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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

SUMMER CAMPS @ CFABS JUNE 5-AUGUST 9, 2023

For Kids Ages 4-18 Center for Performing Arts 10150 Bonita Beach Rd, Bonita Springs, FL

Morning Session 9am-12pm Afternoon Session 1-4pm

Price per camp session (3-hour session daily for 5 days) \$169 Members / \$219 Non-Members Before Care 8-8:45am (\$5/day) Lunch Care 12-1pm (\$5/day, food not provided) After Care 4-5:30pm (\$7/day)

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We welcome kids ages 4-18 to our innovative Summer Camp program, which includes visual arts classes in painting, drawing, sculpture, pottery, glass, and mosaics; plus, performing arts camps teaching the art of auditions, costume design, light & sound design, music production, acting techniques, plus, fully staged theatre productions, Ballet, Tap, and jazz dance courses... the list goes on and on! Pick the courses and times that work best for you—full days or half days. Supervised Before, Lunch, and After Care available.

Discounts/Scholarships—ARTS FOR ALL is a very important concept for the Centers for the Arts Bonita Springs. We strive to ensure that all area children have access to our many programs. We make classes more affordable through discounts and scholarships. These financial aid programs take many factors into consideration—they are awarded on a sliding scale based on adjusted gross income; the number of dependents in the family; whether you rent or own your home; single parent status; how many children in your family intend to take classes; and how many classes your child takes. We encourage you to complete the Scholarship Application Form located at the back of this catalog. More than 85 percent of our students receive discounts/scholarships.

All campers are invited to participate in our **End of Summer Art Show** Friday, August 4, 4-5pm. Artwork will be selected throughout the 9 weeks of camps and exhibited in the Hinman Gallery-in-the-Round. Campers and their family can pick up their work after the exhibit or during the next week.



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Throughout the summer campers of all ages can participate in an interactive art project. Special guest educators Leigh Greco and Gloria Topczynski have 65 years of combined experience teaching art in public schools. Leigh and Gloria will install mural panels on the walls of our Gallery-in-the-Round. Each mural will have a subject and theme for campers to explore. Campers will add their artwork to complete the interactive murals.

SUMMER CAMP 2023 SCHEDULE:

WEEK 1 June 5-9, 9am-12pm & 1pm-4pm

Summer-Art Discoveries Ages 4-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13+

Start the summer by discovering and creating! Each day, a new art discovery, using different materials, tools, and techniques.

WEEK 1 June 5-9, 1pm-4pm

Broadway in Bonita: Intro to Musical Theatre Ages 8-12

A great springboard into a production or intermediate showcase class. Each day you will get a crash course in singing, dancing, acting, or audition technique!

WEEK 2 June 12 – 16, 9am-12pm

Young at Art: Aquarium Living Ages 4-6

Explore watercolors and other mediums while creating 2D and 3D works of art that define the best of Aquarium-living!

Dance Camp Ages 4-8

Summer means having fun while you experience many different forms of dance and music! We will experience ballet, jazz, tap, contemporary, lyrical, hip-hop, and acro-dance styles along with a dance-related craft project and dance stories. A short presentation for our family and friends is planned for the last day. Recommended dance attire is a plain leotard for girls, a t-shirt for boys, black dance shorts or tights, thin ankle socks, ballet, jazz, and tap shoes, any color. Long hair needs to be secured away from the face and neck.

The Art of Stamping & Printing Ages 7-9

Create modern artwork while learning the various techniques and materials used for Stamping & Printing!



Graphic Design Ages 9-12

Explore the amazing possibilities of creating art using different computer programs and equipment.

Jewelry Making Ages 10-12

Learn the different jewelry-making techniques and create your own special art pieces.

Beading Basics for Teens Ages 13+

Learn the basics of bead weaving and take it to the next level by creating your own wearable masterpieces!

WEEK 2 June 12-16, 1-4pm

Young at Art: Story Time Illustration Ages 4-6

Let your imagination fly while creating imaginative characters and stories that make up a collaborative children's book about summer fun.

Art Games Ages 7-9

Start the week participating in different art games and end the week designing and creating your favorite one!

Jewelry Making Ages 7-9

Learn the different jewelry-making techniques and create your own special art pieces.

Acting for the Stage Ages 9-13

Learn to collaborate with other actors, take directions, develop characters, and more with this dive into theatre technique! Ends with a final showcase at 3:30 on Friday.

Inventors and Creators Ages 10-12

Be part of this think-tank-style camp and create exciting inventions using engineering-inspired tools and materials. Demonstration of the inventions at the end of the week.

Graphic Design Ages 9-12

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WEEK 3 June 19-23, 9am-12pm



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Young at Art: Dino-Mania Ages 4-6

Learn fun facts about our extinct dino friends and be inspired to create fantastic works of art. You'll create fossils, dino eggs, and much more!

Fairy Village Installation Ages 7-9

Design and create a miniature Fairy Village to grow in our Garden. The different dwellings and characters will be created using different materials and objects.

Cookonomics: Summer Appetizers Ages 7-9

(\$10 additional fee) Learn to make creative appetizers that will capture summer fun in a delicious bite.

Star Wars Ages 10-12

Calling all Jedi. Create your own world and other fun projects inspired by a galaxy far, far away!

Abstract Painting Ages 10-12

Fall in love with abstract modern art. Create your personal style while creating works of art using different mediums and techniques.

Sewing Workshop Ages 13 +

Learn basic sewing techniques while creating your own unique works using various types of fabric and crafting techniques.

Wheel Throwing Ages 13+

Location: Visual Arts Center, 26100 Old 41 Rd (\$5 additional fee) Sitting at the potter's wheel and forming a spectacular bowl or vase is very gratifying. Students learn to wedge clay and throw on the wheel. Pieces are finished with colorful glazes for a professional look.

WEEK 3 June 19- 23, 1-4pm

Young at Art: Motion Fun Ages 4-6

You move and the art moves! Explore the different art forms that use motion. Create interactive works that everyone can enjoy as a group.

Performing Arts: Creating a Play Ages 7-9

Collaborate with friends to write a script, invent characters, and perform the finished product for friends and family on the last day of camp! Ends with a final showcase at 3:30pm on Friday.



Fabric Crafts Ages 7-9

Learn the basics of embroidery and other creative forms of art using fabric and colorful threads.

Cookonomics: Summer Appetizers Ages 10-12

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Egyptology Ages 10-12

Learn about the fascinating world of Egypt. Create your own writing system and works of art inspired by this culture.

Drawing and Shading Ages 13 +

Create several drawings while learning and perfecting your observational skills and your shading techniques using several mediums.

Fun with Glass for Teens Ages 13+

Location: Visual Arts Center, 26100 Old 41 Rd Learn about basic design & color while working with glass. Create a variety of pieces working at your own pace. Tools provided.

WEEK 4 June 26-30, 9am-12pm

Young at Art: Sunken Treasures & Sails Ages 4-6

Campers get a rush of rolling seas; full sails, and pirate speak through a pirate experience that will inspire their works of art.

Dance Camp Ages 4-8

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Cartoons and Comics Ages 7-9

Learn the basics of this art form and create imaginative cartoons and comics using modern and traditional techniques.



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Dragonology Ages 9-12

Explore the world of mystical dragons and all their wonders. Create fantastical works including realistic drawings, supernatural landscapes, and much more.

Expressionism in Art Ages 10-12

Create exciting works of art that allow for self-expression using different materials and techniques.

Technology in Art Ages 13+

Create imaginative pieces using technology such as Glowforge and 3D printing.

WEEK 4 June 26-30, 1-4pm

Young at Art: Musical Instrument Workshop Ages 4-6

Learn to build and play your own instruments including drums, rain sticks, and wind chimes!

Summer Inventions Ages 7-9

Be part of this think-tank-style camp and create exciting inventions using engineering-inspired tools and materials. Demonstration of the inventions at the end of the week.

Superheroes Adventures Ages 7-9

Join the Superheroes in this camp full of adventures and artistic creations.

Performing Arts: Auditions, Callbacks, & Character-Building Ages 10-14

Study with industry professionals to learn what it takes to get a role and then develop it into a stellar performance! Ends with a final showcase at 3:15pm on Friday.

Technology in Art Ages 10-12

Create imaginative pieces using technology such as Glowforge and 3D printing.

Acrylic Painting Ages 13+

Create several artistic paintings using acrylic. Learn the medium or further develop your technique in acrylic painting.

WEEK 5 July 3-7, 9am-12pm</mark> (July 4 no camp)

Young at Art: Summery Earthly Creatures Ages 4-6

Learn about unique animals and insects. Allow these summer-loving creatures to inspire your creations while working with different materials.



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Garden Mosaics and Crafts Ages 7-9

Have fun creating garden ornaments using mosaic techniques and other crafts to contribute to our garden and yours!

Art in the Round and Around the World Ages 7-9

Explore different types of sculpture using different materials. Each day a new theme to discover!

Lego-Mania Ages 10-12

Builders, designers, and engineers wanted all week for this exciting Lego-Mania camp.

Graphic Design Ages 10-12

Explore the amazing possibilities of creating art using different computer programs and equipment.

Cookonomics: Culinary Passport Ages 13+

(\$10 additional fee)

A mouthful of culture! Each day campers experience making a new dish from a different location around the world.

WEEK 5 July 3-7, 1-4pm (July 4 no camp)

Young at Art: World Traveler Ages 4-6

Visit a new place every day while you set out on a journey to travel and make art from around the world. Experience cultural music and learn about different monuments from around the world.

Performing Arts: Musical Theatre-Under the Sea Ages 7-9

Learn songs, dances, and scenes from The Little Mermaid, Finding Nemo, and other hit musicals! Concludes with a final showcase at 3:30pm on Friday.

Minecraft Ages 7-9

Bring your Minecraft passion to this exciting camp. Build and design for original art pieces to add to your collection.

Art in the Round and Around the World Ages 10-12

Explore different types of sculpture using different materials. Each day a new theme to discover!

Artistic Lettering and Cursive workshop Ages 10-12

Explore the world of cursive writing and develop your own unique signature. Have fun using your creativity by designing a hand-written plaque and so much more.



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Drawing and Shading Ages 13+

Create several drawings while learning and perfecting your observational skill and your shading techniques using several visual arts media.

WEEK 6 July 10-14, 9am-12pm

Young at Art: Under the Sea Ages 4-6

Meet Mr. Seahorse and other fascinating ocean life forms in this sea adventure camp!

Dance Camp Ages 4-8

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Crafting with Yarn Ages 7-9

Have fun while creating craft projects that involve yarn and other types of string art.

Young Authors and Illustrators Ages 9-12

Cartooning, illustration, collage, and painting. You are the storyteller, and this is the class where all your ideas can come to life. Students construct and bind their own hardcover books.

"Build-a-Bear" Workshop Ages 10-12

Learn basic sewing techniques to create your version of "Build a Bear" among other fabric craft projects.

Digital Photography Ages 10-12

Learn about photography as an art form. Create modern works of art using different computer programs and your own photos.

WEEK 6 July 10-14, 1-4pm

Young at Art: Costumes and Characters Ages 4-6

Learn the basics of character creation with a camp focused on a dramatic invention. Invent a character, create a costume, and work with other students to tell a story!



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Monsters Inc. Ages 7-9

Create fun and artistic monsters with a story to match Monsters Inc.

Cookonomics: Mediterranean Ages 7-9

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Like a trip through Greece, Egypt, Israel, and Turkey, take a bite from various Mediterranean cultures and learn to prepare their delicious recipes.

Performing Arts: Acting-Voice and Movement Ages 10-14

Study accents, dialects, and physical acting techniques as you explore the next level of theatre performance! Finishes with a Showcase at 3:30pm on Friday.

Cartoons and Comics Ages 10-12

Learn the basics of this art form and create imaginative cartoons and comics using modern and traditional techniques.

Acrylic Painting Ages 13+

Learn the step-by-step process of creating a painting. Start the week with brainstorming and a sketching session and end the week with a masterpiece! Each student will work individually at different levels with teacher guidance.

WEEK 7 July 17-21, 9am-12pm

Young at Art: Under in the Summer Sky Ages 4-6

Experiment with different art materials and explore everything in our summer skies.

Technology in Art Ages 7-9

Create imaginative pieces using technology such as the Glowforge and 3D printer.

Pikachu and Friends Ages 7-9

Immerse yourself in the world of Pikachu and friends while creating fun artwork using different mediums and techniques.

Stained Glass Painting Ages 10-12

Learn the art of stained glass and create your own works of art using kid-friendly materials and techniques.

Mixed Media Sketchbook Project Ages 10-12

Create exciting collages and other mixed media works of art using all the pages of a sketchbook.



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Resin Creations Ages 13+ (\$10 additional fee) Create resin art pieces using molds and other various techniques.

WEEK 7 July 17-21, 1-4pm

Young at Art: Over the Moon Ages 4-6

You will be over the moon with this astronaut-loving camp.

Performing Arts: All Together Now! Ages 5-9

Love to perform with your friends? This introductory theatre class builds skills in a low-pressure, group setting. Students focus on ensemble work through songs, scenes, and dances. Final Showcase at 3:30pm on Friday.

Jewelry Making Ages 7-9

Learn the different jewelry-making techniques and create your own special art pieces.

Cookonomics: Mediterranean Ages 10-12

(\$10 additional fee)

Like a trip through Greece, Egypt, Israel, and Turkey, take a bite from various Mediterranean cultures and learn how to prepare their delicious recipes.

Performing Arts: Camp Rock! Ages 10-14

Crank the amps to 11, this camp gives students the opportunity to bring their electric guitar/bass, drums, keys, or vocals into a fun, judgment-free environment. Students study songwriting, collaboration, and recording fundamentals. Final Jam at 3:30pm on Friday.

Oil Pastels Ages 13+

Create colorful works of art exploring the medium of pastels. Discover the different styles that can be achieved with oil pastels.

WEEK 8 July 24-28, 9am-12pm

Young at Art: Escaping the Heat Ages 4-6

In this hot camp, create clay pieces that are fired to perfection, use the hot sun to create other artwork, and escape the heat with some lemonade!



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Lego-Mania Ages 7-9 Builders, designers, and engineers wanted all week for this exciting Lego-Mania camp.

Mosaics Ages 7-9 Create beautiful works of art using traditional and modern mosaic techniques.

Cookonomics: End of Summer Cuisine Ages 10-12 (\$10 additional fee) Cook up some end-of-summer favorites in this last full week of summer.

Digital Photography Ages 10-12

Learn about photography as an art form. Create modern works of art using different computer programs and your own photos.

About the Artists Ages 13+

Explore different artists every day and create works of art inspired by each of them.

WEEK 8 July 24-28, 1-4pm

Young at Art: Storytime Theatre Ages 4-6

This camp focuses on reading skills by using play scripts, props, and costumes!

Curator at Work Ages 7-9

Learn about the exciting world of the museum curator. Create works of art while also preparing for the campus-wide exhibit on Friday, August 4!

Paper Craft Ages 7-9

Create exciting 2D & 3D works of art using paper. Learn the ancient techniques in this art form and combine them with modern creativity.

Performing Arts: Broadway in Bonita Ages 9-13

If you've been on stage before, but want to sharpen your singing/dance skills, this is the camp for you! Each student will develop a solo piece and participate in ensemble dance/vocal numbers that will push them to the next level! Showcase at 3:30pm on Friday.

Mosaics Ages 10-12

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Expressionism in Art Ages 13+

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WEEK 9 July 31-Aug 4, 9am-12pm

Young at Art: Fruits and Vegetables Ages 4-6

Explore the different fruits and vegetables growing in our garden and create art inspired by the colors, shapes, and textures.

Cookonomics: End of Summer Cuisine Ages 7-9

(\$10 additional fee) Cook up some end-of-summer favorites in this last full week of summer.

Inventors and Creators Ages 7-9

Be part of this think-tank-style camp and create exciting inventions using engineering-inspired tools and materials. Demonstration of the inventions at the end of the week.

Origami Challenge Ages 10-12

Explore the world of Origami by creating installations and settings with this and other paper art.

Technology in Art Ages 10-12

Create imaginative pieces using technology such as the Glowforge and 3D printer.

Drawing: Portraits Ages 13+

Learn about proportions and techniques to create your own portraits and develop your own style.

Fun with Glass for Teens Ages 13+

Location: Visual Arts Center, 26100 Old 41 Road Learn about basic design & color while working with glass. Create a variety of pieces working at your own pace. Tools are provided.

WEEK 9 July 31-Aug 4, 1-4pm

Young at Art: Meat and Potatoes Ages 4-6

Learn about farming and creating art inspired by Florida summer and farm life.

Performing Arts: Musical Theatre Intensive-MATILDA Ages 7-11

Did you see our youth theatre performance, the movie, or both? If you're one of the "revolting children", come prove it in this vocal/dance bootcamp set to the hit songs from MATILDA!



Painting and Drawing Ages 7-9

Exercise your creativity while painting and drawing using different mediums in this exciting camp.

Lego-Mania Ages 10-12 Builders, designers, and engineers wanted all week for this exciting Lego-Mania camp.

Curator at Work Ages 10-12

Learn about the exciting world of the museum curator. Create works of art while also organizing and managing the campus-wide exhibit Friday, August 4!

Drawing: Human Figure Ages 13+

Learn about proportions and techniques of drawing the human figure and develop your own style.

Wheel Throwing Ages 13+

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WEEK 10 August 7, 8, 9, 9am-12pm & 1pm-4pm

Summer-Art Discoveries Ages 4+ Campers of all ages enjoy the last days of summer with great art. Projects include a bit of everything clay, painting, sculpture—an eclectic mix of the best of summer.

Summer 2023—Once-A-Week Dance Classes 6 Week Session: June 7-July 15

Wednesdays

4-4:45pm Discovering Dance, ages 3.5-6 4:45-5:45pm Jazz/Acro ages 6-9 5:45-6:45pm RAD Ballet I/Tap, ages 6-9

Saturdays

9-9:45am Discovering Dance, ages 3.5-6 9:45-10:45am Lyrical Dance, ages 7-16 10:45-11:45am Jazz/Pop, ages 7-16 11:45am-12:45pm RAD Ballet & Tap, ages 6-9



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ABOUT THE CENTERS FOR THE ARTS BONITA SPRINGS:

Founded in 1959, the Centers for the Arts Bonita Springs (CFABS) is committed to enriching the lives of the community by providing opportunities for artistic expression, education, and appreciation. CFABS has two campus locations—each dedicated to the visual or performing arts.

The Visual Arts Center, 26100 Old 41 Road, is a 10-acre, four-building campus, which consists of multiple fine art galleries, fully equipped art studios, a gift shop, an art resource library, beautiful sculpture gardens, and a nature preserve. A variety of classes are offered at this center including painting, drawing, clay, sculpture, glass, mixed media, and more. This center offers unique, year-round art exhibitions and other special events.

The Performing Arts Center, 10150 Bonita Beach Road, is a 4-acre, two-building campus, which is home to the 400-seat Hinman Auditorium and Gallery in the Round; the 200-seat Moe Auditorium & Film Center/Dance Studio; fully equipped art studios; and edible garden/teaching kitchen. At this diverse center, patrons can enjoy an ongoing array of live concerts, theatre, comedy, film, lectures, youth and adult dance classes, music lessons, and art classes, as well as multicultural events featuring visual and performing arts from around the world.

ARTS FOR ALL—Seeking to serve the educational and cultural needs of the diverse community, CFABS offers year-round programming, plus, three top-rated Art Festivals in January, February, and March, which draw hundreds of remarkable artists from around the world to beautiful, historic Downtown Bonita Springs, Florida.

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