

# Somers Recreation & Leisure Services

## Summer Art Camp 2023

Somers Recreation's Art Camp schedule will run for six weeks and will be offered Monday-Friday in half-day sessions with morning classes held from 9:00-11:30 a.m. and afternoon classes from 12:00-2:30 p.m. All classes will be held at Kibbe Fuller.

Elementary: Entering Grades 2-5

Middle/High School: Entering Grades 6-12

If you choose to take a morning and afternoon class together, we will have a supervised 30-minute lunch break – *please bring your own lunch*. Feel free to bring a snack and water bottle for each class as well.

All *classes are \$110.00* paid online through Somers.RecDesk.com and have a separate *materials fee of \$15.00 (unless otherwise noted)* and is to be paid in cash directly to the teacher at the first class. The materials fee includes ALL project materials and equipment use and cannot be added to the online class payment.

*Classes are limited to 14 students each and will be canceled one week prior to start date if enrollment is less than 4 students. Enrollment closes one week before the class begins.*

### *Our Instructor:*

#### *Keeley Joyal:*

Keeley Joyal is entering her junior year as an Art Therapy major at Springfield College. Keeley has taken a variety of classes such as drawing, painting, design, ceramics, sculpture, and honors art. Outside of school Keeley has experimented with painting, photography, collage, jewelry making, and altered books. She is the recipient of the Connecticut Association of Schools Art award and the Faith Ferguson Medal for her achievements in visual arts. She has previously taught classes last summer and cannot wait to return this summer for more art-making!

## ***Elementary: June 12<sup>th</sup> - June 16<sup>th</sup>***

### **Painting Nature!: 9:00-11:30am**

Painting plants from life, using leaves and found nature as stencils and using wood cuts as canvases, this class will be all about painting techniques using nature as inspiration. Watch as painted rocks can become sculptures and painted leaves can become mobiles.

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### **Space Cadets: 12:00-2:30pm**

Do you love stars? ME TOO! In this space themed class we will learn about stars, planets, meteors, and rocket ships and turn them into art! Be prepared to draw, paint, and sculpt your own planets, people, and spaceships! We will be making mobiles, designing your own planets, drawing constellations, and much more! Come excited to create some masterpieces!

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## ***Elementary: June 20<sup>th</sup> - June 23<sup>rd</sup>***

***Please Note: Classes will be held Tuesday-Friday due to the Juneteenth Holiday. Price has been adjusted to \$88.00.***

### **Light and Lights: 9:00-11:30am**

Let's explore light!! In this class we will learn how we can "light up" our art! Using actual sunlight and electric light (battery operated) we will take inspiration from the world around us to design, draw and sculpt artwork that is all about light!!! We'll make sun catchers, nightlights and even some glow in the dark art! Get ready to lighten up!

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***\*\*Materials Fee is \$12.00\*\****

### **Animal Crazy: 12:00-2:30pm**

Are you crazy about animals? I AM TOO! Let's explore the world of animals and draw, paint, and sculpt them!!! We can look around the world for different animals to use for our ideas and see how different people use them in art! We will use colorful drawing and painting materials and some fun sculpture media to build 3D animals!

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## ***Elementary: June 26<sup>th</sup>-June 30<sup>th</sup>***

### **Crazy, Creative Clay!: 9:00-11:30am**

In this super fun, hands-on class, we will create crazy sculptures using various types of clay! We will sculpt animals, pots, charms, and much more with colored clay and neutral clay. Get excited to paint, decorate, and draw on your sculptures to bring your designs to life!

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***\*\*Materials Fee is \$20.00\*\****

### **Funky, Fun Portraits: 12:00-2:30pm**

In this class we will explore the different styles of portraits! Learn how to draw and paint people using everyday items such as tea, straws, and plants. We will play with collage, markers, paint, and even 3D materials to make some funky fun portraits! Get ready to try cartoons and even make your portraits into a story!

## ***Elementary: July 17<sup>th</sup> - July 21<sup>st</sup>***

### **Underwater Exploration!: 9-11:30am**

Do you love the ocean? ME TOO!! In this ocean themed class we will explore fish, sharks, crabs, snails and much more! Get ready to turn them all into art! We will be making mini aquariums, underwater mobiles, animal sculptures and much more! Come excited to create some masterpieces!

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### **Paint, Paint, Paint!: 12:00-2:30pm**

If you didn't guess, this class is all about PAINT! Come explore all different types of painting, such as watercolors, acrylic, and tempera. Be prepared to create some masterpieces! Using our imagination, we will use paint to delve into all sorts of different projects, themes, and art styles. Regardless of how much experience you have, if you want to play with paint come join us!!

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## ***Elementary: August 7<sup>th</sup> - August 11<sup>th</sup>***

### **Sculpture! 9:00-11:30am**

In this class we will learn to think in 3D! Get excited to sculpt with paper mache, packing peanuts, cardboard, and even clay! We will sculpt animals, buildings, people, and even food! Every student will have an opportunity to explore their own interests and try out all materials!

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***\*\*Please Note: This class is NOT paired with an afternoon session.***

## ***Middle/High School: July 24<sup>th</sup> – July 28<sup>th</sup>***

### **Beginner Jewelry: 9:00-11:30am**

This class will teach everything you need to get started in the amazing world of jewelry making! You will make earrings, necklaces, bracelets, and rings that you can wear to show your style! Learn how to plan out a piece and explore your interests. We will have guided work and free time to make whatever you desire! Get ready to explore: beading, wire wrapping, metal stamping, and even making our own beads!

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***\*\*Materials Fee is \$30.00\*\* This will purchase a kit that includes the necessary tools and supplies, all materials and tools will be yours to take at the end to make more jewelry!***

### **Paint, Paint, Paint!: 12:00-2:30pm**

If you didn't guess, this class is all about PAINT! Come explore all different types of painting, such as watercolors, acrylic, and tempera. Learn painting techniques used by the masters themselves. Using our imagination, we will use paint to delve into all sorts of different projects, themes, and art styles. Regardless of how much experience you have, if you want to play with paint come join us!!

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## ***Middle/High School: August 7<sup>th</sup> - August 11<sup>th</sup>***

### **Photography!: 12:00-2:30pm**

In this class we will explore the many aspects of photography! First, what can photographs tell us about the world we live in? In this class we'll learn how to compose a shot, how to use our cameras, and finally how to edit photos! We will practice taking shots in this class and learning about photography techniques to improve our photos.

(Recommended to bring your own camera, but two will be supplied in class!)

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***\*\*No Materials Fee Required\*\****