

The Berea Fine Arts Club in celebrating 90 YEARS of art awareness and appreciation in the community.

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The Berea Fine Arts Club_{Inc.} ART CLASSES - SUMMER - 2023

We will provide a safe, clean environment for creativity. A mask is optional. For questions about our classes, contact Ken McCarthy at hallway53@aol.com or call (440) 234-2284. The rear entrance is wheelchair accessible and the restrooms are ADA compliant.

All supplies are included. Some class sizes are limited.

Please register at least one week before class, 2 weeks if by mail, unless otherwise specified.

WITHIN THE CIRCLE (labyrinths & mandalas) with Suzanne Halstead* Adults (3 student minimum)

This 1-day workshop will explore your creativity through the vehicle of the Circle in the forms of labyrinths and mandalas. We will experience them through simple art activities that develop and enhance personal creativity, insights, and mindfulness. The focus will be on using different art mediums and artistic exercises that enabling you to explore your creative energies. Art materials will be provided, and no art background is needed. Celebrate World Labyrinth Day on Saturday May 6! A list of nearby Labyrinths will be available.

\$25. per class, per person.

Wednesday May 3 7:00pm-8:30pm

Please register at least 2 weeks in advance of the date.

PLAYING WITH COLOR with Suzanne Halstead* Older Youth & Adults

Spring is in full bloom with its spectrum of many colors! Come embrace all the hues of the color wheel. Experiment with overlapping, layering, and blending techniques using color pencils and markers. We will have both pre-printed coloring pages and color photos for inspiration. A variety of options and techniques will be demonstrated and explored as we design and color our own images. Art materials will be provided, and no art background is needed.

\$25. per class, per person.

Wednesday June 7 7:00pm-8:30pm

Please register at least 2 weeks in advance of the date.

DRAWING FROM OBSERVATION - PART 1 with Georgian LaGuardia* Older Teens & Adults

Want to learn to draw, loosen up your drawing technique, or just draw faster? This foundation class teaches the building blocks to do that. We will start with beginning exercises to develop eye-hand coordination and then proceed to gesture drawing and drawing objects using charcoal. We will have fun breaking down complex objects into simple forms. Class includes intuitive perspective, sight measurement, and an in depth study of cylinders, spheres, cones, and rectangular solids.

Drawing medium: charcoal

3-week sessions: \$75 Mondays 9am-11:30am beginning May 15

DRAWING FROM OBSERVATION - PART 2 with Georgian LaGuardia* **Older Teens & Adults**

Prerequisite: Drawing From Observation Part 1

This class builds on the skills learned in Drawing From Observation Part 1, adding values to objects, often referred to as shading. You will learn to render light and shadow, space and volume. Following an introduction to design and composition we will work toward creating interesting well-composed drawings from still life setups.

Drawing Medium: Charcoal and erasers

3-week sessions: \$75 Mondays 9am-11:30am beginning June 6

MIXED MEDIA & COLLAGE with Terri Harper* Adults & Teens

Combine painting & drawing with cutting & tearing (sounds fun already) to create personal & unique Collage Art. Paste paper, photos, fabric, magazines, newspapers and other printed materials to an art board. Then mix in pencil, paint, ink, chalk or other media of your choice to enhance your theme. Materials, process, composition, and other Art elements will be discussed. Minimum 3 needed per class - so invite a friend or two!

1-Day Workshops: \$25 Thursday 7:00pm-9:00pm May 18, June 22, July 6

RELIEF PRINTING PRIMER with Terri Harper*

Adults & Older Youth

Imagine it! - Ink it! - Print it! This is an introductory class in the art of relief printing. You will create unique printing 'plates' using everyday materials to be inked and printed in multiple copies. Several varieties of materials and techniques used to create a printable surface will be offered and demonstrated. Minimum 3 needed per class - so invite a friend or two!

1-Day Workshops: \$25. Thursday 7:00pm-9:00pm June 15 -or- June 29

CALLIGRAPHY PRIMER / REFRESHER with Ken McCarthy* Adults & Teens

If you or someone you know always wanted to try this "fancy lettering"— Now is the time. This is a beginners' or refresher class in the Art of Pen Lettering. You will learn the basic

aspects of letter forms, tools and broad pen techniques as applied to the printed word.

1 Day Workshops: \$20. Wednesdays 6:30pm-8:00 pm May 17, May 31, July 19, August 2

ITALIC CALLIGRAPHY with Ken McCarthy*

Adults & Teens

This is a beginners' class in the Art of Italic Alphabet Lettering. Tools, techniques and traditions will be demonstrated. With ample oversight you will progress at your own speed learning the basic principles of a traditional alphabet with your pen-to-paper most of class time.

3 Week Session: \$50. Wednesdays 6:30pm-8pm beginning June 21 -or- August 16

DRAWING & ILLUSTRATION with Ken McCarthy*

ALL AGES and level of abilities are welcome!

Learn to draw, improve your skills or explore a new media. This class combines basic drawing and observation exercises with an exploration of media & techniques suited for the development of each individual student. It is on-going and flexible. A 4-week session can begin any week and need not be attended in consecutive weeks.

4-week session: \$65.

Wednesdays 4:30pm-6pm - A session can begin any week with prior registration

ABSTRACT ACRYLIC PAINTING TECHNIQUES with Patricia Stafford*

Adults & Older Youth

This class is an exploration of abstract and semi-objective painting. You will be instructed in concept, composition, color and other Art elements to create your own masterpiece(s) on stretched canvas limited only by your imagination and courage. It is a hands-on paintfest.

Tuesdays 7pm-9pm

1-Day Workshops: \$35.

May 9, 16, 23, 30, June 6, 13, 20, 27, July 18, 25, August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

3-Week Sessions: \$75.

Beginning May 16, June 13, July 18, August 15

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LINOLEUM BLOCK PRINTING with Terri Harper*

Adults & Older Youth

This is a beginners' class that will take you step-by-step through the lino-cut process in the art of block printing.

To describe it simply— you're fashioning your own art as a 'rubber stamp', or in this case a linoleum block, creating recesses in the surface with cutting tools that is then inked and used as a printing plate to make multiple copies of cards, illustrations, bookmarks, ex-libris labels and so much more. Minimum 3 needed for this class - so invite a friend or two!

Thursdays 7-9pm

3 Week Session: \$75 July 20

CONT__É CRAYON TECHNIQUES with Milan Keckman*

Adults & Older Teens

Conté crayons, compressed sticks of earth-tone chalk, have been used by artists for centuries. This is a class for the novice or professional where you will learn techniques & tricks in application, value gradations, reduction erasing and drawing refinement of this wonderfully spontaneous media for any subject matter. Your own style will emerge.

Monday 6:30pm-8:30pm

1-Day Workshops: \$25. May 22, August 21

SCRATCHBOARD TECHNIQUES with Milan Keckman*

Adults & Older Teens

The basics of scratchboard art have a simple premise using simple tools—start with a prepared black board and scratch away what you don't want. Learn professional techniques in this bold, illustrative media. The addition of color and digital finishing treatments will also be discussed.

Monday 6:30pm-8:30pm

1-Day Workshop: \$25. June 19

CARICATURE DRAWING with Milan Keckman*

Adults & Older Teens

A caricature drawing is an 'editorial portrait', not a formal portrait nor cartoon. Using typical drawing tools you will render a portrait by learning to see and accentuate those facial characteristics that make each of us unique.

Monday 6:30pm-8:30pm

1-Day Workshop: \$25. July 17

SOUL SOOTHING ART with Camara Goodrich*

Soul Soothing Art (for individuals of all ages suffering from Mental Health AND/OR Addiction issues) This workshop explores and focuses on the process and achieving a flow state of mind. A wide range of mediums and materials will be utilized to visually portray what verbally we cannot always achieve. By the end of this workshop the artists will have artwork inspired by their body, mind and soul in a positive way!

May thru August - First Sunday of the Month 3pm-6pm 1-Day Workshops: \$30. May 7, June 4, July 2, August 6

TEXTURE TIME with Camara Goodrich*

Adults & Older Teens

This hands on workshop uses different textured mediums to create art with a 3-D element of interest. If you enjoy out of the box, one of a kind, interactive art this is the workshop for you to experiment in. You will be guided on your individual project and vision. Beginner friendly, messy and fun—so please dress appropriately.

May thru August - Second Sunday of the Month 3pm-6pm 1-Day Workshops: \$35. May 14, June 11, July 9, August 13

3-D MUSIC ART with Camara Goodrich*

If you love visual art and the art of music, this workshop combining the two is for you. There's no discriminating mediums, supports or recyclable items in this class. We will be creating musical instrument or music related mixed media art pieces that will definitely become conversation starters wherever they are displayed!

May thru August - Third Sunday of the Month 3pm-6pm 1-Day Workshops: \$33. May 21, June 18, July 16, August 20

SIPPY CUP & PAINT with Camara Goodrich*

Pre-7 years old and caregiver

This workshop is based on the motto, "A family that creates art together, stays smart together"! This very interactive class is to use art to help with fine motor skills, social development, early math and problem solving skills, critical thinking and an outlet for emotion. Every child will leave with his or her own completed masterpiece. We will provide a picture of them with their art and their caregiver for their memory/scrapbooks.

May thru August - Fourth Sunday of the Month 3pm-4pm 1-Day Workshops: \$18. May 28, June 25, July 23, August 27

*For more information about our instructors, visit our website: www.BereaArts.org and click on the Member Gallery Tab

The Berea Fine Arts Club, Inc. is a 501-C4 non-profit organization. Our mission is to empower art awareness and appreciation in our community.