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Jonesborough's
Mary B. Martin
Program for the Arts

Spring 2021

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**CLASS
CATALOG**

MCKINNEYCENTER.COM 423.753.0562 103 FRANKLIN AVE. JONESBOROUGH, TN

Guidelines + Policies

DATES TO REMEMBER

Open House	January 16, 10am - 2pm at the MKC
Early Bird Deadline	January 16, 2020, 2pm
Last Day to Register	January 23, 2020, 5pm

HOW TO REGISTER

To apply for classes, register online at www.mckinneycenter.com. All registrations will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.

ENROLLMENT

Class space is limited. Registration is first-come, first-serve. Please register early. Early Bird Registration Discount ends January 16, 2020. The deadline for registration is January 23, 2020.

TUITION

Tuition amounts are noted in the Class Catalog. Please note that there will be a small processing fee added to the end of your registration to cover the cost of our on-line system. There is no sales tax.

DISCOUNTS

\$10 Early Bird discount if you register before January 16, 2020, 2pm.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are available. Scholarships recipients can receive up to one free class per semester. Additional classes are regular price. Students over the age of 12 and one parent must complete 10 hours each of volunteer work during the semester in exchange for the scholarship. Contact Director Theresa Hammons about the application process by phone: 423-753-0562, or email: theresah@jonesboroughtn.org. All scholarship and financial information are kept confidential. Scholarship forms may also be found online at www.mckinneycenter.com and can be submitted electronically.

SUPPLIES

Class supplies are included in the tuition fee unless otherwise noted in the class description.

CANCELATIONS

Jonesborough's Mary B. Martin Program for the Arts reserves the right to cancel, combine or reschedule classes as needed. Classes not meeting the minimum enrollment will be canceled one week in advance of the start date. Students will be notified by email if a class has been canceled and will receive a full refund. If classes are canceled due to federal, state, or local mandates all efforts will be made to transition classes online. Refunds will not be given for classes that transition to online meetings.

REFUNDS

Refunds must be requested prior to the semester deadline for registration. A \$25 processing fee will be deducted from the refund. There are no refunds after the semester deadline for registration. There are no refunds for classes that transition to online meetings.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

In case of inclement weather, The Mary B. Martin Program for the Arts follows the Washington County Public School System closure procedure. Faculty will work with students and/or guardians to schedule make-up classes for weather closings or any other reason.

SCHOOL BREAKS & HOLIDAYS

Due to having students across several school districts we will have class during fall and springs breaks and holidays unless otherwise informed by your instructor or McKinney Center Staff.

CLASS CHECK-IN PROCEDURE

For students under 18 – Drop-off and pick-up will happen at the back of the building. On the first day of class you will receive a parking pass with your child's last name. Please have this in your dashboard in the left-hand side of your vehicle. This will help us with identifying you as the authorized person to pick-up your child. Students will not be allowed to be picked up by individuals without this parking pass. If you need an extra pass to give to a spouse, grandparent, etc., please notify us and we will make an extra.

Guardians may leave or wait for their student in the parking lot or designated waiting area inside. Guardians are not allowed in class areas unless approved by the Director. If you have a special need please discuss this with the Director prior to the first day of class.

For adult students – please park your vehicle and come into class using the Office door. Your instructor will take role at the beginning of class.

INFECTIOUS DISEASE and COVID-19 PROCEDURES

By registering for classes and agreeing to the Terms and Conditions of registering you have promised the following:

- The temperature of the student is checked and below 100.4 prior to every class, the student has not taken temperature reducing medicine in the past 24 hours, or has not had diarrhea in the past 24 hours.
- That as the student enters the classroom they will wash their hands prior to taking their seat.
- That the student has not been around anyone who is currently diagnosed or under quarantine for COVID-19.
- That the student has been made aware of social distancing and hand-washing procedures.

The McKinney Center has adopted the following procedures to assist in lessening the spread of infectious disease:

- Limited class sizes to half capacity of specific classrooms, sometimes less depending on the class.
- Seating will be distanced as far apart as possible.
- Scheduled classes in each room 30 minutes apart for appropriate cleaning for furniture and supplies.
- Has hand-washing stations and hand-sanitizer in each classroom.
- Can provide disposable masks or gloves for students upon request. Please dispose of your disposable mask and gloves appropriately and do not reuse.
- Has trained faculty and staff how to properly wear and dispose of masks and gloves.
- Changed check-in and out procedures to reduce shared use of pens and to limit the number of individuals inside the building.
- Will have doors open when the outside temperature is appropriate to limit touching of doors and to increase air flow.
- Reduced the number of individuals who can use restrooms at one time.
- Will continue a strict regiment of thoroughly disinfecting and cleaning the entire building each day and throughout the day as needed.
- Will have new barriers around staff desk areas.
- Signage encouraging visitors to practice safe hygiene and social distancing.

While at the McKinney Center students should be prepared to do the following:

- First, do not attend class if you feel sick. You may be able to view the class from home if MKC staff is available and given enough lead time to set up the needed technology.
- Wash hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If water is not available, use hand sanitizer.
- Avoid touching eyes, nose, and mouth.
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze or the inside of your elbow when you cough or sneeze.
- Immediately discard tissues in a trash can.
- Avoid using other's tools, work spaces, etc.
- Practice social distancing.

If you get sick while at the McKinney Center

- Notify your instructor or staff person immediately.
- If the student can drive, they should be allowed to leave the building immediately and seek medical attention.
- If the student cannot drive, they will be placed in an isolated area until their ride can pick them up. Children will be attended by a MKC staff person or volunteer until the parent arrives.
- The student's work area will be immediately disinfected and cleaned.

****After you register for a class online you will get an email with this information and you will be asked to sign this document stating that you understand these policies.***

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ART FOR CHILDREN

Art Adventures

\$132

with Donna Bird

Feb 4, 2021 at 4:30 pm

Grades K - 2

This class introduces your child to basic art skills and gives them an opportunity to grow as young artists. Art Adventures has been designed for 5 to 7-year-old children to strengthen their knowledge in art and further develop art vocabulary and skills. With activities such as painting, drawing, sculpture and collage, students explore their creativity with exciting and fun projects in the spring. Both new and returning students will continue to work on developing their skills with individualized instruction in a small group setting. Small class size allows for individual attention in a fun and inviting environment! This class will transition to online if the need arises.

4:30 - 5:30 pm - Thursdays, February 4, 11, 18, March 4, 11, 18, 25, April 1, 8, 22 (please note there is no class February 25 and April 15)



Creative Constructions

\$132

with Donna Bird

Feb 3, 2021 at 4:30 pm

Grades 3 - 6

Creative Constructions is designed for students who have taken Art Adventures or have the basic art skills needed to create more complex activities and projects. This class will allow young creatives to construct original pieces of art and to learn more about painting, drawing, mixed media, narrative art, and sculpture. This spring, Creative Constructions student will be introduced to a variety of art materials and learn new artistic techniques while reinforcing the basic elements of art. For example, students will work with scratchboard, learn perspective drawing, try their hand at watercolor and acrylic painting, and learn about master artists. Small class size allows for individual attention in a fun and inviting environment! This class will transition to online if the need arises.

4:30 - 5:30 pm - Wednesdays, February 3, 10, 17, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, April 7, 14 (please note there is no class on February 24)

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HOMESCHOOL ART FOR CHILDREN

Homeschool - Art Adventures

\$132

with Donna Bird

Feb 4, 2021 at 9:30 am

Grades K - 2

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9:30 - 10:30 am - Thursday, February 4, 11, 18, March 4, 11, 18, 25, April 1, 8, 22 (please note there is no class February 25 and April 15)

Homeschool Art - Creative Constructions

\$132

with Donna Bird

Feb 4, 2021 at 11 am

Grades 3 - 5

This class is for students who have taken Art Adventures or have some experience with art lessons and have the ability to attempt more complex skills including perspective, sculpture, and painting techniques. Classes are designed to reinforce basic elements of art, while introducing a variety of mediums and artistic techniques to create original pieces of art. For example, students will work with scratchboard, learn to draw in 3D, try their hand at watercolor and acrylic painting, and learn about master artists. The curriculum is ongoing and projects change every semester. Small class size allows for individual attention. This class will transition to online if the need arises.

11:00 am - Noon - Thursdays, February 4, 11, 18, March 4, 11, 18, 25, April 1, 8, 22 (please note there is no class February 25 and April 15)



Pottery Basics Daytime Class - Session A

\$177

with Kara Bledsoe

Feb 3, 2021 at 10:30 am

Grade 6 - Adult

This wheel throwing class is for older school aged children and adults. Classes will focus on creating basic traditional pottery using the potter's wheel. Over the six-week course participants will learn the basic forms thrown on the pottery wheel, cylinders, bowls and plates. Students will also learn pottery terms and the firing process. Masks will be required due to close contact during demonstrations and one-on-one instruction.

10:30 am - 12:30 pm, Wednesdays, February 3, 10, 17, 24, March 3, 10

Pottery Basics Daytime Class - Session B

\$177

with Kara Bledsoe

Apr 7, 2021 at 10:30 am, runs for 6 weeks

Grade 6 - Adult

This wheel throwing class is for older school aged children and adults. Classes will focus on creating basic traditional pottery using the potter's wheel. Over the six-week course participants will learn the basic forms thrown on the pottery wheel, cylinders, bowls and plates. Students will also learn pottery terms and the firing process. Masks will be required due to close contact during demonstrations and one-on-one instruction.

10:30 am - 12:30 pm, Wednesdays, April 7, 14, 21, 28, May 5, 12



CERAMICS FOR CHILDREN

Clay Buddies

\$93

with Kara Bledsoe

Apr 24, 2021 at 9 am, runs for 4 weeks

Grades K - 2

This entry level clay class is for the youngest of elementary school age children. Each class will be project based to introduce young children to different clay working techniques. Children will learn planning and decorating techniques to complete projects. Masks will be required due to close contact during demonstrations and one-on-one instruction.

9:00 - 10:30 am, Saturdays, April 24, May 1, 8, 15

Kids N Clay

\$97

with Kara Bledsoe

Feb 6, 2021 at 11:30 am, runs for 4 weeks

Grades 2 - 5

In this course, students will be exposed to a basic introduction to ceramic techniques designed for elementary school aged children. This class will create fun imaginative pieces which will be a mixture of decorative and functional items. Masks will be required due to close contact during demonstrations and one-on-one instruction.

11:30 am - 1:00 pm, Saturdays, February 6, 13, 20, 27



Young Potters

\$117

with Kara Bledsoe

Feb 6, 2021 at 9 am, runs for 6 weeks

Grades 5 - 8

This is a pottery class for older elementary and middle school age children. In this course, students will create fun decorative and functional projects as well as have the opportunity to explore different techniques for working with clay along with introduction to pottery wheel. Masks will be required due to close contact during demonstrations and one-on-one instruction.

9:00 - 10:30 am - Saturdays, February 6, 13, 20, 27, March 6, 13

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10:30 am - 12:30 pm, Wednesdays, February 3, 10, 17, 24, March 3, 10

Pottery Basics - Daytime Class - Session B

\$177

with Kara Bledsoe

Apr 7, 2021 at 10:30 am, runs for 6 weeks

Grade 6 - Adult

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10:30 am - 12:30 pm, Wednesdays, April 7, 14, 21, 28, May 5, 12

ANIMATION, FILM & WRITING FOR CHILDREN & TEENS

Let's Make a Movie

\$99

with Raymond Jones

Mar 11, 2021 at 4:30 pm, runs for 6 weeks

Grades 8 - 12

Students will have the opportunity to choose from several local history stories and create a film based on that story. They will learn how to storyboard it into a script for the big screen, how to operate a high definition camera, work with a green screen background, and learn the basics of acting for film. Students will film their production in the television studio located off site in the Elmer Gillespie building.

4:30 - 6:00 pm, Thursdays, March 11, 18, 25, April 1, 8, 15

Anime Art Club

\$163

with Allison Parker

Mar 11, 2021 at 4:30 pm, runs for 8 weeks

Grades 5 - 12

This class focuses on the Japanese originated comic style of Manga and Anime drawings. During the duration of the course, students will learn the basics of rendering multiple styles of generic anime figures, known characters and, eventually, will be able to create their own original character. Students will learn the rules of proportions and characterized anatomy, pen and ink techniques, and coloring processes. This class will provide a safe and creative space for young artists to experiment within their chosen illustrative styles. All skill levels are welcome! This class will transition to online if the need arises.

4:30 - 6:30 pm, Thursdays, March 11, 18, 25, April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Creative Circle Writers Group

Free

with Jules Corriere

Mar 25, 2021 at 10 am, runs for 12 weeks

Ages 15 - Adult

This writers group meets on the second and fourth Thursday of the month at the McKinney Center. The group this year will focus on developing and generating stories for possible use in the monthly radio show "StoryTown Radio Show and Podcast" which performs at the McKinney Center and airs on WETS 89.5 FM. The group will also develop stories and pieces for other special story-based programs that are part of the StoryTown Initiative. In addition, members are encouraged to bring creative works to develop for their own purposes. Techniques in writing for radio and the stage are regularly discussed.

This class will transition to online if the need arises.



DANCE FOR CHILDREN & TEENS

Ballet for Kids - Level 1

\$127

with Danielle Mumpower

Feb 3, 2021 at 4 pm

Grades 1 - 4

This class will introduce the classical dance of Ballet which focuses on one's physical alignment and lines of the body to show a dancer as powerful as well as graceful. Ballet level 1 is perfect for beginner dancers to learn the classical techniques. This class will transition to online if the need arises.

4:00 - 5:00 pm, Wednesdays, February 3, 10, 17, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, April 7, 14 (please note there is no class February 24)

Kid's Tap

\$127

with Olivia Campbell

Feb 2, 2021 at 4 pm

Grades 5 - 9

In this children's dance course, students will begin with steps and shuffles and eventually build towards time steps and fun combinations. Students will focus on learning about the tap shoe as well as learning the basics of tap dance. As the class progresses, they will work center floor and learn basic choreography. Students will need to bring tap shoes to class. They should wear clothing that is comfortable, fitted, and flexible that allows them to move freely. All skill levels welcome! This class will transition to online if the need arises.

4:00 - 5:00 pm, Tuesdays, February 2, 9, 16, March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, April 6, 13 (please note there is no class February 23)



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MUSIC FOR CHILDREN & TEENS



Beginning Acoustic Guitar - Private Lessons

\$126

with Jonathan Edens

Feb 3, 2021

All ages welcome!

These private lessons are for beginners or those with little to no past experience who are looking for an easy-going, fun environment. Students will learn basic terminology, foundational aspects of playing the guitar, chords, and melodies. Class is less theory and more practical application but can also be adapted to the needs and wants of each student. Students will need to supply their own guitar, guitar strings, and picks. Four, one-hour class each week. Sessions will re-start every 4 weeks. You may register for additional sessions at your leisure.

Once you register for the class you will receive an email or phone call to schedule your day and time for lessons.

This class will transition to online if the need arises.

Beginning Acoustic Guitar- Group Class- Kids and Teens

\$100

with Jonathan Edens

Feb 3, 2021 at 5 pm

Grades 5 - 12

This group class is a great way to determine if guitar is right for you. Students will learn how to play guitar in an easy-going, fun environment. Students will learn basic terminology, foundational aspects of playing the guitar, chords and melodies. This class is less theory and more practical application for those who wish to play and pick at home, with a recording or with each other. Students will need to supply their own guitar, guitar strings and picks. The class may be divided into two separate classes depending on the number of students who register and age range. This class will transition to online if the need arises.

5:00 - 5:45 pm, Wednesdays, February 3, 10, 17, March 10, 17, 24, 31, April 7, 21, 28, May 5, 12 (please note there is no class February 24 and March 3)



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CERAMICS FOR TEENS AND ADULTS



Hand-Building with Clay

\$150

with Jess Parks

Feb 2, 2021 at 6 pm, runs for 6 weeks

Grade 9 - Adult

Hand-building with pottery is another way of working with clay. The basic techniques are easier to learn and the range of forms you can produce is much broader. If you are interested in clay, but aren't sure the wheel is for you, consider hand-building and begin creating wonderful functional pieces of artwork on your very first day. This class will give you the opportunity to create unique projects each week. Students will focus on the vocabulary of clay, slab construction, pinch pots, surface texture, clay impression and more. For students who are looking for a place to express their creativity, hand-building may be the experience for you.

6:00 - 8:00 pm - Tuesdays, February 2, 9, 16, 23 March 2, 9

The Potter's Wheel Series

Level 1

\$150

with Jess Parks

Feb 3, 2021 at 6 pm, runs for 6 weeks

Adults

This beginning level class is designed for those wishing to develop their own skills on the potter's wheel. This class is designed to build students' skills in the foundational elements of clay, glazes, and terminology. Every class will demonstrate a different wheel throwing exercise.

6:00 - 8:00 pm - Wednesdays, February 3, 10, 17, 24 March 3, 10

The Potter's Wheel Series

Level 2

\$150

with Jess Parks

Mar 31, 2021 at 6 pm, runs for 6 weeks

Adults

This intermediate level pottery class is designed to further students' throwing skills on the potter's wheel. In this course, students will develop more complex forms and learn new trimming techniques. Each class will have a different demonstration to show unique ways of making functional forms. Must have prior wheel experience.

6:00 - 8:00 pm - Wednesdays March 31, April 7, 14, 21, 28, May 5

The Potter's Wheel Series

Level 3

\$321

with Jess Parks

Jul 7, 2021 at 6 pm, runs for 4 weeks

Adults

Only 4 spots available! This intermediate level pottery class is designed to further students' throwing skills on the potter's wheel. In this course, students will develop more complex forms and learn new trimming techniques. Each class will have a different demonstration to show unique ways of making functional forms. Must have prior wheel experience.

6:00 - 8:00 pm - Wednesdays July 7, 14, 21, 28

DRAWING FOR TEENS AND ADULTS

Anime Art Club

\$163

with Allison Parker

Mar 11, 2021 at 4:30 pm, runs for 8 weeks

Grades 5 - 12

This class focuses on the Japanese originated comic style of Manga and Anime drawings. During the duration of the course, students will learn the basics of rendering multiple styles of generic anime figures, known characters and, eventually, will be able to create their own original character. Students will learn the rules of proportions and characterized anatomy, pen and ink techniques, and coloring processes. This class will provide a safe and creative space for young artists to experiment within their chosen illustrative styles. All skill levels are welcome! This class will transition to online if the need arises.

4:30 - 6:30 pm, Thursdays, March 11, 18, 25, April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Adventures in Drawing

\$158

with Sharon Squibb

Feb 8, 2021 at 5:30 pm, runs for 10 weeks

Grade 9 - Adult

This class explores basic drawing techniques and how to use a variety of drawing media: pencils, color pencils, oil pastels, chalk pastels, charcoal, and pen & ink. The instructor will provide step-by-step instruction with demonstrations with each new technique. Students will do a number of studies and finished pieces using each media/technique. This class will transition to online if the need arises.

5:30 - 7:00 pm, Mondays, February 8, 15, 22, March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5, 12

Mixed Media Drawing - Session A

\$136

with Alice Sayler

Feb 6, 2021 at 9 am, runs for 6 weeks

Grade 6 - Adult

Our new Mixed Media class builds upon a foundation of drawing, while expanding the possibilities with a multitude of mediums. Students will learn how to create varying degrees of line width using pen & ink; while also being introduced to brush pens -- creating smooth, flowing energetic lines. A world of color, texture and composition will be explored, using techniques from printmaking, painting and even textiles! Students are encouraged to explore processes such as collage and abstraction. All skill levels and ages are welcome! This class will transition to online if the need arises.

9:00 - 11:00 am, Saturdays, February 6, 13, 20, March 13, 20, 27 (please note there is no class February 27 and March 6)

Mixed Media Drawing - Session B

\$136

with Alice Sayler

Apr 24, 2021 at 9 am, runs for 6 weeks

Grade 6 - Adult

Our new Mixed Media class builds upon a foundation of drawing, while expanding the possibilities with a multitude of mediums. Students will learn how to create varying degrees of line width using pen & ink; while also being introduced to brush pens -- creating smooth, flowing energetic lines. A world of color, texture and composition will be explored, using techniques from printmaking, painting and even textiles! Students are encouraged to explore processes such as collage and abstraction. All skill levels and ages are welcome! This class will transition to online if the need arises.

9:00 - 11:00 am, Saturdays, April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29



PAINTING FOR TEENS AND ADULTS

Basics of Watercolor - ONLINE CLASS

\$113

with Sharon Squibb

Feb 3, 2021 at 5 pm, runs for 10 weeks

Grades 9 - Adult

This is a class for students who would like to explore watercolor painting from home. It continues the study of watercolor techniques introduced in Fall Semester's Basics of Watercolor online class, but it is open to all students who wish to experience watercolor painting. Zoom instruction includes step-by-step projects designed to guide you through the painting process from start to finish. The course will offer a variety of special techniques and approaches to making watercolor paintings of different subjects. Students will work on paintings along with the instructor as she demonstrates the steps. You will also receive emails with detailed Power Points so that you may practice further or complete a piece at home. Each session will also be recorded. Students will receive a supply list after they register. Students may purchase their own supplies or through the McKinney Center for an extra \$50.00. If purchased through the McKinney Center materials can be picked up prior to class (if given proper notice).

Cost is \$113 plus supplies

5:00 - 6:30 pm, Wednesday ONLINE, February 3, 10, 17, 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, April 7

Mosaics - Home Address Number or Name Plate

\$135

with Beverly Thomas Jenkins

Feb 2, 2021 at 9 am, runs for 4 weeks

Adult

Students will make either a name plate or a home address number sign using Art Glass, and if you wish, some "lost and found" items the instructor has available. The piece will be approximately 6"x12" and will be sustainable for outdoor hanging. You can create this piece with the name of your loved one or the address numbers of your home. It's a fun project and also makes a great gift!

9:00 am - Noon, Tuesdays, February 2, 9, 16, 23



MOSAICS FOR TEENS AND ADULTS

Mosaic - Abstract Lost and Found

\$135

with Beverly Thomas Jenkins

Feb 22, 2021 at 9 am, runs for 4 weeks

Adult

In this class students will learn the direct method technique using mastic as the adhesive. We would ask that students bring their own "lost and found" items, which can include old jewelry, keys, toys, etc. This is a very fun class. Students will take home a 8"x8" one of a kind treasured keepsake!

9am - Noon - Mondays, February 22, March 1, 8, 15

Mosaic - Pet Portrait

\$145

with Beverly Thomas Jenkins

Mar 22, 2021 at 6 pm, runs for 5 weeks

Grade 9- Adult

Learn mosaics by creating a family keepsake of your favorite animal or beloved pet. This class will teach you basic mosaic principals along with shading techniques, color enhancement choices, etc. to achieve a unique one of a kind finished mosaic. This class may transition to online if the need arises.

6:00 - 8:30 pm, Mondays, March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 19



Mosaic Flower/Nature

\$130

with Beverly Thomas Jenkins

Mar 20, 2021 at 9 am, runs for 4 weeks

Adults

In this class students will learn the basics of mosaics and will make a beautiful one of a kind piece of art to hang on their wall as a treasured keepsake. The instructor will supply samples for you to choose from, such as meadow flowers, butterflies, dragonflies, etc., or bring your own sample. The piece will be 5"x7". This class may transition to online if the need arises.

9:00 am - Noon, Saturdays, March 20, 27, April 3, 10



MUSIC & DANCE FOR TEENS AND ADULTS

Beginning Acoustic Guitar - Group Class - Adults

\$126

with Jonathan Edens

Feb 3, 2021 at 6:15 pm, runs for 12 weeks

Adults

This group class is a great way to determine if guitar is right for you. Students will learn how to play guitar in an easy-going, fun environment. Students will learn basic terminology, foundational aspects of playing the guitar, chords and melodies. This class is less theory and more practical application for those who wish to play and pick at home, with a recording or with each other. Students will need to supply their own guitar, guitar strings and picks. The class may be divided into two separate classes depending on the number of students who register and age range. This class will transition to online if the need arises.

6:15 - 7:15 pm, Wednesdays, February 3, 10, 17, March 10, 17, 24, 31, April 7, 21, 28, May 5, 12 (please note there is no class February 24, March 3, and April 15)



Tap for Adults - Level 1

\$137

with Olivia Campbell

Feb 2, 2021 at 5:30 pm, runs for 10 weeks

Grade 9 - Adult

This beginner's class will be very energetic and will have you happily sweating in no time. Students will learn to perform easy-to-follow tap dance steps and become acquainted with the terminology of tap, which equips students to quickly learn a variety of combinations and routines. Along with these basic steps, students will also learn ear training to improve rhythm and musicality. Students will need to supply their own tap shoes. This class will transition to online if the need arises.

5:30 - 6:30 pm, Tuesdays, February 2, 9, 16, March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, April 6, 13 (please note there is no class February 23)

Beginning Acoustic Guitar - Private

\$126

with Jonathan Edens

Feb 3, 2021, runs for 4 weeks

All ages welcome!

These private lessons are for beginners or those with little to no past experience who are looking for an easy-going, fun environment. Students will learn basic terminology, foundational aspects of playing the guitar, chords, and melodies. Class is less theory and more practical application but can also be adapted to the needs and wants of each student. Students will need to supply their own guitar, guitar strings, and picks. Four, one-hour class each week. Sessions will re-start every 4 weeks. You may register for additional sessions at your leisure.

Once you register for the class you will receive an email or phone call to schedule your day and time for lessons.

This class will transition to online if the need arises.

Ballet for Adults - Level 1

\$137

with Danielle Mumpower

Feb 3, 2021 at 5:30 pm, runs for 10 weeks

Adults

In this adult course, students will learn the basics of Ballet. Ballet is classical dance that focuses on alignment and lines of the body to show a dancer as powerful, yet graceful, giving the dancer a full sense of control within his/her body. Session speed will depend on students' comfort and technique level. All levels are welcome! This class will transition to online if the need arises.

5:30 - 6:30 pm, Wednesdays, February 3, 10, 17, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, April 7, 14 (please note there is no class February 24)



WRITING FOR TEENS AND ADULTS

Writing for the Screen

\$127

with Raymond Jones

Feb 2, 2021 at 5 pm, runs for 6 weeks

Adult

Have you ever wanted to learn how to write your own film? In this class, this is exactly what you'll be doing. Throughout the 6-week class, you will examine scenes from film and television, breaking down important screenwriting elements, and writing and workshopping your own short film scripts.

5:00 - 6:30 pm, Thursdays, February 2, 9, 16, March 9, 16, 23
(Note, there is no class on February 23 or March 2)

Creative Circle Writers Group

Free

with Jules Corriere

Mar 25, 2021 at 10 am, runs for 12 weeks

Ages 15 - Adult

This writers group meets on the second and fourth Thursday of the month at the McKinney Center. The group this year will focus on developing and generating stories for possible use in the monthly radio show "StoryTown Radio Show and Podcast" which performs at the McKinney Center and airs on WETS 89.5 FM. The group will also develop stories and pieces for other special story-based programs that are part of the StoryTown Initiative. In addition, members are encouraged to bring creative works to develop for their own purposes. Techniques in writing for radio and the stage are regularly discussed.

This class will transition to online if the need arises.

WORKSHOPS FOR TEENS AND ADULTS

Introduction to the Zentangle Method of Drawing

\$50

with Kay Grogg

Mar 13, 2021 at 10 am

Grade 9 - Adult

The Zentangle Method of Art is an easy to learn art form that is FUN and RELAXING! Beautiful images can be created by drawing structured patterns. As you become engrossed in the process, your focus becomes, "Zen" like and relaxed, resulting in individually unique masterpieces. Students must complete this class or have previous Zentangle experience before taking, Working With Tan Tiles." This workshop may transition to online if the need arises.

10:00 am - 12:30 pm, Saturday, March 13

Zentangle - Working With Tan Tiles

\$55

with Kay Grogg

Mar 27, 2021 at 10 am

Grade 9 - Adult

Prerequisite: Introduction to Zentangle Method of Drawing

This class will be a continuation of the Zentangle Method of Drawing. Students will explore the tan or Renaissance tiles using black and brown ink; white gel pens, and white charcoal. Please bring your graphite pencil, black pens, etc., from the first class. The additional new materials will be provided with class fee. This class may transition online if the need arises.

10:00 am - 12:30 pm, Saturday, March 27



WORKSHOPS FOR TEENS AND ADULTS

Glass Fusion - Pendants

\$70

with Karen Hitchcock

Apr 9, 2021 at 6 pm

Grade 9 - Adult

In this two-hour glass fusion workshop students will make decorative glass pendants to wear or share. This hands-on session is designed for fun! Students will make up to eight pendants while learning the basics of fused glass. Students will have the chance to use frit, stingers, and dichroic glass to make unique creations! All materials are included and fired projects will be available two weeks after the class.

6:00 - 8:00 pm, Friday, April 9

Glass Fusion - Garden Stakes

\$70

with Karen Hitchcock

Mar 23, 2021 at 6 pm

Grade 9- Adult

A two-hour glass fusion workshop making decorative glass stakes for your garden or house. Each student can make up to four garden stakes. All materials are included and fired projects will be available two weeks after class.

6:00 - 8:00 pm, Tuesday, March 23

Glass Fusion - Suncatcher

\$70

with Karen Hitchcock

Apr 13, 2021 at 6 pm

Grade 9- Adult

A two-hour glass fusion workshop making a decorative sun catcher for your favorite window! This will make the perfect addition to your home, garden, or to give as a gift. All materials are included and fired projects will be available two weeks after class.

6:00 - 8:00 pm, Tuesday, April 13



Glass Fusion - Spring Plate

\$70

with Karen Hitchcock

Apr 20, 2021 at 6 pm

Grade 9 - Adult

A two-hour glass fusion workshop making decorative spring plate for your home or for a gift. Plates can be used for serving food or a decorative piece for everyone to see! Each student will make one plate. All materials are included and fired projects will be available two weeks after class.

6:00 - 8:00 pm, Tuesday, April 20



Pottery Wheel - Bowls - 2 Day Workshop

\$70

with Kara Bledsoe

Mar 16, 2021 at 10:30 am

Grades 5 - Adult

Enjoy a relaxing two-day workshop creating beautiful bowls! Students will spend the first day on the potter's wheel creating bowl forms. On day two, students will trim bowls on the wheel and learn decorating techniques. The goal is for each student to accomplish making 3 – 5 ceramic bowls. Masks will be required due to close contact during demonstrations and one-on-one instruction.

10:30 am - 12:30 pm, Tuesday, March 16, and Thursday, March 18

WORKSHOPS FOR TEENS AND ADULTS

Pottery Wheel - Casserole Dish - 2 Day Workshop

\$70

with Kara Bledsoe

Apr 20, 2021 at 10:30 am

Grades 5 - Adult

Enjoy a relaxing two-day workshop creating two beautiful casserole dishes! Students will spend the first day on the potter's wheel creating the casserole forms. On day two, students will assemble dishes and learn decorating techniques. The goal is for each student to accomplish making two casserole dishes. Masks will be required due to close contact during demonstrations and one-on-one instruction.

10:30 am - 12:30 pm, Tuesday, April 20, and Thursday, April 22

Pottery Wheel - Mugs - 2 Day Workshop

\$70

with Kara Bledsoe

May 11, 2021 at 10:30 am

Grades 5 - Adult

Enjoy a relaxing two-day workshop creating four beautiful mugs! Students will spend the first day on the potter's wheel creating the mugs. On day two, students will trim mugs and learn decorating techniques. The goal is for each student to accomplish making four mugs. Masks will be required due to close contact during demonstrations and one-on-one instruction.

Tuesday, May 11, and Thursday, May 13

Ceramic Garden Mushrooms - Decorating & Design Workshop

\$66

with Jess Parks

Mar 13, 2021 at 1 pm

Grade 9- Adult

During this one-day workshop, students will explore their creative side by decorating and personalizing their own clay mushrooms for their garden or home. Students will receive two pre-constructed clay mushrooms that they design and decorate using stamps, stencils, and other tools. All student work will be finished with a beautiful glaze and fired to perfection. Fired projects may be picked up two weeks after class.

1:00 - 4:00 pm, Saturday, March 13

Ceramic Tray - Decorating & Design Workshop

\$66

with Jess Parks

Mar 20, 2021 at 1 pm

Grade 9 - Adult

During this two-hour workshop, students will design and decorate a long serving platter. Explore your creative side by adding handles, surface texture, and personal touches. Each dish will be fired and glazed to enjoy for years to come. Fired projects may be picked up two weeks after class.

1:00 - 4:00 pm, Saturday, March 20

Bird House Decorating and Design Workshop

\$80

with Jess Parks

Apr 3, 2021 at 1 pm

Grade 9 - Adult

During this one-day workshop, students will explore their creative side by decorating and personalizing their own functional bird house. All students work will be finished with a beautiful glaze and fired to perfection. Fired projects may be picked up two weeks after class.

1:00 - 4:00 pm, Saturday, April 3

Fairy Garden Cottages Workshop

\$77

with Kay Grogg

Apr 3, 2021 at 10 am, runs for 2 weeks

Grade 9 - Adult

Create a magical fairy garden this spring by learning how to make mini houses using flower pots, paint, and natural elements. Each participant will make at least one fairy house and will learn how to decorate other areas of a fairy garden using sticks, pinecones, and found items. This will be a fun and magical class that is sure to please the fairies who visit your garden this spring.

10:00 am - Noon, Saturdays, April 3, 10



WORKSHOPS FOR TEENS AND ADULTS

Mandala Magic Workshop

\$60

with Roslyn Eitel

Mar 20, 2021 at 1 pm

9th Grade - Adult

Mandalas are circle drawings that are very relaxing to create. The radial and repetitive nature helps focus the mind, enabling concentration and lets creativity flow. During this workshop, students will learn how to draw a radial mandala. Drawing and coloring their mandala will help with mindfulness & bring a sense of peace & relaxation. Students will work on one mandala with different options for coloring. The final piece will be framed & ready to display.

1:00 - 5:00 pm, Saturday, March 20

Alcohol Ink Art Workshop

\$60

with Jess Parks

Mar 27, 2021 at 1 pm

Grades 9 - Adult

This one-day workshop will demonstrate how to use alcohol ink to produce a stunning 2-D composition. Students will use inks and glass to create an interesting framed piece of art and learn how to use materials and gain confidence with their future art endeavors. Students will have two framed, finished pieces to take home.

1:00 - 4:00 pm, Saturday, March 27

Acrylic Painting Workshop

\$57

with Beverly Thomas Jenkins

Apr 2, 2021 at 6 pm, runs for 1 week

Grades 9 - Adult

This workshop is for the person who wants to try painting without having prior knowledge of painting. Students will be creating a beautiful vase of flowers. The style is intuitive, casual, abstract. The canvas is a 9"x12" flat board which will fit a frame of your choice (not included). This is a great workshop to take with family or friends!

6:00 - 9:00 pm, Friday, April 2

You can also reserve a private workshop with a minimum of 6 guests! Please call the McKinney Center to make this reservation.

Crochet - Sculpted Vessels Workshop

\$55

with Nancy Bouffard

Apr 3, 2021 at 1 pm

Ages 6 - Adult

In this three-hour workshop students will learn to increase and decrease single crochet to "sculpt" a functional fiber vessel (basket, bowl or vase). Materials provided and/or bring your own. Some crochet experience is helpful but not necessary. This class will transition to online if the need arises.

1:00 - 4:00 pm, Saturday, April 3

Healing Soaps

\$62

with Angie Milan

April 23, 2021 at 6pm

Grades 9 - Adult

In this class students will learn how to make a magical, supercharged, artisan soap using herbs, essential oils, quartz or other stones, and love! Students will learn the benefits of purifying your skin and learn which ingredients stimulate the skin to restore tone and texture. Students will also learn about healing properties of various essential oils and stones. Each student will take home two soaps by using their choice of two oils and two stones.

6:00 - 9:00 pm, Friday, April 23



Casting & Mold Making with Plaster Workshop

\$72

with Jess Parks

Apr 24, 2021 at 1 pm, runs for 1 week

Grades 9 - Adult

Learn how to make a simple 2-piece plaster mold of a small 3-D, solid item. Each step of the process will be discussed and executed with the instructor's assistance. After making the mold, wet plaster will then be poured into the cavity, to create your own unique cast. All materials and tools will be supplied.

1:00 - 4:00 pm, Saturday, April 24

Mary B. Martin Legacy

Jonesborough's Mary B. Martin Program for the Arts offers unique art opportunities for adults, children, and teens. Created through a generous donation by James C. Martin on behalf of his wife, the Mary B. Martin, the program is designed to inspire area residents through appreciation for and participation in the various forms of art and expression. The Mary B. Martin Program for the Arts is housed at the McKinney Center at Booker T. Washington School. The comprehensive program also includes other venues such as the Jonesborough Repertory Theatre, Jonesborough Elementary School, and the International Storytelling Center.



McKinney Legacy

A strong advocate for education, Ernest McKinney was deeply community minded. In 1968, on the same day Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. was assassinated, Ernest McKinney was elected as the first African-American Alderman in Jonesborough. As an Alderman, from 1978 - 1984, Ernest McKinney worked diligently to improve the quality of life for all citizens. He was a leader in the creation of several town initiatives: the Senior Center, Recreation Program, Tourism Program, and Jonesborough's Head Start Program, just to name a few. He understood the importance of creating a strong downtown presence and believed in building a community accessible to everyone. In 2009, Ernest McKinney passed away at age 86, leaving a legacy of education and service.



Booker T. Washington School

The McKinney Center was originally named the Booker T. Washington School. It was completed in 1939, and was the first Works Progress Administration (WPA) built building in Washington County. The Works Progress Administration (WPA) was instituted by presidential executive order under the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of April 1935, to generate public jobs for the unemployed. The school opened its doors for African-American school age children from grades 1 – 8 in 1940 and served in this capacity until integration in 1965. This building was the primary education facility for hundreds of African-American students in the community. The faculty and principles that served here left an educational legacy that continues today.



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