

## **WATERFALL ARTS SUMMER 2009**

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### **Kids Classes in Belfast - 3 August – 7 August**

***Drawing, Printmaking and Ceramics*** with Russell Kahn, Ages 8 – 12, 9am – 3 pm, M – F, \$120, includes materials, bring bag lunch. Get grounded in these great mainstays of the visual arts. In the mornings, Russell, a gifted teacher, will guide students through drawing, printmaking and mixed media techniques. In the afternoons, we'll work in clay on the wheel, hand-building, glazing and firing. Kids will bring home colorful completed pieces in each medium as well as a thirst for making and doing more.

***Castles, Dragons and Woodland Fairies*** with Lisa Newcomb, Kathryn Oliver and Jeff Densmore, 10-noon, M-F, Ages 5 - 8, \$90, includes materials Led by experienced instructors who understand the beauty of kids, creativity and fun. Using the power of imagination, we'll create dance movements with dragons, woodland fairies and medieval castles in mind. In addition, we'll make masks, musical noisemakers, sets and costumes and have a performance on the last day.

***Folkstory Puppetry: "The Sun's Sisters "*** with Nancy Tyndall, M-F, 1-4pm, Ages 8 – 12, \$100, includes materials In this Norse fairytale, a lad and a fox journey to the house of the Sun, track down troublesome trolls, and reunite the Sun's sisters. Each student will make a puppet character and rehearse their parts in the puppet theater. On the last day, parents, friends and children experience the delight of putting on and seeing a show. Shy people are welcome.

***Young at Art*** with Rachael Littlefield M-F, 1-3pm, Ages 4-7, \$90, includes materials Young children will have the opportunity to explore and create with painting, drawing, collage, clay and other media. Outside time will be incorporated into creative endeavors during fine weather. Students will stretch their imaginations and produce a variety of artworks during this week long class.

***Glass Beads for Young Folks*** with Suzanne Southworth, 9:00am – 12:00pm, Ages 14 -18, \$150, includes materials at **Kingdom Falls Site in Montville**. A great introduction to torchworking glass rods into beads and small sculptures. Hours fly by in focused creation, full of rich color and fascinating techniques to make pendants, bracelets, rings, necklaces and fish, even spectacular planets.

### **Adult Classes - Art, Light and Spirit of Place** **6 July – 14 Aug – Kingdom Falls in Montville**

#### **Artist Residency & Workshop with Nancy Manter - Belfast**

*Desire Lines Workshop/Project*, Nancy Manter, July 6 – 10, M – F, field work daily 2 – 6 pm, flexible schedule allowed; **Suitable for all ages**, children under 13 need adult accompaniment; **Free** with support from the Davis Family Foundation. Residency culminates in an exhibition opening July 10.

In this rich interaction with nature, participants will become co-creators in artist Nancy Manter's special residency and exhibit for Waterfall Arts, "Desire Lines". Desire Lines are intimate paths developed by animal or human footfall: intuitive and strategic trails through forests and fields. Early in the week, Manter and participants will travel to beaches, grassy fields and large rock formations around Belfast where they will use feet, sticks and other non-traditional drawing tools to create linear forms and configurations, their personal kinesthetic responses to each site, their own "desire lines". Environmental conditions, surfaces rich in texture and color, time and weather allow the individuals' imprints and patterns to be made, photographed and enlarged on Mylar and paper.

**People in Motion** with Nancy Morgan Barnes, Tues/Thurs, Aug 4, 6, 11, 13, 1-4pm, Ages 15 – adult, \$100; Materials: your favorite drawing/painting medium from pencil to charcoal to pastel on paper. Call for suggested materials list.

The human figure is a potent and engaging image, whether swimming, sunbathing, shopping, working, or playing. Learn to paint or draw the human form, not posed, but moving naturally in a real environment that is also not contrived or staged. This outstanding teacher will guide you in how to capture people in action and create a more credible and experiential piece of art *The group will start out at Kingdom Falls and travel to other sites*

**Hot Glass Sculpture and Beads** with Marta Bernbaum, M – F, Aug. 10 – 14, 10am – 3pm; Ages 13 – adult; \$175, materials included - at Kingdom Falls site

In this class for all skill levels, we'll explore the magic, excitement and alchemy of borosilicate glass, which changes color amazingly as it heats and cools. Under the experienced direction of this lively instructor, we'll make beautiful beads, pendants, small sculptures, and even blown vessels.

**The Illuminated Journal** with Susan Newbold, , M-F, Aug 10 – 14, 10 – 1 pm, Ages 13 – adult, tuition: \$100; materials, \$10 at Kingdom Falls site. A journal is a special place to work out thoughts, desires and discoveries and becomes something you and future generations will treasure. Landscape will inspire our first pages and creative use of pen, ink, watercolor, collage and printmaking will reveal interesting methods for integrating text and the page. Finally, we will assemble an artist book finished with a special binding. On this journey you will discover (or rediscover) what you love most

**Casting from Nature: Recycled Paper** with Kathy Levine, M-F, Aug. 10 -14, 10 – 4 pm; Ages: 13 – adult; tuition: \$150, materials: \$20 - at Kingdom Falls site. In this fascinating course, learn how to use recycled paper to make castings from natural subjects like sections of trees, seedpods, roots or rocks as well as arms, legs and faces. Photos taken before and during the project are then transferred to the paper castings in a simple, non-toxic process. Students integrate the whole piece through assembly and painting. The process and unique results reflect on and expand our relationship to the natural world.

**Painting: Still Life** with Adele Drake, M-F, Aug 10 – 14, 10 am -1pm, Ages 15 – adult; tuition: \$100; materials list provided - at Kingdom Falls site. Learn the basics of painting while you explore the genre of still life. Still life objects can become metaphors for expressing your poetic visual language. Daily writing exercises and sketching will help you develop a painting style that best captures the meaning you see through paint application, composition and color choice.

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