

WORKSHOPS

All workshops are held at Gualala Arts Center unless otherwise indicated.

Register by calling the Arts Center Office at 707-884-1138 weekdays 9 - 4.

For complete details go to the website at GualalaArts.org or call the instructor.

Thanks to Gualala Country Inn for support of the workshop program. Call them at 884-4343 for your reservation.

🎨 Register by February 25 🎨

WEARABLE ART FELTED VEST

Instructor: Carin Engen

Saturday & Sunday, March 8 – 9, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Tuition: \$90 members; \$100 non-members

Materials fee: \$40.

We will spend the day Saturday making a rectangular piece of felt using my hand-dyed Merino roving. I have 24 colors to choose from and I bring lots of stuff to inspire you. Learn how to add bits of yarn, thread, fabric, and lace to your felt to create texture, design, and color. On Sunday we will make the felt rectangle into a vest that fits. There is little sewing. By taking advantage of the shrinking quality of wool we will shape our vests to fit. No vests that fit like a box in this class. We will also cover needle felting embellishing and I will have felting needles for sale during the class.

🎨 Register by February 27 🎨

INTRODUCTION TO ARGENTINE TANGO

Instructors: Raquel & Walter Stillman

Wednesdays, March 12, 19, 26, April 2, 9, 16 from 7 – to 8:15 p.m. lessons; 8:15 to 9 p.m. practice.

Tuition: \$75 members; \$95 non-members.

Materials fee: \$5.

Class size: 10 – 40.

Like the Argentines themselves, tango is intimate and passionate. The roles for men and women are distinct and also reflect the sensibilities of these people who value the essential energetic differences of men and women. It is an intoxicating blend for North Americans and the rest of the world who have embraced tango whole heartedly. In this class participants will be indoctrinated into the basics of this social dance. Partnerships are recommended, dancers will exchange partners as well. To learn tango is like learning a language, a language of the body. In six weeks students will learn some basic vocabulary and be exposed to a variety of tango music.

W.O.W. ~ THE WONDERS OF WATERCOLOR

Instructor: Annie Murphy Springer, 707-876-3211

Saturday & Sunday, March 15 & 16, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Tuition: \$140 Members; \$155 non-members

Materials fee: \$10

In this class you will learn how to use freshness, spontaneity and simplicity in watercolor painting. You will create interesting and "frame-able" art in just eight hours. This course will dispel the myths about how hard watercolor is; even advanced artists can get a new, fresh perspective on ways to improve their art.

CHURNING UP CREATIVITY IN YOUR PHOTOGRAPHY

Instructors: Susan and Neil Silverman, 707-545-1438

Sunday, March 30, from 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Tuition: \$75 members; \$90 non-members

Even if you have a simple point and shoot camera, or a sophisticated SLR camera with many lenses, you will learn some great techniques, ideas and tips to add to your repertoire of photography skills. This will be a fun day of sharing knowledge, and learning new ideas, no matter where you are "traveling"... to Point Arena Pier or Outer Mongolia... you will learn to get photos that will have your friends asking to see more (and not wondering what you are serving for dessert).

ITALIAN FOR BEGINNERS

Instructor: Mark Moramarco

Wednesdays April 2 – June 4, from 7 – 9 p.m.

QUILT FUSION: RENEGADE CONSTRUCTION -

Instructor: Sue Benner

Wednesday & Thursday, April 16 & 17, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

EXPLORING YOUR MOVEMENT INTELLIGENCE

Instructor: Jamie McHugh

Saturday, April 19 from noon to 5:30 p.m.

PROPRIOCEPTIVE PHOTOGRAPHY IN NATURE: A BODY-BASED APPROACH

Instructor: Jamie McHugh

Sunday, April 20, 2 p.m. – 8 p.m.

THE FIGURE IN WATERCOLOR PAINTING

Instructor: Don Andrews

Monday – Friday, April 21 – 25, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

OUT OF OUR GOURDS

Instructor: Jim Grenwelge, 785-9317, or grenwelge@mcn.org

Saturday, April 26, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

SURFACE DESIGN R&R WEEKEND

Instructor: Joy Lily

Saturday & Sunday, May 3 & 4, 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

WATERCOLOR TIPS & TECHNIQUES

Instructor: Bruce Jones, 884-3381, bsjones@Hughes.net

Wednesday, May 14, 10 a.m. -- 5 p.m.