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May Events

Mini Masters

Introduce your children ages two to seven to the world of art with **FREE** art classes. Each class consists of a story and art projects! **Class meets:**

Wednesdays 9:30 - 10:15 am

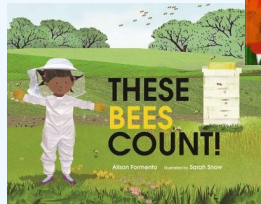
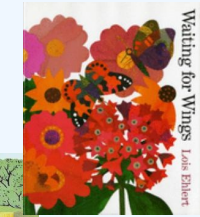
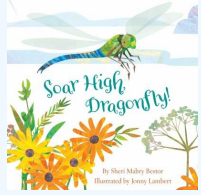
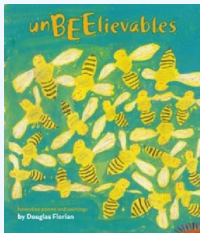
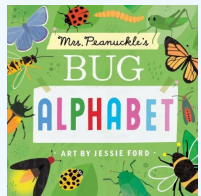
Thursdays 3:30 - 4:15 pm

Registration is required.
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May Mini Masters:

Pollinators in the Garden

- 5/1: *Mrs. Peanuckle's Bug Alphabet*
- 5/7 & 8: *UnBEElievables*
- 5/14 & 15: *Soar High Dragonfly*
- 5/21 & 22: *Waiting for Wings*
- 5/28 & 29: *These Bees Count*



Salvador Dali: Master of Surrealism Ages 7-14 Saturday, May 3, 1:30 - 2:30 p.m. FREE

Salvador Dali was one of the most famous of the Surrealist artists and was known as an eccentric who wore outlandish attire, including handmade, whimsical hats. Join us to make your own fanciful head gear that Dali would be proud of! (Register by May 2)



Gardens for Moms with Jim Elias Adult Workshop Thursday, May 8, 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. \$15/\$13.50 for Friends Members

Gardens for Moms, will celebrate the reopening of the Muscatine Art Center's Japanese Garden and Mother's Day that weekend. Join us to create your own garden scene. (Register by May 7)



Mothers in the Animal Kingdom with Muscatine County Conservation Saturday, May 10, 10:30 - Noon. FREE

Join us to learn about animals from Muscatine County Conservation! Kids will see live animals, hear about parenting and family roles in the animal kingdom, and make a craft inspired by animals to take home as a Mother's Day gift! No registration required.



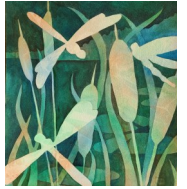
Coil Yam Bowls with Heather Seibel Adult Workshop Thursday, May 15, 5:15 - 6:45 p.m. \$20/\$17.50 for Friends Members

Explore the fiber arts using a coiling core and yarn to create beautiful, functional coil bowls. These bowls can be adapted to have handles, be wide, narrow, or even flat. The options are endless! (Register by May 14)



Red Barn Studio with Vada Baker Adult Workshop Sunday, May 18, 1:30 - 3 p.m. \$20/\$17.50 for Friends Members

Follow along as artist Vada Baker guides participants through each step of the watercolor painting process, adding your own flair as you go. Advanced registration and payment by the Friday before class required. All supplies are included, and no experience necessary.



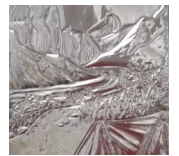
Japan America Society of Iowa Origami Cranes of Friendship Workshop Thursday, May 29, 5:30 - 6:45 p.m. FREE

Join us to make and contribute your origami creations to this state-wide campaign celebrating friendship with Japan. Cranes will be displayed at the Iowa State Fair this summer! Directions and supplies provided.



Foil Relief with Miss Heather Ages 9+ Thursday, May 29, 5:15 - 6:45 p.m. FREE

Learn the art of metal tooling and embossing to sculpt and create texture in foil. Not only will you see your drawing, but you will be able to feel it too! (Register by May 28)



Exhibits on View

Art Array 2025 Exhibition
Through June 1

Muscatine History Revisited
Through August 24

Homeschool Assistance Program Student Exhibition
April 29 - May 25, 2025
Opening Event May 1, 5:30 p.m.

Historic Architecture and Garden Photos
May 29 - August 17, 2025

Women in Art
Now open in Orientation Gallery

For the Love of the Garden Special Event

Saturday, May 17, 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Free Admission. Donations support the historic Japanese Garden.

Soak up the beauty of the rehabilitated historic garden while watching artist Kimble Bromley paint a view of the Japanese Garden as part of a special commission for the 60th anniversary. The Mad Creek Mudcats will perform and a variety of flower and garden crafts and demonstrations will be offered!

