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## Ladies Mud & Wine

**10-11:30am, Saturday, November 23**

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 November 21.**

## A Muddy Date

**4-5:30pm, Saturday, November 23**

Indulge in a romantic evening of clay and creativity! Bring your partner for a memorable night of clay-filled fun and artistic expression. Our expert instructors will guide you through the pottery-making process, ensuring a fun and relaxed atmosphere throughout the evening. Unleash your creativity, bond with your loved one, and take home unique pottery pieces as lasting mementos of your muddy date night experience. Alcohol only served to 21+ with ID. **Price is per person**

Instructor: Anna Glenski-Kjose

\$45 social members | \$57 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by November 21.**

## How to Draw Faces

**1-3pm, Tuesday, December 10 OR**

**6:30-8:30pm, Tuesday, December 10**

Drawing faces is not as hard as you think! Learn to draw faces using proportions and shadow. Materials provided.

Instructor: Julie Johns

\$35 social members | \$47 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by December 8.**

## Christmas Tree Luminary

**5:30-7pm Thursday, December 12**

Learn how to create a beautiful, hand-built ceramic luminary that will add a festive glow to any holiday decor. Guided by an experienced instructor, you'll explore various techniques in ceramic crafting including shaping, cutting, and decorating clay.

Instructor: Janelle Forsthoffer

\$45 social members | \$57 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by December 9.**

## Folded Bowls

**6:30-8:30pm, Friday, December 13**

Discover the art of folding bowls in our pottery class! Learn the techniques to create unique and functional bowls by folding clay. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced potter, this class offers an exciting opportunity to explore new forms and textures. Join us as we shape, fold, and create beautiful bowls together. Drinks and snacks will be provided. Alcohol only served to 21+ with and ID.

Instructor: Anna Glenski-Kjose

\$40 social | \$52 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by December 11.**

## Learn to Stretch an Artist Canvas

**1-3pm Tuesday, January 7**

Learn to build a wooden stretcher, stretch and gesso canvas in preparation to paint. If you sign up for Basic Oil Painting you can use your canvas in that class. Build up to a 30"x40" canvas. Materials provided.

Instructor: Julie Johns

\$60 social members | \$70 fitness & nonmember

**Register by January 2.**

## Intro to Wheel Part I

**10am-12pm, Tuesdays, January 7, 14, 21, 28**

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: Tom Sandoe

\$100 social members | \$115 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by January 6.**

## Anyone Can Throw

**7-8:30pm, Friday, January 10**

Discover the world of pottery in our "Anyone Can Throw" adult class! Whether you're a beginner or experienced, all levels are welcome. Join us for a hands-on experience and learn the fundamentals of pottery throwing. Unleash your creativity and create unique pieces with your own two hands

Artist: Anna Glenski-Kjose

\$45 social members | \$57 fitness & nonmembers.

**Register by January 7.**

## Basic Oil Painting

**1-3pm, Tuesdays, January 14- February 18 OR**

**6:30-8:30pm, Tuesdays, January 14-February 18**

Learn the basics of working with oils. Sketching out your painting, how to apply paint to the canvas, different painting mediums, mixing colors and brush care. If you made a canvas in my previous class, you can bring it along or purchase your own at Hobby Lobby or Michaels. Any size up to 30"x40". You choose the subject, working from a photo is best unless you choose to do an abstract.

Instructor: Julie Johns

\$160 social members | \$178 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by January 12.**

## Intro to Wheel Part I

**6pm-8pm, Tuesdays, January 14 - February 4**

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.

Instructor: Spencer R. Johannes

\$100 social members | \$115 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by January 11.**

## Multi-Generational Melted Snowmen Ornaments

**9-10am, Saturday, November 2**

Join us for a jolly multi-generational melted snowmen ornaments pottery class where generations come together to craft whimsical winter wonders! Get into the holiday spirit as we mold and shape adorable snowmen ornaments perfect for decorating your tree or giving as heartfelt gifts. Let's spread joy and creativity as we celebrate the season together. This class is designed for an adult and child to do together but all are welcome.

Instructor: Anna Glenski Kjose

\$15 social member | \$26 fitness and nonmember (PRICE IS PER PAIR)

**Register by October 31.**

## Intro to Wheel Part II

**12:30-2:30pm, Saturdays, November 2, 9, 16, and 23**

This four-session 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 Part I.

Instructor: Jeff Jones

\$170 social members | \$188 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by October 31.**

## Asian Brush Painting: Beginner and Continuing

**2-4pm, Mondays, November 4-25**

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 November 3.**

## Beginning to Clay

**5:30-7pm, Mondays, November 4, 11, 18, 25**

Discover the joy of working with clay in our four-week class, "Beginning to Clay". Explore hand-building for two days and wheel throwing for two days 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 November 1.**

## Intro to Wheel Part I

**10am-12pm, Tuesdays, November 5, 12, 19, 26**

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: Tom Sandoe

\$100 social members | \$115 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by November 3.**

## House or Garden Gnome

**1-3pm, Wednesday, November 6 and November 20**

Gnomes are a symbol of good luck and protection year round. Come create a house or garden gnome with a personal flare all your own. This class meets twice, session 1 = build, session 2 = glaze. Please note: This class is 2 weeks apart so they can be bisque fired before the glazing session.

Instructor: Carolyn Real

\$60 social members | \$73 fitness and nonmembers

**Register by November 4.**

## Evergreen Trees and Hard Cider

**2-3:30pm, Sunday, November 10 OR**

**7-8:30pm, Thursday, November 14**

The 125 LIVE studio is starting to hum with artists getting ready for the holidays. Come join in on the fun of making hand-built evergreen trees. Clay, tools, and firing are included. Your pieces will be glazed making them ready to light up the night. Drinks and snacks will be provided. Alcohol is only served to 21+ with an ID.

Artist: Anna Glenski-Kjose

\$45 social members | \$57 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by November 8 and November 12 respectively.**

## Learn Perspective Drawing

**1-3pm, Tuesday, November 12 OR**

**6:30-8:30pm, Tuesday, November 12**

Learn to draw in 1, 2 and 3 point perspective. We'll draw a cityscape in each type of perspective. Materials provided.

Artist: Julie Johns

\$40 social members | \$51 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by November 10.**

## Sip and Paint: Winter Wreath Painting

**1:30-3:30pm, Wednesday, November 13**

Let's get together and paint a winter wreath that can adorn your home throughout the holidays. Create the painting for yourself, or give it as a gift. Enjoy a glass of wine or a non-alcoholic beverage while working on your painting. This class is open to 18+. Wine only served to 21+ with ID.

Instructor: Pennie Eisenbeis

\$35 social members | \$46 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by November 11.**

## Felted Gnome Creation

**1-3pm, Wednesday, November 20**

Using upcycled felted wool you will make a gnome come alive! Create a little gnome for yourself or for a gift to adorn a bookshelf, desk, kitchen window, or nook in your home. Bring with you a: fabric scissors, a needle, and any color of thread. All other materials will be provided.

Artist: Pennie Eisenbeis

\$25 social members | \$36 fitness & nonmembers

**Register by November 18.**

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.