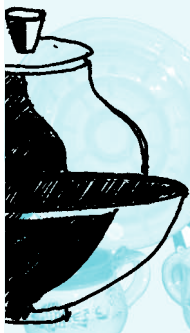


September - December 2008



Meiklem Kiln Works

CLAY STUDIO

IN THE STUDIO

Movin' Up!

Summer saw a tremendous amount of growth for Meiklem Kiln Works. We began the process of moving an outdoor gas kiln to the property, no small task!!! In addition David Meiklem, Lyndsay's father, played an instrumental role in the renovation of our upstairs studio space. The upstairs will welcome yoga instructors, energy workers, and any other professionals that require a space to hold workshops, meetings, etc. Contact the studio for more information! We hope you will join us in celebration of this completed space on Sunday October 19th, when we will offer a full day of free yoga, chanting, meditation and relaxation classes. We are excited to introduce several new art classes this fall and would like to welcome Jennifer Johnson who will teach fused glass pendants, Kristie Foss who will teach intro to PMC clay, Marlow & Britta Demars who will share their extensive knowledge in several decorative painting classes, Karen Bruscini who will introduce the chakra system in her Chakra series of classes, and Neiley Rushford and Anne Mehr who will teach Hatha & Svaroopva yoga in our new upstairs studio space! Visit the studio and "Get Centered" in mind and body!



Meiklem Kiln Works
Presents the
**9TH ANNUAL
POTTERY SALE
& GALLERY
OPENING**

**Saturday, November 22nd 10am-5pm
& Sunday, November 23rd 10am-2pm**
sale runs through January 18th, 2009!

IN THE ARTISAN GALLERY

Upcoming Shows

"Inside the Fair"

Featuring vendors from our Arts & Wellness Fair

- Gallery opening celebration Saturday, Sept 13th • 5-8pm
- show runs Sept 13th - Nov 4th

NEW CLASSES!

Decorative Painting Classes by Ingalls DeMars Painting

GOLD LEAFING WALLS

1 Day Workshop • \$150 includes materials

Friday, Sept 19 • 9AM-3PM **DM-GLW1**

Friday, Nov 7 • 9AM-3PM **DM-GLW2**

Learn how to gold leaf walls and ceilings with fast, productive techniques. We will work on sample boards and walls.

Instructors: Marlow DeMars & Brita DeMars

VENETIAN PLASTER

1 Day Workshop • \$175

Saturday, Sept 20 • 9AM-4PM **DM-VNPI**

Learn the do's and do not's of Venetian Plaster as well as how to trowel synthetic and Lime Venetian Plaster.

Instructors: Marlow DeMars & Brita DeMars

WOODGRAINING

1 Day Workshop • \$150

Saturday, Oct 18 • 9AM-3PM **DM-WDGI**

Learn how to use glazes and brushes to achieve woodgrain effects.

Instructors: Marlow DeMars & Brita DeMars

TROMPE L'OEIL STRIPING

2 Day Workshop • \$500

Friday/Saturday, Oct 24, 25 • 9AM-4PM **DM-TLS1**

Discover the techniques of striping moldings for 3D visual effects. Learn how to layout and mix colors using paints and glazes.

Instructors: Marlow DeMars & Brita DeMars

The Chakra Series on the "Wheels of Life"

9 Weeks • \$30 per class (take all 9 and get the last class free)

THURSDAYS 6-8:30PM

Sept 18 - Nov 13 • **KB-CHK**

The Energy System (required to participate in any other chakra class): [Sept 18](#)

Root Chakra: [Sept 25](#)

Throat Chakra: [Oct 23](#)

Sacral Chakra: [Oct 2](#)

Brow Chakra: [Oct 30](#)

Solar Plexis Chakra: [Oct 9](#)

Crown Chakra: [Nov 6](#)

Heart Chakra: [Oct 16](#)

Eighth Chakra: [Nov 13](#)

These classes are designed as a detailed introduction to the chakra system, what it is and how it works. Each class will be devoted to a different chakra and will discuss color, shape, size, locations, what balance is needed, what foods to eat, or crystals to use to provide health to this chakra. There will be meditations and exercises given in each class to assist students in learning. Informative as a series or as individual classes.

Instructor: Karen Bruscini, RN, BSN, HTCP

Adult Classes

Wheel Thrown Pottery

ALL LEVELS

8 Weeks · \$180 + clay

MONDAYS 6-9PM

Sept 1 - Oct 20 **LM-MON5**

Oct 27 - December 15 **LM-MON6**

TUESDAYS 5-8PM

Sept 2 - Oct 21 **LM-TUE5**

Oct 28 - Dec 16 **LM-TUE6**

WEDNESDAYS 9AM-12PM

Sept 3 - Oct 22 **LM-DAYS**

Oct 29 - Dec 17 **LM-DAY6**

WEDNESDAYS 6-9PM

Sept 3 - Oct 22 **LM-WED5**

Oct 29 - Dec 17 **LM-WED6**

For students with or without prior experience with clay. This all levels class takes beginners on an exploration of the fundamentals of making pottery on the wheel while inspiring intermediates and advanced students to new levels of creativity. Beginners will learn the skills necessary to throw cylinders and bowls, create handles and spouts. Intermediates will review basic techniques and be challenged with altered forms and multi step construction projects. All students will learn unique surface treatments and glazing techniques.

Instructor: Lyndsay Rae Meiklem

Hand Building with Clay

ALL LEVELS

4 Weeks · \$135 + clay

TUESDAYS 6-8PM

Oct 7, 14, 21 & Nov 4 **KQ-HND2**

In this hand building class we will explore the various techniques and methods of working with clay. Students will design and create their own projects through coiling, slab and sculpting techniques. Surface treatment and glazing techniques will also be covered.

Instructors: Kristin Linnea Quinn

Beaded Jewelry

1 Day · \$30 + materials

THURSDAY, OCT 23 · 6-8PM EW-JWL9

FRIDAY, DEC 5 · 6-8PM EW-JWL10

Design and create a beaded necklace and earrings (bracelet and ring as time allows!) Intro classes will learn about design and techniques including using crimp beads to attach clasps and head pins to create earrings and pendants. Intermediate students will work with chain, wire wrapping and charm style designs. Glass, metal and semi precious stone beads including sterling silver and gold filled are available for all classes.

Instructor: Erin Wraight

NEW!

Figure Drawing

1 Day Workshop · \$30 + materials

SATURDAY · 12-3PM

Sept 20 **BB-FIG1**

4 Weeks · \$100 + materials

WEDNESDAYS 6-9PM

Oct 8 - 29 **BB-DRW3**

Beginners to advanced students welcome. Learn proportion and drawing the human body. No previous knowledge of drawing is necessary but it can be helpful. The class will begin with quick gesture drawing techniques and advance towards more set still poses of the figure with a live model, including some portraiture. Materials: soft vine charcoal, pencils (hb, 2b, 4b, 6b), kneaded eraser, 18 x 24 newsprint drawing pad of paper.

Instructor: Bethany Bonner

Needle Felting

FELT A FUN FALL PUMPKIN

1 Day · \$30 including materials

MONDAY, OCT 13 · 6-8PM TM-NFT1

HOLIDAY FELTING

1 Day Workshop · \$30 including materials

WEDNESDAY, NOV 12 · 6-8PM TM-NFT1

Enjoy the relaxing craft of needle felting in this fun 1 day workshop. Learn the basics of needle felting and create a three dimensional decorative object with colored fiber, a felting needle and your imagination (no sewing involved!!!)

Instructor: Marion Moebus

Watercolor Painting

6 Weeks · \$130 + materials

SATURDAYS 11AM-2PM

Oct 11 - Nov 15 **PN-WTRI**

This beginning watercolor class is structured to facilitate creating artwork while learning about materials and techniques. Individual instruction and critiques will also be covered. First class materials are provide and students will be given a materials list. Bring a lunch, intermediate students are welcome!

Instructor: Pam J. Nelson

Card Making / Scrapbooking

SATURDAY, DEC 6 · 9AM-1PM

\$8 to use our tools and embellishments and bring your own cards/paper

\$16 to come empty handed and leave with completed cards or scrapbook pages

Scrap booking or making cards on your cramped kitchen table? Come and enjoy the company of others and spread your creative wings! Ages 13 & up!

NEW!

Intro to Precious Metal Clay

2 Weeks · \$50 + materials approx \$60

WEDNESDAYS 6-9PM

Nov 5 & 12 **KF-PMC1**

Come discover the "magic" of Precious Metal Clay (PMC). Through discussion, demonstration and guided hands-on exploration, participants will roll, shape, cut, texture and mold and organic clay-like substance, which is impregnated with, fine silver. Once fired in a kiln, the organic binder burns off and the artist is left with an object of true fine silver. Participants will learn about and apply finishing techniques, including patinas to their pieces. This medium is appropriate for adults and older teens who love to create with their hands, like to experiment and enjoy the beauty of silver jewelry and small silver items.

Instructor: Kristie Foss

NEW!

Fused Glass Pendants 1

3 Weeks · \$65 + \$25 materials

THURSDAYS 6-8:30PM

(LAST CLASS 6-8PM)

Sept 18, 25 & Oct 2 **JJ-BFG1**

MONDAYS 6-8:30PM

(LAST CLASS 6-8PM)

Oct 13, 20 & 27 **JJ-BFG2**

This class will teach beginners the basics of glass cutting, assembly and shaping a fused glass pendant. Familiarize yourself with general glass tools, levels of fusing and cold work techniques. You'll be able to complete a few fused glass pendants by the end of the session. Materials fee covers glass kit, jewelry accessories and kiln time.

Instructor: Jennifer L. Johnson

NEW!

Fused Glass Pendants 2

3 Weeks · \$65 + \$25 materials

THURSDAYS 6-8:30PM

(LAST CLASS 6-8PM)

Oct 30, Nov 6 & 13 **JJ-IFG1**

Follow up to Fused Glass Pendants 1 with this intermediate class. Take fusing to the next level introducing wire, fiber blanket and glass frits for design options. You'll be able to complete a few fused glass pendants or cabochons for use by the end of the session. Materials fee covers glass kit, jewelry accessories and kiln time.

Instructor: Jennifer L. Johnson

Kid's Classes

Parent/Child Intro to Clay ALL LEVELS

4 Weeks · \$180 per pair + clay
Children ages 7-15 years

THURSDAYS 5-7PM

Oct 30, Nov 6, 13 & Dec 4 **LM-PCH3**

In this 4 week class parents and their children will have the opportunity to sample wheel thrown pottery and hand building techniques as well as learn the basics about glazing and surface decoration. In addition, a team project will be suggested and pairs will be encouraged to work together to create a special piece.

Instructor: Lyndsay Rae Meiklem

NEW!

Family Clay! Family Mugs and Bowls

1 Day Workshop · \$15 per person
(space is limited!)

SATURDAY 10-11:30AM

Oct 18 **LM-FAM4**

SATURDAY 9-10:30AM

Dec 6 **LM-FAM5**

For Family members ages 6 and up! Spend quality time with family and each build a fun clay mug or bowl. Choose a color and we will glaze it for you!

Instructor: Lyndsay Rae Meiklem



A horse sculpture by Danielle.

Wheel Thrown Pottery for Kids

4 Weeks · \$90 + clay
Ages 11-15 years

SATURDAYS 9-11AM

Sept 13, 20, 27 & Oct 11 **LM-KWH5**

This class will explore making pottery on the wheel. Students will learn skills to throw a pot through demonstrations and hands-on experience. Glazing techniques will also be covered.

Instructor: Lyndsay Rae Meiklem

NEW!

Hand Building Imaginary Clay Creatures!

4 Weeks · \$90 + clay
Ages 6-10 years

SATURDAYS 9-11AM

Sept 13, 20, 27 & Oct 11 **KQ-KHB3**

Kids will brainstorm ideas for never before seen creatures and then translate their ideas into 3D clay sculptures. We will learn how to use pinch, coil, slab and sculpting techniques and finally acrylic paints will bring our ideas to life!

Instructor: Kristin L. Quinn

YOGA Classes

Hatha Yoga

\$15 per class

EVERY OTHER SUNDAY 10-11:15AM

Sept 7, 21, Oct 5, 19 (free day), Nov 2, 16, 30 & Dec 7
Come and experience this introduction to alignment, vinyasa and breath work. Appropriate for those with little to no yoga experience!

Instructor: Neiley Rushford

Svaroopa® Inspired Yoga

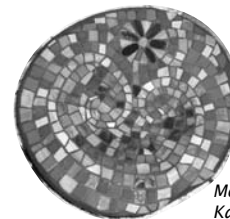
\$15 per class

TUESDAYS 6:15 - 7:45PM

Weekly beginning Sept 16

Svaroopa® Yoga is a compassionate and gentle approach to the body open to the novice or experienced yoga student, physically fit, or struggling with health challenges. Svaroopa® Yoga uses classical yoga asanas (poses) to encourage a deep opening in the muscles around the spine, helping the whole body to relax and move more freely. Your body is supported in poses that carefully and gradually release the deepest layers of tension in the body resulting in an overall feeling of well being.

Instructor: Anne Mehr



Mosaic tile work by Karen Clarke.

Studio Information and Policies

- MKW reserves the right to cancel classes based on minimum enrollment. Full refunds are paid when MKW cancels a class.
- Tuition may be paid by cash, check or money order. Registration is only complete when full payment has been received. Post dated checks or partial payments are not accepted.
- All students are expected to abide by studio guidelines for safety, studio maintenance and conduct.

- Students may make up missed classes during open studio time or when space allows in ongoing classes. Classes cannot be made up after the sixth week of any session.
- Student cancellations must be requested at least 10 days prior to the start date of a class. A refund will be issued minus a \$40.00 cancellation fee. No refunds or credits will be given after that time.
- All clay must be purchased from MKW.

Look for MKW on the web: www.meiklemkilnworks.com

Class Registration Form

Mail form with payment to Meiklem Kiln Works, 46 Lebanon Rd. Bozrah, CT 06334

Student's Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

If child, parent's name: _____ Age of child: _____

Home phone: _____ Work phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Class code: _____ Payment: (cash or check) _____ Total: _____

Signature (parent's signature if child): _____



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NEW ART CLASSES!

Decorative Painting,
Figure Drawing, Fused Glass,
Family Classes & More!

Save the date to "Get Centered"

Sunday October 19th, 2008 • 10AM-8PM

Join Us in celebration of the mind body connection
and "Get Centered" in our new upstairs studio space!

Free chanting, yoga, and meditation classes all day and join us for a special concert by Emile DeLeon who will bless us with the sounds of his Tibetan Singing Bowls!!! Check the website or call the studio for more details.

- 10-11:15AM Hatha Yoga with Neiley Rushford
 - 11:45-2PM Healing Arts Sampler (*sample reflexology, healing touch, chair massage, reiki*)
 - 2:30-3:15PM Tuning Up: Sound as Medicine with Erika Gustafson
 - 3:45-5PM Svaroopva inspired yoga with Anne Mehr
 - 5:30-6:30PM Iyengar inspired yoga class with Kathi Salley
 - 7:00-8:00PM Tibetan Singing Bowl Concert with Emile DeLeon (*bring a blanket*)
- Tickets: \$10 in advance
\$12 at the door



Light refreshments served before concert.

This is a 'working schedule' times subject to change, please call the studio for finalized schedule.

Directions to MKW Studio:

From Norwich:

Take Rt 2 West to Exit 25. Follow directions below*.

From New London:

Take 395 North to Exit 81W. This puts you on Rt 2 West. Take Exit 25 and follow directions below*.

From Willimantic:

Take Rt 32 toward Norwich to Rt 87. Take your first left onto Stockhouse Rd. MKW is the first drive on the left.

From Colchester:

Take Rt 2 East to Exit 23. Take a right at the end of the exit ramp. At the next stop sign (Mains Country store) take a right. Take a left onto Stockhouse Rd. MKW is on the right at the end of Stockhouse Rd.

* Take a right at the end of the Exit ramp. At the second stop light bear left onto Rt 87 (Getty Gas Station). Take the first left onto Stockhouse Rd. MKW is the first drive on the left.

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