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### Noodle Bowls

**5:30-7pm, Tuesday, September 24**  
Discover the Joy of Pottery Wheel Throwing! Join our beginner-friendly class and learn the art of throwing on the wheel to create your very own noodle bowl complete with a convenient slot for your chopsticks. Whether you're a complete novice or have some experience, our expert instructor will guide you through each step, from shaping the clay to perfecting your bowl's form. Get ready to impress your friends and family with your handmade noodle bowl masterpiece!  
**\$45 Social | \$57 Fitness or nonmember**  
Instructor: Janelle Forsthoffer  
**Register by September 23.**

### Mug Crafting

**4-6pm, Saturday, September 28**  
As chilly weather approaches, ensure you're cozily equipped with a mug to cradle your favorite warm drink. Join us and master the art of crafting your very own hand-built mug, tailored to complement your own creativity. Drinks and snacks provided. Alcohol only served to 21+ with an ID.  
Instructor: Anna Glenski Kjose  
\$40 social members | \$52 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by September 26.**

### Halloween Ghosts

**5:30-7:30pm, Wednesday, October 2 OR**  
**1-3pm, Wednesday, October 9**  
Your Halloween decorations will look Fa-boo-lous with ghosts you create from clay. This class meets once. Your ghosts will be glazed and fired for pick up later.  
Instructor: Carolyn Real  
\$40 social members | \$52 fitness and nonmembers  
**Register by September 30 and October 7 respectively.**

### Asian Brush Painting: Beginner and Continuing

**2-4pm, Mondays, October 7, 14, 21, 28**  
When executed with masterful technique, a single ink brushstroke conveys vitality, delicacy, and contemplation - the essence of Chinese philosophy and spirit. The "life force" or chi that an artist aspires to capture and express is through brush painting.  
Instructor: Catherine Park  
If you do not have the following materials, bring \$25 to the first day of class - 3-brush set, an ink bottle, and rice paper.  
Instructor: Catherine Park  
\$90 social members | \$104 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by October 4.**

### Intro to Wheel Part 1

**10am-12pm, Tuesday, October 8-29**  
This four-week class covers basic wheel-throwing techniques. The studio provides unlimited practice clay for your use. All tools are included in the class fee. This class is about learning to throw. Most pots will be cut in half to evaluate. No prior experience is required. You will work on centering, throwing forms, dog dishes, cylinders, bowls and bottles.  
Instructor: Tom Sandoe  
\$100 Social Member | \$115 Fitness and Nonmember  
**Register by October 6.**

### Yes, Everyone Really is an Artist!

**1-3pm, Thursday, October 10 OR**  
**6:30-8:30pm, Thursday, October 10**  
Have fun trying your hand at acrylic painting and learn how to tap into your creativity. Learn basic color theory while mixing colors. You choose the subject which is part of the fun! Materials will be provided.  
Artist: Julie Johns  
\$35 social members | \$47 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by October 7.**

### Ladies Mud & Wine

**6:30-8pm, Friday, October 11**  
Indulge in creativity with our "Ladies Mud and Wine" pottery class! This beginner's throwing class is open to all levels. Join us for a fun and relaxed experience where you can get your hands dirty while enjoying some wine. Discover the joy of creating pottery from scratch with friends.  
Instructor: Anna Glenski-Kjose  
\$45 social members | \$57 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by October 9.**

### Multi-Generational Applelicious

**5:30-6:30, Wednesday, October 16th**  
Join our multi-generational pottery hand building class and sculpt your own delightful apple-shaped dish! Come together to mold clay into a sweet and charming apple creation. This class is designed for an adult and child to do together but all are welcome. For youth ages 4 and above.  
Instructor: Anna Glenski Kjose  
\$15 social member | \$26 fitness and nonmember  
**Register by October 14.**

### Witch's Brew Hand-building Class

**5:30-7:30pm, Tuesday, October 22**  
Join us for a spooktacular pottery hand-building class where you'll conjure up your very own cauldron mug, just in time for Halloween! Get your hands dirty as you mold and shape clay into the perfect vessel for brewing your favorite drinks. Unleash your creativity in this fun workshop and take home a truly enchanting masterpiece to enjoy your drinks in style. Drinks and snacks provided. Alcohol only served to 21+ with an ID.  
Instructor: Anna Glenski Kjose  
\$40 social members | \$52 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by October 18.**

### Handmade Butter Holder

**5:30-7:30pm, Thursday, October 24**  
Join us for a hands-on pottery class where you'll craft your very own butter holder! Learn hand-building techniques while creating a functional and stylish addition to your kitchen. Get ready to get your hands dirty and unleash your creativity in this fun and practical workshop.  
Instructor: Anna Glenski Kjose  
\$40 social members | \$52 fitness and nonmembers  
**Register by October 21.**

### Intro to Wheel Part 1

**6:00-8:00pm, Wednesdays, Sept. 4-25**  
This four-week class covers basic wheel throwing techniques. The studio provides practice clay for your use. All tools are included in the class fee. This class is about learning to throw. Most pots will be cut in half to evaluate. No prior experience is required.  
Instructor: Carolyn Real  
\$100 social members | \$115 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by September 3.**

### Intro to Wheel Part 2

**10am-12pm, Saturdays, September 7, 14, 21, 28**  
This four-week class builds on Wheel Part 1. We will work on throwing mugs with handles, cover jars with lids, and decorating pieces. You will be able to fire and keep some work. Materials included: 25lbs of clay.  
Prerequisite: Intro to Wheel 1  
Instructor: Jeff Jones  
\$170 social members | \$188 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by September 5.**

### Asian Brush Painting: Beginner and Continuing

**2-4pm, Mondays, September 9, 16, 23, 30**  
When executed with masterful technique, a single ink brushstroke conveys vitality, delicacy, and contemplation - the essence of Chinese philosophy and spirit. The "life force" or chi that an artist aspires to capture and express is through brush painting.  
If you do not have the following materials, bring \$25 to the first day of class - a 3-brush set, an ink bottle, and rice paper.  
Instructor: Catherine Park  
\$90 social members | \$104 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by September 6.**

### Sip and Create: Fall Etched Votive

**2-3:30pm, Wednesday, September 11 OR**  
**6-7:30pm, Wednesday, September 11**  
This class teaches you to etch a glass votive with a fall design. While you work, you can enjoy a glass of wine. At the end of the class, you can take your votive home and light up your house with a beautiful etched votive holder. Alcohol is only served to those 21+ with a valid ID.  
Instructor: Joy Cole  
\$40 social members | \$52 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by September 9.**

### Beginning to Clay

**5:30-7:00pm, Thursday, September 12-October 3**  
Discover the joy of working with clay in this four-week class. For two classes, explore hand-building and wheel-throwing in a supportive environment perfect for beginners. Unleash your creativity and create pottery masterpieces. Join us for a fun and enriching journey with clay! Each participant will make one hand-built cup and one wheel-thrown bowl.  
Instructor: Anna Glenski Kjose  
\$170 social members | \$188 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by September 4.**

### Ladies Mud & Wine

**10-11:30am, Sunday, September 15**  
Indulge in creativity with our "Ladies Mud and Wine" pottery class! This beginner's throwing class is open to all levels. Join us for a fun and relaxed experience where you can get your hands dirty while enjoying wine. Discover the joy of creating pottery from scratch with friends.  
Instructor: Anna Glenski-Kjose  
\$45 social members | \$57 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by September 13.**

### Multi-Generational Phone Holder

**2-3:30pm, Sunday, September 15th**  
This class is a dynamic fusion of creativity and clay, open to **ages 13 and up**. Dive into the world of pottery as we guide you through crafting and painting your very own unique phone holder. Whether you're a teen trendsetter or a seasoned adult looking to add some flair to your tech accessories, this class is for you! Join us for a fun-filled session of clay crafting and bring home a one-of-a-kind phone holder that's as stylish as it is functional. **Each person will make their own phone holder. Price is per person.**  
Instructor: Anna Glenski Kjose  
\$20 social members | \$31 fitness and nonmembers  
**Register by September 13.**

### Watercolor and Ink Mindfulness Doodles

**1-3pm, Tuesday, September 17 OR**  
**6:30-8:30pm, Tuesday, September 17**  
Use free-form watercolor and ink pen to start your mindfulness doodles notebook. Taking a half-hour out of your day to doodle in your book is a great way to relieve stress and take a break from your busy day. Materials for the class will be provided.  
Artist: Julie Johns  
\$45 social members | \$57 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by September 16.**

### Sip and Paint: Still Life Pumpkin

**1:30-3:30pm, Wednesday, September 18 OR**  
**5:30-7:30pm, Wednesday, September 18**  
Unwind and embrace the autumn spirit by painting a pumpkin still life! Create a beautiful addition to your fall-themed decor while enjoying a glass of wine or a non-alcoholic beverage. This class is open to adults 18 and over. Wine will be served to participants 21+ with valid ID.  
Instructor: Pennie Eisenbeis  
\$35 social members | \$46 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by September 16.**

### Paint with Me

**10-11am, Saturday, September 21 OR**  
**10-11am, Saturday, October 19**  
Come and paint a ceramic piece with friends of all ages. Pick from a wide variety of ceramic pieces, paint it and we will get it fired and ready for you to display. This class is designed for adults to bring a child or youth to enjoy a morning together. Price includes 1 ceramic piece. **Price is per person.** If both adult and child wish to paint a piece, each individual should register and pay the class fee.  
\$20 social members | \$31 fitness & nonmembers  
**Register by September 20 and October 18 respectively.**

**Stop at the membership services to register for classes.**

**You can register online at: 125livemn.org | Click on activity registration, follow instructions on the welcome page.**