

**Tues, Sept 1, 7-9pm, Age: 21+, Cost: \$15 each class, payable to Spiva
Bottles-n-Brushes at The Vinery (120 S. Main)**

Enjoy an evening of art and wine tasting at Downtown Joplin's wine bar. Jane Kleindl will lead the first session of this fun program making personalized wine labels. On Oct. 6, paint a wine bottle! ****Wine and food may be purchased separately at The Vinery.***

Thurs, Sept 3, 6:30pm, \$5 voluntary contribution.

Mind of the Artist Film Series – Art:21

Mind of the Artist series featuring the first episode of **Art:21**, the PBS documentary series about contemporary art and artists. Episode one focuses on place and its importance—how it informs artists' work as well as who they are. The episode includes fascinating profiles of artists *Laurie Anderson*, multi-media performance and recording artist; *Richard Serra*, sculptor; *Sally Mann*, photographer; *Margaret Kilgallen*, urban painter; *Barry McGee*, graffiti artist; and *Pepón Osorio*, installation artist. Shaun Conroy will lead the discussion following the film. *Snacks okay; drinks with tight-fitting lids only. Film Nights are sponsored by The Current!*

Sat, Sept 12, 11-2pm, Age: 16+, Cost: \$40

Jewelry: Fiber Techniques with Metal with *Randy Wright*

Crochet, coiling, and weaving techniques will be taught.

****Class limited to 8. Bring a lunch!***

**Tuesdays, Sept 15-Nov 17, 3:45-5:15pm, Age: 6+, Cost: \$5 per day,
Creation Station!**

Drop in Tuesday afternoons for a fun-filled after school program and explore a variety of media: painting, drawing, clay, watercolor, acrylic, sculpture, collage, photography, and printmaking, just to name a few! Explore the galleries with scavenger hunts and other activities! ***Pre-Registration Required!***

Sat, Sept 19, 10am-12noon, Age: All, Cost: No charge thanks to the contributions of the vendors!

Art in the Park with *Tricia Courtney*. Visit the **Webb City Farmer's Market** and create a masterpiece from vegetables.

Sat, Sept 19, 1-3pm, Age: 3, 4, 5, Cost: \$15

Pre-School Art

Little **SpivaKids** artists will be introduced to a variety of different media.

Sat, Sept 26, 10am-1pm, Age: 16+, Cost: \$25

Small Sculpture for Adults: Advanced Techniques with *Randy Wright*

Blending, chevron beads, patterned slab work, buttons, and totems will all be explored.

****Class limited to 8***

Sat, Sept 26, 2-4pm, Age: 8+, Cost: \$20

Small Sculpture for Kids with *Randy Wright*

Make all kinds of small-scale sculptures with Sculpey. You can sculpt it, carve it, stamp it, texture it, sand it, buff it, paint it, and build with it to create figurines, dolls, and jewelry!

Sat, Sept 26, 2pm, Cost: \$15

Seminar: Kansas City Volunteer Lawyers and Accountants for the Arts presents *The Associated Press vs. Shepard Fairey: Infringement or Fair Use?*

Join us for an explanation and discussion of the issues surrounding the lawsuit and how they might apply to you!

Sun, Sept 27, 2pm, Cost: \$5.00 Admission to Demo

Live Portrait Painting Demo with Bob Tommey

Buy a \$20 chance to win at Spiva now through 5pm, Wed, Sept 23. You (or a loved one) could be the model and **keep** the portrait by Bob Tommey! Call Spiva for more info: 417.623.0183.

Thursdays, Oct 1, 8, 15, 22, 6-8pm, Age: 16+, Cost: \$75 per person

Tango Classes at Spiva!

Spiva presents Argentine tango taught by Mt. Vernon Tango dancer *Karen Whitesel*.

As Karen says, "Tango is the ultimate outlet for exercise and creativity!" The only prerequisite is **balance, rhythm, and passion**. No partner needed. **Class limited to 12*

Sat, Oct 3, 10am

Art Educators Networking Brunch

Spiva Center for the Arts invites all area art educators to a networking event in the AT&T Main Gallery. Please bring a pot luck dish to share and come see what is going on at Spiva and in the area art community. Dr. Rahila Weed is the featured speaker at the October Arts Educator Networking meeting. Dr. Weed is an Assistant Professor of Art at the University of Central Missouri and specializes in art and autism in the classroom. This project is supported in part by an award from the National Endowment for the Arts and the Missouri Arts Council.

Thurs, Oct 1, 8, 15, 6-8pm, Age: 16, Cost: \$55 for 3 classes

Digital Video with Lisa Harris

Learn about short films and filmmakers, basic editing and shooting and intro to non-linear editing software, **Final Cut Pro**. Students need to bring a digital camera to class, and a laptop would be helpful.

Sat, Oct 3, 10, 17, 24, 1-3pm, Age: 16+, Cost: \$100 for 4 classes

Medium Format Photography with Lisa Harris

Learn the basics of shooting medium format photography. Students need to bring a Holga or Diana toy camera to class. Film will be provided. Students are responsible for their own processing/printing fees.

Sun, Oct 4, 11, 18, 25, Nov 1, 8, 2-4pm, Age: 16+, Cost: \$100 for 6 classes

Intro to Dream Weaver with Lisa Harris

Create a website! **Students should bring a laptop and a trial download of CS4*

Fridays, Oct 2, 9, 16, 23, 3:30-5:30pm, Age:14+, Cost: \$15/Session

Screen Printing with *Burt Bucher*

Spiva Board Member-Artist and MSSU professor is back on Friday afternoons for this popular printmaking class! **Supplies included*

Tues, Oct 6, 7-9pm, Age: 21+, Cost: \$15 each class, payable to Spiva

Bottles-n-Brushes at *The Vinery* (120 S. Main)

Enjoy an evening of art and wine tasting at Downtown Joplin's wine bar. In this 2nd session, paint a wine bottle! ****Wine and food may be purchased separately at The Vinery***

Sun, Oct 11 & 25, 2-5pm, Age: 14+, Cost: \$50 for both days

Wire Wrap Stones with *Marta Churchwell*

Create a free-form wire-wrapped stone pendant in the first session. Bring your pendant and beads to match to the second class to complete a necklace! Spiva will provide stones & wire; students need to bring round nose pliers, needle nose pliers, and cutting pliers.

Sun, Oct 11, 2-4pm

Thomas Hart Benton: Missouri Storyteller

A special exhibition of works by renowned Missouri artist Thomas Hart Benton from the collection of The State Historical Society of Missouri. Society Art Curator Joan Stack will talk about Benton, his influential style, and the stories of Missouri portrayed in Benton's art works.

Sat, Oct 17, 10am-12noon, Age: 8+, Cost: \$15

Fabulous Flower Vases!

Create flower vases using recycled materials such as tissue, newspaper and magazines! A variety of glass objects will be available to decorate.

**Supplies included*

Sun, Oct 18, 1-4pm, Age: 12+, Cost: \$25

Self-Portrait Painting with *Jesse McCormick*

Create an uninhibited self-portrait. Bring an 8x10 canvas to class and we'll supply the paint and mirrors.

Sat, Oct 24, Nov 14, 21, 10am-12noon, Age: 9+, Cost: \$15/Session

Fundamentals of Art for Kids

Kids learn the elements of art through a variety of different projects and mediums.

Fri, Oct 30, 7:30pm, \$5 voluntary contribution

Film Night: *The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari*

Landmark silent horror film released in 1920. The film is well known for its Expressionist style, complete with wild, distorted set design. Shaun Conroy will provide the scary

soundtrack, as he did for last year's memorable *Nosferatu* showing. You don't want to miss this! *Film Nights are sponsored by The Current!*

Sat, Oct 31, 10am-1pm, Age: 3+, Cost: *No charge thanks to our generous sponsors!*

Pumpkin Carving and Painting for Kids

Sponsored by Quality Time Academy, Childcare/ Pre-School

Drop in between the hours of 10am and 1pm to decorate a jack o' lantern for Halloween night!

Sun, Nov 1, 1-4pm, Age: 12+, Cost: \$25

Painting and Drawing from Imagination: *Cats and Dogs!* With Jesse McCormick

Bring an 8x10 or 9x12 canvas to class and we'll supply the paint and inspiration.

Thurs, Nov 19, 6:30 pm, \$5 voluntary contribution

Mind of the Artist Film Series – *Art:21*

The second episode of *Art:21*, the PBS documentary series about 21st Century art and artists, focuses on how contemporary art addresses the idea of spirituality. How do artists working today reveal and question commonly held assumptions about faith, belief, meditation, and religious symbols? The *Art:21* documentary, "*Spirituality*," explores these questions through the work of several artists. *Snacks okay; drinks with tight-fitting lids only. Film Nights are sponsored by The Current!*

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