



Rountree Gallery

# Art Classes

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## Spring 2010

### Basic Techniques with Graphite (pencil) and Charcoal

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Saturday, April 24</b>
<b>Time:</b>	10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Rountree Gallery
<b>Class Fee:</b>	\$50.00 A supply list will be provided.
<b>Skill Level:</b>	All levels
<b>Age Level:</b>	Age 16+
<b>Registration Deadline: Friday, April 16</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	The difference between drawing and painting is that in painting you work with shape and mass, while in drawing you work with line. In this class you will be working with charcoal to create mass or shape, and with graphite you will work with line. By the use of both techniques, you will create an almost photographic painting.
<b>Instructor Bio:</b>	Janet Checker is a local, working artist from Galena, Illinois. Her artwork has been exhibited, collected, awarded and commissioned. Janet has taught classes, lectures, and seminars throughout the United States.

### Basic Techniques with Pen & Ink

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Saturday, May 15</b>
<b>Time:</b>	10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Rountree Gallery
<b>Class Fee:</b>	\$50.00 A supply list will be provided.
<b>Skill Level:</b>	All levels
<b>Age Level:</b>	Age 16+
<b>Registration Deadline: Friday, May 7</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	Pen and ink drawings can be quick, simple thumbnail drawings that can be used for ideas for completed larger illustrations or it can be used to create finished drawings that resemble etchings from the 1600's-1700's.  The focus of this class is how, with the use of simple lines and dots, you can create a drawing that has depth and shape. We will also discuss the best subject matters for this type of drawing. This class is good for all levels of experience, and students will be given individual attention.
<b>Instructor Bio:</b>	Janet Checker (see bio above).

### Dry Embossing, Die Cutting, Stencil Embossing

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Saturday, April 17</b>
<b>Time:</b>	1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Rountree Gallery
<b>Class Fee:</b>	\$16.00
<b>Skill Level:</b>	All
<b>Age Level:</b>	Age 14 - Adult
<b>Registration Deadline: Friday, April 9</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	Have you been thinking about how a die cutter/embossing machine works? Do you have brass stencils that you aren't using? Do you have a Cuttlebug, for example, and want to learn more about it? This is the class to attend!  The Cuttlebug is a non-electrical and easy-to-use die cutting/embossing machine. You will be able to see how simple it is to make cards and envelopes simply 'pop'! A card or paper item which seems dull or uninteresting can easily be turned into an attractive, usable greeting or piece of art.  The following skills will be demonstrated and taught during this class: machine basics, user friendly papers and card stocks, dry embossing, color embossing, color spray techniques, wax relief, cutting & embossing with one template, and dry embossing with brass stencils. Each enrollee will complete the class with samples, two cards and a working knowledge of the Cuttlebug.  <u>Bring to class:</u> ruler, paper cutter, bone folder, small sharp scissors, exacto or craft knife, permanent glue stick, double sided tape, (or your favorite adhesives), several colored dye ink pads, preferably small size, small misting bottle for water, pencil & note pad for taking notes. If you own a Cuttlebug or similar, non-digital machine, please bring it along to class with the necessary supplies.
<b>Instructor:</b>	Carol Getman is a teacher, demonstrator, and owner of <i>Oh So Much Fun!</i> In Mineral Point, WI (specializing in paper arts & rubber stamps). She has taught throughout the tri-state region, and at various art fairs, and specialized events. Contact the instructor if you have questions at: <a href="mailto:ohsomuchfun@mhtc.net">ohsomuchfun@mhtc.net</a>

## Origami:

### Dollar Bill Folding & Folded Pockets

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Sunday, April 18</b>
<b>Time:</b>	1:30 – 4:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Rountree Gallery
<b>Class Fee:</b>	\$15.00
<b>Skill Level:</b>	All
<b>Age Level:</b>	Age 10 - Adult
<b>Registration Deadline: Friday, April 9</b>	
<b>Description:</b> Have you ever wondered how dollar bills or other paper currencies are folded into interesting images or shapes? Do you think about what folded bills are used for?  Sign up for this fun class and learn how to make several different dollar bill folds, along with folded containers in which to present, deliver, or save each unique paper impression. The purpose of folded bills will also be shared with the class. No previous knowledge is required for enrollment.  <u>Bring to class:</u> 5 crisp bills, 1 permanent glue stick, 1 roll of double stick tape.	
<b>Instructor:</b> Carol Getman ( see bio on left).	

### Mulberry Paper and Paper Punch Techniques

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Saturday, May 1</b>
<b>Time:</b>	1:30 – 4:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Rountree Gallery
<b>Class Fee:</b>	\$16.00
<b>Skill Level:</b>	All
<b>Age Level:</b>	Teen - Adult
<b>Registration Deadline: Friday, April 23</b>	
<b>Description:</b> This combined class will teach two paper arts techniques.  One technique will be the use of mulberry paper, a delicate handmade paper from Japan with various threads running throughout, that when the process is complete will be a lovely, completed work of art. And, you will make an envelope to match.  The other technique you will learn is how to use a paper punch to make a frame and add ribbon for a beautiful finish. The time consuming part of this card is learning how to line up the paper punch on your paper or card stock. You will make one card and envelope, taking a number of ideas home with you.  <u>Bring to class:</u> Small, sharp scissors, double stick tape, permanent glue stick, ruler, exacto or craft knife, paper cutter, craft knife, bone folder, and the following (if you have them) several small dye ink pads, heat tool, and a favorite nature stamp, such as a tree or fern.	
<b>Instructor:</b> Carol Getman ( see bio previous page).	

### Iris Paper Folding

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Saturday, May 1</b>
<b>Time:</b>	10:30 – 12:30 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Rountree Gallery
<b>Class Fee:</b>	\$15.00
<b>Skill Level:</b>	All
<b>Age Level:</b>	Age 6* – Adult *children under 10 need to be accompanied by an Adult
<b>Registration Deadline: Friday, April 23</b>	
<b>Description:</b> Iris Folding was initiated in The Netherlands, and is called Iris Folding because it continues in a pattern like the iris of an eye or eye of a camera, creating a beautiful image/design when completed. Iris Folds can be used for greeting cards, gift cards, framed pictures, toppings for presents, scrapbook insertions and much more.  The easy and fun paper art fold for this class: an ice cream cone! Come, join us and put your ice cream cone on the front of a lovely card.  <u>Bring to Class:</u> A pencil, ruler, double stick tape, small, sharp scissors, exacto or craft knife, and a permanent glue stick.	
<b>Instructor:</b> Carol Getman ( see bio on left).	

### Creativity and Color

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Saturday, May 22</b>
<b>Time:</b>	10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Rountree Gallery
<b>Class Fee:</b>	\$50.00 A supply list will be provided.
<b>Skill Level:</b>	All levels
<b>Age Level:</b>	Age 16+
<b>Registration Deadline: Friday, May 14</b>	
<b>Description:</b> Color and Creativity are two skills needed by every artist.  Creativity is the very basic skill every artist needs. But sometimes all artists hit that wall where nothing seems to happen. You will work on a series of exercises that are meant to get you to think "outside the box" and expand your imagination. By using another series of simple exercises, you will also gain an understanding of color, value, intensity and temperature.  By combing these skills, an artist can create new and stronger images.	
<b>Instructor Bio:</b> Janet Checker (see bio above).	



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- Iris Paper Folding .....\$15.00
- Creativity and Color .....\$50.00

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