



WORKSHOPS

Wire-Wrapping taught by Shirley Grower

Learn the techniques of wire wrapping around a piece of stone that you can turn into a pendant! Perfect for Valentines or Mother's Day. Or just make it for yourself!

Cost: \$40 per person. (stones, wire, and tools are provided)

Date: Thursday, January 26th or Thursday, February 2nd

Time: 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Make a Clay Bird Bath by Ceramic Artist, Cheryl English

Three day workshop! On the first day, we will work with slab of clay to create a free form bird bath using hands, tools, and a mold. On the second day, we will use stains and glaze to "color" our bird bath. The last day will be spent stringing it up with leather straps and you'll go home with a bird bath that you'll love in your garden! No clay experience required! Taught by Cheryl English, of Black Cat Pottery!

Dates: Wednesdays: March 14, March 21, and March 28.

Time: 6 - 8 pm

Cost: \$65 per person. All materials are included!

Make Herb Garden Markers out of Polymer Clay by Christine Laikind

We will make six (6) herb garden markers out of polymer clay for your herb garden!: Basil, Parsley, Thyme, Oregano, Chives, and Rosemary.

Wednesday, March 7th

6:30-8:30pm

Cost: \$25 per person. All materials provided.

There's more workshops - go to our website at www.firebrickgalleryandpotterystudio.com! All of the workshops mentioned here you can register online or stop by at the gallery!

Open Studio Membership - Ceramics

Firebrick Gallery and Pottery Studio is a fully equipped ceramic studio, school, and practice space for beginners and ceramic artists.

- Cost: \$130 a month
- Open Studio membership grants full access to the studio as well as use of studio's glazes and kiln during studio hours. (Instruction is not included)
- Open Studio members receive 10% off on classes and workshops offered at Firebrick Gallery and Pottery Studio.
- Firebrick Gallery and Pottery Studio has:
 - Six pottery wheels
 - Two wedging tables
 - 1 slab roller
 - 1 extruder
 - 2 electric kilns
 - worktables and storage space



About Firebrick Gallery and Pottery Studio

Firebrick Gallery and Pottery Studio is an art gallery, gift shop, and studio. Our Gallery showcases exclusively Michigan emerging and established artists, including pottery, photography, oil and acrylic paintings, mixed media, jewelry and more. We offer leasing and rental of artwork for business and residential.

Our gift shop features note cards, outdoor and home decor, jewelry, and other items, all made from Michigan artists.

Firebrick Gallery and Pottery Studio is also a fully equipped pottery studio, school and practice space for beginners and ceramic artists.

We offer courses, workshops, and private tutoring for introductory and intermediate students. Our generous community open studio workspace is available to students and experienced ceramic artists.

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Teens and Adults

NEW - Clay sampler



Over the course of eight weeks, students will have an opportunity to explore various approaches with ceramics: wheel throwing at the pottery wheel, hand building techniques, and tile making. At the end, participants will go home with at least four completed projects. All levels - beginners and experienced welcome!

- Cost: \$225 for eight sessions
- Class meets on Mondays. Start date: March 26. Last day of class is May 14.
- Time: 6 to 8:30 pm

Teens and Adults

Introduction to Wheel Throwing Class

• This class includes an introduction to the potter's wheel, focusing on wedging, shaping, trimming, simple glazing techniques, and studio safety. Typically, students take this class more than once before they are comfortable moving on to the next level. We have designed the beginning pottery classes to give you the basic skills and knowledge (after a couple of sessions) to become an open studio member.



- Cost: \$170 for eight sessions.
- **We're offering THREE class choices! See below!**
- **Monday Morning:** 10 am to 1 pm (Start date is March 26. Last day of class is May 14.)
- **Tuesday Evenings:** 6 to 9 pm (Start date is March 27. Last day of class is May 15.)
- **Saturday Mornings:** 9:30 am to 12:30 pm (start date is March 31. Last day of class is May 19.)

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Hand Building Techniques with Clay



• An alternative or a supplement to the potter's wheel. In handbuilding, you will be introduced to several methods of constructing with clay. We will show you projects involving slabs, coils, and extruded shapes. Projects include platters, large bowls, vases,

and whatever else we can come up with! You'll learn how to glaze your pieces as well.

- Cost: \$140 for six sessions
- **Tuesday Evenings:** 6:00 to 8:30 pm (First day of class meets on March 27. Last day of class is May 1.)
- **Wednesday Evenings:** 6:00 to 8:30 pm (First day of class meets on May 9. Last day of class is June 13.)

Teens and Adults

Intermediate Wheel Throwing



• This course is offered to for students who have been taking beginners wheel throwing and want to develop their skills to the next level at wheel throwing. Students will continue to throw pots, bowls, vases, cups, and plates.

- Cost: \$170 for eight sessions
- Class meets on Thursdays. Start date is March 29. Last day of class is May 17.
- Time: 6 to 9 pm

We offer classes and workshops all year round.

REGISTER ONLINE and PAY THROUGH PAYPAL!

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Adults

Clay Tile Making

In this course students will learn to create handmade tiles using a variety of methods including slabs, press molds, and bisque stamps. Emphasis will be placed creating textural surfaces and bas-relief designs with clay.



- Beginners are welcome as well as students with clay experience.
- Cost: \$140 for six sessions
- **Wednesday Evenings:** 6:30 to 8:30 pm. (First day of class meets on March 28. Last day of class is May 2.)

Fine Arts

Teens and Adults - you can start anytime!



Drawing and Painting class

With one on one guidance, students will develop their skills in drawing and painting. They will have an opportunity to explore acrylic, oils and watercolor. Students are responsible for their own materials. A material list can be provided. Beginners and intermediate students welcome.

- Cost: \$60 for **four sessions**
- Thursdays: Time: 6 to 8 pm
- or -
- Two Time Slots available on Saturdays:
- Saturdays: Time: 10:30 am to 12:30 pm
- or
- Saturdays: Time: 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm
- *Students are responsible for their own materials. Request for materials list by e-mailing firebrickgallery@att.net five days before session starts.*