



FINE ARTS

SPRING PROGRAM SESSION:

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YOUTH, TEEN, AND ADULT CLASSES

STORYBOOK ART (AGES 4-6 YEARS) (NMY)

The perfect class for your little one to explore mixed-media art, with a bonus of a literary component, Each class, students will be read a story, and then will create an art project inspired by the book. Students will engage in painting, drawing, clay, and more!

STORYBOOK POTTERY (AGES 4-6 YEARS) (NMY)

Students will be making a variety of hand-built projects out of clay that accompany a weekly story. Students will also learn glazing techniques.

HOMESCHOOL ART EXPLORATION (AGES 7-10 YEARS, AGES 10-17 YEARS) (NMY)

Immerse your homeschooler in the world of Fine Arts! This is a multi-media art class that will have students dabbling in painting, drawing, pottery, fiber arts, and much more. Students can anticipate a different style and medium of art every week.

ART EXPLOSION (AGES 7-13 YEARS) (NMY)

Students will exercise their creativity and discover the fascinating world of art through painting, sculptures, 2D and 3D projects, and a variety of other mediums. Projects will vary each session throughout the year.

KIDS POTTERY (AGES 7-13 YEARS) (NMY)

Start with several hand building techniques and experiment with functional and non-functional pieces. Students will be able to use the pottery wheel and learn glazing techniques.

TRASH TO TREASURE - NEW (AGES 7-13 YEARS) (NMY)

Ever wonder what a milk jug could become if given a second chance? Or how those pesky bottle caps and worn-out t-shirts could transform into something amazing? Using a variety of techniques—sewing, hot glue, painting, and more—you'll breathe new life into discarded materials, all while exploring the exciting world of upcycled art. Get ready to think outside the bin and create something truly unique!

KIDS KNITTING (AGES 8-17 YEARS) (NMY)

Discover the joy of fiber art! Perfect for beginners, this fun and engaging course will cover basic knitting techniques while fostering creativity and fine motor skills. **NOTE: This class will not meet on Monday, April 21. The class fee has been adjusted to reflect this schedule.**

ADVANCED KIDS POTTERY (AGES 10-17 YEARS) (NMY)

Youth potters with previous experience will delve deeper into the world of ceramics, exploring more intricate techniques through creative expression. Students will be able to refine their skills in hand building and the pottery wheel.

SKETCHING & DRAWING (AGES 10-18 YEARS) (NMY)

All aspiring artists interested in drawing, sketching, and cartooning are welcome! This class will introduce all aspects of this art form, including shape, form, design, and shading. Each student will be provided with a sketchbook to work in and keep.

HOMESCHOOL POTTERY (AGES 7 YEARS +) (NMY)

Start with several hand-building techniques and experiment with functional and non-functional pieces. Students will be able to use the pottery wheel and learn glazing techniques.

TEEN & ADULT POTTERY (AGES 14 YEARS +) (NMY)

Start with several hand building techniques and experiment with functional and non-functional pieces. Students will be able to use the pottery wheel and learn glazing techniques.

ADVANCED ADULT POTTERY (AGES 18 YEARS +) (NMY)

Adult potters with previous experience will delve deeper into the world of ceramics, exploring more intricate techniques through creative expression. Students will be able to refine their skills in hand building and the pottery wheel.

ADULT KNITTING (AGES 18+ YEARS) (NMY)

Discover the joy of fiber art! Perfect for beginners, this fun and engaging course will cover basic knitting techniques while fostering creativity and fine motor skills. **NOTE: This class will not meet on Monday, April 21. The class fee has been adjusted to reflect this schedule.**

PRIVATE POTTERY OR ART CLASSES FOR GROUPS (Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Birthday Parties, Painting Parties, Home School) (All ages), Contact Angela Larsen, Arts & Humanities Coordinator at the Neenah-Menasha YMCA at 920.886.2106 or alarsen@ymcafoxcities.org.

Class name	YMCA	Age	Day	Start	End	Y Member	General Public
Storybook Art	NYM	4-6 years	TH	9:00 AM	9:45 AM	\$41	\$66
Storybook Pottery	NMY	4-6 years	M	4:00 PM	4:45 PM	\$35	\$57
Storybook Pottery	NMY	4-6 years	T	9:00 AM	9:45 AM	\$41	\$66
Homeschool Art Exploration	NMY	7-10 years	T	12:30 PM	1:15 PM	\$41	\$66
Art Explosion	NMY	7-13 years	TH	5:15 PM	6:00 PM	\$41	\$66
Kids Pottery	NMY	7-13 years	T	4:00 PM	5:00 PM	\$56	\$78
Kids Pottery	NMY	7-13 years	T	5:00 PM	6:00 PM	\$56	\$78
Kids Pottery	NMY	7-13 years	TH	4:00 PM	5:00 PM	\$56	\$78
Trash to Treasure	NMY	7-13 years	M	5:00 PM	6:00 PM	\$35	\$57
Kids Knitting	NMY	8-17 years	M	5:00 PM	5:45 PM	\$29	\$47

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Advanced Kids Pottery	NMY	10-17 years	M	6:00 PM	7:15 PM	\$55	\$83
Homeschool Art Exploration	NMY	10-17 years	T	1:30 PM	2:15 PM	\$41	\$66
Sketching & Drawing	NMY	10-18 years	TH	6:15 PM	7:00 PM	\$41	\$66
Homeschool Pottery	NMY	7 years +	T	11:15 AM	12:15 PM	\$56	\$78
Homeschool Pottery	NMY	7 years +	T	10:00 AM	11:00 AM	\$56	\$78
Teen & Adult Pottery	NMY	14 years +	T	6:15 PM	7:45 PM	\$72	\$116
Teen & Adult Pottery	NMY	14 years +	W	7:15 PM	8:45 PM	\$72	\$116
Advanced Adult Pottery	NMY	18 years +	M	7:15 PM	8:45 PM	\$75	\$112
Adult Knitting	NMY	18 years +	M	6:00 PM	6:45 PM	\$29	\$47
Adult Pottery	NMY	18 years +	M	10:00 AM	11:30 AM	\$62	\$99

SPECIALTY WORKSHOPS

BRACELET MAKING WORKSHOP (AGES 8-17 YEARS) (NMY)

Join us for a fun and creative bracelet making workshop, where you'll design and craft beautiful, handmade bracelets—perfect as friendship bracelets or a heartfelt Mother's Day gift! All experience levels welcome.

FAMILY POTTERY: OPEN STUDIO (AGES 6 YEARS +, UNDER 7 MUST REGISTER WITH AN ADULT) (NMY)

Work with your family members on hand building a project of your own design! Each family member must register. Finished pieces will be ready for pick up in 2-3 weeks. Wheel throwing is not included as a part of this workshop.

POTTERY WHEEL WORKSHOP (AGES 10 YEARS +) (NMY)

For the potter who is ready for more, this workshop will focus on using the pottery wheel to create a one-of-a-kind project.

BOWL COZY SEWING WORKSHOP (AGES 12 YEARS +) (NMY)

Learn to sew a handy, heat-resistant fabric bowl holder that is perfect for protecting your hands from hot bowls and makes a great gift. All experience levels welcome. All materials and instruction provided.

STAINED GLASS PENDANT (AGES 16 YEARS +) (NMY)

Create a stunning stained glass pendant in this hands-on workshop. Students will be guided through the process of designing and assembling a unique pendant using stained glass technique. All experience levels welcome.

ADULT POTTERY WHEEL WORKSHOP- NEW (AGES 18 YEARS +) (NMY)

This adults-only workshop is for beginner or experienced students- all levels welcome. Participants will spend time on a pottery wheel to create a one-of-a-kind piece.

LADIES NIGHT POTTERY WORKSHOP (AGES 18 YEARS +) (NMY)

Get out for a fun night of crafting with your gal-pals! This workshop is for beginner or experienced students- all levels welcome. Participants will spend time learning hand building techniques to create a fun project to take home. Wheel throwing is not included in this workshop. These can also be scheduled for private parties by contacting Angela Larsen at 920.886.2106.

Class name	YMCA	Age	Day	Start	End	Y Member	General Public
Bracelet Making Workshop-May 10	NMY	8-17 years	S	9:30 AM	11:30 AM	\$11	\$13
Pottery Wheel Workshop-April 27	NMY	10 years +	SUN	9:00 AM	11:00 AM	\$23	\$33

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Pottery Wheel Workshop-May 18	NMY	10 years +	SUN	9:00 AM	11:00 AM	\$23	\$33
Bowl Cozy Sewing Workshop-May 20	NMY	12 years +	T	5:00 PM	7:00 PM	\$23	\$33
Stained Glass Pendant Workshop-May 5	NMY	16 years +	M	5:00 PM	7:00 PM	\$23	\$33
Ladies Night Pottery-April 25	NMY	18 years +	F	5:30 PM	7:30 PM	\$23	\$33
Adult Wheel Workshop-May 16	NMY	18 years +	F	5:30 PM	7:30 PM	\$23	\$33
Ladies Night Pottery-May 30	NMY	18 years +	F	5:30 PM	7:30 PM	\$23	\$33

ART WORKSHOP PARTIES (AGES 6 YEARS +) (NMY)

Groups of four or more can schedule workshop parties – painting, pottery, drawing, and sewing. Contact Angela Larsen at 920.886.2106 or alarsen@ymcafoxcities.org for details.