

# Ballet, writing, knitting and more at Art Center East

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**L**A GRANDE — Art Center East's summer class schedule is now available. Here are some highlights of June's offerings. The full schedule of planned classes can be found at [artcentereast.org/calendar/category/classes](http://artcentereast.org/calendar/category/classes). Registration is available online, by visiting the center at 1006 Penn Ave., or calling 541-624-2800.

## MOVING

### Finding Movement: Adult Beginning Ballet

Explore beginning ballet techniques focused on using ballet as a well-balanced physical practice that increases strength, flexibility and balance.

This is a hybrid class, available both in-person at Peak Lifestyle Studio (1118 Adams Ave.) or virtually via Zoom.

- Fridays, June 3, 10, 17, 24; 7-8 p.m.
- Ages 18+
- \$75 members, \$85 nonmembers

*Also in June: early-morning pilates classes*

## WRITING

### Creative Writing: From Image to Story

Explore creative writing and storytelling by first examining images provided by the instructor and then developing the stories that the pictures tell. Bring your favorite note-

book and writing utensils.

- Tuesday, June 7; 6-8 p.m.
- Ages 21+
- \$25 members, \$30 nonmembers

*Also in June: "Poetry in the Park" for kids*

## MAKING

### Knitting Fundamentals: Knitting, Purling and Panicking

A weekly opportunity for novice knitters to learn a new craft or brush up on a skill they may have set aside — it's an open forum for beginner and intermediate knitters to develop and refine their skills. Students will learn the fundamentals of knitting from needle composition, yarn fiber content, basic steps and pattern reading. This class will also cover the basics of "sheep to shawl" (from creation of yarn to finished project). All supplies included.

- Wednesdays, June 8, 15, 22, 29; 5:15-7:15 p.m.
- Ages 12+
- \$60 members, \$84 nonmembers

*Also in June: macrame, beaded jewelry, painting and more*

## LEARNING

### Wild School

An outdoor class at Pete's Pond for children to connect with nature and friends, create art using a variety of mediums and engage in science (native plant identification, water quality monitoring, etc.). Each

class begins with circle time to discuss the day's activities and topic, then moves on to nature-based art and hands-on science activities. During the last 30 minutes of the class students can choose to journal, sculpt with clay, finish up their art or play a game based on the theme of the day. They'll also have time to explore the natural setting of Pete's Pond (a Blue Mountains Conservancy property accessed via the south end of Second Street).

- Thursdays, beginning June 16; 10-11:30 a.m.
- Ages 8-11, entering grades 3-6
- Free (registration required)

*Also in June: Wild Preschool and Little Pinecones Book Club*



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# Wild SCHOOL

with Meghan Ballard

June 16  
10:00 - 11:30 am  
Location: Pete's Pond

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Eastern Oregon Livestock Show  
Since 1908  
The Oldest Show in the Northwest  
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Adult Dances  
Friday & Saturday

Parade  
Friday @ 2 pm

PRORODEO  
PRCA

Ed Miller Xtreme Bull Riding  
Thursday, June 9, 2022 @ 6:30 pm  
PRCA Rodeo & Horse Racing  
Friday, June 10, 2022 @ 4 pm  
Saturday, June 11, 2022 @ 2 pm  
Sunday, June 12, 2022 @ 1:30 pm

JUNE 6 - 12, 2022  
ALWAYS THE FIRST FULL WEEK OF JUNE

4-H Horse Show - Mon & Tue, June 6th & 7th  
4-H & FFA Livestock Show - Thu & Fri, June 9th & 10th  
Market Animal Auction - Saturday, June 11th @ 8am

Tickets are available from Queen Candidates or online until June 6th  
Horsemanship - Sunday, June 5th @ 2pm  
Queen's Coronation - Tuesday, June 7th @ 7pm

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