



## SUMMER WORKSHOPS

**Cancellation Policy:** Cancellations must be received at least 7 days prior to the start of workshop. Refunds subject to \$15 processing fee.

Register online today at [www.valleyregistration.com](http://www.valleyregistration.com) or call 440-247-7507

### **Brunchtime Clay Date**

*#548 | Saturdays, 7/16, 8/6 | 11:00am- 1:30pm | \$50 | Laura Ferrando |*

Join us for a time of relaxation and socialization around the potter's wheel. Learn to throw pottery or continue to hone your skills while sipping brunchtime beverages. This workshop will repeat regularly, on the first and third Saturdays of the month, so you will have a chance to trim and glaze your pots in future sessions. If the wheel's not your thing, bring an idea for a hand-building project and receive as much or as little assistance from the instructor as you'd like. For one time only attendees, your piece will be bisqued only to pick up at a later date. Sign up for one session or for them all! This workshop is the perfect self-care time for parents, but all adults 21 and over are welcome! BYOB.

### **Introduction to Encaustic**

*#936 | Tuesdays, 6/21, 6/28 or 7/26 | 10:00am-1:00pm | \$95 | Linda Mayer |*

Join Valley Art Center's 2020 Best in Show artist, Linda Mayer, for this fun three hour introductory encaustic workshop. Encaustic is an ancient hot wax painting technique that offers a wealth of creative possibilities. No prior encaustic experience is required and you don't need any advance drawing or painting skills. We will cover the basics including encaustic materials, painting techniques, studio setup and safety. Techniques covered include basic paint application, layering, fusing, mark making, texture and more. You will have the opportunity to create several practice pieces before moving on to a final piece that brings your favorite techniques together. Your \$15.00 materials fee will cover all materials needed for this one day workshop and is included in the cost.

### **Eco Printing 101**

*#881 | Friday, 6/17 or Saturday, 6/18 | 10:00am-3:00pm | \$80 | Deb Berkebile |*

Eco Printing is a form of natural dyeing where plant materials are bundled and use a direct contact printing method, drawing out pigments from plants to make interesting and surprising marks on cellulose (cotton, linen) and protein (silk, wool) fibers which are transferred to paper or fabric via steaming or heat press. In this class, you will learn to make a bundle with a silk scarf using eucalyptus, oak, maple and some various leaves for your bundles.

### **Plein Air Workshop**

*#931 | Mondays, 7/11, 7/25, 8/22, 8/29 and/or Thursdays, 6/16, 7/7, 8/18 | 11:00am-2:00pm | \$50 | Linda Pearce |*

Join Linda at a location to be determined to paint in the great out of doors. Learn from an experienced painter the ins and outs of working in a fresh and exciting environment. Experience the challenges of outdoor painting and capturing the light and value of an ever-changing subject. Follow in the footsteps of the Impressionist greats by painting "in the open air". Sign up for multiple sessions to continue to build on your skills.

**All Ages One Day Play in Clay: CHIA THING!**

#584 | Saturday, 7/16 | 9:00am – 10:30am | \$30 | Laura Ferrando |

You like chia pets, but you’ve always wished you could find one that looks exactly like you, or your childhood dog, or a shoe, than this workshop is for you! We will be making our own chia pet/people/thing from scratch. The instructor will show you the basics, and assist you in getting the look you want. In a few weeks you will be able to take it home, plant it, and delight in its green, fuzzy glory! Students under age 10 must be accompanied by a registered adult student.

**Parent and Child Clay: FUN FACE DISH**

#585 | Saturday, 8/6 | 9:30am – 10:30am | \$20 | Laura Ferrando |

Do you know anyone who likes to play with their food? Let’s get together and make a special dish just for that purpose! Green bean moustache? Spaghetti Hair? Chocolate chip freckles? Yes, please! We will form the dish with the help of a mold, then decorate it like a face. When it’s all glazed and fired (which we will do for you), it will be a fun way to have a snack or a meal! Children ages 2-6 can bring their favorite grown-up and work together on this fun clay project. Your artwork will be fired, and you will be notified when your creation is ready for you to pick up.

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<b>JUN</b>	881	10-3	Eco Printing 101	Friday 6/17	Deb Berkebile	\$80	16+
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	936	10-1	Introduction to Encaustic	Tuesday 6/21	Linda Mayer	\$95	16+
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<b>JUL</b>	931	11-2	Plein Air Workshop	Thursday 7/7	Linda Merchant	\$50	18+
	931	11-2	Plein Air Workshop	Monday 7/11	Linda Merchant	\$50	18+
	584	9-10:30	All Ages One Day Play in Clay CHIA	Saturday 7/16	Laura Ferrando	\$30	6+
	548	11-1:30	Brunchtime Clay Date	Saturday 7/16	Laura Ferrando	\$50	21+
	931	11-2	Plein Air Workshop	Monday 7/25	Linda Merchant	\$50	16+
<b>AUG</b>	936	10-1	Introduction to Encaustic	Tuesday 7/26	Linda Mayer	\$95	16+
	585	9:30-10:30	Parent and Child Clay Fun Face Dish	Saturday 8/6	Laura Ferrando	\$20	2-5
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