

Le Mars Arts Center



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



Month at a Glance

November 7, 14, 21, 28 6:30 – 8:30

Oil Painting with Hope
Must Pre-Register \$86/person
All supplies included

Every Tuesday 9:30 – 10:30 AM

Mommy and Me with Mrs B
\$5/child each week

Every Wednesday 6:00 – 8:00

Watercolor with Jean Weiner
\$20 each week

November 7 6:30 – 8:30

Get Inky with Paula! Christmas
Trees! \$15/person
Must pre-register

November 11, 10:00 – 3:00

Holiday Open House

November 15 1:30 – 4:30

Clay with Karol! 1st – 5th grade
\$20/person Must pre-register

November 18 9:30 - Noon

"Gobble up the Fun" 4yr and up.
Must Pre Register
\$30/child, \$20 additional child.

November 18, 1:00 – 3:00

Amateur photo contest awards
and reception.

November 24, 9-noon or 1-4

"Hustle and Bustle" to make those
Christmas gifts! 4yrs and up.
\$30/child, \$20 additional child

Greetings!

This is the time of year that we are so THANKFUL for all of our patrons for all of their support! As we head into the holiday season, remember to stop by the Arts Center! We have lots of ideas of things you could make or buy someone on your list! We have the most thoughtful gifts!



Pottery Painting!

Did you know that you can paint pottery (as well as a number of other things) at the Arts Center?? And we just placed an order for ornaments! We will have several to choose from and we can help you

personalize them! We can also come to your school, church or organization to have a fun painting event, right at your location! And if you are interested in fundraising, call us! These ornaments are fun and easy to paint for kids and adults of all ages, and can help you raise money for your organization or group! Band trips? Class trips? Church retreats? Let us help you! A fundraiser where everyone will make memories and a personalized keepsake ornament! Already booked thru the holidays? That's OK! Let's paint coasters, a heart, a wine glass, a plate, a ribbon...just about anything is possible, anytime! We are looking forward to painting pottery and helping other organizations in our community!

The Studio is currently open Tuesday thru Friday, Noon to 5 and Saturday's 10 – 3. Or make an appointment to come paint other days/hours! Look for extended hours to start soon!



Exhibit

Our current exhibit is made up of 16 photos from area amateur photographers! Judging will take place in the morning on Saturday, November 18th. Awards and Reception will be held at 1:00 that afternoon. Voting for the People's Choice Award is going on now on our facebook page OR stop in to the Arts Center and see them in person and vote for your favorite! Voting will end at noon on November 18th, so we can tally up the winning votes! Judge will award 1st, 2nd and 3rd place photos and give a critique during the reception. We hope you will vote and join us for the reception! Join us, **Saturday, November 18th, anytime between 1:00 – 3:00!** Goodies will be served!



Holiday Open House, Saturday, November 11, 10-3

Many artists will be onsite with their holiday wares! Music, treats and shopping thru out the day! Pottery from Chaeli Hanna Kohn and Paul Adamson as well as watercolor works from Randi Mackey and Connie Luhman. Jean Weiner will have not only watercolor, but also her hand stitched mice and other holiday items. Trish Mayer will be here with her unique bags and jackets and jewelry, OH MY! You won't want to miss alcohol ink from Paula Crandell or signs, towels and t-shirts from Missy VanEgdom. Lots of holiday cards and gifts! Plus many new holiday ornaments you can paint and personalize yourself! Don't miss it!

Pottery Wheel and Hand Building Classes

January is just around the corner! Now is the time to register for our pottery classes! We have 2 instructors and 4 classes and time frames to choose from, certainly something to fit your schedule! Gene Polson teaches mainly on the wheel and we have 3 sessions to choose from, or you can take all 3! Each session is \$75 and includes up to 25 lbs of clay, firings and glazes. You will have 6+ hours on the wheel to make several projects. Thursday evenings in January, February or March. Paul Adamson will be teaching an 8 week class in wheel and hand building techniques! This class will run on Tuesday evenings in March and April and also includes up to 25 lbs of clay, firings and glaze. Cost is only \$125

Participation in either class will make you eligible to use our pottery studio outside of class times.



Mark your Calendars!

Carols and Cocoa

Saturday, December 2.

Help yourself to gourmet hot chocolate bar and enjoy the holiday music while shopping in our gift shop before the parade! We will have ornaments on hand for painting, too!

Clay with Karol

Wednesday, December 13

Another early out day to play with clay with Karol! Learn hand building techniques and make fun gifts! 1st thru 5th grade. Must Pre-Register

Last Chance Gift Making with Kari

Saturday, December 16, 9:30 – Noon. 4yrs and up

\$30/child, \$20 additional family member. Your kids last chance to make holiday gifts for everyone on the list – Check it twice!

Everything Winter with Kari

3 Day Workshop!! Dec 27-29 for 4yrs and up! Choose mornings or afternoons to discover and create everything winter! Only \$45/child, \$35 additional family member for ALL 3 DAYS!!!