

Upcoming activities for Visual Manna

Coming on February 26, 2010!

Location: 16715 Bel Ray Boulevard Belton, MO 64012 You can come to two Visual Manna Art workshops in one day. One is from 9:30 to 12:30. The other is from 1:00 until 4:00. This is appropriate for a variety of age children. Please have children bring in samples of their work. Cost of the workshops is \$20.00 per workshop or \$27.00 for the day. If you preregister, we will send you an ebook of the workshop. You can mail a check to Sharon Jeffus, 16715 Bel Ray Boulevard, Belton, MO 64012 or you can send the money via pay pal at visualmanna@hotmail.com to reserve your space. Be sure and give us your email and we will send you an ebook. Your child will need to bring a lunch. All supplies are included in price.

Kids can bring a friend for free!

1. BASICS OF ART (Master Drawing or ABC's of Art Ebook is included with workshop).

This three hour class is a basic class on art techniques, vocabulary, and art appreciation. Students learn the effect of light on an object and use shading, shadow and texture to create an original composition.

Students learn about copyright. They learn how to draw a face using the classic Greek proportions, and do an exercise in one (a cityscape) and two point perspective (a castle). They study master artists from the Renaissance through Expressionism.

The also create a sculpture from terra cotta clay.

Teaching Math through Art and Astronomy Art Workshop (you can have either Teaching Math through Art or Teaching Astronomy through Art ebook with workshop) Students learn fractions doing origami, make a tessellation, learn how to morph a picture using a grid...and one the astronomy side....

Students make outer space pictures with oil pastels learning names of stars and planets. They also learn how to navigate by recognizing certain stars. They do a perspective picture by making a space station. They draw an astronaut and also they build a rocket all the while appreciating the beauty of God's creation.

NEW FROM VISUAL MANNA

Write us and ask for a free lesson on painting in the round and our new project newsletter. Try a Teaching Art Through Math or Science, or whatever you choose(including astronomy and All about Knights, Castles, Dragons and Dinosaurs) at only \$15.00 for any two books CD or ebooks and free shipping. Contact us for information on workshops right from your own home via the internet, or we can come to you. Email us at visualmanna@gmail.com or call us at 1-816-318-1907.

Visual Manna would like to come through your area and schedule a workshop. Organizer gets her own children in FREE.

I just got this wonderful email today!!!

Thanks again for art today - I can't believe how much the children have grown in confidence. They have learned to vary their stroke with charcoal and a pencil, and they have both learned to "just go with it" and not fall apart if something doesn't look right straight away. We have decided to put on our own little Art show in June and invite people to come and see what we have done! They are both genuinely proud

of what they achieved this week. You made it easy for them to create a finished piece little by little and the techniques they are absorbing are amazing. They hurry to keep up with your lesson, and so don't notice that they are trying something new. Thanks again,

Nicola

Here are two of our favorites. Go to visualmanna.com for information!

Check out our new computer graphic arts workshop at our website visualmanna.com today! Moms are welcome! Here are descriptions for an older and a younger student workshop. Also listed is a description of a computer/graphic workshop for older students. Our newest workshop is Teaching Astronomy Through Art....with a powerful presentation on asteroids included.

Narnia Workshop Students ages 4-8

Lesson one is making a lion in the foreground with warm colors and a castle in the background in cool colors. Children learn basic shape recognition, vocabulary of the arts, and enhance fine motor skills with each lesson. We will learn hot and cool colors and texture. We will make a room with an open wardrobe (precut) going into Narnia. We learn how to draw the lamp post and learn about patterns, etc. We will then make a forest and make talking trees with the door coming open at the bottom of the tree. Finally, we will sculpt characters out of clay. We will learn how to make a map of Narnia. Cost is \$20.00 for the first child in the family and \$15.00 for each additional child. All supplies included. Workshop lasts three hours.

Narnia for Older Students (ages 9-adult) Lesson one is using shading, shadow and texture training to make a lion head in pencil and willow charcoal on very large paper. We talk about Expressionism and how to make the lion look sad or angry. We will also do a lion's body with colors and flowers (warm colors) in the foreground and winter (cool colors) in the background. We learn how to make a lion's head or castle out of clay. Lesson three is learning one point perspective to make a room with a wardrobe in the center and two point perspective making an ancient stone castle and knight in full armor, talking about the armor of God. We will build a three dimensional throne for a certain king or queen. We will also do the beavers and the beaver's house and trees. Cost of the workshop is \$30.00 for the first child in a family and \$25.00 for each additional child.

Computer workshop

Jonathan Jeffus with Visual Manna will be giving a graphic art computer workshop on how to use desktop publishing programs, graphic art programs, photography/art, etc. Students receive free open source software and learn how to use it. They learn how to write a book on Scribus, how to manipulate pictures, how to put images into their book, how to do 3D modeling, vector drawing, graphic design and other forms of graphic art. Cost is \$30.00 for workshop given from 9:00 to 1:00 offered on your computer or live. Students need a laptop or computer to participate.