

# Smart (Saturday Morning ART) classes for kids \$20

# Instructor: Melissa Wood

## 1st Saturday

#### Exploring the Elements Ages 5-11

How many ways can you draw a line? What combinations of colors will knock your socks off? How can you draw or create the texture of a cat, glass, or sand? Come, create a 12x18 work of art using various art media on appropriate paper or canvas board as we explore the basic elements of art.

## 2nd Saturday

#### Feature Artist Ages 10 and up

Students will study and create work inspired by the well-known, such as Matisse, Miro and Kadinsky, to the not-so-well-known (or maybe never even heard of) Patrick Doughtery, Minnie Evans or Howard Finster. Students will create a 2D on paper or canvas board or a 3D project made from various materials such as wire, branches, or clay.

## 3rd Saturday

#### Open-Ended Art ... Oh the possibilities! Ages 8-13

Plastic bottles, aluminum cans, wire, cardboard, egg cartons, fabric, tile and flooring samples... What amazing works of art could be created with items such as these?!? That's what we will be finding out every third Saturday. Artwork each student will create may be sculptural, but may also be more

worthy of hanging on your living room wall. The possibilities are literally endless!!

## <u>4rd Saturday</u>

Check out ways to play with different art media! Maybe it's pastels? How do you blend, smooth, and layer them? What are watercolor pencils and how do you use them? What are all the creative possibilities of acrylic paints, chalk, and even crayons? What are the basics of working with clay? Focus of the work created will be learning and experiencing the materials. Each student will create a 12x18 work of art on paper, canvas board or in clay.

## Art Safari for Ages 8+ \$15

#### Instructor: Laura Corkum

Get ready for an art adventure! Students will feel like they are crashing through the jungle chasing wild animals as they explore different artists and their art of animals. Each class will feature one artists, and students will complete a project based on that artist's animal art.