



The STUDIO school

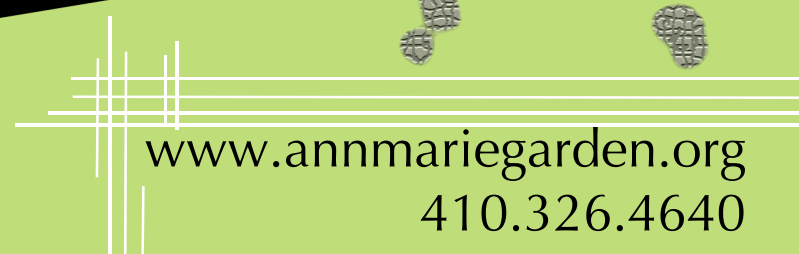
Spring '09 Schedule of Classes



Creative classes for all ages and abilities

Annmarie Garden

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WELCOME to Annmarie Garden's Studio School – a place with creative offerings for all ages and abilities! At the Studio School, you will find classes and workshops offered in a relaxed and friendly arts environment that will inform and challenge the beginning or experienced student. Our classes represent a range of subjects, media, and techniques and are taught by skilled practicing artists and educators who will help you define and work towards your own artistic goals. Come to the Studio School and let our studios, talented and supportive faculty, and beautiful setting enrich your life!

DID YOU KNOW?

- The arts bolster self-confidence
- The arts allow all ages to embrace their imaginations and socialize and communicate with others
- The arts teach kids to be more tolerant and open
- Creative activities for the elderly provide an opportunity for therapeutic self-expression and improve self-esteem

Registration Policies

A Welcoming Environment - Annmarie Garden is committed to connecting people to art and nature. Through a variety of engaging classes and workshops, the Studio School opens up opportunities for creativity, collaboration, and reflection. The School seeks to provide an open and welcoming atmosphere for all ages and abilities. No student will be denied admission to the School on the basis of race, sex, or ethnic origin.

Registration Deadline - full tuition payment must be made one week before the first class is scheduled to meet. There are no refunds after the registration deadline.

Late Registration Fee - a late fee of \$10 will be charged to anyone registering for a class after the registration deadline.

Refunds - tuition is refundable, minus a processing fee of \$10 for each class dropped, only if written notification of the withdrawal is made before the registration deadline. No refunds will be made after this time. Failure to attend classes will not be regarded as an official notice of withdrawal. Withdrawals due to illness or family emergency will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

Cancellations - classes are cancelled when enrollment minimums are not reached. Full tuition will be refunded within the following three weeks. These cancellations may be made at the last moment and students are notified by telephone or email. Annmarie Garden reserves the right to change instructors, class structure, or to discontinue any class without incurring obligations.

Age requirements - in order to register for adult classes, students must be 18 years of age. Younger students may petition the Director of Annmarie Garden for permission to enroll in an adult class or workshop. No one, including children of students, is allowed in the studios during class unless they are enrollees or have visitor permission from the Director of Annmarie Garden.

Class/Workshop Supply List – where applicable, you will receive a supply list with your confirmation of enrollment. Please come to the first class or workshop prepared to work.

Code of Conduct - In order to provide students, members, visitors and staff with a safe and supportive educational environment, Annmarie Garden reserves the right to refuse to retain any student exhibiting disruptive or unacceptable behavior in any course at any time without incurring obligations.

Membership – Members enjoy discounts on all classes and workshops. Please consider becoming a member - your contributions help support Annmarie Garden's operations and programs.

Special Needs and Accessibility – if you need to request an accommodation for a student with a disability, please call the Garden office at 410.326.4640.

REGISTRATION FORM

Please complete form and mail with payment to
Studio School, Annmarie Garden, PO Box 99, Dowell, MD 20629

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

<u>Class Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>	<u>Price</u>
_____	_____	_____
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Total Price \$ _____

If registering children, please provide children's names and ages below:

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Check enclosed Visa Mastercard

Checks should be made payable to ANNMARIE GARDEN.

Acct # _____

Exp. Date _____ 3-digit Security Code _____

Signature _____

PAINTING AND DRAWING

Watercolor Techniques

Thursdays, 2/26 – 4/2

1pm – 4 pm

Member/Non-member-- \$110/\$120

Six sessions

Instructor: Mary Blumberg

Come and enjoy a splash of watercolor! These sessions are an exciting exploration into the art of painting in watercolor. Learn to express your personality both realistically and abstractly as you learn new watercolor techniques—sometimes breaking the rules, painting outside the lines to reveal an intriguing finished product. For beginning and intermediate students.

**Jumpstart to Abstraction**

Saturday, 3/21

10:30 am – 3:30 pm

Members/ Non-members-- \$60/70

Materials fee: \$15 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Brenda Belfield

Discover your inner as you enjoy an acrylic painting and mixed media collage workshop perfect for beginners! This class introduces representational and abstract intuitive painting. Demonstrations and study of finished artworks make the process easy and enjoyable. No experience necessary—just bring your enthusiasm and creativity!

**Watercolor Botanicals**

Wednesday, 4/8

9:30- 3 pm

Member/Non-member-- \$60/ 65

Materials fee: \$15 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Nancy Thompson

For all levels of skill, this class will use watercolor techniques to create a painting of a dogwood tree. Learn tips and tricks about this medium while working in a step-by-step approach. Each student comes away with one finished painting.

Painting In Miniature

Sunday, 3/ 8

9:30 am – 3pm

Members/ Non-members-- \$60/65

Materials fee: \$10 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Nancy Thompson

Learn how to use acrylic paints to produce four miniature paintings, 5" x 7." These paintings are great for fast studies or gifts, and provide a fast approach to learning about acrylic painting. Join us for a fun and creative day!

**Creating Artistic Sketch Journals**

Saturday, 2/28

9:30-3pm

Members/Non-members-- \$55/60

Materials Fee: \$5 due to instructor at class

Nancy Thompson

Learn how to set the camera aside and use pencil, pen, and watercolor to create fast sketches and renderings of life's moments. For all levels of ability, this "fast-sketching" technique can be used to create travel journals, garden journals, and more. Bring a journal, a bagged lunch, and join us for a fun and interesting day!

CLAY AND CERAMICS

**Ceramics: Raku Workshop**

Saturdays, 4/25 and 5/2

10-2pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$85/95

Materials Fee: \$20 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Ray Bogle

Learn how to use clay slabs to build boxes and other items. Learn the Raku firing process and participate in the firing of your pieces. An interesting and dramatic process to learn! No experience necessary.

Mothers Day Tea for Two (or Three or More!)

Saturday, 5/9

10-3pm

Parent/Child couples-- \$75/\$85

Additional children: \$15 each

Instructor: Sarah Houde

Perfect for moms, grand moms, or any special woman in your life! In this ceramics workshop, family groups will work together to create their own tea service complete with a teapot, creamer, sugar bowl, and teacups for each participating member. After building your set, take a break and enjoy an early afternoon tea party before returning to the studio to dip your tea set in glaze. A unique way to celebrate the maternal figure in your life! Class size is limited to eight families—register now!

**Pottery Boot Camp**

Saturday 3/28 and Sunday 3/29

10-4pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$140/150

Materials Fee : \$15 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Ray Bogle

Get your hands dirty as you learn how to use a potter's wheel to create bowls, vases and more. For beginning and intermediate students, various techniques will be taught to create beautiful forms. Maximum class size is five students—hurry! Register today!

Girls Night Out: Wine and Dish

Wednesdays, 3/11 and 3/25 OR

Wednesdays, 4/15 and 4/29

7-9pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$75/80

Instructor: Sarah Houde

Enjoy the company of friends, fun snacks, and drinks as you learn to construct a large pitcher or tray as part of a serving set! Using clay slabs, embellishments, and glazes, make your creation one-of-a-kind! Grab a friend and sign up today!

**Ceramic Tile-making Workshop**

Saturday and Sunday, 3/21-22

10 am – 3 pm both days

Members/Non-members \$90/100

Instructor: Parran Collery

Spend a weekend with local tile artist Parran Collery exploring several techniques and methods for creating relief sculpted tiles in clay. Students will have the opportunity to create several pieces around a theme that is meaningful to them. Design issues, including form, texture, and color will be addressed. Open to all skill levels.

WEARABLE ART

**Bead MANIA: Beaded Cabochon Necklace**

Sunday, 3/8

11am - 4pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$55/60

Instructor: Liz Printz

Bead embroidery techniques are explored in the creation of these elegant necklaces! Embellish a semi-precious stone or found object with seed beads, crystals, and charms. Whether you choose simple or elaborate designs, the results are always stunning! No experience necessary!

**Painting with Wool**

Tuesday and Wednesday, 3/3-4

6-8:30pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$60/65

Materials Fee: \$15 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Robyn Strayer

"Paint" a picture using wool, soap, and water. Learn the subtle color changes that occur when the wool layers are felted together, locking in the design. This technique can be applied to many other projects such as purses, scarves, slippers, and more. Each student comes away with a wool felt painting, approximately 12" x 14," ready to be framed. No experience necessary!

Fantastic Felt Hat

Saturday and Sunday, 2/14 - 15

Sat. 11-4:30 pm, Sun. 1-4:30 pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$85/90

Materials Fee: \$20 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Robyn Strayer

Learn a no-sew approach to "sculpting" a hat by using wool fibers, water, and soap. Embellish your hat with added details using additional wool techniques, such as pre-felting and carding. No experience necessary!

Recycled Fabric Nuno Scarf

Saturday, 2/28

10-4:30pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$65/70

Materials Fee: \$15 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Robyn Strayer

Repurpose old clothing and fabrics to create shifts of texture in a pieced scarf. Learn the technique of wet-felting, by massaging wool fibers into the fabrics to for a unique product. No experience necessary! Each participant walks away wearing a finished fabric scarf!

Bead MANIA 2: Beaded Tassel Necklace

Saturday, 4/25

10am - 4pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$55/60

Instructor: Liz Printz

Explore traditional beading techniques and learn some new tricks while creating this lavishly beaded tassel. This class is surprisingly easy with spectacular results! A must for bead enthusiasts!



WEARABLE ART (CONTINUED)

You Never FELT So Fine!

Tuesday and Wednesday, 3/17-18

6-8:30pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$60/65

Materials Fee: \$15 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Robyn Strayer

Grab a friend and enjoy an evening escape as you sculpt a small purse using wool, soap, and water. Learn the technique of wet-felting as you create a colorful purse large enough for a cell phone, lipstick, license, and credit card.

**Garden Scarves: A Nuno Approach**

Saturday, 5/16

10-4:30pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$65/70

Materials Fee: \$20 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Robyn Strayer

Create a spring garden inspired scarf as you learn the Nuno process of marrying wool fiber with silk gauze. Learn how to make a floral design with wool, water, and soap to create a wonderfully textural scarf.

Art Jewelry: Beading Basics

Sunday, 3/22

12-3pm

Member/Non-member-- \$30/35

Materials fee-- \$30 due to instructor at class (includes everything you need to make a jewelry set)

Instructor: Mickey Kunkle

Learn the basics of making beaded jewelry. Make earrings, a necklace, and a bracelet and you learn about jeweler's tools, materials, and techniques. Excellent afternoon outing for moms and daughters, or fun with a friend!

Jewelry Art: Peyote Stitch

Sunday, 3/29

12noon-3pm

Member/Non-member-- \$30/35

Materials Fee-- \$25 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Mickey Kunkle

Learn this basic off-loom beading technique. This technique is very easy to learn and can be used to make complicated beaded jewelry. Instructor provides everything you need to get started. Each student comes away with a beaded bracelet.

Nuno Felted Handbag

Saturday, 4/4

10-4:30pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$65/70

Materials Fee: \$20 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Robyn Strayer

Create a one-of-a-kind handbag with silk and wool. Learn to create a beautifully textured surface by layering silk and wool and massaging the fibers together with soap and water. Create a color strap out of twisted fibers and yarns as the finishing touch. No experience necessary!

Open Grid Wet-Felted Scarf

Tuesday and Wednesday, 4/14-15

6-8:30pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$60/65

Materials Fee: \$15 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Robyn Strayer

Make an open grid designed scarf using carefully placed wool roving. Learn to sculpt the fibers into an airy, textural scarf by massaging the wool with soapy water. Each student comes away with a uniquely, sculptural scarf.

**Jewelry Art: Viking Knit Wire Bracelet**

Tuesday, 3/17

6:30 -9:30 pm

Member/Non-member-- \$30/35

Materials Fee--\$15-\$40 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Mickey Kunkle

Learn this ancient technique used before the invention of knitting needles. This method of knitting metal wire can be used for bracelets and necklaces. Each student comes away with one bracelet in your choice of metal wire. Materials fee varies based on your choice of copper, silver, or gold-filled wire.

FUN FOR ADULTS, CHILDREN, AND FAMILIES

**Make IT Mosaic: Birdbaths****Adults or family groups**

Saturday and Sunday, 4/18 - 19

10 am – 2 pm

Members/ Non-members-- \$75/\$85 per family group

Materials fee: \$10 per birdbath group

**Not recommended for children ages 7 and under

Instructor: Fritzie Seidler

Learn the basics of tile mosaic as you use ceramic tiles, glass bits, and more to create a mosaic birdbath to display in your yard. Learn creative techniques to give the project a little personality along the way. Fun for parent/child couples to build a birdbath together; children must be 8 or older. Individual adults are welcome too!

Mothers Day Tea for Two (or Three or More!)

Saturday, 5/9

10-3pm

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Additional children: \$15 each

Instructor: Sarah Houde

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**Mother/Daughter Polymer Clay Escape**

Saturday, 5/9

12:30-4:30pm

Member/ Non-member-- \$60/65 per couple

Materials Fee-- \$20 due to instructor at class

Instructor: Robyn Strayer

Learn polymer clay caning techniques and create beads and other accessories. Together you will make intricate designs to use on your own beads and trade them with your partner.

**Fathers Day Fling: Catapults and ... Fine Art?**

Saturday, 6/20

10 -1:30pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$50/60

All ages—families of all shapes and sizes are welcome!

Instructor: AMG staff

This Saturday workshop challenges dads, granddads, and the families they love, to build their own catapults and use them to create large paintings on canvas in the spirit of Jackson Pollock. Pack a picnic lunch and dress for a mess as we explore catapults, sling shots, paint rockets, and a variety of zany tools for mark-making. Each family comes away with a catapult, a large painting on canvas, and some rather colorful children! Class size is limited to twenty families—register now!

**Coming Soon: 2009 Summer Camp Schedule
Available in March!**

Visit www.annmariegarden.org for more information.

CLASSES FOR KIDS AND TEENS

**Picture This! Art+ Story Sessions** **Ages 3-6**

1st and 3rd Wednesdays of every month

2/4, 2/18, 3/4, 3/18, 4/1, 4/15, 5/6, 5/20

11am – 12pm

Register early for \$5 per child, per session

Walk-In Registration: \$8 per child, per session

Instructor: Joanne Paskoff

Designed for preschoolers, these hour-long story times teach basic art elements, styles, and even a little art history with wonderful children's books, imaginative games, and inventive art projects. Students come away with a matted artwork and a greater appreciation for all things artistic. Register now – classes fill up fast!

Trees are Terrific! Art + Play in the Garden
Ages 7-11

Saturday, 4/18

2-4pm

Member/Non-member -- \$20/25

Instructor: Joanne Paskoff

Join us for an afternoon of bonding with trees, as we approach them with an artistic eye. After a walk in the garden, we will adopt a tree and sketch it through the seasons. We will discuss the various types of trees, sprout a tree, learn about things we can eat from trees, and more. We will end the class by sculpting our own tree in wire.

PLAY in CLAY: Fairies and Wizards **Ages 6-12**

Saturday, 3/14

1-4 pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$35/40

Materials Fee: \$12 due to instructor on day of class

Instructor: Sarah Houde

Learn basic hand-building techniques as you make a simple pot and transform it into a fantastic fairy or wonderful wizard! Pinch, coil, and slab techniques will be demonstrated. Use under-glazes to bring your creation to life with color! Children 10 and under must be accompanied by an adult. There is no extra fee for the adult.

Art Class for Home-Schoolers **Ages 7-14**

1st and 3rd Wednesdays of every month

2/4, 2/18, 3/4 3/18, 4/1, 4/15, 5/6, 5/20

1 pm – 3 pm

Register Early: \$17 per child, per class

Walk-in Registration: \$20 per child, per class

Materials fee: \$3 due to instructor on day of class

Instructor: Joanne Paskoff

Students will learn art history and appreciation as they study the elements and styles of art. They will be introduced to various artists through a variety of media in a fun and creative environment. Each student will complete hands-on projects in class and receive take-home lessons to continue the learning process outside of class.

**PLAY in CLAY: Dragons** **Ages 10-16**

Saturday, 2/28

1-4 pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$40/45

Materials Fee: \$12 due to instructor on day of class

Instructor: Sarah Houde

Learn basic hand-building techniques as you make a simple pot and transform it into a marvelous, mystical dragon! Pinch and coil techniques will be demonstrated. Use underglazes to bring your dragon to life with color!

PLAY in CLAY: Fairy Houses **Ages 6-12**

Saturday, 4/25

1-4 pm

Member/ Non-member -- \$35/40

Materials Fee: \$12 due to instructor on day of class

Instructor: Sarah Houde

Learn basic hand-building techniques as you make a simple pot and transform it into a fantastic fairy or gnome house that can be placed outside! Paint your creation with under-glazes to add some pizzazz. Children 10 and under must be accompanied by an adult. There is no extra fee for the adult.

YOGA, MUSIC, DANCE & MORE**Songwriting Workshop**

Thursdays, 3/5- 3/26

6-8 pm

Four sessions

Member/ Non-member-- \$100/110

Instructor: Crystal Brandt

Learn basic procedures and techniques to writing songs in this introductory series. For all levels of music experience, participants receive guidance and encouragement as they work on their own original pieces. Upon completion of the course, students will be given the opportunity to perform at one of many Annmarie Garden special events and programs. Great for teens and adults!

Artful Yoga

Thursdays, 3/5- 4/9

6:30 – 8:30 pm

Six sessions

Member/ Non-member-- \$90/100

Instructor: Cristal Toribio

Find relaxation and inspiration as yoga and art are combined into one series! Each session will incorporate guided meditation, yoga, and an artistic form of expression such as collage, poetry, drawing, etc. Learn to open your body and mind to find inspiration and heightened creativity. Great for teens and adults!

Creative Yoga for Kids

Ages 7-11 or previous yoga experience at AMG

Mondays, 3/2- 4/6

5:30 – 6:30pm

Six Sessions

Member/ Non-member—\$75/80

Instructor: Erin Faccioli

This unique yoga class for children will introduce beginning concepts of Hatha yoga while allowing them to express themselves artistically through a yoga journal. The class will include hands on visual-aids to help children connect with the yoga poses. We will use planets and elements of nature to learn about each pose, and a few extra yoga-related art projects will be introduced. A fun way to learn about healthy living!

**STUDIO SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

The Studio School is currently seeking volunteers to help with a variety of school-related tasks and classes.

Positions Sought include:

Ceramic Studio Assistant

Summer Camp Counselors.

Weekend Activities Coordinator

Open House Facilitator

For more information, email
gardenprograms@chesapeake.net.

INTERESTED IN TEACHING A CLASS?

The Studio School seeks professional artists and educators to teach all ages and abilities. We are currently seeking instructors for the following classes:

Oil Painting

Drawing

Pastels

Printmaking

Children's Classes

For more information, contact Jaimie Jeffrey at
 410.326.4640 or gardenprograms@chesapeake.net.