



**Firebrick Gallery and Pottery Studio is a great place to celebrate . . . any occasion!**

**We offer parties for groups of children or adults.**

**Have a great time creating something you'll enjoy forever . . . handcraft bowls, cups, sculpture, or even a painting!**

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### **Clay – Wheel Throwing or Hand building**

We offer wheel throwing or hand building clay parties. Participants build their own art object from wet clay and have an option of finishing it with glaze. The wet clay takes approximately one week to dry and needs to be fired prior to glazing. After the first firing, studio staff will glaze the work in the chosen glaze and it will be fired again. Art work can be picked up 2 – 3 weeks after your event. We offer to glaze your pieces in the following colors: speckle white, satin black, green, or clear.

Party time is included for you to enjoy the refreshments you bring or have delivered to the studio. (We have lots of great local businesses in downtown Rochester who deliver!). We provide space for you to set up your food and party goods. We do not provide food, beverages or paper goods.

### **Painting**

We host “Paint Like Jackson Pollock “painting parties. A very fun and liberating event. Anyone can do this ~ no experience needed! Participants will be provided two 16 x 16 canvas and acrylic paint. With a short demo, everyone has free rein to express his or her art in Jackson Pollock style! (Action Painting) At the end, participants can take their paintings home with them.

Party time is included for you to enjoy refreshments you bring or have delivered to the studio. There is space for you to set up your food and party goods. We do not provide food, beverages or paper goods.

### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION BELOW:**

#### **Clay**

**Party Duration:** We offer three options. See below:

**Payment:** A non-refundable deposit of \$25 is required to hold the reservation. Balance is due at the start of the party.

**Age:** For Wheel Throwing and Hand Building, children must be at least eight years old. A mixture of adults and children is welcome.

**NOTE:** We do offer an alternate hand building option for children aged 5 to 7 with clay. We use Crayola clay to introduce the pinch, coil, and slab method. Then the participants can take it home to let it dry within 24 to 48 hours before painting it with acrylic paint. The price for group party is \$15 per participant for two hours of clay time and half hour party time. Minimum group size is 4 and maximum is 10. We do ask that there be at least another adult or two with this age group.

**Minimum size** is four people.

**Maximum size** is 7 for wheel throwing and 10 for hand building.

**Cost:**

- Two hour instruction: \$20 per participant – limit two bowls
- Two and half hours of instruction: \$38 per participant – limit four bowls
- Three-hour instruction: \$57 per participant – typically you may make about four to six bowls.

**Schedule:** We have Tuesday, Friday, and Saturday evenings and Sunday afternoons. Evening times are 6 to 9 pm. Sunday afternoon times are 12:30 to 3:30 pm.

**Firing fee is included.** However, if you want to come back and glaze your own pieces, in other colors than the standard offering, there is an additional \$15 fee per person. An appointment has to be scheduled in advance to come in and glaze your finished pieces.

**Painting**

**Party Duration:** two hours of instruction and paint time.

**Payment:** A non-refundable deposit of \$25 is required to hold the reservation. Balance is due at the start of the party.

**Age:** Children must be at least 11 years old. A mixture of adults and children is welcome.

**Minimum size** is four people.

**Maximum size** is 10.

**Cost:**

- \$35 per participant

**Schedule:** We have Tuesday and Friday evenings and Sunday afternoons. Evening times are 7 to 9 pm. Sunday afternoon times are 1 to 3 pm.

**For Girl Scouts or Boy Scouts,** the prices are based on groups for three hours, where we can alternate showing the troops on how to wheel throw and hand build.

For groups of 6 to 10: \$15 per person for three hours, plus \$20 set up and clean up fee.

For groups of 11 or more: \$18 per person for three hours, plus \$20 set up and clean up fee. (Our maximum is 15).

Tuesday or Friday evenings are available and Saturday afternoons. Evening times are 6 to 9 pm. Afternoon is from 12:30 to 3:30 pm. Please send at least one months notice.