

# WINTER ART CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS

2012



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# ADULT ART CLASSES

## DRAWING

### DRAWING FUNDAMENTALS AND COLOURED PENCIL

WITH GERRY OLIVER

Develop your basic drawing skills and understand line, positive and negative space, perspective, light and shadow as well as proportion. Build confidence in your drawings skills and explore the use of coloured pencil in your drawings. Open to beginners or those with past drawing experience.

15 HRS

TUES: 7-10 PM, JAN 17 – FEB 14 (5 WKS)

MEMBERS: \$75, NON-MEMBERS: \$100

### JUST DRAWING WITH COLOURED PENCIL

WITH GERRY OLIVER

Open to beginners or those with drawing experience. Gerry will help you develop your drawing skills and creativity. In a variety of new exercises and projects Gerry will show you how to use a traditional drawing medium - the pencil crayon - to create "paintings," exploring light, shadow and colour.

15 HRS

TUES: 7-10PM, FEB 21 – MAR 20 (5 WKS)

MEMBERS: \$75, NON-MEMBERS: \$100

### OPEN DRAWING STUDIO: DRAWING THE FIGURE

Study and draw the figure in a studio setting while working independently. Participants will each pay a small fee to cover the cost of the model for the evening.

25 HRS

THURS: 7-9:30PM, JAN 19 - MAR 22 (10 WKS)

Must be a member of the Art Gallery

## MIXED MEDIA

### THE ART OF THE BOOK

WITH ELAINE ROUNDS

Open to beginners and those who want to enhance and refine their bookmaking skills. For journals, sketchbooks, and one of a kind artist books! In 5 weeks you will learn to make 5 books:

15 HRS

SESSION 1: Tunnels, 3-Window, Triple Flags, Sculptural Accordion and Books in a Box

THURS: 7-10PM, JAN 19 - FEB 16 (5WKS)

SESSION 2: Scrolls, Long Stitch Bindings, Map Folds, Wooden Books, and Bamboo Bindings

THURS: 7-10PM, FEB 23 - MAR 22 (5 WKS)

EACH SESSION: MEMBERS: \$75, NON-MEMBERS: \$100

## DRAWING AND PAINTING

### DRAWING AND WATERCOLOUR

WITH BECKY CHINN

Inspired by her recent workshop with watercolourist Alvaro Castagnet from Uruguay, Becky's class will incorporate experimenting more with large brushstrokes and a simplified focal point while learning basic techniques for sketching and paint application. Open to both introductory and advanced students, this class will help develop drawing, sketching, and watercolour skills while exploring creativity.

15 HRS

SESSION 1: TUES: 7-10PM, JAN 17 - FEB 14 (5 WKS)

SESSION2: TUES: 7-10PM, FEB 21 - MAR 20 (5 WKS)

EACH SESSION; MEMBERS: \$75, NON-MEMBERS: \$100

### INTRODUCTION TO PAINTING

WITH WEIMING ZHAO

Learn the fundamentals of painting in either oil or acrylic mediums. Colour theory, various painting techniques, as well as elements of composition are covered in this course using still life and images. Check out Weiming's works at: [weimingart.blogspot.com](http://weimingart.blogspot.com)

30 HRS

WED: 7-10PM, JAN 18 - MAR 21 (10 WKS)

MEMBERS: \$150, NON-MEMBERS: \$175

### INTRODUCTION TO FRESCO AND SECCO

WITH NEIL STOUFFER

Learn the age-old process and history of the ancient art of Fresco, painting on a thin layer of wet plaster; and Secco, painting over the fresco with egg tempera. Neil will show beginners how to use traditional techniques to create unique and personal expressions.

10 HRS

SAT: 2-4PM, FEB 18 - MAR 17 (5 WEEKS)

MEMBERS: \$75, NON-MEMBERS: \$100.00

### INTRODUCTION TO WATERCOLOUR

WITH GERRY OLIVER

Perfect for those who have little or no experience with watercolour! Learn a variety of techniques, receive hands-on demonstrations for application and colour mixing, paint applications and composition. Create watercolour paintings with confidence!

24 HRS

TUES: 1-4PM, JAN 31 - MAR 20 (8 WKS)

MEMBERS: \$120, NON-MEMBERS: \$145

## CERAMICS

### INTRODUCTION TO WORKING ON THE POTTER'S WHEEL

WITH KEVIN CONLIN

Have you always wanted to create on the potter's wheel? Learn step by step how to wedge clay, centre, raise a cylinder, make bowls, turn/tool a simple foot, glaze and decorate your work. Students will also learn about basic kiln operations.

30 HRS

THURS: 7-10PM, JAN 19 – MAR 22 (10 WKS)

MEMBERS: \$175, NON-MEMBERS: \$200

### THROWING 2

WITH KEVIN CONLIN

Students experienced with clay basics and throwing on the potter's wheel will focus on form as you learn to create bowls, plates, mugs and vases. Experiment more with glazing and build your knowledge of proper kiln procedures for loading and firing electric kilns.

30 HRS

TUES: 7-10PM, JAN 17 – MAR 20 (10 WKS)

MEMBERS: \$175, NON-MEMBERS: \$200

### OPEN CLAY STUDIO

Open to experienced ceramics students, this 10-week session is an independent studio class where you continue to develop your skills, knowledge and proficiency in ceramics.

30 HRS

WED: 1– 4PM, JAN 18 – MAR 21 (10WKS)

OR

WED: 7-10PM, JAN 18 – MAR 21 (10WKS)

MEMBERS: \$175, NON-MEMBERS: \$200

## PHOTOGRAPHY

### INTRODUCTION TO BLACK AND WHITE DARKROOM PHOTOGRAPHY

Learn the basics of black and white photography and darkroom techniques! Discover the camera, key elements of shooting, processing, and printing in black and white. Learn about composition and image selection. Express yourself through individual projects. You will need your own 35mm camera.

24 HRS

TUES: 7-10PM, JAN 17 - MAR 6 (8 WKS)

MEMBERS: \$195, NON-MEMBERS: \$220

(MATERIALS INCLUDED)

### MENTORSHIP IN BLACK AND WHITE DARKROOM PHOTOGRAPHY FOR BEGINNER OR ADVANCED STUDENTS

Receive 24 hours of one-on-one instruction. This will be a combination of field and darkroom instruction. A session schedule will be planned between the instructor and the student, sessions can be as short as one hour or a full day and the program can run as long as 8 weeks. Students will have the same access to the studio as other AGSM students. Your own 35mm camera is required.

24 HRS

JAN 17 - MAR 6 (8 WKS)

INTRODUCTORY LEVEL: MEMBERS: \$335, NON-MEMBERS: \$360

ADVANCED LEVEL: MEMBERS: \$300, NON-MEMBERS: \$325

(MATERIALS INCLUDED)

### D1 – INTRODUCTION TO PHOTOGRAPHY

WITH ROB LOVATT

Explore the creative potential of digital photography! Through group discussions, photographic excursions, independent projects, and critiques of your images you will gain a better understanding of how to use your digital camera.

*Prerequisite:* Digital camera and a working knowledge of computers.

15 HRS

THURS: 7-10PM, JAN 19 - FEB 16 (5 WKS)

MEMBERS: \$135, NON-MEMBERS: \$160

### D2 – ADVANCED DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY

WITH ROB LOVATT

Explore advanced techniques in digital photography with particular emphasis on the relationship between traditional photography and new technologies. Discussions and critiques will guide each class, but the course will be project-oriented.

*Prerequisite:* D1 – Introduction to Digital Photography

15 HRS

THURS: 7-10PM, MAR 1 – APR 5 (5 WKS)

NO CLASS MAR 8

MEMBERS: \$135, NON-MEMBERS: \$160

### AN EVENING OF PRINTMAKING

WITH STEVE CASSIDY

Experiment with inks and rollers, learn to use everyday materials and basic tools to create images and turn them into prints. Work with the printing press, but also techniques to create prints without a press at home.

2.5 HRS

SESSION 1: USING TEXTURES TO MAKE A MONOPRINT

TUES: 7-9:30 PM, FEB 21

SESSION2: LINOCUTS

TUES: 7-9:30PM, FEB 28

EACH SESSION: MEMBERS:\$22.50, NON-MEMBERS: \$47.50

## WORKSHOPS

### TRY YOUR HAND AT CLAY FOR A DAY WITH ELEANOR BEEVER

Ceramic artist and teacher Eleanor Beever will show you how to design and create a sculpted three-dimensional clay tile, or you can do more than one to complete a small wall mural. Learn about the history of tile-making and tile uses. Discover the joys of working with clay, a soft and versatile material. Students will receive a tour of the AGSM's clay studio, the only one of its kind in Southwestern Manitoba. Eleanor will also demonstrate the potter's wheel so students can experience wheel thrown forms.

9HRS

SAT: 11:00AM – 4:00PM, JAN 21

In two weeks, return to glaze your clay tile and discuss mounting for display.

SAT: 11AM – 3PM, FEB 4

MEMBERS: \$65, NONMEMBERS: \$80

### PINHOLE CAMERA

WITH KEVIN BERTRAM

#### OPEN TO ADULTS, FAMILIES, YOUTH

Photography at its most basic! The pinhole camera is a lightproof box with a small hole on one side – that's it. In this one-day, hands on workshop, we will use pinhole cameras to capture images on film and photo paper, process them in the black & white darkroom and then discuss our results.

8HRS

SAT: FEB 25 12:30 – 4:30PM

SAT: MAR 3 12:30 – 4:30PM

11 YRS - ADULT - MEMBERS: \$40, NON MEMBERS: \$65  
Family rate: \$40 for 1 PARENT/GUARDIAN and 1 CHILD UNDER 11YRS. EACH ADDITIONAL CHILD UNDER 11YRS: \$10 (MAX. 2 CHILDREN PER PARENT/GUARDIAN)

### EXPLORE CLAY FOR A DAY

WITH ELEANOR BEEVER

Ceramic artist and teacher Eleanor Beever will introduce you to clay and show you the potentials of this material. Try out a variety of hand building methods by making a few basic pots and forms. Students will receive a tour of the AGSM's clay studio, the only one of its kind in Southwestern Manitoba. Eleanor will also demonstrate the potter's wheel so students can experience wheel thrown forms.

9HRS

SAT: 11AM – 4PM, MAR 3

In two weeks, return to glaze your projects and discuss glazing ideas with demos and samples of finished surfaces.

SAT: 11AM – 3PM, MAR 17

MEMBERS: \$65, NONMEMBERS: \$80

### PHOTOGRAPHING YOUR ARTWORK

WITH KEVIN BERTRAM

Having trouble taking good photographs of your artwork? In this one-day workshop, Kevin will teach you the basics for taking excellent documentation of your artwork. Bring your digital camera, tripod (if you have one), and a couple of pieces of your art to the workshop. We will go over some basic camera functions and lighting techniques for both two and three dimensional pieces that will give you the most out of your equipment and some satisfying results!

5HRS

SAT: MAR 10, 11:30AM – 4:30PM

MEMBERS: \$45, NON MEMBERS: \$70

## FIBRE AND FABRIC WEEKEND

### FELTING

WITH GERRY OLIVER

Gerry will lead a workshop in wet-felting using sheep wool fibre. Students will be shown a variety of ways to work with this versatile material which can be shaped into different forms – three-dimensional sculptures, utilitarian objects such as hand-bags, or two-dimensional wall hangings. Students will learn the basic methods used to felt the fibre as they make a unique hand-bag or pillow cover.

3HRS

SAT: FEB 25 - 9:30AM – 12:30PM

MEMBERS: \$27.00, NON-MEMBERS: \$52

### NEEDLEFELTING

WITH DIANA NEUMAN

Diana will introduce you to needlefelting sheep wool fibre and show you some of the different possibilities for this medium. Receive a brief introduction of where the fleece comes from, processing and dyeing the fleece, and how the fibre can be needlefelted to create 2D or 3D pieces. Students will be shown a step by step project which will help them learn the first essential steps, which needles to use and when, and a variety of shaping, attaching and needle techniques. Students can then use these methods to create their own unique work of art.

3HRS

SAT: FEB 26 - 1:30PM – 4:30PM

MEMBERS: \$27.00, NON-MEMBERS: \$52

### DESIGN-PAINT-QUILT

WITH HEATHER LAIR

Try stepping away from commercial fabric to design your own fabric to use in art quilts. Learn Heather's method of painting cloth, developing a design, fusing, cutting, stitching, painting some more and then stitching some more! Heather will provide patterns of sample quilts and a page of shapes available to get started. Open to all levels – sewing machine experience required.

Check out Heather's website at [heatherlairdesigns.com](http://heatherlairdesigns.com)

6HRS

SUN: FEB 26, 11:30AM – 5:30PM

MEMBERS: \$75.00, NON-MEMBERS: \$100.00

SUPPLIES: \$12

### INDOOR SKETCH CRAWL- PENCILS, PEN AND INK, CHARCOAL, WATERCOLOUR

WITH BECKY CHINN

Learn and practice the fundamentals of drawing in this sketching class. Plein air (outdoor) drawing can be a little bit tricky in February or March but we have a solution for you! In this fun winter workshop, work alongside artist Becky Chinn who will provide basic drawing lessons and guide you to a variety of indoor sketching locations in Brandon. Becky will help you develop your skills drawing people, architecture, or even the steaming cup of coffee in front of you!

3HRS

SAT: 1-4PM, FEB 11

SUN: 1-4PM, MAR 4

EACH SESSION: MEMBERS: \$27.00, NON-MEMBERS: \$52

# COME AND JOIN THE FUN THIS WINTER!

## MORE FUN

# TEENS AND CHILDREN'S ART CLASSES

## ALL MATERIALS ARE INCLUDED!

### TEENS' 11 YEARS AND UP EXPRESS YOURSELF

Explore painting, develop your drawing skills and experiment with art in new and different ways. If you are interested in developing your artistic side in a fun studio setting that encourages creativity, discussion and personal expression, then this is the class for you.

16 HRS  
WED: 7PM – 9PM, FEB 1 – MAR 21 (8WKS)  
MEMBERS: \$60, NON-MEMBERS: \$85

### CHILDREN'S CLASSES 6-13 YRS AFTER SCHOOL SNACK AND ART

INCLUDES A FREE INTERACTIVE TOUR OF THE ART EXHIBITIONS!

After school, come to the Art Gallery for a light, nutritious snack on us. After you fuel up, pile into the studio where you will learn how to create all sorts of artwork. Learn to draw, paint and work with clay. Your teacher will help you find your own unique style in this energetic and satisfying class!

16 HRS  
MEMBERS: \$60, NON-MEMBERS: \$80  
THURS: 3:45PM – 5:45PM, FEB 2 – MAR 22 (8 WKS)

### INTRODUCTION TO DRAWING CHINESE CHARACTERS, MANDARIN GRAMMAR, CHINESE CULTURE AND PHILOSOPHY WITH SHARON HUANG

This class is a fun and easy way for children to begin to learn the basic, introductory steps of drawing Chinese characters. Sharon will use art activities and games to teach children how to draw and understand line. Discover how Chinese characters evolved from drawing nature, people, etc. Learn basic Mandarin grammar, and develop and understanding and appreciation for Chinese culture and philosophy.

AGES 6 – 8  
SESSION 1: SAT: 1 – 2:30PM, FEB 4 – FEB 25 (4WKS)  
SESSION 2: SAT: 1 – 2:30PM, MAR 3 – MAR 24 (4WKS)

AGES 9 AND UP  
SESSION 1: SAT: 3 – 4:30PM FEB 4 – FEB 25 (4WKS)  
SESSION 2: SAT: 3 – 4:30PM, MAR 3 – MAR 24 (4WKS)  
EACH SESSION: MEMBERS: \$30, NON-MEMBERS: \$60

### WARM UP THIS WINTER AT OUR ART SATURDAYS FOR KIDS!

- spend Saturday afternoons at the Art Gallery with our Children's Art Instructors!
- Children can sign up for each Saturday individually or for all 8
- Remember, parents get a tax credit when their child participates in an art class that runs 8 consecutive weeks!

PER SATURDAY -17.50  
8 SATURDAYS- MEMBERS \$120, NON-MEMBERS 140

### FROM MUD TO MUG

Learn to design and create your very own unique clay works of art! From bowls and cups to sculpted human and animal faces - you will squish, squash, poke and roll your way into clay.  
SAT: 12:30PM - 4PM, JAN 21

### TOYS, ART, US!

What better way to spend a Saturday than to make your very own unique toys and games as you develop your sculpting, drawing and painting skills at the same time!? The magical pieces of art that you make are also toys and games that you can use at home.

SAT: 12:30PM - 4PM, JAN 28

### FLAMENCO FEET AND FINGER PUPPETS

Artist Becky Chinn will teach you a little about Flamenco dance and show you a few dance moves, then you will learn how to sketch and draw the figure, create a character and turn it into your very own sculpted puppet creation.

SAT: 12:30 - 4PM, FEB 4

# COME AND JOIN THE FUN THIS WINTER!

### FROM SCRATCH, WITH LOVE

Celebrate Valentine's Day with your very own handmade tattoo design, spoil yourself with unique cookie designs and scrumptious snacks, create sculpted soaps from ancient recipes using an assortment of "magic potions", and make someone a *Magic Spell Candy Valentine* that they will never forget!

SAT: 12:30PM - 4PM, FEB 11

### FANTASTIC FELTED MAGICAL MASKS

Professional artist and sheep expert, Gerry Oliver, will show you how to take sheep's wool and turn it into felt to create a fun animal mask! Learn to sculpt this soft, amazing fibre that has been dyed all sorts of colours to create tigers, lions, bears and much more - oh my!

SAT: 12:30PM - 4PM, FEB 18

### SKETCH N' SPIN!

First: get your spin on with Hoola Hoop Enthusiast Shanti Subedar! Shanti will show you how to make and decorate your very own Hoola Hoop with everyday materials. Learn all sorts of Hoola Hoop tricks and moves and you will be Hooping in no time. Then, create amazing drawings of people and movement while you learn to draw action poses!

SAT: 12:30PM - 4PM, FEB 25

### GROOVE AND PAINT

Learn to make drawings and paintings of people in motion as you are introduced to Yoga and Capoeira. This class will use music and movement to help you find inspiration for your paintings. Shanti Subedar and Blake Hamilton will help you focus as they lead you in a *Yoga for Kids* session.

You will get your feet movin' and your body groovin' as you learn about the exciting world of Capoeira - a Brazilian art form that combines elements of martial arts, dance, and music. Create one of a kind paintings of the people in motion using expressive brushstrokes, colour and balance.

SAT: 12:30 - 4PM, MAR 3

### TURN THAT FROWN UPSIDE DOWN... PORTRAITS

Learn how to create and alter our own portraits by looking at the craziest characters, the worst bad-hair days, and the most *Incredible* characters from animated films. Develop your drawing skills including the face, shapes, shading and perspective. Use drawing games to reach into your imagination. Explore line with pencil, pen, oil pastel or markers.

SAT: 12:30 - 4PM, MAR 10

## FAMILY SATURDAYS

Bring the whole family down to the Art Gallery and make wonderful, unique artworks together as a family. AGES 6-13 YRS

### DESIGN, GLUE, COLOUR, PRINT!

WITH STEVE CASSIDY

Steve Cassidy will show your family how to use everyday materials like fabric, cardboard and glue to make interesting designs and cool textured surfaces - and then use inks, rollers and the magic of the printing press to make a one of a kind image.

3,5HRS

SAT: 12:30 - 4PM, MAR 17

FAMILY RATE: \$17.50 FOR 1 PARENT/GUARDIAN AND 1 CHILD. EACH ADDITIONAL CHILD: \$5.00 (MAX. 2 CHILDREN PER PARENT/GUARDIAN) ADULTS: \$17.50 EACH.

### INDOOR FAMILY SKETCH CRAWL

WITH BECKY CHINN

Bring the family out for a day of sketching with Becky! Becky will provide a basic drawing lesson in the studio to begin with and then she will keep you moving as you travel around as a group indoors to draw together. This fun family workshop is a great way to learn more about drawing, get moving, and stay warm this winter.

**HOT CHOCOLATE INCLUDED!**

3,5HRS

SAT: 12:30 - 4pm, Mar 24

Family Rate: \$17.50 For 1 Parent/Guardian And 1 Child. Each Additional Child: \$5.00 (Max. 2 Children Per Parent/Guardian) Adults: \$17.50 Each.

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# Drawing Mixed Media The Art Of The Book Painting Watercolour Fresco And Secco Ceramics Clay Photography Printmaking Teens And Children's Classes After School Snack And Art Drawing Chinese Characters Art Saturdays Masks Pinhole Camera Felting Needlefelting

## REGISTRATION FORM

Please do not mail cash. Make cheques payable to the

ART GALLERY OF SOUTHWESTERN MANITOBA

Mail to: Art Gallery of Southwestern Manitoba, 710 Rosser, Unit 2, Brandon, MB R7A 0K9

STUDENTS NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

T (Day) ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ T (Evg) ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

ADULT  SENIOR  CHILD/TEEN (age if under 18) \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT'S NAME IF UNDER 18 \_\_\_\_\_

AGSM MEMBER (expiry date) \_\_\_\_\_

NEW MEMBER (payment enclosed)

NON MEMBER

PAYMENT  Cheque  VISA  Mastercard

Card# \_\_\_\_\_ Exp \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

### COURSES REQUESTED:

1 \_\_\_\_\_ Fee \_\_\_\_\_

2 \_\_\_\_\_ Fee \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_ Fee \_\_\_\_\_

5% GST(kids classes exempt) \_\_\_\_\_

Membership fee \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

### MEMBERSHIP RATES

Student / Senior \$20 Individual \$25 Family \$40

**CLASS FEES INCLUDE A \$10 NON-REFUNDABLE ADMINISTRATION FEE**

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

### How to Register:

**Phone:** 727 1036 and pay with VISA or Mastercard

**Fax:** 726 8139 with completed registration form and payment information

**Mail:** Completed registration form and payment to:

Art Gallery of Southwestern Manitoba Studio Programs 710 Rosser Ave, Unit 2 Brandon, MB R7A 0K9

**In Person:** at the Art Gallery with cash, cheque, credit card or debit card

### Class fees include a \$10 non-refundable registration fee.

- Full payment is required at time of registration.
- Please register as early as possible. Space is limited.
- If you wish to attend but are not able to because of your financial situation, inquire about possible payment plans or financial assistance
- Post-dated cheques are not accepted.
- Receipts will be available at your first class.
- Children's and Teen's Forms must be completed by parent or guardian at time of registration.

### Withdrawals and Refunds

- Cancellation because of low enrolment will result in a full refund to registrants.
- Refunds for classes or workshops will only be issued if we receive notification of withdrawal 7 working days before the first day of the class or workshop. After that date a doctor's certificate is required. The registration fee of \$10 is non-refundable.
- In the event of postponements due weather, instructor illness, etc, the instructor will arrange make-up classes.

Supply lists available upon registration. Teens and Children's Classes fees include art supplies. Art Classes are messy, dress appropriately.

The AGSM reserves the right to photograph classes in progress and works being produced for educational and promotional purposes.

Personal data will not be shared, traded, or sold to any third parties. The AGSM reserves the right to use this information for our own statistical, mailing, and membership purposes. You will be on the mailing list for art class brochures for one year after your last registration.

All artwork left behind when classes end becomes the property of the AGSM. Work must be retrieved within two weeks of the close of each session (winter, spring, summer, fall). We are not responsible for artwork after the deadline.

For more information regarding education programs or school tours, contact the Art Gallery:

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