

BATIKING CLASS

With Featured Instructor
Mary Jo Easterling



Date: Monday, June 16th
Time: 9 am –1 pm
Tuition: Members -\$20 Nonmembers - \$30
(Includes Supplies)

Please preregister and prepay by June 6th.

Join instructor Mary Jo Easterling as she teaches the history of the Indonesian Batik method of “jaunting”. Hot wax is applied in designs to cotton fabric. The fabric will then be dipped in a vat of permanent dye to create a one of a kind work of art! Adult – High School students will enjoy this class. Younger, mature students may take this class if parents register with them.

COPPER ENAMELING CLASS

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Date: Tuesday, July 8th
Time: 6:30-9:00
Tuition: Members -\$20 Nonmembers - \$30
(Includes Supplies)

Please preregister and prepay by July 3rd.

Learn the ancient art of copper enameling while creating your own royal masterpiece. Mary Jo Easterling will demonstrate how to place powdered glass on copper, and then bake it in a kiln to make enameled objects as were created years ago in palaces in the Middle East. This is a very informative and fun class. Adult – High School students will enjoy this class. Younger, mature students may take this class if parents register with them.

“GIVE IT A TRY ART“ SERIES

WITH MARTHA M. GIBSON:

June 9,10,11

*Tuition for all three nights:
Members -\$75 Nonmembers -\$90
Register for all three and receive a \$5 discount!
Please preregister and prepay by June 6th.*



*Enjoy learning about three art mediums with
award winning artist and local favorite
Martha Gibson!*

BASIC DRAWING – NIGHT 1

Date: Monday, June 9th
Time: 6:30-8:00 pm
Tuition: Members - \$25 Nonmembers -\$35

Learn the basics of drawing. Martha Gibson will instruct students beginning with graphite pencil and then progressing to charcoal and pastel.

WATERCOLOR – NIGHT 2

Date: Tuesday, June 10th
Time: 6:30 –8:00 pm
Tuition: Members - \$25 Nonmembers -\$35

This class will begin by going over the basics of the color wheel. Participants will learn to mix colors and will complete a painting by the end of class.

ACRYLICS – NIGHT 3

Date: Wednesday, June 11th
Time: 6:30 –8:00 pm
Tuition: Members - \$25 Nonmembers -\$35

Enjoy learning about the forgiving medium of acrylics. This may even spark your interest in oil painting.

Fabric Collage Journals

Instructor Extraordinaire – Sandy Lupton



Date: Saturday, August 2, 2008
Time: 10am – 4pm
Tuition: Members - \$40 Nonmembers - \$50
Please preregister and prepay by July 25th

In this fun class each student will learn to make a 6” x 8” journal covered in their favorite fabrics, and collaged with their favorite imagery. Perfect for sketching or writing your innermost thoughts, these highly textured and brightly colored books make lovely gifts or keepsakes. They are quick and easy to make --- whip up a bunch for Christmas presents!

Most supplies included. Students should bring their favorite fabric scraps including 2 pieces at least 10” x 20”, ribbons and other decorative items, personal imagery including photos, photocopies, ephemera, etc., basic tools including scissors and ruler, Mod Podge or matt medium, and a 1” wide foam brush.

Mixed Media Cigar Box Shrines

Instructor Extraordinaire – Sandy Lupton



Date: Saturday, August 23, 2008

Time: 10am – 4pm

Tuition: Members - \$40 Nonmembers - \$50

Please preregister and prepay by August 17th

Learn to make shrines out of ordinary junk with layers of paint and symbolism. Start with a cigar box, wire it for hanging, add background papers, and then start layering junk. Watch as objects that seem totally unrelated become a meaningful assemblage. Add layers of medium, text and paint to make it a work of art. Teacher will provide wooden “roofs”, extra junk and ephemera, tools, wire, cordless Dremel and safety glasses.

Students’ Materials List: *Cigar box or wooden box, matt medium or matt Mod Podge, brushes, acrylic paints, assorted junk (see definition below), glue gun & plenty of glue sticks, & lunch.*

“Junk” defined: photos, ephemera, photocopies, toys, small dolls, scraps of metal, stuff you pick up off the ground, costume jewelry, keys, hardware, Dollar Tree stuff, anything that strikes your fancy. Bring items that have meaning to you and bring extra junk to share. We will make a pile of everyone’s junk to play with - the more the merrier!

SUMMER INSTITUTE FOR EDUCATORS

2-Days!

June 27-28, 2008

Please Register by: June 4th

“Monet, Renoir, and the Rebels of Light”

Teachers are invited to register for a two-day institute developed by the Virginia Museum of Fine Art’s statewide educational team in partnership with Rawls Museum Arts to take place on Thursday, June 26, and Friday, June 27, 2008. VMFA and Rawls Museum Arts recognize the Camp Younts Foundation for its longtime support of educational programs throughout the Commonwealth.

The word “impressionism” makes most people think of beautiful, sunlit paintings of the French countryside; glorious gardens, and lily ponds; and fashionable Parisians enjoying life in charming cafés. But in 1874, when the men and women who came to be known as the Impressionists first exhibited their work, their style of painting was considered shocking and outrageous by all but the most forward-thinking viewers.

This two-day institute explores the world of the Impressionists. Through lectures and workshops, we will investigate the social, political, scientific, and artistic shifts that propelled these artists into a new way of seeing and recording the world around them. Workshop leaders will share SOL-based activities and lesson plans covering a range of subject areas for use in your classroom. Each morning will begin with coffee and baked goods and on the evening of the 26th, we will recreate a dinner in a traditional French café setting and view a film by Jean Renoir, son of the Impressionist painter, Pierre-Auguste Renoir.

Certificates of attendance, a special Impressionist classroom activity guide with 6 posters, and all art materials will be provided.

To register, contact:
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