

# fall 2015 schedule of CLASSES, CAMPS & EVENTS

# FALL EVENTS

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# **DUTCHER FAMILY ART SHOW**

DATES: Through Friday, September 25

TIME: MWF from IOam-2pm

COST: Free

LOCATION: ArtHaus

### SCENES OF THE DRIFTLESS

DROP-OFF DATES: Oct 5-9, MWF from 10am-2pm OPENING RECEPTION: Friday, October 9

from 6-8pm

ON DISPLAY: October 9-November 20

COST: Free

LOCATION: ArtHaus

Take part in this community exhibition and share with your neighbors what the Driftless region means to you! Anyone and everyone is encouraged to bring a work of their own making or from their personal art collection to ArtHaus the week of October 5 - 9 and help us fill the walls of the gallery with scenes of the Driftless. All media is welcome but works but be able to be mounted on the wall; no free standing works can be accepted. More details online at www.arthausdecorah.org.

# POETRY SLAM

DATES: Friday, November 13

TIME: 8pm, Doors open at 7:30pm

COST: \$5/\$3 students LOCATION: Elks Lodge

SPONSORED BY: Dragonfly Books

# **CRINGE NIGHT**

DATE: Friday, October 30

TIME: 7-9pm COST: \$5

LOCATION: ArtHaus

# **HOLIDAY ART FAIR**

DATE: December 4-6

COST: Free

LOCATION: ArtHaus and ArtHaus Studio

# FILM SEMINAR SCREENING

DATE: December 9

TIME: Wednesday, 7pm

COST: Free

LOCATION: ArtHaus

Full event details online at arthausdecorah.org



# ADULT CLASSES



# DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY 101

DATE: September 29 - November 10 (no class October 13) (ADTI)

TIME: Tuesdays, 6-8 pm INSTRUCTOR: Nick Chill COST: \$90 + \$25 materials fee

LOCATION: ArtHaus & Outdoors

Whether you are a beginner, intermediate, or advanced photographer, capture the colors of fall as you expand your

knowledge of your digital camera functions beyond auto point & shoot settings through instruction in the foundations of manual operations covering aperture, shutter, film speed, and more. Explore portraiture, still-lifes, and nature up-close and at a distance using natural, flash, and studio lighting. Materials fee will be applied to printing photos for critique and display. Students are required to supply their own camera.



DATE: October 19 - November 23 (ADT2)

TIME: Mondays, 6:30 - 8:30pm INSTRUCTOR: June Melby

COST: \$90

LOCATION: ArtHaus

This six-week session features some of June Melby's favorite

writing exercises to get your motor running. You'll start new pieces and get ideas for enriching projects you may already have in progress. Suitable for both experienced writers and beginners looking for a fun and encouraging way to get creative. Repeat students welcome.







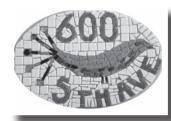
# ADULT CLASSES, CONT'D.

# **MOSAIC HOUSE NUMBERS**

DATE: October 10 & 11

TIME: Saturday, 9am - 5pm & Sunday, 10am - 2pm (ADT3)

INSTRUCTOR: Linda Elkins COST: \$80 + \$65 materials LOCATION: ArtHaus Studio Choose from a variety of custom-shaped plywood 'canvas' to create your house number masterpiece! Linda Elkins will teach you to design, shape, adhere and grout



your way to a work of art that adds an extra touch of beauty and creativity to the exterior of your home. Open to beginning or experienced participants. Must register by September 30 to ensure materials can be ordered and prepped.

# COMPASSION CALLIGRAPHY

DATE: Saturday, November 14 (ADT4)

TIME: I - 3pm

INSTRUCTOR: Daishin McCabe

COST: \$50

LOCATION: ArtHaus

In a world with so many problems, how can we create a more just and compassionate society to live in? Explore ways to creatively tap into your own compassion by gently opening the heart and mind through mindfulness practices with Zen Monk and Artist, Daishin McCabe, and writing the Japanese character for compassion with brush and sumi ink.

#### **MOSAIC BIRD HOUSE**

DATE: November 21 & 22 (ADT5)

TIME: Saturday, 9am - 5pm & Sunday, 10am - 2pm

INSTRUCTOR: Linda Elkins COST: \$80 + \$65 materials LOCATION: ArtHaus Studio

Select one of three styles pre-made wooden birdhouse (appr. 9" tall) to embellish into a mosaic work of art for inside or out. Like the House Numbers class, your time will be spent finalizing your design, nip then adhere glass pieces of an array of available colors, and grout your project in this weekend workshop. Open to beginning or experienced students. All materials including birdhouses provided. Must register by November II to ensure materials can be ordered and shipped.

In most cases, adult classes are open to young adults ages 16+. Please inquire. Note that young adults are also eligible for our need-based scholarship program to help cover some or all tuition costs. Although scholarships are not available for adults ages 18+, we do offer payment plans and are happy to work with you to make an ArtHaus classes work with your budgeting. Be sure to check out our volunteer information on page 5.

# MARKETING TUTORIALS FOR ARTISTS

COST: Choose Any for \$25 per class

A continuing series of tutorials designed with makers and arts-based businesses in mind, taught by Jenni Petersen-Brant, ArtHaus Co-director and an established studio artist, along with Carolyn Corbin, principal at the Corbin Group and a marketing extraordinaire. Classes will be hands-on as the instructors



walk you through the step-by-step process of each topic. Students should bring their own laptop or tablet with wi-fi connectivity capability. Non-art individuals and businesses welcome!

#### SAY CHEESE!

DATE: Thursday, September 10 (ADT6)

TIME: 4:30-6:30pm

Learn to make your work shine in photographs with your digital camera or your smartphone and a simple photo booth. Explore watermarking images to keep them safe from unauthorized reproduction.

# READY, SET, ETSY

DATE: Thursday, September 24 (ADT7)

TIME: 4:30-6:30pm

Walk through the setup of your own Etsy shop, create a listing, and explore the basic features of your new online store.

# ETSY 2.0

DATE: Thursday, October 8 (ADT8)

TIME: 4:30-6:30pm

Designed for those that already have an Etsy shop who want some feedback on what can make your shop excel.

# SOCIAL MEDIA SHOUT-OUTS

DATE: Thursday, October 22 (ADT9)

TIME: 4:30-6:30pm

Establish and learn to maximize a Facebook business page that highlights you and your artwork. Connect to and explore other social media platforms such as Pinterest, Twitter, and Instagram.

# **DATE NIGHT**

DATE(S): Saurday, November 14 (ADT10)

Saturday, December 12 (ADTII)

TIME: 6-8pm

INSTRUCTOR: Jenni & Eric Petersen-Brant

COST: \$50 per couple

LOCATION: ArtHaus Studio

Looking for a special and unique evening out? Bring your date, spouse, or partner for an evening of romance and art making. Whether it's your first date or your 50th wedding anniversary, you'll spend a creative evening playing in clay, creating a print, or collaborating on a painting (check online for project descriptions). Materials and snacks provided. Ages 18+ welcome.



# YOUTH CLASSES

# AGES 2 - 4

# AGES 4-6



#### AM ART STUDIO

DATE(S):

Tuesdays, September 15 - October 20 (YTHI) Wednesdays, September 16 - October 21 (YTH2) Saturdays, October 3 - November 7 (YTH3) Tuesdays, November 10 - December 15 (YTH4) Wednesdays, November 11 - December 16 (YTH5)

TIME: 10 - 11am

INSTRUCTOR(S): Jenni Petersen-Brant (T/W) or Alyssa Ritter

COST: \$80 (per session) LOCATION: ArtHaus Studio

An art exploration class designed for children who are ready to make the transition to attending a class independently, in addition to exploring new art materials and techniques that will expand their hand-eye coordination and social skills. Easel painting, homemade play-dough (gluten-free), mixed media collage, and watercolor resist drawings are a few of the



tools and methods they will choose from during their time in a professional art studio.

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# ARTSY BIRTHDAY PARTIES

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DATE & TIME: Schedule 2 weeks in advance COST: Minimum \$120 fee or \$15 per child for 8 or more

LOCATION: ArtHaus Studio

Let ArtHaus host your child's birthday party with an hour and a half art activity (see options online) with time for treats afterwards. Perfect for ages 4+, we can accommodate up to 16 youngsters. Must be scheduled a minimum of 2 weeks in advance and we request that at least one parent be present. Outside food, drink, and decorations welcome.

Fees include all materials for a project lead by an ArtHaus instructor. Add-on collaborative mementos available.

We celebrate grown-up birthdays too. Inquire for details! Private workshops with Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, and other groups also available. Contact Jenni or Eric to discuss!

### **BUDDING ARTISTS ART CLUB**

DATE(S):

Tuesdays, September 15 - October 20 (YTH6) Tuesdays, November 10 - December 15 (YTH7)

TIME: 3:15 - 5pm

INSTRUCTOR: To Be Determined COST: \$75 + \$25 materials (per session)

LOCATION: ArtHaus Studio

Investigate an exciting array of artistic materials in flat and sculptural projects while being inspired by master artists of the past. The 6-week program ends with a public art display in ArtHaus to share the work of all of our budding artists with friends and family.





#### CONTINUING AT ARTHAUS



# ARTHAUS APPRENTICE PROGRAM AGES 13-18

ArtHaus is pleased to announce it's second year of the Youth Apprenticeship program for aspiring artists ages 13-18 interested in developing their own artistic expression, exploring arts entrepreneurship, and learning through mentoring younger artists. Apprentices will meet weekly for two hours with other opportunities including offsite field trips, evening and weekend volunteer opportunities, and more available throughout the program, which runs October through May. For more information or to download an application, visit www.arthausdecorah.org.

This program is generously supported through funding from the McElroy Family Foundation and Friends of ArtHaus need-based scholarship funds. If you or your business is interested in becoming a sponsor of this program, being involved as a visiting artist or opening your doors for a site visit, contact Jenni or Eric Peteresen-Brant at 563-382-5440 or info@arthausdecorah.org.



# YOUTH CLASSES, CONT'D.



# **AGES 6-9**

#### ARTS OF THE ANCIENTS

DATE(S): Thursdays, September 10 - October 15 (YTH8)

TIME: 3:15-5pm

INSTRUCTOR: Kelly Johnson COST: \$75 + \$25 materials LOCATION(S): ArtHaus Studio

Whether it be Greek goddesses, Egyptian pharaohs, or medieval

knights that inspire you, this class will explore ancient cultures and the art that they made. Let the creations and cultures of the Egyptians, Romans, Aztecs, and more lead you on a creative journey through time.

# ART SAFARI

DATE(S): Thursdays, November 5 - December 17 (no class November 26) (YTH9)

TIMES: 3:15-5pm

INSTRUCTOR: Kelly Johnson COST: \$75 + \$25 materials

LOCATION: ArtHaus Studio

Tigers, giraffes, and elephants, oh my! Go on an adventure of the imagination to an African Safari as you draw, paint and sculpt the flora and fauna from one of the most incredible places on earth.



# AGES 9-12

# **ACT UP**

DATE(S): Mondays, September 21 - November 2 (YTH10)

TIME: 3:15 - 5pm

INSTRUCTOR: Kristen Underwood

COST: \$75

LOCATION: ArtHaus

Everyone carries around the tools needed to become a great actor — voice, body, and imagination. Uncover your natural talents through theatre games and exercises, while preparing a short play for performance with Kristen Underwood, director of Upstart Crow Theatreworks.

# **FANTASTIC FIBER ART**

DATE(S): Wednesdays, November II - December 16 (YTHII)

TIME: 3:15 - 5pm

INSTRUCTOR: Linda Elkins COST: \$75 + \$40 materials fee LOCATION: ArtHaus Studio

Weave, dye, and resist your way to a number of fantastic fiber arts projects in this new class. Design and weave a tapestry, explore shibori dying to make a wearable work of art, and create a beautiful gutta-resist scarf for you or to give to someone you love.

# AGES 13-18

# **ACTING**

DATE(S): Wednesdays, September 16 - October 21 (YTH12)

TIME: 3:15-5pm

INSTRUCTOR: Kristen Underwood

COST: \$75

LOCATION: ArtHaus

Whether you're new to theatre or have already had some experience, you'll love this acting class. Starting with theatre games and exercises to create an ensemble, we'll move on to essential acting skills while rehearsing a short play for performance.

#### FILM SEMINAR

DATE(S): Wednesdays, October 28 - December 9

(no class November 25) (YTH13)

TIME: 5:30 - 7PM

INSTRUCTOR: Christy Ebert Vrtis

COST: \$75

LOCATION: ArtHaus

This hands-on introductory filmmaking course will teach the key elements of narrative fictional filmmaking, from preproduction including concept, scriptwriting, storyboarding to production with casting, rehearsal, filming and post-production editing. Each class session will consist of lecture/screening clips from exemplary films, discussion, and individual and group work. Students will be required to work on their films outside of class sessions and should have access to a digital video camera of some kind. By the end of the 6 weeks, each student will have made a short film, approximately 2–5 mins in length, that will be screened during a public reception at ArtHaus on Wednesday, December 9.



# YOUTH CLASSES, CONT'D.



# VARIOUS AGES & FAMILIES



# **ART LAB**

DATES & AGES:

Friday, September 18 for ages 4-6 (YTH13)

Friday, October 23 for ages 6-9 (YTH14)

Friday, November 20 for ages 9-12 (YTH15)

TIME: 3:15 - 5pm

INSTRUCTOR(S): Luther College Art Education Students

COST: \$15 (per class)

LOCATION: ArtHaus Studio

Explore the intersections of art and science as you conduct experiments that have artistic results in this continued collaboration with the Luther College Art Education department!

# SECOND SUNDAY FAMILY WORKSHOPS

DATE(S): September 13 (FAM1), October 11 (FAM2),

November 8 (FAM3) and December 13

TIME: Sunday, I - 2:30 pm

INSTRUCTOR(S): Jenni & Eric Petersen-Brant

COST: \$25 for one adult and one child, \$10 for each

additional participant (per workshop)

LOCATION: ArtHaus Studio

Where family bonding meets creative expression! Take part in our new series of family-focused workshops, held the second Sunday of each month, featuring projects designed to encourage collective making and creative thinking. Tuition cost covers materials and instruction for up to one adult and one child (ages 2+ welcome). Add additional participants (adults or children) to your registration as needed.

Projects will include: Concrete Stepping Stone (September), Printed Tote Bags (October), Collaborative Canvas Painting (November), and Holiday Ornaments (December)

# ALSO AT ARTHAUS

# **BARNETINEM - CHILDREN'S HOUR**

Barnetimen (Children's Hour) is a free program for preschool-aged children offered by the Vesterheim Museum and facilitated by ArtHaus. Once a month, kids and their parents or caregivers are invited to join us at ArtHaus Studio at 10am for a trip to explore a new aspect of the Vesterheim Museum followed by an art activity and snack at ArtHaus Studio. This program is supported by a number of generous sponsors and program dates can be found at vesterheim.org



# ARTHAUS IS YOUR HAUS



Do you have a desire to give back to the community by sharing your unique talents, skills, and life experiences with others, while making new friends and having fun immersing yourself in the arts? Whether you have 30 minutes a month, an hour a week or five a day, ArtHaus welcomes your involvement!

As Decorah's only non-profit arts center, ArtHaus strives to be of and for our community providing cultural events, arts education programs and accessible youth and adult learning opportunities which might otherwise not be available. You can be a part of making it all happen by donating your time in a myriad of ways!

With operations run by two part-time co-directors and educational programs implemented by a host of on-call teaching artists, there is always a mile long to-do list that you could help make a dent in. Give ArtHaus a call today at 563-382-5440 or send an email to info@arthausdecorah.org to discuss the special expertise you have to offer and the benefits of being an ArtHaus volunteer. You can also go to www.arthausdecorah.org and click on 'Work with ArtHaus' to find a volunteer sign-up form and let us know more about you.



# OTHER ARTHAUS INFORMATION



#### TUITION ASSISTANCE

Grants from The Depot Outlet and many Friends of ArtHaus make it possible for us to offer scholarships to ArtHaus youth programs. ArtHaus takes pride in being accessible to all - let us know if you need tuition assistance. Tuition assistance application forms are now available on our website.

#### GIFT CERTIFICATES

Give the gift of creativity! Gift certificates to ArtHaus classes and workshops are available in any amount. Call or stop by to pick one up for someone you love.

#### **EVENT RENTAL**

ArtHaus makes a cozy settings for intimate concerts, private parties, and other arts-related gatherings. Call for more information.

#### PHOTO CREDITS

Parker Deen/Silvermoon Photography and Seth Vander Horst.

#### **SUPPORT**

Established in 2008, ArtHaus is a 50I(c)(3) non-profit organization in downtown Decorah. It is governed by an active board of directors and operated by Jenni & Eric Petersen-Brant, the organization's part-time co-directors. Although tuition, materials fees and ticket sales are structured to cover direct program costs, ArtHaus invites YOU to become a 'Friend of ArtHaus' by giving generously to ensure that our future, and that of our community, is bright and inspired. All contributions and donations to ArtHaus are tax deductible. Visit arthausdecorah.org and click the 'Friends' tab to donate now; recurring monthly payment options are available to spread out your giving!

# REGISTRATION/CANCELLATION POLICY

ArtHaus requires that you make partial or full payment to hold your spot at the time of registration. For visual art classes, camps or workshops the materials fee must be pre-paid as a deposit to hold your spot. If the class is cancelled due to low enrollment (a minimum of four students are needed to run a class), participants will receive a full refund for any payments made. If participants choose to withdraw from the class or workshop due to scheduling conflicts or otherwise after the class has begun, a partial refund will be given for classes the student can no longer attend. However, the materials fee will not be refunded. If tuition assistance is needed please call, email or download an application form from our website. Register online at arthausdecorah.org.





# REGISTRATION



Register online at www.arthausdecorah.org or complete this registration form and mail to: 508 W. Water Street, Decorah, IA 52101 along with your payment. Please note that all class offerings can now be identified by a class code such as 'YTHI' found after the dates in each listing in this schedule. Use that code below to note which class you are registering for. THANK YOU!

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# **TUITION ASSISTANCE**

**CONTACT INFORMATION** 

Grants from The Depot Outlet and gifts from the many Friends of ArtHaus make it possible for us to offer need-based tuition assistance for ArtHaus youth programs. ArtHaus takes pride in being accessible to all - let us know if you need tuition assistance or go online to download the application form to mail in with your registration. If applying for tuition assistance, no payment is needed at this time.



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