

## SPRING 2020 (APRIL - MAY) CLASS SCHEDULE

### Adult Classes and Workshops

Wednesdays	Ongoing	6:30 pm – 9:00 pm	Open Studio ☼
Wednesday	April 1	10:00 am – 2:00 pm	Needle Felting for Beginners
Thursdays	April 2, 9, 16	6:00 pm – 8:30 pm	Printmaking: Linocut 2-Color Reduction
Friday	April 3	5:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Needle Felting for Beginners
Fridays	April 3, 10, 17	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Drawing Squared
Friday & Saturday	April 10 & 11	10:00 am – 2:00 pm	Needle Felting – Advanced 1
Saturday	April 11	2:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Linocut: Carve Your Own Stamp
Wednesday & Friday	April 15 & 17	5:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Needle Felting – Advanced 1
Saturday	April 18	10:00 am – 12:00 pm	“Way Better” Family & Vacation Photographs
Tuesday & Wednesday	April 28 & 29	10:00 am – 1:00 pm	Needle Felting – Advanced 2
Saturday	May 2	1:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Linocut: Carve Your Own Stamp
Saturdays	May 2, 9, 16	10:00 am – 12:00 pm	One-Stroke Painting for Beginners
Tuesday	May 5	10:00 am – 2:00 pm	Needle Felting for Beginners
Wednesday & Friday	May 6 & 8	10:00 am – 2:00 pm	Needle Felting – Advanced 1
Saturdays	May 9, 16, 23	1:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Printmaking: Linocut 2-Color Reduction
Tuesdays	May 12, 19, 26	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Landscape Painting with a Twist
Friday & Saturday	May 15 & 16	6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Needle Felting – Advanced 2
Thursdays	May 28 – June 11	9:00 am – 11:00 am	Beginning Watercolor ☼
Thursdays	May 28 – June 11	11:30 am – 1:30 pm	Intermediate Watercolor ☼

### Children’s Classes and Workshops

Wednesdays	April 1, 8, 15, 29 May 6, 13, 20, 27	3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Art Lab for Grades K- 3 ☼
Wednesdays	April 1, 8, 29 May 6, 13, 20, 27	4:45 pm – 6:15 pm	Open Studio for Tweens & Teens ☼
Thursdays	April 2, 9, 16, 30 May 7, 14, 21, 28	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Seriously Fun Art Drop In Grades 3-5 ☼
Thursdays	April 30, May 7,14,21,28	5:00 pm – 6:30 pm	Open Studio for Tweens & Teens ☼
Saturday	April 25	9:00 am – 10:00 am	Art for Two Grades Pre-K – 2 ☼
Saturday	April 25	10:00 am – 11:00 am	Drawing for Fun Grades 3-5 ☼
Tuesdays	May 5 – May 26	5:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Elements of Art for Kids Ages 6-9
Thursdays	May 7 – May 28	5:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Elements of Art for Kids Ages 9-12

☼ Indicates register through the Naperville Art League. Sign up for all classes online at [www.NapervilleArtLeague.com](http://www.NapervilleArtLeague.com) or call 630.355.2530.

**All art classes are held at the Naperville Fine Art Center, 508 North Center Street, Naperville, IL 60563, 630.355.2530.** Classes are offered either through the Naperville Park District or through the Naperville Art League. **To register:** For classes marked with a sun (☼), please call 630.355.2530 to register. **For classes not marked with a sun (☼),** contact the Naperville Park District at 630.848.5000 during the phone—in registration period (please note that non—resident fees may be slightly higher than resident fees).

**Class supply lists** are available at the Naperville Fine Art Center & Gallery. Email requests for lists at [NAL\\_frontdesk@outlook.com](mailto:NAL_frontdesk@outlook.com). Supplies may be purchased locally at Hobby Lobby, Michael’s and others (Look on-line for their discount coupons and watch for sales!) or online at [www.cheapjoes.com](http://www.cheapjoes.com). \*The NAL is not sponsored or compensated by these merchants.

# Adult Classes and Workshops

## Open Studio

**Wednesdays:** 6:30pm - 9:00pm

**Fee:** \$5 per session  
\$40 for 10 classes — \$30 for NAL members **Ages:** Adult  
*NO CLASS 4/15, 4/22*

Register through NAL at 630.355.2530.

Work on your own project in a relaxed atmosphere and enjoy the flexibility of the open studio. Join the session when it fits your schedule. Receive inspiration from classmates that share your passion. Bring your art, your supplies & your creativity!

## Needle Felting for Beginners

**Instructor:** Mike Abraham

**Wednesday:** April 1 10:00am – 2:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$63.00/Non.\$93.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.4/Max.12

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000

**Class code:** (45869)

Students will learn the basic techniques of needle felting by making three projects: a pin, an Easter egg, and a chick in the egg or Mother Goose.

There is a **\$20 supply fee** payable to the instructor at the class.

## Printmaking: Linocut 2-Color Reduction

**Instructor:** Cherylyn Gnad

**Thursdays:** April 2,9,16 6:00pm – 8:30pm

**Fee:** Res.\$94.00/Non.\$124.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.3/Max.6

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000.

**Class code:** (45987)

In this 3-week workshop, you will learn to transfer an original image and carve a linocut block with gouges. As time and ability permits, we will plan and create a 2-color print with the same block – using a reduction print method. Registration techniques will be used to make multiple color variations or a small edition of 2-color prints. Bring ideas for subject matter or a sketch. All **supplies** are provided.

## Needle Felting for Beginners

**Instructor:** Mike Abraham

**Friday:** April 3 5:00pm – 9:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$63.00/Non.\$93.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.4/Max.12

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000

**Class code:** (45870)

Students will learn the basic techniques of needle felting by making three projects: a pin, an Easter egg, and a chick in the egg or Mother Goose.

There is a **\$20 supply fee** payable to the instructor at the class.

## Drawing Squared

**Instructor:** Bill Donnelly

**Fridays:** April 3, 10, 17 2:00pm – 4:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$68.00/Non.\$98.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.3/Max.12

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000

**Class code:** (45868)

Take your drawing skills to a more professional level, learn 2 grid methods to construct more accurate illustrations, learn blending, shading, positive and negative shape and texture using traditional drawing materials. Bring a favorite photo with good detail to draw from. Beginner to Advanced students welcome. **Supply list** at the gallery.

## Needle Felting – Advanced 1

**Instructor:** Mike Abraham

**Friday & Saturday:** April 10, 11 10:00am – 2:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$94.00/Non.\$124.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.4/Max.10

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000

**Class code:** (45952)

Continue learning the art of felting by creating a fun and exciting Fairy garden, perfect for anyone without a green thumb. Makes a perfect Mother's Day gift as well! We will be using two of the felting techniques – wet felting and needle felting.

There is a **\$30 supply fee** payable to the instructor at the first class.

## Linocut: Carve Your Own Stamp

**Instructor:** Cherylyn Gnad

**Saturday:** April 11 2:30pm – 5:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$42.00/Non.\$63.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.3/Max.6

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000.

**Class code:** (45989)

Using linocut tools and special carving material, we will create a unique stamp. Bring in a xerox copy of a face, animal, flower, or any subject matter you would like to create. A clear, black and white are best. The image size is 2" X 3". All **supplies** are provided.

## Needle Felting – Advanced 1

**Instructor:** Mike Abraham

**Wednesday & Friday:** April 15, 17 5:00pm – 9:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$94.00/Non.\$124.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.4/Max.10

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000

**Class code:** (45953)

Continue learning the art of felting by creating a fun and exciting Fairy garden, perfect for anyone without a green thumb. Makes a perfect Mother's Day gift as well! We will be using two of the felting techniques – wet felting and needle felting.

There is a **\$30 supply fee** payable to the instructor at the first class.

## "Way Better" Family & Vacation Photographs!

**Instructor:** John Hershey

**Saturday:** April 18 10:00am – 12:00pm

**Fee:** \$52.00/\$78.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.5/Max.20

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000

**Class code:** (45865)

This class is designed to improve the quality of the photographs you take of special moments with your family, vacations, and other events.

And those times when you just want to go out and do some creative picture taking!

Simple compositional and lighting techniques, often overlooked or not known, will make your photos more pleasing to the eye. Applicable for your phone, point and shoot, and more sophisticated cameras. This is not a technical discussion about your camera. We'll be focusing more on the creative aspects you can easily use with your phone and/or point and shoot cameras.

Bring an 8x10 if you are willing to share and have discussed. One image only please. Should be fun! And informative. No supplies needed except for note taking materials.

### **Needle Felting – Advanced 2**

**Instructor:** Mike Abraham

**Tuesday & Wednesday:** April 28, 29 10am – 1:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$78.00/Non.\$108.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.4/Max.10

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000

**Class code:** (45985)

In this class we will expand on learning the techniques learned in the beginning class by creating a monster-buddy, or if you wish, an alien-buddy . . . you decide!

There is a **\$30 supply fee** payable to the instructor at the first class.

### **Linocut: Carve Your Own Stamp**

**Instructor:** Cherylyn Gnadt

**Saturday:** May 2 1:00pm – 3:30pm

**Fee:** Res.\$42.00/Non.\$63.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.3/Max.6

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000.

**Class code:** (45990)

Using linocut tools and special carving material, we will create a unique stamp. Bring in a xerox copy of a face, animal, flower, or any subject matter you would like to create. A clear, black and white are best. The image size is 2" X 3". All **supplies** are provided.

### **One-Stroke Painting for Beginners**

**Instructor:** Sherry DeFillippo

**Saturdays:** May 2,9,16 10:00am – 12:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$68.00/Non.\$98.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.3/Max.10

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000.

**Class code:** (45866)

Build skills and techniques made famous by Donna Dewberry. In this 3-session class, you will learn proper brush loading – the one-stroke key to success. Learn to create a variety of leaves and flowers with shading and highlighting effects with one stroke of the brush! You'll want to paint everything you can get your hands on!

There is a **\$25 supply fee** payable to the instructor at the first class.

### **Needle Felting for Beginners**

**Instructor:** Mike Abraham

**Tuesday:** May 5 10:00am – 2:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$63.00/Non.\$93.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.4/Max.12

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000

**Class code:** (45871)

Students will learn the basic techniques of needle felting by making three projects: a pin, an Easter egg, and a chick in the egg or Mother Goose.

There is a **\$20 supply fee** payable to the instructor at the class.

### **Needle Felting – Advanced 1**

**Instructor:** Mike Abraham

**Wednesday & Friday:** May 6, 8 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Fee:** Res.\$94.00/Non.\$124.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.4/Max.10

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000

**Class code:** (45954)

Continue learning the art of felting by creating a fun & exciting Fairy garden, perfect for anyone without a green thumb. Makes a perfect Mother's Day gift as well! We will be using two of the felting techniques – wet felting and needle felting.

There is a **\$30 supply fee** payable to the instructor at the first class.

### **Printmaking: Linocut 2-Color Reduction**

**Instructor:** Cherylyn Gnadt

**Saturdays:** May 9,16,23 1:00pm – 3:30pm

**Fee:** Res.\$94.00/Non.\$124.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.3/Max.6

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000.

**Class code:** (45988)

In this 3-week workshop, you will learn to transfer an original image and carve a linocut block with gouges. As time and ability permits, we will plan and create a 2-color print with the same block – using a reduction print method. Registration techniques will be used to make multiple color variations or a small edition of 2-color prints. Bring ideas for subject matter or a sketch.

All **supplies** are provided.

### **Landscape Painting with a Twist**

**Instructor:** William Donnelly

**Tuesdays:** May 12, 19, 26 2:00pm – 4:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$84.00/Non.\$114.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.3/Max.12

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000.

**Class code:** (45867)

Oil over acrylic? Use acrylic under painting to eliminate long drying times and produce vibrant floral paintings with fresh, rich brush strokes or palette knife strokes. Create pleasing compositions using healthier water-mixable acrylics and oils. For beginner to advanced students. Check your receipt for the supply list.

### **Needle Felting – Advanced 2**

**Instructor:** Mike Abraham

**Friday & Saturday:** May 15,16 6:00pm – 9:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$78.00/Non.\$108.00 **Ages:** Adult  
Min.4/Max.10

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000

**Class code:** (45986)

In this class we will expand on learning the techniques learned in the beginning class by creating a monster-buddy, or if you wish, an alien-buddy . . . you decide!

There is a **\$30 supply fee** payable to the instructor at the first class.

### **Beginning Watercolor** 🌟

**Instructor:** Carmelo Schifano

**Thursdays:** May 28 – June 11 9:00am - 11:00am

**Fee:** \$90.00 or \$30.00/class **Ages:** Adult

Register through NAL at 630.355.2530.

Artist Carmelo Schifano takes the fear out of watercolor as he invites his students to relax and get loose. Participants will learn the basic technique and take home completed works. Helpful critiques will ensure that class members get the most out of their lessons. **Supply list** at the gallery.

### **Intermediate Watercolor** 🌟

**Instructor:** Carmelo Schifano

**Thursdays:** May 28 – June 11 11:30am - 1:30pm

**Fee:** \$90.00 or \$30.00/class **Ages:** Adult

Register through NAL at 630.355.2530.

Create your own compositions using your own photo references. Develop simple concept sketches coupled with value studies. Find how the principles and elements of design greatly affect your outcome. Manipulate simple guidelines for developing your great work of art, while leaving your fear home and having fun at the Naperville Fine Art Center & Gallery with Carmelo. **Supply list** at the gallery.

# Children's Classes and Workshops

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## **Art Lab for K-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade ✨**

**Instructor:** Penny Coffman

**Wednesdays:** April 1, 8, 15, 29, May 6, 13, 20, 27

**NO CLASS:** 4/22 3:30pm – 4:30pm

**Fee:** \$20 / Class or 6 Classes for \$98.00.

Register through NAL at 630.355.2530.

Fun art exploration with an introduction to artists and art basics. Students will explore a variety of media and subject matter as we learn and create. Students will be introduced to different styles of art, they'll talk about some famous artists and create 2 and 3D works to go with the subject. The classes are small with plenty of attention and positive reinforcement. Students should bring a sketch book with their name on it if they have one. All other supplies will be provided.

## **Open Studio & Art Coach - Tweens & Teens ✨**

**Instructor:** Penny Coffman

**Wednesdays:** April 1, 8, 29, May 6, 13, 20, 27

**NO CLASS:** 4/15 4:45 pm – 6:15 pm

**Fee:** \$20 / Class or 6 Classes for \$98.00.

Register through NAL at 630.355.2530.

This drop-in class is half-guided lesson and half open studio. One week's lesson it might cover perspective, or design elements and another week we might cover charcoal drawing, painting mediums, value studies or colored pencil. Supplies will be provided for these lessons. The open studio time offers additional technique and personal coaching as the student works on the project of their choice. Positive feedback will be given in a relaxed, supportive atmosphere.

## **Seriously Fun Art Drop In! Grades 3-5 ✨**

**Instructor:** Penny Coffman

**Thursdays:** April 2, 9, 16, 30, May 7, 14, 21, 28

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

**Fee:** \$20 / Class or 6 Classes for \$98.00.

Register through NAL at 630.355.2530.

Join us for some serious fun where elementary school students can experience art basics while stretching their imagination. Guided lessons cover a variety of media as we create 2 and 3D artworks. Draw, paint, shape, blend, and sculpt with artist Penny Coffman. Students will try a variety of media and receive plenty of attention and encouragement. Always new projects. All supplies provided. Dress for mess.

## **Open Studio & Art Coach - Tweens & Teens ✨**

**Instructor:** Penny Coffman

**Thursdays:** April 30, May 7, 14, 21, 28

**NO CLASS:** 4/2, 4/9, 4/16, 4/23 5:00 pm – 6:30pm

**Fee:** \$20 / Class or 6 Classes for \$98.00.

Register through NAL at 630.355.2530.

This drop-in class is half-guided lesson and half open studio. One week's lesson it might cover perspective, or design elements and another week we might cover charcoal drawing, painting mediums, value

studies or colored pencil. Supplies will be provided for these lessons. The open studio time offers additional technique and personal coaching as the student works on the project of their choice. Positive feedback will be given in a relaxed, supportive atmosphere.

## **Art for Two – Grades Pre-K - 2 ✨**

**Instructor:** Penny Coffman

**Saturday:** April 25 9:00 am – 10:00 am

**Fee:** \$12.00 Min.4/Max.24

Register through NAL at 630.355.2530.

Young artists will bring one of their favorite adults with them to class. Together they will explore and create in 2 and 3-D. Art explorations are set up in stations and the art duos move through the activities at their own pace. Focus is on creative play and a positive experience. Dress for mess. All supplies will be provided.

## **Drawing for Fun! Grades 3-5 ✨**

**Instructor:** Penny Coffman

**Saturday:** April 25 10:00 am – 11:00 am

**Fee:** \$14.00 Min.4/Max.24

Register through NAL at 630.355.2530.

Learn and practice the basics of drawing. Students will draw a variety of subjects with supportive step by step guidance. Fun subject material and the opportunity to try different drawing tools make this fun for the beginner to intermediate student.

**Supplies:** Sketch book 9x12 or larger (optional). All other supplies are included.

## **Elements of Art for Kids Ages 6-9**

**Instructor:** Rose Calkins

**Tuesdays:** May 5, 12, 19, 26 5:00pm – 6:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$52.00/Non.\$78.00 Min.5/Max.12

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000

**Class code:** (45950)

Learn about the seven elements of art: line, shape, color, value, texture, form, and space – all while creating fun works of art!

There is a **\$10 supply fee** payable to the instructor at the first class.

## **Elements of Art for Kids Ages 9-12**

**Instructor:** Rose Calkins

**Thursdays:** May 7, 14, 21, 28 5:00pm – 6:00pm

**Fee:** Res.\$52.00/Non.\$78.00 Min.5/Max.12

Register through the NPD at 630.848.5000.

**Class code:** (45951)

Learn about the seven elements of art: line, shape, color, value, texture, form, and space – all while creating fun works of art! There is a **\$10 supply fee** payable to instructor at the first class.