weekend workshops

WRITING WORKSHOP: TURNING PERSONAL EXPERIENCE INTO ART

with Penelope Scambly Schott SATURDAY, 11:00 AM - 2:30 PM APRIL 28TH

Writer Penelope Scambly Schott, featured in last November's First Draft Writers Series, is back to offer this very special workshop! In an ordinary life, most of us experience extreme joy or pain or other difficulties. There's a magic that comes from getting these experiences onto paper. It takes craftsmanship (or craftswomanship) to go beyond saying "oh, wow!" or "poor me" -- to celebrate the moment or work toward living with our problems and losses. In this workshop we will write with full honesty and pay close attention to choosing the most expressive words possible. We will turn life into art. Space is limited, advanced registration is required.

There will be a short break for lunch during class. Snacks will be available however, we recommend bringing a sack lunch.

\$35 MEMBERS/ \$40 NON-MEMBERS

DRAWING FUNDAMENTALS WITH ARTIST SAM COLLETT

SATURDAY, NOON - 4:00 PM MAY 12TH

In this introductory art class, you can learn to draw what you see in the world around you. The methods and concepts presented in this workshop are the foundations for drawing and painting giving you the basic tools to carry on your own work. The artist and students will work together on a drawing project as a group along with individual instruction and practice time. Materials will be included.

Artist Sam Collett is visiting us from Joseph Oregon for this special, one-day, fine art workshop. In addition to a wide range of formal art education, Mr. Collett has more than 20 years of teaching experience. His beautiful artwork has been exhibited around the country and can be previewed online at samcollettfineart.com. In addition to instruction, you will have the opportunity to view and discuss some of his artwork and pick his brain about how the landscapes of Eastern Oregon have influenced his work.

\$35 MEMBERS/ \$40 NON-MEMBERS +\$5 MATERIALS FEE

GROWING HYDROPONIC TOMATOES

with Richard Bertram SATURDAY, 9:00 – 11:00 AM APRIL 28TH

Hydroponic gardening is the art of growing plants without soil. Hydroponics is a very productive way to grow food crops almost anywhere.... on your driveway, on your back porch, in your basement, on your apartment balcony. The focus of this class will be to grow awesome tomatoes. The hydroponic system that this class will focus on is called the Double Dutch Bucket Method. During the lab portion of the class, we will construct a system, plant it, and put it work. Please note: there will be a short walk to an off-site location during class.

Mr. Bertram is also offering to put together an optional kit for students who make a request well in advance. This kit costs \$115.00 and will provide materials to get you started with your own system. Once you have your system, your costs next year will be minimal. Please contact the Pendleton Center for the Arts for more information about this offer.

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