mirror, base, grout, glue, sealer are included in registration fee, however, participants will be asked to either bring tiles or glass or pay instructor for same.

POTTERY: Hand Building & Wheel Throwing **Darlene Martin, Instructor**

\$175.00

Wednesdays

Jan 28, Feb 4, 11, ~~18~~, 25 & Mar 4, 11, 18

10 Maximum Minimum

7:00 pm – 10:00 pm

BACK by popular demand! Take this opportunity to learn the basics or further develop your skills of handbuilding and wheel throwing. Transform clay into objects of inspiration and pride. Explore decorative techniques including impressing, sprig mold, carving into clay and glazing. Bring your sense of fun and adventure to a fully equipped pottery studio. If you fall in love with potting, you can join the Pottery club and continue to enjoy and create with clay.

Supplies Needed: Small ice cream pail WITH lid. Fee includes clay, glazing and firing. Additional clay may be purchased if needed.

RAKU Pottery Firing **Linda Leslie, Instructor**

\$50.00

Saturday

April 25

 8 Maximum Minimum

9:30 am – 3:30 pm

Experience potter, Linda Leslie will lead participants through the basics of the Raku firing process.

Prerequisite: participants will bring pottery or clay pieces bisque fired to Cone 06, made from the Raku clay. The number of completed pieces will determine the amount of time available to each participant for firing. In the first portion of the workshop participants will use Raku glazes supplied by the instructor in preparation for the Raku firing outdoors.

Supplies Needed: Participants should be prepared to bring bags of dry leaves or straw as a combustible - another option would be saw dust. Metal garbage cans would also be very useful. Dress for the weather. Further information will be available. Bring a bagged lunch for a short break in the day.

SCRAPBOOKING for ALL **Melanie Hiske, Instructor**

\$ 35.00

Saturday

in Library

February 7

 8 Maximum 5 Minimum

9:00 am – 2:00 pm

Beginner or looking for fresh ideas, this class is for you! You will learn the basics of Scrapbooking including how to safely work with your photos, how to color coordinate your page, how to put a page together and a whole lot more! Melanie will have an amazing array of supplies for your use – making this class fun and easy!

Supplies Needed: Bring lots of photos (of the same theme(s) – no originals, please) and create your very own pages that will last for a lifetime! Please **bring a bagged lunch** and plan on a relaxing time.

WONDERS IN WOOD – Woodturning **Adrian Poirier, Instructor**

\$150.00

Saturdays

Estevan Comprehensive School

March 7 & March 21

 10 Maximum 5 Minimum

9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Create a family heirloom! Participants will learn to use woodworking / woodturning equipment while creating simple, but beautiful, and yet useful projects: wooden bowls, Belgium breakfast platters, and a serving hot plate.... these items would be worth \$70 each, to purchase.

Supplies Needed: Registration fee includes all tools, use of equipment and supplies for “3” projects



When submitting your registration please include:

Name - Address - Phone Number / Email Address

* **Indicate the chosen class/workshop and include separate payment for each class (cash or cheque)**

* **Your contact information allows us to keep you posted should there be any change to a class/workshop**

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