

THE UPSTAIRS GALLERY

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open tues-sat 11am-5pm

2010 Summer Classes

Please register and pay in advance to guarantee your place in these popular classes

ART FOR KIDS--AN ARLINGTON TRADITION

Kids build their skills in painting, drawing, weaving, clay and three-D sculpture.

Experience an art gallery of modern artists. Explore the elements of art.

Study great artists from the past.

Martha Sue Meek is one of the owners of the gallery and a professional artist. She retired from teaching art at Sherrod Elementary to teach and paint at The Upstairs Gallery.

Elizabeth Broyles is a professional artist who displays her pottery and her paintings at The Upstairs Gallery. She is also a popular art teacher and art therapist at Scottish Rite Hospital in Dallas.

Sam Hopkins has taught children's art for the city of Arlington and is a popular painter in her own right.

COLOR SKETCH CLUB- entering 4th- 8th grade

Martha Sue Meek

Expect the unexpected! Students will develop their drawing and painting skills using a creative approach while recording their fun experiences at The Upstairs Gallery.

DATES: Tuesdays: June 8, 15, 22, 29. July 6, 13, 20, 27.

TIME: 12:30 pm-2:30 pm

AGES: entering 5th grade through 8th grade

FEE: \$80 for four classes paid in advance. Includes all supplies

including a Judi Betts Color Sketch Book with your first four classes.

MUD CLUB entering 2nd-7th grade

Elizabeth Broyles

In these classes Elizabeth will teach children the basics of hand-building clay.

DATES: Thursdays: June 10, 17, 24. July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29. Aug. 5, 12.

TIME: 9:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

AGES: entering 2nd through 7th grade

FEE: \$100 for four classes paid in advance. You can join the class at anytime.

Supplies and firing costs included.

SAM'S ART CLUB entering 1st -4th grade

Sam Hopkins

In these classes young artists have fun learning the basics of painting, drawing, and sculpture.

DATES: Thursdays: June 10, 17, 24, July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Aug 5, 12.

TIME: 12:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

AGES: entering 1st through 4th grade

FEE: \$80 for four classes paid in advance. Supplies included.

SUPER SATURDAYS

Elizabeth Broyles

Second Saturdays: Drawing, Painting, and Surprises!

To keep things interesting this summer Elizabeth is planning a variety of projects using various mediums on the second Saturday of each month.

DATES: June 12, July 10, August 14

TIME: 10:00 am-12:00 pm

AGES: entering 2nd through 6th grade

FEE: \$25 per class. All supplies included. Call in advance!

Third Saturdays: Computer Robots!

The third Saturday of each month the kids will have fun deconstructing computers and reassembling their inner parts into robot sculptures.

DATES: June 19, July 17, August 21

TIME: 10:00 am-12:00 pm

AGES: entering 2nd through 6th grade

FEE: \$25 per class. All supplies included. Call in advance!

CLASSES FOR ADULTS AND TEENAGERS

Basic Kit for watercolor and acrylic classes: Arches 140 lb. cold-press watercolor paper. 1" flat brush & #12 round brush. Basic colors in watercolor or acrylics: cadmium red light, ultramarine blue, burnt Sienna, yellow oxide, and Hooker's green. Paper towels. Masking tape. A watercolor or acrylic palette. Spray bottle. Plastic water container.

TUESDAY MORNING FREEHAND DRAWING

Vern Johnson

Vern believes that drawing is fundamental to the visual arts. He has designed the course for the beginners or professional artists. He will cover the basic visual elements of line, tone, form, texture, color, movement, and technique. Bring an 11"X14" spiral-bound drawing pad and a charcoal pencil and start drawing!

In June students will draw from a live model.

DATES: June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

FEE: \$100 for the month paid in advance, or \$25 per class, includes model's fee

In July students will draw portraits.

In August-- nature, animals and landscapes.

DATES: July 6, 13, 20, 27

Aug. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

TIME: 10 am-12 pm

FEE: \$20 per class in July and August

SUPPLIES: Charcoal pencil and 11"x14" drawing pad

WATERCOLOR WEDNESDAYS in MAY and JUNE

Margie Whittington

Wednesday watercolor has become an institution at the Gallery. Margie inspires her students to exceed their expectations and everyone has fun. Beginners are welcome.

MORNING CLASS: 9 am-12 pm

AFTERNOON CLASS: 1 pm-4 pm

DATES: May 5, 12, 19, 26. June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30.

FEE: \$20 per class

WATERCOLOR WEDNESDAYS in JULY & AUGUST

Sandy Rabbitt

The Gallery is pleased to welcome back one of its most popular teachers. Learn her techniques for creating sparkling watercolor in this afternoon class.

AFTERNOON CLASS: 1 pm-4 pm

DATES: July 7, 14, 21, 28. Aug. 4, 11, 18, 25.

FEE: \$20 per class

WEDNESDAY EVENING ACRYLIC & OIL PAINTING

Vern Johnson

Paint on canvas with either oils or acrylics with this popular teacher. Vern Johnson will concentrate on the basics of color, composition, and personal style. Beginners are welcome and receive special attention getting started.

DATES: June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30. July 7, 14, 21, 28, August 4, 11, 18, 25.

TIME: 6:00 pm–9:00 pm

FEE: \$20 per class.

SUPPLIES:

Canvas: One 16x20 canvas per class.

Colors: Liquitex acrylics Winsor Newton or Gamblin Artist oil paints in these colors: burnt Sienna, burnt umber, cadmium orange, cadmium red deep, cadmium yellow deep, cobalt blue, indian yellow, raw Sienna, sap green, ultramarine blue, dioxazine purple, and zinc white.

Brushes: #10, #6. #4. Sable brush flat #6.

Oil painters need a palette, Linseed oil, odorless Turpenoid, palette, paper towels, Goop hand cleaner, container for brush cleaner, table top easel.

Acrylic painters need a paper palette, paper towels, and a table top easel.

FRIDAY ALL DAY ACRYLIC PAINTING

Margie Whittington

Learn the basics of acrylic painting on canvas. Margie is popular for her flair with traditional landscapes, flowers, and still lifes. Beginners are welcome and get special attention getting started.

DATES: May 28, June 25, July 30, Aug. 27

TIME: 9:30 am-4:00 pm

FEE: \$40 each class

EXPERIMENTAL PAINTING – ALL DAY FRIDAY

Martha Sue Meek

Bring in old paintings to work on and also start a new one! It's a day of discovery!

DATES: Fridays- June 11, July 9.

TIME: 10:00am-4:00pm

FEE: \$45 per class. (Please call the gallery ahead of time to sign up.)

SUPPLIES: Bring your own fine and regular black Sharpies. Acrylic paints, brushes (all sizes), collage papers, mat medium.

FUSED GLASS & GLASS ON METAL

Jo Ann Bushart

Create brilliant jewelry and art objects out of fused glass and glass-on-metal.

WHERE: At Jo Ann's beautifully equipped studio in the rear building of the Rock House at 1311 West Abram, just two blocks west of the Gallery

WHEN: Classes are arranged on an individual basis. Call the gallery for details.

FEE: \$60 per day of instruction for one or two students plus \$25 for each additional student. \$10 minimum materials fee.

POTTERY CLASS

Elizabeth Broyles

Here's your chance to play in the mud. Elizabeth will guide you through all the basics--coil building, slab building, pinch pots, wheel throwing, glazing, and firing. Beginners are welcome and get special attention getting started.

WHERE: At Elizabeth's studio equipped with potters' wheels and tools.

WHEN: Once a week on Wednesday or Thursday.

TIME: 7:00 pm-9:00 pm

FEE: \$85 per month plus expenses for supplies and firing. Call the Gallery for details.

WORKSHOPS IN 2010-11

DOUG WALTON COLUMBUS DAY ENCOUNTER 2010

No one teaches the creative process better than Doug. He engages your imagination and fearlessness to create exciting and expressive work. Sign up for both sessions for an intensive encounter. Bring your acrylics, brushes, and hot-press watercolor paper. Index paper is for sale at the Gallery. Beginners are welcome.

DATE: Sat.-Mon. October 9, 10 & 11, 2010

TIME: 9:00 am till 4:00 pm

FEE: \$135 for three days or \$50 per day (\$50 deposit to hold your place)

DOUG WALTON NEW YEAR'S ENCOUNTER 2011

Resolve to begin your new year by fearlessly engaging in the creative process.

DATE: Fri-Sun, Jan. 7, 8 & 9

TIME: 9:00 am till 4:00 pm

FEE: \$135 for three days or \$50 per day (\$50 deposit to hold your place).

DOUG WALTON ANNUAL WATERMEDIA ENCOUNTER 2011

Sign up for both sessions for an intensive encounter.

WEEKEND SESSION: Fri-Sun. March 11, 12, & 13, 2011

TIME: 9:00 am-4 pm

FEE: \$135 for three days or \$50 per day for fewer than three days. (\$50 deposit to hold your place)

FIVE-DAY SESSION: March 14-18, 2011

TIME: 9 am-4 pm

FEE: \$225 for five days or \$50 per day for fewer than three days. (\$50 deposit to hold your place)

JUDI BETTS WATERCOLOR EXPRESSIONS 2011

Master watercolorist Judi Betts is returning to The Upstairs Gallery for a four-day workshop. As usual, you can expect the Gallery to stage unexpected experience that will inspire you to do your best work. Judi will help you develop your journal sketches into finished paintings.

DATES: Thursday, March 24- Sunday, March 27

TIME: 9:00am-4:00pm

FEE: \$200 (or \$55 per day for fewer than four days)

SUPPLIES: Bring your own set of watercolor, brushes, and paper.