

2009-2010 Arts Alive

Visual Arts Committee Offerings

For information or to display your art work please contact Cindy Heid at 804-843-2365 or cindyheid@verizon.net or Gail Nichols at 804-843-4418 or gcarternichols@verizon.net. To sign up for workshops, contact Jeannette Wagner at 804-994-9668 or puddin5515wags@aol.com or Gail Nichols.

Arts Alive Art Exhibits for 2009-2010: All art exhibits are available for viewing in the exhibit space at the Robinson/Olsson Fine Arts Center and Civic Auditorium at 1040 Thompson Ave., West Point, VA during regular school hours. Please enter through the West Point High School office.

September 15 th -October 20 th	All-Media Community Art Exhibit
October 20 th – December 1 st	Invitational Exhibit: Anne Careatti, Sharon Sun Eagle, Anne Wilcox
December 2 nd – February 2 nd	Photography Exhibit
February 2 nd – March 16 th	Youth Art Month Students' Exhibit
March 16 th – April 27 th	Workshop Participants' Exhibit
April 27 th – June 8 th	All-Media Community Art Exhibit

Arts Alive Adult Workshops for 2009-2010: \$15 per workshop plus supplies

Friday, October 9, 2009 **9 AM to 2 PM** **Watercolors** taught by Shelley Sheppard, Artist/VMFA at the West Point Library. Learn techniques for watercolor painting.

Tuesdays, October 13 and 27, 2009 **6 to 8 PM** **Drawing** taught by Sue Kurfees, Artist/Art Educator at the West Point Library. Enjoy learning drawing techniques.

Saturday, November 7, 2009 **9 AM to 2 PM** **Silk Painting** taught by Mary Swezey, Artist/VMFA at the West Point Library. Paint with dyes using watercolor techniques on silk scarf.

Friday, November 13, 2009 **9 AM to 2 PM** **Jewelry** taught by Susan O’Roarke, Artist at the West Point Library. Learn basic techniques for necklace and earrings (materials fee of \$15 for beads, pendants, and findings).

Tuesdays, January 12 and 26, 2010 **6 to 8 PM** **Watercolor Painting** by Gail Nichols and Jeanette Wagner, Artists at the West Point Library. Experiment with figurative and floral watercolor techniques.

Saturday, February 20, 2010 **9 AM to 2 PM** **Encaustic Painting** taught by Karen Eide, Artist/VMFA at the West Point Library. Learn an ancient painting process using melted pigmented beeswax.

Friday, March 5, 2010 **9 AM to 2 PM** **Ancient Art of Marbleizing** taught by Liz Wolf, Artist/VMFA at the West Point Library. Learn to float colors on a thick medium and create patterns on paper. Paper will be used to create a small book or portfolio.

Saturday, June 12, 2010 **9 AM to 2 PM** **Outdoor Watercolor Painting** taught by Baylor and Gail Nichols, Artists, at the Nichols’ Studio in West Point, VA at 407 Lee Street. Paint with watercolors in nature.

Arts Alive Student Workshops for 2009-2010: \$15 per participant plus supplies.

Saturdays, February 6 and 13, 2010 **10 AM to 11:30 AM both days**
Clay (ages 5-12) taught by Cindy Heid, Artist/Art Educator, at the West Point Business Center. Learn beginning clay sculpting techniques (class 1). Decorate your clay creation (class 2).

Saturdays, February 20 and 27, 2010 **10 AM to 11:30 AM both days**
Drawing (ages 8-12) taught by Michael Coleman, Artist, at the West Point Business Center. Acquire drawing skills using a variety of drawing tools.