



2017-2018

CLASSES & WORKSHOPS LISTING

Welcome! BIG ARTS strives to offer opportunities for you to explore your interests. Take a look inside for an overview of the classes and workshops being offered this season. You will want to call or visit our Marks Box Office or go to our web site, www.bigarts.org, to obtain the instructor's handout, which will provide detailed course descriptions, information regarding fees, and supply lists.

Pre-registration is recommended for all classes and workshops. Join a class now; you can mail, fax or drop off your form at our office. Or, call us with your credit card information and you'll be enrolled in the class of your choice in no time.

Your comments are important to us. Evaluation forms are located in each classroom and in the office. Please complete one at the end of class and return to the front office. Your input will assist in future planning.

When registering, please keep our refund policy in mind. If a student cancels/ withdraws from a class/ workshop and notifies BIG ARTS at least one week prior to the first day of the class, 100% of the tuition paid may be transferred to another workshop or to a BIG ARTS gift card. If a cash refund is requested, 80% of the tuition paid will be refunded to the student. No transfers/refunds will be offered for cancellation within one week before start of the class/workshop. *Some instructors will have registration deadlines that supersede BIG ARTS refund policy.* Returned checks are subject to a \$35.00 per transaction fee.

We look forward to seeing you at BIG ARTS!

OFFICE HOURS

November-April: Monday - Friday, 9am - 4pm

May-October: Monday – Friday, 9am – 3pm

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WINTER ACADEMY

The Eyes Have It: Understanding and Interpreting Art

Anne-Marie Bouche

Friday, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Session 1, Feb 2, 2018: Apocalypses

Session 2, Feb 9, 2018: Form in Space

Session 3, Feb 16, 2018: The Shape of History

Session 4, Feb 23, 2018: Making the Case

4-week series: \$188 members/\$235 non-members

Individual lectures: \$65/each

Beethoven: The Man, the Music, the Myth

Thomas Cimarusti

Monday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

2/5/2018- 2/26/2018

4 weeks: \$150 members/\$188 non-members

Italian Opera 101

Thomas Cimarusti

Monday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

11/27/2017- 12/18/2017

3/5/2018- 3/26/2018

4 weeks: \$150 members/\$188 non-members

The Global and US Economy in A New Political Era

Larry Davidson

Friday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

1/12/2018- 2/2/2018

4 weeks: \$150 members/\$188 non-members

The Reformation or Restoration of Islam From Inside Out: Muslim Prescriptions for the Healing of the Ideological Cancer of Radical Islamic Terrorism

Ran Niehoff

Friday, 9:30 am - 11:00 am

1/12/2018- 1/26/2018

3 weeks: \$80 members/\$100 non-members

WINTER ACADEMY

So Much More Than a Matter of Life and Death: Scientific Approaches to the Mysteries of Consciousness; Self-Awareness and the Survival of the Human Psyche

Ran Niehoff

Tuesday, 9:30 am - 11:00 am

2/13/2018- 2/27/2018

3 weeks: \$80 members/\$100 non-members

Commoners vs. Aristocrats

James Rudin

Wednesday, 9:30 am - 11:00 am

2/7/2018- 2/21/2018

3 weeks: \$80 members/\$100 non-members

Three Iconic Figures: Marx, Freud & Einstein – Who Permanently Changed Our World

James Rudin

Wednesday, 9:30 am - 11:00 am

3/7/2018- 3/21/2018

3 weeks: \$80 members/\$100 non-members

PAINTING & DRAWING

Try Painting Paradise

Linda Benson

Friday, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

1/5/2018

1/19/2018

Each workshop: \$50 members/\$63 non-members

Splashes of Color

Linda Benson

Thursday, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

2/8/2018

2/22/2018

Each workshop: \$50 members/\$63 non-members

PAINTING & DRAWING

Paint Sea Life Creatively

Linda Benson

Friday, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

3/9/2018

3/23/2018

Each workshop: \$50 members/\$63 non-members

Step by Step Acrylic Painting

Marjorie Bronsted

Wednesday, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

1/10/2018- 1/31/2018

2/7/2018- 2/28/2018

3/7/2018- 3/28/2018

4 weeks: \$125 members/\$156 non-members

Adventures in Watercolors & Mixed Media

Carolyn Councill

Monday, 9:30 am - 3:30 pm

10/23/2017- 11/6/2017

3 weeks: \$100 members/\$125 non-members

Basics of Oil Painting

Douglas David

Monday & Tuesday, 9:30 am - 3:30 pm

2/26/2018- 2/27/2018

2 days: \$225 members/\$281 non-members

Clothed Model Open Studio non-instructed

Eleanor Gause

Tuesday, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Feb 13, 20, 2018

March 6, 13, 20, 27, 2018

Each session: \$8

Instructed Life Drawing

Francesco Gillia

Monday, 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

12/4/2017- 12/18/2017

3 weeks: \$97 members/\$121 non-members

1/8/2018- 1/29/2018

2/5/2018- 2/26/2018

3/5/2018- 3/26/2018

4/2/2018- 4/23/2018

4 weeks: \$125 members/\$156 non-members

PAINTING & DRAWING

Intermediate Watercolor

Philip Hilton
Monday, 9:00 am - 11:30 am
1/15/2018- 2/19/2018
6 weeks: \$105 members/\$131 non-members

Paint with Friends Open Studio non-instructed

Jane Hudson
Wednesday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
10/18/2017- 5/16/2018
Each session: \$8

Acrylics for Beginners & Intermediate Painters

Jane Hudson
Friday, 9:15 am - 11:45 am
1/12/2018- 1/26/2018
3 weeks: \$64 members/\$80 non-members
2/2/2018- 2/23/2018
3/2/2018- 3/23/2018
4/6/2018- 4/27/2018
4 weeks: \$85 members/\$106 non-members

Pastel Painting

Mary Klunk
Monday, 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm
1/8/2018- 1/29/2018
2/5/2018- 3/5/2018 (no class Feb 26)
3/12/2018- 4/2/2018
4 weeks: \$85 members/\$106 non-members

Portrait Drawing/Painting

Mary Klunk
Monday, 9:30 am - 12:00 pm
1/8/2018- 1/29/2018
2/5/2018- 3/5/2018 (no class Feb 26)
3/12/2018- 4/2/2018
4 weeks: \$85 members/\$106 non-members

Acrylic Painting, Still Life

Barbara Lipman
Tuesday, 9:30 am - 11:30 am
11/7/2017- 12/12/2017
1/16/2018- 2/20/2018
6 weeks: \$84 members/\$105 non-members

PAINTING & DRAWING

Watercolor Secrets Revealed

Tom Lynch
Friday, Saturday & Sunday, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
1/5/2018- 1/7/2018
3 days: \$375 members/\$469 non-members

Collage

Bea Pappas
Wednesday, 9:30 am - 4:00 pm
1/3/2018- 1/24/2018
2/7/2018- 2/28/2018
3/7/2018- 3/28/2018
4 weeks: \$175 members/\$219 non-members

Experimental Master Class

Bea Pappas
Pre-requisite: previous class with instructor
Thursday's, 9:30 am - 4:00 pm
1/4/2018- 1/25/2018
2/8/2018- 3/1/2018
3/8/2018- 3/29/2018
4 weeks: \$175 members/\$219 non-members

Decorative Painting Open Studio, non-instructed

Sally Parsons
Wednesday, 9:00 am - 12:00pm
1/3/2018- 3/28/2018
Each session: \$8

Watercolor Sketchbook Journal Class

Mary Lou Peters
Monday & Tuesday, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
1/8/2018- 1/9/2018
2 days: \$149 members/\$186 non-members

Watercolor Classes for All Levels

Mary Lou Peters
Thursday, 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm
1/11/2018- 2/8/2018
5 weeks: \$145 members/\$181 non-members

PAINTING & DRAWING

A Gentle Introduction to Watercolor Painting

Mary Lou Peters
Tuesday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
2/6/2018
\$45 members/\$56 non-members

Life Drawing Open Studio, non-instructed

Carol Rosenberg
Friday, 9:30 am - 12:00 pm
11/3/2017- 11/24/2017
12/1/2017- 12/22/2017
1/5/2018- 1/26/2018
2/2/2018- 2/23/2018
3/2/2018- 3/23/2018
Friday's, 12:15pm - 2:45 pm
1/5/2018- 1/26/2018
2/2/2018- 2/23/2018
3/2/2018- 3/23/2018
4 weeks: \$69 members/ \$86 non-members

Zentangle

Meg Scott
Thursday, 9:30 am - 12:00 pm
11/16/2017
Tuesday, 9:30 am - 12:00 pm
1/16/2018
2/27/2018
3/13/2018
Each workshop: \$35 members/\$44 non-members

Palette Knife Painting

Herbert Sklar
Friday, 9:30 am - 11:00 am
2/9/2018- 3/2/2018
4 weeks: \$170 members/\$213 non-members

Learn to Draw Better and Keep a Sketch Pad

Herbert Sklar
Thursday, 9:30 am - 11:00 am
3/1/2018- 3/22/2018
4 weeks: \$170 members/\$213 non-members

PAINTING & DRAWING

Painting Wildlife & Landscapes

Nancy Tome

Tuesday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

3/6/2018- 3/27/2018

4 weeks: \$135 members/\$169 non-members

FINE CRAFTS

Cool Coils!

Gisela Damandl

Thursday & Friday, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

2/1/2018- 2/2/2018

2 days: \$121 members/\$151 non-members

Glass Fusing

Petra Kaiser

Wednesday, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

12/6/2017- 12/20/2017

3 weeks: \$74 members/\$93 non-members

11/1/2017- 11/29/2017 (no class Nov 22)

1/3/2018- 1/24/2018

1/31/2018- 2/21/2018

2/28/2018- 3/21/2018

3/28/2018- 4/25/2018 (no class April 11)

4 weeks: \$99 members/\$124 non-members

Thursday, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

1/4/2018- 1/25/2018

2/1/2018- 2/22/2018

3/1/2018- 3/22/2018

3/29/2018- 4/26/2018 (no class April 12)

4 weeks: \$99 members/\$124 non-members

Beaded Bling-y Mixed Media

Mosaics

Kat Kirby

Thursday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

3/15/2018

1 day: \$160 members/\$200 non-members

PHOTOGRAPHY

What Do I Do with All These Photos? Learning to Manage Your Images and Gain Peace of Mind

David Batley

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

11/8/2017

\$20 members/\$25 non-members

An Invitation to Photographic Storytelling

Harvey Schipper

Thursday, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

12/8/2017-12/22/2017

3 weeks: \$85 members/\$106 non-members

Photography

Denny Souers

Thursday: 1st class meets at 9 am – 12pm; then 7:00 am - 12:00 pm

Beginner: 1/4/2018- 1/25/2018

Intermediate/Advanced: 2/1/2018- 2/22/2018

Advanced: 3/1/2018- 3/22/2018

4 weeks: \$111 members/\$139 non-members

Adobe Lightroom

Denny Souers

Monday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

1/8/2018- 1/29/2018

4 weeks: \$80 members/\$100 non-members

Adobe Photoshop

Denny Souers

Monday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

2/5/2018- 2/26/2018

4 weeks: \$80 members/\$100 non-members

Adobe Lightroom/Photoshop

Denny Souers

Monday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

3/5/2018- 3/26/2018

4 weeks: \$80 members/\$100 non-members

DISCUSSION & WRITING

Learn to Write a Beach Style Mystery Novel

Nancy Daversa

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

2/14/2018

1 workshop: \$20 members/\$25 non-members

Learn to Write a Beach Style Thriller Novel

Nancy Daversa

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

2/21/2018

1 workshop: \$20 members/\$25 non-members

Great Books

Julie Hopson

Tuesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

1/2/2018- 3/27/2018

Pre-requisite: class overview with moderator prior to registration

13 weeks: \$54 members/\$68 non-members

Italian for the Beginner: A Language Class for the Traveler

Teresa Jacob

Tuesday & Friday, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

1/30/2018- 2/23/2018

4 weeks: \$80 members/\$100 non-members

Poetry Immersion Extravaganza: Learn to Write, Read and Fall in Love with Poetry

Myra Klahr

Tuesday, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

2/13/2018

3/13/2018

1 day: \$75 members/\$94 non-members

The Joy of Writing

Vicky Lettmann

Monday, 9:30 am - 11:30 am

1/22/2018- 2/26/2018

6 weeks: \$110 members/\$138 non-members

DISCUSSION & WRITING

Improving Sleep Through Self Hypnosis

William Morrow
Monday, 9:30 am - 11:00 am
3/12/2018- 3/26/2018
3 weeks: \$75 members/\$94 non-members

Drama Discussion Group: View, Read and Discuss the Theater

Harriet Edwards
Friday, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
1/12/2018- 3/30/2018
12 weeks: \$60 members/\$75 non-members

Spanish I and II

Barbara Peterson
Saturday, 9:00 am - 10:30 am
1/13/2018- 2/17/2018
2/24/2018- 3/31/2018
6 weeks: \$86 members/\$108 non-members

POTTERY

(Studio Fee \$25.00; clay purchased from BIG ARTS, \$26.50 per 25 lb. bag)

Clay Sculpting and Pottery on the Wheel

Marjorie Bronsted
Wednesday, 3:30 pm - 6:00 pm
1/10/2018- 2/14/2018
2/21/2018- 3/28/2018
4/11/2018- 5/16/2018
6 weeks: \$98 members/\$123 non-members

Pottery Open Studio, non-instructed

Jerry Edelman
Monday, 9am - 4pm
11/6/2017- 11/27/2017
12/4/2017- 12/25/2017
1/8/2018- 1/29/2018
2/5/2018- 2/26/2018
3/5/2018- 3/26/2018
4/2/2018- 4/23/2018
4/30/2018- 5/21/2018
4 weeks: \$55 members/\$69 non-members

POTTERY

Wheel Throwing with Clay Martha Grattan

Tuesday, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
11/7/2017- 12/19/2017
1/9/2018- 2/20/2018
2/27/2018- 4/10/2018
4/17/2018- 5/29/2018
7 weeks: \$110 members/\$138 non-members

Creating with Polymer Clay

Martha Grattan
Tuesday, 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm
11/7/2017- 5/29/2018 (no class Dec 26 or Jan 2)
Each class: \$55 members/\$69 non-members
(refer to instructor handout for class project)

Clay 101/201: How to be Creative with Clay

David Hoggatt
Thursday, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm
11/9/2017- 12/21/2017 (no class Nov 23)
1/4/2018- 2/08/2018
2/15/2018- 3/22/2018
3/29/2018- 5/3/2018
6 weeks: \$100 members/\$125 non-members

MUSIC & DANCE

BIG ARTS Concert Band Rehearsal

Mike Lamade
Monday, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm
Begins Oct 16, 2017

BIG ARTS Community Chorus Rehearsal

Ellen Whitten
Tuesday, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm
10/24/2017 - 12/13/2017
\$75 members/\$94 non-members
1/9/2018 - 4/3/2018
\$115 members/\$144 non-members

Adult Tap

Bobby Logue
Tuesday, 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm
Nov 7, 14, 21, 28/2017
Dec 12, 19/2017
Jan 16, 23, 30/2018
Feb 6, 27/2018
March 13, 20, 27/2018
April 17, 24/2018
Each session: \$18 members/\$22 non-members

Intermediate Tap

Bobby Logue
Friday, 9:00 am - 10:30 am
Nov 10, 2017
Dec 1, 22/2017
Jan 5, 19, 26/2018
Feb 2, 9/2018
March 30/2018
April 20, 27/2018
Each session: \$18 members/\$22 non-members

BIG ARTS 2017 - 2018 EDUCATION REGISTRATION FORM

To expedite registration and to assure yourself a space, we encourage you to register now for the activities of your choice.

I am a BIG ARTS Member: () YES () NO

Name	
Address	City, State, Zip
Email	
Phone (where you can be reached now)	Phone (where you can be reached during workshop)

Title	Instructor Name	Date/Time	Fee

Method of Payment Enclosed: Cash, Check (Payable to BIG ARTS), Credit Card (MC, VISA, AMEX, DISC)		Course Fee Total	
Card #:		Membership (renewal or new)	
Exp. Date:	Security Code	Add \$5 handling fee	
Signature:		TOTAL PAID	

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Disclaimer

In consideration of receiving permission from BIG ARTS to use any of its equipment, facilities or engage in any instruction or observation (“Activity”) whether such Activity is organized by BIG ARTS or not, the undersigned User, for myself, my personal representatives, heirs and assigns, acknowledge that I understand the nature of the Activity engaged in and that I am qualified in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in the Activity. I fully understand that the Activity may involve risks and dangers of bodily injury, whether caused by my own actions, the actions of others, the conditions in which the Activity takes place, or the negligence, action or inaction of the Releasees named below. I further understand that in the event of injury, all costs incurred therein must be paid by my personal insurance company or me, provided, however, that the foregoing shall not be construed as a waiver on my part of any rights to seek damages from any Releasee.

With this knowledge, I hereby release, discharge and hold harmless BIG ARTS, its directors, officers, employees, agents, volunteers, other participants and all others (the Releasees) from any and all claims or causes of action, both known and unknown, arising out of any negligent omission, action or inaction on my part, including negligent rescue operations; and I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless each of the Releasees from any loss, liability, damages, costs, or expenses which such Releasee may incur as the result of such claim resulting from any such negligent omission, action or inaction on my part .

By signing below, I indicate that I have read this agreement, fully understand its terms, and understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing it; that I have signed it freely; and that I intend it to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability to the extent described herein and allowed by law and agree that should any portion of this agreement be held invalid, the balance shall continue to be in full force and effect.

If the Participant is a minor, this agreement has been signed by the Parent or Legal Guardian, who represents that they have the ability to give this waiver on behalf of the minor child, and that the child meets the physical requirements of the Activity.

Signature		Date	
Emergency Contact Name	Address	Phone	Relationship

