

Le Mars Arts Center



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



Month at a Glance

Adults

Greetings!

Can you believe it is July!? This starts a new fiscal year for the Arts Center and we are excited about the year ahead! We have added so many new offerings for both adults and children over the past year and have had a fantastic response from the community! Thank you for all of your support!



Change in Summer Programming Tropical Paradise AGAIN!

Due to the class Tropical Paradise with Mrs B filling up so quickly, there were many children that were not able to attend. ☹ So, we have decided to do it again the week of July 10! Same activities, same cost, same instructor!

Paint a piece of pottery, make a pop bottle fish, mosaic a shining sun and create a 3D underwater scene! Plus fun and creative snacks every day! Please let us know if you have a child that would like to attend! Only 5 spots remain!

Make your own Jewelry!

With Joann Donner

Wednesday, July 19, 6:30 – 8:30 pm

Are you interested in learning a simple technique in making your own jewelry? You will have so much fun, and walk away with your own creation! Everything is included, so bring your kids or bring your friends and create your jewelry! Must Pre-Register



July 5th, 11am – 1pm \$10/person

Brown Bag It with Karol Holton

Painting flowers on a tote bag with a potato?

Must Pre-Register

Wed., July 5 – 26 6:00 – 8:00

Watercolor with Jean Weiner

\$20 each week

No class July 19

July 6, 4:30 – 6:30 PM

Susan McCulley Art Reception

Bring the Family!

Thursdays, July 6 – 27th

6:30 – 8:30 \$80/person

Drawing with Hope

Must pre-register, Includes all supplies.

Tuesdays, July 11 – August 1

6:30 – 8:30 pm, \$80/person

Intro to Oil Painting

Must Pre-Register, includes all supplies. Full, taking registrations for Tuesdays in August

July 15, 10:30am – noon or

1:30 – 3:00 \$20/person

Photography Tips with Rich Mackey

Must Pre-Register, bring your camera or phone

July 19, 6:30 – 8:30pm \$20

Must Pre-Register, All supplies included. **Jewelry Making with Joann Donner**

Susan McCulley - July Exhibit

July 1 – July 22

Reception July 6, 4:30 – 6:30 pm

This is a perfect time to come see what an art reception is all about! We welcome you with a warm smile and a friendly hello! Have a drink and a snack, walk around and admire some beautiful artwork, plus meet and talk to the artist. This is a great experience for kids of all ages, and it doesn't take much time. By the time you finish your drink or snack, you will be on your way. So, mark your calendar and stop in after work, after you pick up your kids or on your way to dinner! Anytime between 4:30 and 6:30 is great, you are never too late!



Oil Painting Classes with Hope

July is full, and we are currently taking registrations for class to start August 8th! This is a great opportunity to learn about this unique medium! And the best part, ALL SUPPLIES ARE INCLUDED! Class is held in 4 consecutive week sessions on Tuesday evenings, 6:30 – 8:30 pm. Cost is just \$80/person. Class will continue each month as long as we have at least one person registered. Pre-Register for any month, 4 student maximum.

Photography tips with Rich Mackey – July 15

Rich Mackey will be here to talk to you about criteria he uses when judging photography and simple tips to take your photos from good to great. After some time learning, you will be given 30 minutes to go shoot something and bring it back to be shared and reviewed. This is a great opportunity to learn these tips before the fair and before submitting photos for our amateur photo contest and exhibition coming in November! We will have a morning class and an afternoon class, pre-registration required and the cost will be \$20/person

New Gift Shop Artists and Items

If you haven't been in for a while, try to stop in! We have Mala bracelets, rosaries, new glass dishes, jewelry, magnets, mirrors and beautiful new pottery, too! Many artists have brought in many new things for the summer! Stop in and look around!

Upcoming Events

The Best 5 Days of Summer!

July 26 - 30

July means the fair is almost here! The Le Mars Arts Council serves as the Superintendents of the Open Class Art Show! We look forward to seeing everyone's creative 2D, 3D and Photography during this wonderful event! And we need volunteers! Can you give 2 hours of your time during the fair? We have broken down the days into 2 hour increments. This is a great time to read a book, sit with a friend, or view the exhibit a little closer! Volunteers are needed in the mornings, afternoons and evenings all 5 days. Contact us if you can donate a couple hours of your time!

Remember!

We have stuff to do!

- pottery painting
- mosaics
- glass fusion
- canvas painting
- alcohol inks

Available anytime in our studio

And we do parties!
Bring your kids, grandkids,
friends or relatives and come
create this summer!