

# Willow Oak Center for Arts & Learning



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At Willow Oak, we offer the highest standard of excellence of training in the arts and humanities.

## 2014 WINTER-SPRING SCHEDULE

#### **CHORAL PROGRAM**

We invite you to be part of the exciting choral program at Willow Oak!

#### Willow Oak Choristers

Grades 5-12

Rehearsals: Thursdays • 6:00-6:50 pm • Begins Jan 16 Director: Muzetta Swann • Cost: \$35 per semester

Concert: TBA

### Willow Oak Chorale

Adults & Youth (Grades 7-12)

Rehearsals: Thursdays • 7:00-8:15 pm • Begins Jan 9 Director: Roger Bunch • Cost: \$35 per semester



The Willow Oak Chorale performing at Carnegie Hall, December 1<sup>st</sup>

#### Willow Oak Chorale at First United Methodist Church

Concert of Sacred Music • Wednesday, March 26 • 6:00-6:30 pm Concert of Sacred & Inspirational Music • Saturday, April 26 • 7:00 pm

The Willow Oak Choral program is funded in part by a grant from the Community Foundation of Middle Tennessee.

#### PRIVATE MUSIC LESSONS

Please call Willow Oak for lesson information: 615-380-8071.

**Roger Bunch:** voice • woodwind and brass instruments

Kim Jones: piano

Muzetta Swann: voice ◆ piano ◆ theory



#### Visual Arts: Arts & Crafts (Mixed Media) Classes

Grades K – Adult (6 years and under must be accompanied by an adult)

#### Mondays • 4:30 - 6:30 PM • \$25 per class (includes supplies)

Carol Savage, Instructor/Professional artist & calligrapher

Feb 10 - May

#### Visual Arts: "One Stroke" Painting

High school to adults

Thursdays, Feb 6, 13, 20, 27, Mar 6, 13 • 6:00-8:00 pm

Thursdays, Apr 3-May 8 ◆ 6:00-8:00 pm

Students will learn the Donna Dewberry Method of One Stroke Painting. Using specific brushes and supplies for this technique, they will learn and practice actual strokes in every class, how to paint flowers and leaves, and how to arrange them on a canvas. Each student will complete two paintings.

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Melanie Woodall, instructor/certified in the Dewberry One Stroke Painting method

Cost: \$120 + \$50 supply kit (includes paints, brushes, canvases specific to this painting style;

student will keep supplies)



"One Stroke" Painting Melanie Woodall, artist

**Painting Parties** • High school to adults • \$35 includes all supplies Fridays, Feb 21, Mar 14, April 11, May 9 • 7:00-10:00 pm *Enjoy a fun evening while creating an acrylic painting you'll take home that night!* 

## Please call 615-380-8071 to register by Thursday at noon!

Instruction and all supplies are included Bring your favorite beverage and snack

Ask about our private painting parties for your next event!

#### **FOLK ARTS**

Spinning: Fiber Spinning ◆ Middle School to Adults

Mondays, Mar 3-31 • 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Advanced Beginner to intermediate students This class is for spinners who wish to hone their skills, brush up or learn playing techniques, or for those with questions about or have problems with their wheels, etc. Teacher and student led.

Cost: \$60 Denise Rostan-Haley, instructor

Knitting: "Put a Sock in it!" • Middle School to Adults

Tuesdays, Feb 4-Apr 15 • 6:30-8:00 pm

If you've ever wanted to learn to knit socks, here's your chance!

Students will knot a simple pair of shortie socks. Pattern will be provided.

\*\* Students need to bring 270 yards or (100 g) DK sport weight wool yarn, 1 set of size 3, 7" double pointed knitting needles (5 to a set), and a 3" stitch holder.

Students <u>must</u> know how to cast-on, knit, purl, increase/decrease, and cast-off. We will be "knitting in the round" and using the "long-tail" cast-on method. If you're not familiar with either of these methods, it would be to your advantage to research YouTube/internet or contact me in advance of class for a private lesson.

Cost: \$120 Denise Rostan-Haley, instructor



#### Knitting: Beginning Knitting ◆ Middle School to Adults

Thursdays, Feb 6-27 • 6:30-8:00 pm

Learn to cast on, knit, purl, increase, decrease and cast off.

Supply fee includes kit containing Brittany wooden knitting needles and yarn. (\$20)

Cost: \$60 + \$20 supply fee Denise Rostan-Haley, instructor



#### **Knitting: Knitting in the Round ◆** Middle School to Adults

Thursdays, Mar 6-13 • 6:30-8:00 pm

Students must know how to cast-on, knit, purl and cast off. Learn to make seamless garment; mittens, hats, gloves. In class, students will complete a mug cozy. Supply fee includes kit containing 1 set of Brittany wooden double pointed knitting needles and yarn to complete cozy. (\$20)

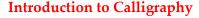
Cost: \$30 + \$20 supply fee Denise Rostan-Haley, instructor

#### Knitting: After Beginning Knitting • Middle School to Adults

Thursdays, Mar 27-May 1 • 6:30-8:00 pm

Explore simple stitch combinations; ribbing, seed stitch, simple lave work and student led. Students need prior knowledge of casting on, knitting, purling, increasing/decreasing and casting off. Students should being their own yarn and needles.

Cost: \$90 Denise Rostan-Haley, instructor



Ages 10 to Adult

Session I: Mondays, Feb 10, 17, 24, Mar 3 • 7:00-8:30 pm Session I: Tuesdays, Feb 11, 18, 25, Mar 4 • 10:00-11:30 am Session II: Mondays, Mar 24, 31, Apr 7, 14 • 7:00-8:30 pm Session II: Tuesdays, Mar 25, Apr 1, 8, 15 • 10:00-11:30 am



Do you wish you could write beautifully? Address envelopes with a flourish? Is there an untouched calligraphy pen that you want to learn how to use? Then join us for a fun opportunity to try your hand at beautiful lettering!

Beginners will start with the basics – pen angle, spacing, rhythm – plus experiment with a variety of pens, inks, and lettering styles.

Advance at your own pace to learning specific "hands" – italic, uncial, copperplate, etc. You are welcome to bring specific projects that you want to letter. Then you won't want to miss this opportunity to learn calligraphy from a professional. You will learn the basics of good lettering – pen angle, spacing, rhythm – plus experiment with a variety of pens, inks, and lettering styles.

Cost: \$48 + \$8 supply fee

Carol Savage, professional calligrapher/instructor

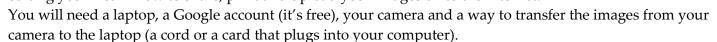


## **Computers: Picasa & Your Pictures**

Middle School to Adult

#### Mondays, February 10, 17, 24, March 3 ◆ Noon – 1:00 pm

Learn techniques for editing and managing your images using Picasa, a free photo editing and managing software from Google. This class will cover editing, straightening, cropping, resizing, color correction, red eye and adding text to your images. Create a collage, and make a picture video. After editing you'll learn how to share, print and upload your images on to the Internet.



Cost: \$80 ◆ Renee Harrington, Tech Coach/Instructor

#### Computers: iPad and iPhone 101

Middle School to Adult

## Mondays, March 10, 17, 24, 31 (4 classes) ◆ Noon – 1:00 pm

Tips, Tricks, and Basic How To's for your iPad and iPhone. Learn about your General Settings, backing up your data, updating your device, email, browsing the Web, install, organize and delete your Apps, taking pictures and videos (and sharing them), Facetime, being "Social" and a lot more.

You will need your iPad or iPhone, your iTunes/Apple ID and password.

Cost: \$80 ◆ Renee Harrington, Tech Coach/Instructor



# Valentine's Day Dinner Friday, February 14 & 6:30 pm

Enjoy a delicious gourmet dinner and wine prepared by chef and designer Roger Bunch at his beautiful historic home in Barren Plains. You and your valentine will be wined and dined in a memorable evening of food and fun. \$75/couple or \$40/person

Please call 615-380-8071 for reservations. Space is limited.

# GUMBO SUPPER & CONCERT FUNDRAISER

Saturday, March 1

Springfield Baptist Church, 400 North Main St., Springfield, TN

5:00 – 7:00 pm ◆ Supper

7:00 pm • Concert

Enjoy Tennessee and shrimp gumbo, North Carolina Brunswick stew, and chili, followed by performances of Willow Oak's finest singers and instrumentalists.

Tickets: Adults \$15 for supper & show ◆ Children 6 & under: \$8





#### Willow Oak Chorale at First United Methodist Church

Two Concerts of Sacred Music & Inspirational Music

Wednesday, March 26 • 6:00-6:30 pm Saturday, April 26 • 7:00 pm

Enjoy two concerts of beautiful choral music accompanied by orchestra and organ in the beautiful setting of First United Methodist Church of Springfield. Works include Bainton's "And I Saw a New Heaven," Thompson's "Alleluia," Wilhousky's "Battle Hymn of the Republic,"



selections from Rutter's "Requiem" and Mass of the Children, and favorite spirituals.

Visit our website to purchase tickets: www.willowoakarts.org

## Fundraiser at Corbin Creek Greenhouse • Saturday, May 10 • 9:00-3:00 pm

Corbin Creek Greenhouse & Gifts









Proceeds from sales benefit Willow Oak. Corbin Creek is located at 4920 Highway 161, Springfield, TN 37172

## Wine Reception & "Ragtime" Preview

Saturday, July 5 • The Carousel House



Coming in September!

**Talent Show Fundraiser** • September 2014 **Art in the Park** • October 4

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## **Kroger Care Cards**

There's an easy way to support Willow Oak! Every time you shop at Kroger, use a gift card issued by Willow Oak. We receive \$4 for every \$100 you spend! Reload the card at the checkout counter as needed for your grocery and gas purchases. Kroger Care Cards are available at Willow Oak or by calling 615-380-8071.

## **Class Registration**

There 2 ways to register:

#### 1) Online

Go to <u>www.willowoakarts.org</u> and find the classes and events you want to attend. Click "Buy Now" to use Paypal to pay for each class and event. A notification is automatically sent to our email notifying us of your registration. After paying online, all you need to do is arrive at our location at the appointed time.

## 2) Phone & Mail

You may register by calling <u>615-380-8071</u> to register for a class. You may then mail your payment to: Willow Oak Center

PO Box 236 Springfield, TN 37172

Please indicate the classes and events you are registering for on your check. Checks only are accepted through the mail. To use a debit or credit card, please pay online on our website.

Willow Oak is located at 726 South Main Street in Springfield, TN 37172 (beside Springfield Cinema). All classes and events are held at this address unless otherwise noted.

Willow Oak Center for Arts & Learning reserves the right to make schedule changes.

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