

Le Mars Arts Center



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To engage the mind and inspire the spirit thru the arts.



Every Week!!

Greetings!

Thank you! Thank you to all of you who came to help us celebrate 45 years of the Arts Council in Le Mars! And to all of you who sent in your memberships or donations! You have all helped us have a "record" month! We are blessed to be in such an amazing community. We appreciate each and every one of you!



Community Partnerships!

We have recently partnered with several businesses and groups to bring you more art opportunities! We are excited to continue to offer an arts and craft night at our downtown, locally owned business, Sugar-N-Spice, every month! In addition, we have partnered with the YMCA with a "Flip, Flip, Hooray" party to be held this month at Mr. P's to help them raise funds for their aquatics and will be seeing their summer day campers every week! We also partner with the ISU Extension office to help with 4-H groups and Farmers Market. And we love the blessing cups we helped the youth paint at All Saints Parish and St John's Lutheran church! We have hosted St John's Lutheran here for several fellowship events and have recently added Grace Lutheran Church for an event later this month! The Village from Sheldon and The Genesis Storm Lake come for a visit and art basis! Schuster's Trucking has also fun art events and we love our "on to Whiting, IA to the library for the seniors! We would love to work with us know how we can help put "art" We are always coming up with new we can come up with something for organization!



Every Tues and Wed

9:30 – 10:30 AM

Mommy and Me with Mrs B

\$5/child each week! Story, song and dance and a creative project! Build social skills and have fun!

Every Monday 6:30 – 8:30 PM

Oil painting with Hope Wallen

\$86/month includes all supplies. Learn techniques and exercises to help you paint your own masterpiece!

Every Wednesday 6:00 – 8:00

Watercolor with Jean Weiner

\$20 each week. Fun and easy! Just show up and let Jean help you create your first watercolor masterpiece!

Every Sat Morning 10 – 11

Storytime with Shelby

Hear a story and do a fun studio art project every week. Ages 5 years and up. \$10/child. Space is limited, must pre-register each week.

Every Thurs Night 6:30 – 7:30

Studio fun for Adults and kids

Every week there is a different project we will walk you thru! String art, glass fusion, tile inking, canvas painting and pottery painting!



Brent Herrig – Photography Exhibit

“Spoonfuls of Inspiration”

Reception Saturday, April 7, 10 – 4PM

We welcome Brent Herrig during April and May for his first solo exhibit! His exhibit will fill both galleries and Brent will be here all day on Saturday! Brent is originally from Le Mars and is a graduate of Le Mars Community, parents are Terri and Henry Herrig. We hope to see all of you during his reception! From the LCS newsletter-- “Brands ranging from Ketel One to Bailey's to Patron, numerous chefs and their restaurants, as well as magazines like Bon Appetit, Food and Wine, The New York Times and authors of 'The Whole30 Cookbook' and 'The Dead Rabbit Drinks Manu-al' rely on Brent to capture their vision of food or drink.”



Helpful Donations

Beta Sigma Phi Gamma Omicron has recently donated two rolling carts and a glass grinder for our studio! We LOVE our rolling carts and the glass grinder came just in time! Operating on 2 floors isn't always the easiest! And hauling items up and down to and from the kiln has always been challenging! This Beta group seen the need and stepped up with not just one, but TWO rolling carts! They have also donated for a large paper cutter in the past and remember our Christmas candy pumpkins?? This Beta group were half of the volunteers that stepped up to help us out! Thank you to all the members of this local Beta group!

Upcoming Workshop



Portrait Photography with Jerry Mennenga – Sunday, May 6, 1 – 3

Just in time for Mother's Day, Graduations and family vacations! Learn tips and techniques in shooting better portraits! Jerry teaches in Sioux City regularly and we are happy to have him start here in Le Mars! You can find some of Jerry's work in our gift shop, too. Bring your own camera, \$20/person, must pre-register. Visit our website at lemarsarts.com to sign up.

Wait, there's MORE

Tuesday, April 10, 1-3

Art for Seniors

Come paint your own Spring Tote bag to use this season! Karol will help you paint using potatoes! \$10/person 55years +

Friday Art at Sugar and Spice!

April 13, 5:30 – 7pm

Mystical, Magical Unicorn Plate Painting. \$10 – need to register at Sugar-N-Spice

April 18, 1:30 – 3:00

Early out with Karol

Ice Cream Cone Umbrellas \$15/person, must pre-register! All ages welcome

Coming Up

3 Day Watercolor Workshop with

David Becker Register now for the 3 day workshop June 5, 6 and 7! \$275 for all 3 days! This is a great opportunity for beginners to intermediate painters. Contact us for more information!

June and July Exhibit

Randi Mackey and Family

Summer Programs

Mrs B's and Shelby's summer programs are on our website!

The Licht's will be up soon – Register EARLY!!

Call 712-546-7476 for more information!