

Loudoun Academy of the Arts presents 2009

# Summer Art Camps

**Location 1:**  
222 S. King St.  
Leesburg, VA 20175

	<b>Mornings, 9am-Noon</b>	<b>Afternoons, 1pm-4pm</b>
<b>Week One</b> June 22- June 26	Camp 1 <b>Cartooning</b> (Ages 9-11) Gina Fera	Camp 3 <b>Paint Draw, Sculpt &amp; Cartooning</b> (Ages 6-8) Gina Fera
	Camp 2 <b>Jazzy Modern Art</b> (Ages 9-12) Cheryl Suiter	Camp 4 <b>Rock &amp; Roll Art</b> (Ages 9-14) Conor Backman
<b>Week Two</b> June 29-July 3	Camp 1 <b>Sculpture part 1</b> (Ages 9-13) Conor Backman	Camp 3 <b>Sculpture part 2</b> (Ages 9-13) Conor Backman
	Camp 2 <b>Absolutely Art</b> (Ages 5-10) Bonnie Harvey	Camp 4 <b>Fantasy Creatures</b> (Ages 8-12) Karen Hassinger
<b>Week Three</b> July 6 - July 10	Camp 1 <b>Fine Artists</b> (Ages 9-14) Julie Cacciola	Camp 3 <b>Drawing &amp; Sculpting</b> (Ages 5-10) Carmen Howell
	Camp 2 <b>Painting &amp; Drawing with the Masters</b> (Ages 5-10) Carmen Howell	Camp 4 <b>Batik Fun!</b> (10-16) Carol Higgs
<b>Week Four</b> July 13 - July 17	Camp 1 <b>Sculpture I</b> (Ages 10-14) Geoff DeMark	Camp 3 <b>Sculpture II</b> (Ages 6-9) Geoff DeMark
	Camp 2 <b>Draw, Paint, Print I</b> (Ages 6-10) Lori DeMark	Camp 4 <b>Draw, Paint, Print I</b> (Ages 10-14) Lori DeMark
<b>Week Five</b> July 20 - July 24	Camp 1 <b>Explore the Wonderful World of Animals &amp; Insects</b> (Ages 5-9) Carmen Howell	Camp 3 <b>Sculpting in Plaster &amp; Clay</b> (Ages 5-9) Carmen Howell
	Camp 2 <b>Hip Hop Art</b> (Ages 9-14) Conor Backman	Camp 4 <b>Painting</b> (Ages 10-15) Conor Backman
<b>Week Six</b> July 27 - July 31	Camp 1 <b>Creative Fusion I</b> (Ages 6-9) Krister Tracey	Camp 5 <b>Color and B&amp;W Digital Photography</b> (Ages 12-17) Jeanette Burkle
	Camp 2 <b>A.T.C. Madness...</b> (Ages 9-14) Julie Cacciola	Camp 3 <b>Creative Fusion II</b> (Ages 9-12) Krister Tracey
<b>Week Seven</b> August 3 - August 7	Camp 1 <b>Creative Writing &amp; Illustration</b> (Ages 6-12) Carmen Howell & Diane Dennis	Camp 4 <b>Clay Time</b> (Ages 6 & up) Sandy Fanning
	Camp 2 <b>Fun Fiber Arts</b> (Ages 9-14) Julie Cacciola	Camp 5 <b>Story Telling Through Digital Photography</b> (Ages 12-17) Jeanette Burkle
<b>Week Eight</b> August 10 - August 14	Camp 1 <b>Walk Like An Egyptian</b> (Ages 8 and up) Melanie Stein	Camp 3 <b>Mystifying Magic</b> (Ages 9-12) Tim Kottcamp "Tim The Terrific"
	Camp 2 <b>Medieval Clay</b> (Ages 9-12) Cheryl Suiter	Camp 4 <b>Sculpt &amp; Paint-An Introduction</b> (Ages 5-10) Carmen Howell
<b>Week Nine</b> August 17 - August 21	Camp 1 <b>A Trip to the Rain Forest</b> (Ages 6 - 10) Melanie Stein	Camp 3 <b>Clay Time</b> (Ages 8 & up) Sandy Fanning
	Camp 2 <b>Mixed Up Art</b> (Ages 6-10) Connie Pullella	Camp 4 <b>Discovering Great Artists</b> (Ages 6-10) Bonnie Harvey

**Location 2:** Our Savoires Way Church, 43115 Waxpool Road, Ashburn, VA 20148

<b>Week Five</b> July 20 - July 24	Camp 1 <b>The World of Animals</b> (Ages 5-8) Melanie Stein	Camp 3 <b>Art Ambassadors</b> (Ages 5-8) Christy Slone
	Camp 2 <b>Fantasy Creatures</b> (Ages 6-10) Karen Hassinger	Camp 4 <b>A Trip to the Rain Forest</b> (Ages 8-12) Melanie Stein
<b>Week Six</b> July 27 - July 31	Camp 1 <b>Meeting Modern Masters</b> (Ages 8-12) Melanie Stein	Camp 3 <b>Cartooning, Animation, Sequencing...Oh My!</b> (Ages 8-13) Christy Slone
	Camp 2 <b>Claymation Animation</b> (Ages 12-16) Conor Backman	Camp 4 <b>Rock &amp; Roll Art</b> (Ages 12-16) Conor Backman

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+ \$20 supply fee

## **Cartooning with Gina Fera**

Did you ever wish that you could come up with your own comic strip or comic book? Come to Cartooning class this summer and learn the basics and beyond! Students will learn how to draw people, animals, and even objects into cartoons. They will create their own cast of characters to be used in their own original comic strips and a comic book. Students will also have a chance to make 3D sculptures of their characters. (Ages 9-11)

## **Jazzy Modern Art with Cheryl Suiter**

Dig the art from the modern era of the 1950s, 60s and 70s. Artists during this time broke away from traditional art ideas and began to experiment with different materials and forms. Paint, draw and sculpt while we focus on modern artists such as Kandinsky, Johns, Lichtenstein, Burch, Calder and more. (Ages 9-12)

## **Paint, Draw and Sculpt & Cartoon with Gina Fera**

Experience a variety of art techniques and materials that build on your skills and allow your creativity to flow! (Ages 6-8)

## **Rock & Roll Art with Conor Backman**

Do you like rock and roll? Have you ever wanted to be in a rock band? In this class, students will explore the connections between art and music through a variety of different mediums. We will look at artists who have created work influenced by music as well as art that has defined the styles and fashions of certain types of music. Students will have a chance to design their own album covers for a made up band that they create. (Ages 9-14)

## **Sculpture part 1 and 2 with Conor Backman**

Do you like to make stuff with your hands? Do you like building things and tinkering around? Do your parents ever tell you to stop playing with your food? In this class we will be turning trash into treasure by building junk sculptures. Take normal objects most people would discard and turn them into art. Make cool things no one would expect to see out of everyday found items. Part 2 continues the morning class for a full day of fun. (Ages 9-13)

## **Absolutely Art with Bonnie Harvey**

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## **Fantasy Creatures with Karen Hassinger**

Dragons, mermaids, fairies, castles and creepy creatures! Learn how to draw them all, step by step. Create your own 3-D creature using paper mache techniques, plaster and paint. Students will also create a print of their creature using foam plates, ink and brayers. It will be a week of amazing creations! (Ages 8-12)

## **Fine Artists with Julie Cacciola**

Do you like to draw and want to learn some cool tricks? Do you like to have lots of choices for your projects? Do you like to use lots of different materials? Come to an exciting class where you get to be the professional fine artist. Students will be presented with a different general project /technique each day. Begin the project and see where your creativity takes you. Students can do each project or continue with techniques learned on previous days. Topics presented are drawing realism, lettering, colored pencil and oil pastel techniques. Projects will be 2 dimensional in nature. (Ages 9-14)

## **Painting & Drawing with the Masters with Carmen Howell**

Students will discover works of painters such as Matisse, Picasso, O'Keeffe, Dine and Varo. Each day they will study a different artist and a different way of painting. Students will experiment with light and abstraction in ways the artists experienced...working from objective studies to abstraction in their own paintings. (Ages 5-10)

## **Drawing & Sculpting with Carmen Howell**

Drawing is the foundation of art. Develop this natural ability by careful observation of positive and negative spaces. Subject matter will vary from still lifes to scenes from your imagination. Enjoy sculpting in clay while learning about 20th century sculptors. In the first project students create masks while discussing Native American and African costumes and their reasons for using masks. Students will also build animals, heads and faces. (Ages 5-10)

## **Batik Fun! with Carol Higgs**

Come have fun with Batik. We will make several small fabric pieces in class with emphasis on developing a theme, subject matter choices, types of composition, one-color studies, multi-color practice and we'll cover suggestions on finishing, framing or sewing. Supply fee includes wax, dyes tools and gloves. Students should bring : Soft, prewashed, white or off white cotton fabric. Muslin, quilting fabric, even an old white bedsheet. Bring lots of fabric, it's possible to do 10 batiks in a day. Fabric with a higher cotton content absorbs the liquid paint best. (Ages 10-16)

## **Sculpture I and II with Geoff DeMark**

Enjoy an exciting opportunity to explore and experience traditional and contemporary sculpture techniques. Students will be exposed to a variety of materials in creating their own sculptures. Students will leave camp with foundation of sculpture knowledge and vocabulary. (I: Ages 10-14; II: Ages 6-9)

## **Draw, Paint, Print I and II with Lori DeMark**

Express your creativity by using ink, paint, and a variety of other materials. Students will experiment, explore, and create original works of art. We will use monotype, relief, collagraph, and stencil printmaking techniques. Students will also create an image to print on a t-shirt. By the end of the week, students will have a portfolio of artwork to take with them. (I: Ages 6-10; II: Ages 10-14)

## **Explore the Wonderful World of Animals & Insects with Carmen Howell**

Pastel, colored pencils, watercolor, oil pastels. Bring photographs of insects, birds, fish, reptiles, mammals and we will study their habits and surroundings. We are going to be learning about the fundamental principles of color. Fun and creativity are the name of the game which will involve different art methods such as drawing, painting, collage and sculpture. (Ages 5-9)

## **Hip Hop Art with Conor Backman**

Hip Hop is out of the basement and now an international phenomenon. We will look at the relationship of art to this highly diverse and exciting form of music and explore the visual styles and aesthetics of early rap, break-dance and graffiti culture. (Ages 9-14)

## **Sculpting in Plaster & Clay with Carmen Howell**

Enjoy sculpting in clay and plaster while learning about 20th century sculptors. In the first project students create masks while discussing Native American and African costumes and their reasons for using masks. Students will also build animals, heads and faces. (Ages 5-9)

## **Painting with Conor Backman**

This class will provide an opportunity for students to try out a variety of painting techniques. This class is designed for anyone interested in painting even if they have never painted before, or for those who are already painting but want to continue to improve their skills. (Ages 10-15)

## **The World of Animals with Melanie Stein**

Students will explore a variety of animals and their environment each day. Students will create 2D and 3D animals using clay, paper maché, paint and pastels. (Ages 5-8)

## **Art Ambassadors with Christy Slone**

Let's travel from sea to shining sea making art from all around the world. Create masterpieces using art techniques from abroad and right here in your own back yard. The art of travel has never been so much fun! (Ages 5-8)

## **Color & Black and White Digital Photography with Jeanette Burkle**

Open your eyes in an exciting new way... we'll be exploring both color and black & white photography. As a photographer, you'll play with light and shadow. You'll see how color plays a part in the composition of your pictures... when to play up the color or when to play it down. The emotion and lighting in a photograph will become evident as you discover the art of black & white photography. We'll also explore various themes of photography and understand how best to compose the subject and how to create photographs with impact. *Required equipment: Digital point & shoot camera with the capability to turn off the flash. We will be photographing outdoors for the majority of the week, so dress for the weather (it will be hot!) and bring a water bottle.* (Ages 12-17)

## **Creative Fusion I & II with Krister Tracey**

Students will have lots of fun and excitement as they discover new and creative ways to combine painting drawing and collage. Using a variety of drawing and painting materials, we will explore the imaginative world of mixed-media.. (II: Ages 6-9; I: Ages 9-12 )

## **A.T.C. Madness with Julie Cacciola**

Have you ever traded baseball cards or pokemon cards? Come learn the newest trend in trading cards. You get to create them yourself? This worldwide phenomenon is exciting for both amateur and professional artists across the globe and you may and up with a card from China!! Learn about different collage techniques and practice perfecting these techniques on cards that you get to create and trade with others. Is it more fun to make the cards or to trade them? Who knows?(Ages 9-14)

## **Clay Time with Nancy Frank**

Hand-build with clay to create bowls, tiles, toys, musical instruments and creatures of your own imagination. Discover the world of texture and form while using joining and sculpting techniques. (Ages 6 and up)

## **Story Telling through Photography Digital Photography with Jeanette Burkle**

Spend the week discovering the world of photojournalism. How do photographers get their messages across? Using visual communication and sequencing of photographs, let your photographs tell a story. Let the moments of an event unfold one photo at a time, or have a common theme run through your photos. As a photographer, you will gain the understanding of creating a viewpoint using composition, lighting and camera angle. You'll get to know your camera through exploring a variety of techniques, from creating a sense of movement within your photographs to artistically capturing a portrait. At the end of the week, the story-telling photos will be mounted and displayed within a book that will be handcrafted by each photographer.

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## **Meeting Modern Masters with Melanie Stein**

Students will learn about a different modern artist every day, including their biography and the type of art they created. Then the students will use drawings, painting, printmaking, clay and paper mache to create original works of art that are inspired by what they have learned, using techniques used by the modern masters. (Ages 8-12)

## **Claymation Animation**

Have you ever wanted to try claymation? Do you like making your own cartoons? In this class we will look at different types of animation from old school cartooning, to claymation, to modern cgi animation. Students will have a chance to make their own animations in any of these methods. (Ages 12-16)

## **Cartooning, Animation, Sequencing...Oh my! with Christy Slone**

From black-eared mice to sponges flipping patties under the sea, we will look at the world and art of animation now modernly called sequencing. We will also look at some of the artists who started the craze of animation and who make these cartoon pictures come to life. Be prepared to create your own comic book and go where your story telling and picture making have never gone before. (Ages 10-14)

## **Creative Writing & Illustration part 1 and 2 with Carmen Howell and Diane Dennis**

By combining the elements of poetry from Shakespeare to Silverstein and the art of bookmaking, students will have the opportunity to create 4 different books based on the 4 elements in nature: Earth, Water, Wind and Fire. Students may choose from different media such as: Collage, Watercolor, Acrylic, and Pen and ink in the creation of their books. Full day or half day. (Ages 6-12)

## **Fun Fiber Arts with Julie Cacciola**

More than just friendship bracelets, we will focus on creativity and the many art forms this medium can inspire. Projects will include macramé, weaving, coil baskets, and yes, even friendship bracelets. (Ages 9-14)

## **Sculpture: Mask Making with Brian Kirk**

Students examine and discuss masks from around the world then begin creating their own imaginative, mixed media mask. Students develop working drawings to guide them in their mask creations. Artists use cardboard, poultry netting, papier-mâché, glue, feathers, paint, and craft supplies to create a unified, decorative mask. Art elements and principles of design include: shape, form, line, texture, color, balance, pattern and unity. (Ages 14-17)

## **Walk Like an Egyptian**

Learn about Egyptian culture and art. A variety of Egyptian projects will be made in both 2D and 3D using clay collage and paint. (Ages 8 and up)

## **Medieval Clay with Cheryl Suiter**

Hand-build with clay goblets, dragons, castles and maybe a gargoyle or two. (Ages 9-12)

## **Mystifying Magic with Tim Kottcamp**

Come learn the "behind the scenes" of magic and find out closely-guarded secrets and skills involved in making objects disappear! Is the hand really quicker than the eye? Now you can learn basic to more advanced "sleight of hand" techniques and misdirection used to amaze your friends and family. Receive instruction in the "Art of Illusions" and magic with everyday objects. This camp also provides several magic effects and "hands-on" performance instruction. (Ages 9-12)

## **Sculpt and Paint – An Introduction with Carmen Howell**

Explore the possibilities with color and form and experience different designs and patterns. Students will paint with tempera, watercolor, acrylic, oil pastels and soft pastels. They will sculpt and make collage using clay, wire and plaster. (Ages 5-10)

## **A Trip to the Rain Forest with Melanie Stein**

Go deep into the Rain Forest and learn about it's geological location, climate and wildlife! Art projects using clay, paint and collage will bring this unique part of the world to life in ours! (Ages 6-10)

## **Mixed Up Art with Connie Pullella**

A little bit of everything! (Ages 6 - 10)

## **Discovering Great Artists with Bonnie Harvey**

Learn about and create art based on one of the many famous artists in history. We will focus on Van Gogh, Picasso, Monet and more. (Ages 6-10)