



COMMUNITY ARTS STRAINS THE MIDLAND

SUMMER
2019

ADULT CLASSES

Registration
now open!

midlandcenter.org/class
989.631.8250



SPECIAL EVENT

Fresh Paint: Acrylics “A to Z”

by Valerie Allen

AUG 8 / 5:30 PM

FREE presentation

Location: Hall of Ideas Lobby

Golden Artist Colors Certified Working Artist Valerie Allen presents a fast-moving presentation, explaining and demonstrating the many acrylic gels and mediums that have made Golden an industry leader since the 1980s. She will discuss pigments, viscosities, grounds, color mixing, use of iridescent and metallic paints, and how to use gels to create unique textural surfaces. Learn how to use different products to make surfaces for watercolors, graphite, charcoal, colored pencil, oil and soft pastels. She will also include a segment on what’s new in the world of paint! A packet of literature and free samples of paint and gels will be available for all who attend. A sampling of gels and mediums will be on display for hands-on experience.

Space is limited! RSVP to education@midlandcenter.org

Visit the Science Paints Our World Exhibition in the galleries—open before and after the presentation, until 8 PM! (Museum admission applies)

IMPORTANT DATES

MAY 6 / Registration opens

JUN 3 / Scholarship requests due

JUN 3 / Registration closes*

JUN 10 / Classes begin

GENERAL INFO

- / There is a \$2 processing fee per class
- / Class supply lists given out during first class
- / Lockers available: \$7 / term
- / Yearly Faculty/Student Exhibition
- / Inclement Weather: Call 989.631.8250 before venturing out in poor weather. Classes cancelled if building is closed
- / Art from the Heart Scholarships available. Contact kanyo@midlandcenter.org
- / No refunds/exchanges after MAY 31. All refunds are subject to 15% processing fee except for those classes cancelled by the Center.

FULL CLASS DESCRIPTIONS
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*Late registration available after JUN 3 as space allows. Subject to additional \$10 fee per class. There will be no classes the week of JUL 1-5





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CERAMICS

MORNING & EVENING SESSIONS

Independent Study in Ceramics

JUN 13 – AUG 29 / 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM

JUN 13 – AUG 29 / 6 – 9 PM

\$180 / \$155 Museum members

Intermediate and advanced students who have the skills to work independently will be able to pursue their own projects. The instructor will be available to distribute clay, answer questions and assist students with their goals through demonstration and problem solving. The studio will be available outside of class time for working independently. Ages 15+

PAM HART (9:30 AM) / ★★ ★

TIM RICKETTS (6 PM) / ★★ ★

NEW! 2-DAY WORKSHOP

Ceramics Workshop

AUG 3 & 10 / 10 AM – 1 PM

\$70 / \$55 Museum members

This 2-day workshop will guide you through the process of making your own unique hand-built mug from start to finish. This is a good introduction to ceramics. The instructor will provide clay, tools, glazes, and expert instruction. After this workshop you will be enjoying your new handmade, functional artwork! Sign up with a friend and meet some new ones; this workshop caps at 12 people. Ages 15+

PAM HART / ★

SUMMER CERAMIC STUDIO LAB HOURS

SUN / 1 – 5 PM

WED / 5 – 8 PM

FRI / 9 AM – 4 PM

SAT / 9 AM – 4 PM*

*Closed AUG 3 & 10

PAINTING

Plein Air – Art in the Garden

JUN 10 – AUG 12 / 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM

\$155 / \$130 Museum members

Get outside and enjoy the fresh air! This class will introduce students to the joy of painting and drawing in and from nature. Dow Gardens and some new locations will provide the inspiration and subject matter for projects that pertain to line, color, light shadow and form. Ages 15+

RUTH HOWELL / ★★

New!

Acrylic Painting: Beginning & Intermediate

JUN 12 – AUG 28 / 5 – 8 PM

\$180 / \$155 Museum members

This class enables beginners to get started in working with acrylics and allows intermediate artists more time for advised practice. Instruction will include lessons on color theory, composition and other foundation painting skills. Ages 15+

SYLVIA COON / ★★

SKILL LEVEL
Beginners only ★★ / Beginners & Intermediate ★★ ★
Intermediate ★★ ★★ / Advanced ★★ ★★ ★★



MATRIX: MIDLAND

Mark Golden

President & CEO, Golden Artist Colors

JUN 3 / 7 PM

FREE Presentation

Seating is limited; reservation required

midlandcenter.org/MXFest



DRAWING

1-DAY WORKSHOPS

Color Pencil Workshop /
How to Draw Glass I

JUN 7 / 6 – 9 PM

Color Pencil Workshop /
How to Draw Glass II

JUN 14 / 6 – 9 PM

\$40 / \$25 Museum members (per session)

Learn techniques of blending, applying layers, composition, problem-solving and applying realistic detail to your artwork as you use glass form to exercise these skills. Need not take both sessions, but Session II builds on skills learned in Session I. Bring artist quality color pencils and sketch pad. Ages 15+

JEREMY MYNDERSE / ★

Summer Intermediate Drawing

JUN 13, JUN 27, JUL 11, JUL 25,

AUG 8 & AUG 22 / 6 – 9 PM

\$95 / \$70 Museum members

Don't leave your pencil idle this summer. Sign up for this intermediate drawing class with Armin Mersmann. We will meet every other week & create work in class unless you desire to continue work at home. Drawings done at home are encouraged to enhance class discussion, but not required. We will work from life only: still-lives, nature, and possibly portrait. Class is not for true beginners. Some rudimentary knowledge of drawing is required. Ages 15+

ARMIN MERSMANN / ★★ ★

1-DAY WORKSHOP

Contour Line Workshop

JUN 24 / 6 – 9 PM

\$40 / \$25 Museum members

Do you enjoy drawing the world around you, but have trouble making your ideas on paper look as good as you imagined? In this workshop you will explore the power of observation and exercise the balance of looking at your subject versus looking at your paper to capture what you see. This workshop will include the use of expressive line, blind contour, and show beginning artists a new way to think about drawing. Bring 2B pencil and sketch pad. Ages 15+

JEREMY MYNDERSE / ★

1-DAY WORKSHOP

Design Your Own Coloring
Page Workshop

JUL 22 / 6 – 9 PM

\$40 / \$25 Museum members

Creative pencil sketching can move beyond a doodle. In this one-day workshop creative prompts will help you take your design from abstract line to a dynamic character that fits into an imaginary and authentic world or illustration. Bring sketch pad, color pencils or markers. Ages 15+

SYLVIA COON / ★

YOUNG ADULT OFFERINGS (TEEN+)

NEW! INTRO WORKSHOPS FOR AGES 13+

Perspective Workshop

JUN 8 / 1 – 4 PM

\$40 / \$25 Museum members

Take your art to the next level! Learn how to create drawings of scenery, buildings and rooms that are very realistic. Learn to create the illusion of 3-dimensional space in this one-day workshop that explores 1-point perspective. Bring 2B pencil and sketch pad. Ages 13+

JEREMY MYNDERSE / ★

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SKILL LEVEL

Beginners only ★ / Beginners & Intermediate ★★
Intermediate ★★★ / Advanced ★★★★★



SUMMER ART FAIR

JUN 1-2 / DOWNTOWN MIDLAND

OTHER MEDIA

1-DAY WORKSHOP

Pysanka Workshop /
Batik Floral Egg Ornament

JUN 18 / 6 - 9 PM

\$45 / \$30 Museum members

Using a candle, kistka (wax funnel pen), beeswax and dye, you will learn the basics of this traditional art form. Fluid lines are the focus of the floral and ribbon design. Bring \$5 cash for supplies. Ages 15+

KATE STACY / ★

1-DAY WORKSHOP

Pysanka Workshop / Batik
Spring Star Egg Ornament

JUL 13 / 10:30 AM - 1:30 PM

\$45 / \$30 Museum members

This intricate, yet basic, egg is a sampler of techniques for this traditional art form. Your ornament design will include forsythia and pussy willows around a central star. Bring \$5 cash for supplies. Ages 15+

KATE STACY / ★

1-DAY WORKSHOP

Fabric Color Workshop

AUG 9 / 4:30 - 10:30 PM

\$70 / \$55 Museum members

Learn to add color to natural fabrics such as silk and cotton through the Japanese process known as shibori and by experimenting with batik wax and other resist methods. Students will also try working with thiox - a color reducing agent that produces interesting effects and indigo. Students will leave with a silk scarf and portions of cotton fabric they have processed. Bring \$15 cash for materials. All tools and containers will be provided. Ages 15+

ANN JACOB / ★

SAVE THE DATE!

Fused Glass Workshop
with Emmy Heger

OCT 5 / 2019

SUMMER EXHIBITS

Don't miss out on these great events happening this summer in our Museums!

A CENTURY OF SCIENCE & SERVICE

100 Years of the Midland Section of the
American Chemical Society (Doan Center)

MAY 1 - DEC 31

ASIAN CULTURE EXHIBIT

MAY 29 - SEP 1

ORIGAMI INTERPRETATIONS

Merging Artistic Visions by Gloria Garfinkel

JUN 1 - SEP 1

SCIENCE PAINTS OUR WORLD

Chemistry & Art

JUN 4 - SEP 1

Curated by the Center and Sponsored by the
Midland Section of the American Chemical Society

HERITAGE PARK WEEKENDS

Every weekend / JUN 8 - AUG 25

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SUMMER CAMPS

JUN – AUG / 2019

Take a moment to explore the world of creative camps available to your child.

Register Now!

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