

Mattawoman Creek Art Center

Fall 2017



301-743-5159

www.mattawomanart.org

Workshops

Using Silk Paints

Tuesday, Sep 12 from 10 a.m.– 4 p.m.
Fee: \$75 members / \$85 nonmembers
Instructor: Diane Tuckman

Using silk paints, learn the basics of painting on silk within a limited amount of time. Students will create five pieces of art. Basic silk painting and setting techniques will be shown as well as an introduction to product knowledge. All materials are provided for a \$5 materials fee. No prior painting or art skills required.



Three-Dimensional Fiber Art: Basketry

Sundays, Sep 17, Oct 22, Nov 5, 10 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Tuition: \$10 / Fees: \$169
Instructor: Pamela King



Three baskets will be completed: Pine Needle Basket on a ceramic center, Double Wall Twined Basket embellished with wooden beads, and a Holiday Basket with Cherokee wheels and a saw-tooth border at the rim. The workshop is hosted by Mattawoman Creek Art Center, but registration is through the College of Southern Maryland, course PEP-7490-147449. Register at www.csmd.edu/Go/Register.

Watercolor Swooshes

Wednesday, Sep 20 from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Fee: \$75 members / \$85 nonmembers
Instructor: Mary Blumberg



Materials fee is \$8.

Come join us for an exciting swoosh of watercolor. We are painting on small canvases with our delightful watercolors. No paper to glue, just fun! Think negative painting...Bring all the materials you love and be ready to create fantastic small works!

New Ideas on Fall Flowers

Sunday, Oct 15 from 1 - 2 p.m.
Fee: \$35 members / \$45 nonmembers
Instructor: Bryan Swann



The traditional fall flower arrangement concentrates on the color palette of red, orange and yellow with chrysanthemums taking center stage. Bryan Swann will focus on alternative flowers and color palettes for fall using fall textures like fruits and vegetables along with berries and grasses to create a different thought. Colors will be rich ambers, burgundy, plum and browns using garden flowers that are readily available. Please bring a sharp knife or scissors and wire cutters. Supply cost will be \$25 paid to the instructor.

Early Bird Special (EBS): Take \$10 off (per day) the cost of any workshop by registering with payment one week in advance of the workshop.

Pine Needle Jewelry

Monday, Oct 16 from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Fee: \$65 members / \$75 nonmembers
Instructor: Becky Butler



Learn how to make one-of-a-kind pendants and bracelets from pine needles. Start with a stone, bead, or other interesting center then add pine needle coils to create a unique piece of art jewelry. Participants will learn to start a pine needle coil, how to use a basic stitch and a v-stitch for decoration, and finish with a completed piece. Choices of centers and thread colors available. All materials included.

From the MCAC Workshop Coordinator

After seven years of coordinating MCAC workshops, it is time to step down. Yes, it is a lot of work, but it has also been inspiring seeing the creativity and expertise of our wonderful instructors and watching all of us try new things, learn better techniques and improve our skills. Thanks to all who have taught workshops and to all who have attended them!

--Mary Kercher

Watercolor Portrait Painting

Tuesday, Oct 24, from 10 a.m.- 4 p.m.
Fee: \$75 for MCAC members / \$85 for nonmembers
Instructor: Jung Lea Smith (www.jungsmith.com)



See a demonstration of how to paint the face, mixing the right colors for skin tone and shadows. Prior to the workshop, do a large (12 X 16) sketch using a graph of a portrait from a photograph. Individual attention will be given as participants work on their own. Bring your sketch, photograph, watercolors & brushes.

Reminder: Bring your lunch if workshops take place over the noon hour.

Brass & Glass (Pastels)

Friday & Saturday, Nov 10 -11 from 9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Fee: \$160 members / \$180 nonmembers
Instructor: Monna Kauppinen



Polish your pastel skills by learning to produce images that make brass look like metal and glass that sparkles. The class will be working from still life setups in the studio. Fri will concentrate on brass. Sat the focus will be on glassware. Individual attention is available for all skill levels. A materials list will be available prior to class though you are encouraged to bring and use pastels and pastel supports you already have.

Our workshops are also open to those persons 17 and under when accompanied by an adult.

Pine Needle Ornaments

Tuesday, Nov 28 from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Fee: \$65 members / \$75 nonmembers

Instructor: Becky Butler



Learn how to make unique pine needle ornaments using a variety of centers, beads, and threads. Participants will learn to start a pine needle coil attached to a center, then use a choice of stitches and embellishments to create a one-of-a-kind ornament. Choices of centers and thread colors available. All materials included.

Friday Open Studio

Sep 1 – Dec 15 from 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Fee: No charge

- Come create: paint, draw, take photos, sculpt, knit, quilt, etc.
- Bring your own materials & your lunch.
- Bring your friends (*both members & nonmembers*).
- Share ideas & techniques. • Critique each other's work.
- Enjoy the creative process!

Express Charles County in Art

Fall Juried Show

Sep 22 – Oct 29; Reception: Oct 1

MCAC is sponsoring a new juried art show with \$1800 in prizes featuring the scenic vistas of Charles County. Entries must be of art inspired by Charles County that was created in 2017. The art will be due to the center on September 8th. Entry fee is \$35 for up to 3 pieces, before July 31 and \$45 after that date. The call for entry which includes a copy of the rules is available on the website, www.mattawomanart.org or at the art center.

For free events, donations are greatly appreciated. They help pay utility bills, coffee, tea, etc.
We are a very nonprofit group!

Plein Air Painting



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Join MCAC members as we paint outdoors in southern Maryland. A schedule will be developed and sent out in weekly email reminders of time & place. Members usually paint from 9 a.m. - noon, share lunch and critique each other's work. To join, send your email address to Mary Kercher at

Holiday Tea

Sunday, Nov 19 from 1 - 4 p.m.

Donations appreciated!



Join us for a cup of hot tea & our enticing array of treats. Then shop our Holiday Salon for all your gift-giving needs.



Fall Art Shows

Summer All-Media Show

Aug 18 – Sep 17

Reception: Aug 20

Express Charles County in Art Juried Show

Sep 22 – Oct 29

Reception: Oct 1

Holiday Salon

Nov 3 – Dec 17

Reception: Nov 5

MCAC Gallery & Gift Shop

MCAC is open Fri through Sun from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. The art center will be closed from Dec 18 - Jan 11, 2018.

Directions

Mattawoman Creek Art Center is located 35 miles south of Washington, DC, in Smallwood State Park, Marbury, MD 20658. Park fee is waived for MCAC visitors.

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MCAC is a 501(c) (3) not-for-profit organization receiving support from the Charles County Commissioners, Charles County Arts Alliance, Maryland State Arts Council, Corporate Benefactors, and MCAC Membership.



Mail registration to: MCAC, P.O. Box 258, Marbury, MD 20658. If class is cancelled for any reason, you will receive a full refund.

Mattawoman Creek Art Center (MCAC) Fall 2017 Workshop Registration

Name _____ Email _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Check the workshops for which you are registering & circle the appropriate payment.

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___ *Check if MCAC Member*

Credit Card Information

___ Visa Acct. # _____ Expiration date _____

___ MasterCard Billing Zip Code _____ Signature _____

___ Total Payment

Payment type:

___ cash (onsite only) ___ credit card ___ check enclosed ___ Check # _____

Make check payable to MCAC.