

ArtCamp 2024 Schedule

July 15th - 19th

Pre-School For Children 6 and under - Must be accompanied by an Adult for entire class.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mud Monsters I (\$12) 9:00-9:30AM. "Little hands" will explore the properties of clay using the pinch-pull method of clay construction. Parents are welcome to attend but not required. <i>Ages 3-6. Limit 10 Students. Gail Woolever, Heart to Hand Studio - Wheatfield</i>	Little Hands Fruity Play-Doh (\$14) 11:00-11:30AM. Young children <u>with an Adult</u> , will learn how to make fruity play doh, then make a handprint keepsake and learn its many uses! <i>Ages 3-6 with Adult. Limit 12 Students. Valerie Milholland, Carnegie C. (U) - Rensselaer</i>	Tie-Dye I, Tykes (\$12) 9:15-10:00AM. Young children <u>with an Adult</u> , will be introduced to the process of tie-dye to create a shirt. Must bring your own 100% white or light colored cotton shirt. <i>Ages 3 to 6 with Adult. Limit 16 Students. Bonnie Zimmer, Carnegie C. (D) - Rensselaer</i>	Gourd Guys (\$13) 9:00-10:00AM. Using dried, cleaned mini gourds, create your own character using a multitude of materials. Parents are welcome to attend but not required. <i>Ages 3-6. Limit 10 Students. Gail Woolever, Heart to Hand Studio - Wheatfield</i>	"Handy" Clay Bowl (\$15) Day 2 10:30-11:15AM. Young artists <u>with an Adult</u> will paint their bowls made on Monday. <i>Ages 3-6 with Adult. Limit 12 Students. Kelley Spurgeon, RCHS Art Room - Rensselaer</i>
"Handy" Clay Bowl (\$15) Day 1 10:30-11:15AM. Young artists <u>with an Adult</u> will trace their hands on a flat piece of clay several times, add textures, and press them into a bowl form. <i>Ages 3-6 with Adult. Limit 12 Students. Kelley Spurgeon, RCHS Art Room - Rensselaer</i>	World Music I (\$15) 1:45 - 2:15PM. Young Musicians with an Adult will have the opportunity to learn how to play the djembe drums, marimbas, and gain insight into the rich Zimbabwean marimba and musical culture. <i>Ages 3 to 6. Limit 20 Students. Danmore Kusaya, TBA Park - Rensselaer</i>	Rainbow Fish (\$12) 9:00-9:45AM. Listen to the story of The Rainbow Fish, then young artists will learn how to draw a fish to create their own illustration for their favorite part of the story. Students will learn the concept of watercolor resist using crayons and watercolor to complete their masterpieces. <i>Ages 3-6. Limit 10 Students. Gail Woolever, Heart to Hand Studio - Wheatfield</i>	Felted Soap I (\$35) 2:00-3:00PM. Students will cover soap with colorful wool to create a useful piece of art. The wool becomes a washcloth with the soap already attached. Each student will make 2 felted bars of soap. <i>Ages 3 to 6. Limit 10 Students. Kristi Yapp, Foundation Park - Rensselaer</i>	

Teens and Adults For anyone 13 and over.

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Guardian of the Garden (\$40) 1:00-4:00PM. Design your own character using the slab method to create your own guardian suitable for use outdoors. Many methods of working with clay will be covered in this class. <i>Ages 13 to Adult. Limit 10 Students. Gail Woolever, Heart to Hand Studio - Wheatfield</i>	Fused Glass Ornaments (\$35) 1:00-3:00PM. Discover the history and science of fused glass while you learn the techniques of cutting and grinding glass to create your own ornaments of glass. <i>Ages 13 to Adult. Limit 10 Students. Gail Woolever, Heart to Hand Studio - Wheatfield</i>	Iris Watercolor Painting (\$40) 12:30-3:30PM. Learn about the joy and techniques of painting with watercolor as you create your own painting of iris from either a drawing provided by Gail or your own sketch. <i>Ages 13 to Adult. Limit 10 Students. Gail Woolever, Heart to Hand Studio - Wheatfield</i>	Collage & Blackout Poetry (\$35) 9:00AM-12:00PM. Using various mixed-media collage techniques, students will learn how to create a themed piece of art that incorporates elements of poetry created using the "Blackout" technique. <i>Ages 13 to Adult. Limit 25 Students. Joshua Smith, Carnegie C. (U) - Rensselaer</i>	Watercolors (\$40) 9:00 - 11:00AM. Students will create a pastoral composition while learning several watercolor techniques to complete a painting ready to mat, frame and display. <i>Ages 13 to Adult. Limit 8 Students. Dorothea Mickschl, Carnegie C. (U) - Rensselaer</i>
Clay Robot Jars (\$20) 11:45AM- 12:45PM. Students will be using the slab technique to create a robot jar with a lid. <i>Ages 9-15. Limit 15 Students. Kelley Spurgeon, RCHS Art Room - Rensselaer</i>	World Music II Marimba (\$30) 2:30 - 4:00PM. Musicians will have the opportunity to learn how to play the marimbas, and gain insight into the rich Zimbabwean marimba and musical culture. <i>Ages 9 to Adult. Limit 20 Students. Dan Kusaya, TBA Park - Rensselaer</i>	World Music II Drums (\$30) 1:45- 3:15PM. Musicians will have the opportunity to learn how to play the djembe drums, and gain insight into the rich Zimbabwean musical culture. <i>Ages 9 to Adult. Limit 20 Students. Dan Kusaya, TBA Park - Rensselaer</i>	Stenciled/Decorated Gourd (\$42) 1:00-4:00PM. Learn how to create your own stencils and design a beautiful gourd or try your hand at free hand painting to embellish it. Execute your own edge finish to complete your work. A variety of dried gourds will be available to choose from. <i>Ages 13 to Adult. Limit 10 Students. Gail Woolever, Heart to Hand Studio - Wheatfield</i>	Eco-Printing w/ Embroidery (\$90) 10:00-4:00PM. Students will print a silk scarf & a shirt with various plants and trees from nature. Participants should bring a sack lunch, a natural fiber shirt (wool, cotton, silk, nylon, linen) of their choice, and a small embroidery hoop. All other materials and equipment are provided. <i>Ages 13 to Adult. Limit 10 Students. Destina Paige, Bonnie's Studio - Rensselaer</i>
Clay Paint Palette (\$40) Day 1 5:15-7:15PM. Students will use clay to create a personal paint palette. The palette will have areas to hold paint and mix colors. Students will return Thursday to glaze palettes. <i>Ages 15 to Adult. Limit 20 Students. Kelley Spurgeon, RCHS Art Room - Rensselaer</i>	The Art of Henna (\$17) 4:15-5:15PM. Henna is a paste that creates a stain on the skin that lasts for one week. You will receive your own cone of henna and learn the basics of henna design. <i>Ages 13 to Adult. Limit 10 Students. Valerie Milholland, Carnegie C. (U) - Rensselaer</i>	Tie-Dye IV, Geodes 2.0 (\$20) 3:30-5:30PM. Students will be guided in (time consuming) "Geode" tie-dye methods that result in fabulous complex, organic linear designs. A wide range of rich colors will be provided. Bring several items that are white, light-weight, 100% cotton to dye. <i>Ages 13 to Adult. Limit 12 Students. Bonnie Zimmer, Carnegie C. (D) - Rensselaer</i>	Clay Paint Palette (\$40) Day 2 5:15-6:15PM. Students will return to glaze their palette created on Monday. <i>Ages 15 to Adult. Limit 20 Students. Kelley Spurgeon, RCHS Art Room - Rensselaer</i>	Felted Figures (\$15) 11:00-12:30PM. Artists will use a variety of colored wool and sharp felting needles to make a small figure or ornament. All supplies provided. <i>Ages 9 to Adult. Limit 8 Students. Eleanor & Lisa Black, Carnegie C. (D) - Rensselaer</i>
Upcycled Vintage Suitcases - Two Day Class (\$30) 6:00-7:30PM. Learn how to turn an old, hard-sided vintage suitcase into a work of art. This two day class will involve painting, collage, and embellishment. Please bring a clean (not mildewy) HARD sided suitcase to class. If you cannot find one, a few will be available for purchase for \$10. <i>Ages 13 to Adult. Limit 15 Students. Valerie Milholland, Carnegie C. (D) - Rensselaer</i>		Felted Soap III (\$35) 6:30-7:30PM. Students will cover soap with colorful wool to create a useful piece of art. The wool becomes a washcloth with the soap already attached. Each student will make 2 felted bars of soap. <i>Ages 13 to Adult. Limit 10 Students. Kristi Yapp, Foundation Park - Rensselaer</i>	Wet Felted Scarf (\$60) 5:00 - 8:00PM. Students will use roving wool, bits of yarn, soapy water, and elbow grease to create a one of a kind wet felted scarf. <i>Ages 9 to Adult. Limit 10 Students. Kristi Yapp, Foundation Park - Rensselaer</i>	

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School Age For children 6 to 12 - Some classes may have specific age ranges.

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<p>Mud Monsters II (\$12) 9:45-10:15AM. Students will explore joining methods used in clay construction to create their own mud monster. <i>Ages 6-12. Limit 10 Students. Gail Woolever, Heart to Hand Studio - Wheatfield</i></p>	<p>Shrinky Dink Charm Bracelet (\$15) 10:30-12:00PM. Students will create charms of their own designs for their bracelets using Shrinky Dink film. They will then construct their bracelet with beads and cording for their own beautiful bit of adornment. <i>Ages 6-12. Limit 10 Students. Gail Woolever, Heart to Hand Studio - Wheatfield</i></p>	<p>Under the Sea Crayon Painting (\$18) 10:00-11:00AM. Explore the depths of the ocean as students learn to draw several different deep sea creatures using crayons. Overlapping, perspective and special effects will be tried. <i>Ages 6-12. Limit 10 Students. Gail Woolever, Heart to Hand Studio - Wheatfield</i></p>	<p>Felted Soap II (\$35) 3:30-4:30PM. Students will cover soap with colorful wool to create a useful piece of art. The wool becomes a washcloth with the soap already attached. Each student will make 2 felted bars of soap. <i>Ages 6 to 12. Limit 10 Students. Kristi Yapp, Foundation Park - Rensselaer</i></p>	<p>Felted Figures (\$15) 11:00-12:30PM. Artists will use a variety of colored wool felt and sharp felting needles to make a small figure or ornament. All supplies provided. <i>Ages 9 to Adult. Limit 8 Students. Eleanor & Lisa Black, Carnegie C. (U) - Rensselaer</i></p>
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	<p>World Music II Marimba (\$30) 2:30 - 4:00PM. Musicians will have the opportunity to learn how to play the marimbas, and gain insight into the rich Zimbabwean marimba and musical culture. <i>Ages 9 to Adult. Limit 20 Students. Dan Kusaya, TBA Park - Rensselaer</i></p>	<p>Watercolor Magic Techniques (\$18) 1:00-2:00PM. Learn watercolor techniques-using wax resist, salt, wet on wet to create several projects including a sunset silhouette and animal faux stained glass. <i>Ages 6-12. Limit 15 Students. Valerie Milholland, Carnegie C. (U) - Rensselaer</i></p>		<p>Wet Felted Scarf (\$60) 5:00 - 8:00PM. Students will use roving wool, bits of yarn, soapy water, and elbow grease to create a one of a kind wet felted scarf. <i>Ages 9 to Adult. Limit 10 Students. Kristi Yapp, Foundation Park - Rensselaer</i></p>
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Registration May 1st - July 1st

Find out more at:
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Color Location Key:

- Carnegie Center - Rensselaer
- Heart to Hand Studio - Wheatfield
- RCHS Art Room - Rensselaer
- Bonnie's Studio - Rensselaer
- Public Park - Rensselaer

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