

# Gourd Workshops

ACP MEMBERS AND NON-MEMBERS CAN REGISTER ON-LINE AT [www.artisanscentre.ca](http://www.artisanscentre.ca).

MEMBERS CAN ALSO REGISTER PRE-CLASS DAY AT THE CENTRE.

MEMBERS MUST PAY WITH CASH OR CHEQUE FOR THE DISCOUNT.

**IN ORDER TO ENSURE THE TEACHER HAS ADEQUATE SUPPLIES & TOOLS FOR A WORKSHOP, PLEASE BE SURE TO REGISTER AT LEAST 4 DAYS PRIOR TO THE DAY OF THE WORKSHOP. Thank you.....**

## Beginner Carving - Part 1 & Part 2

Monday July 22<sup>nd</sup> & Monday July 29th 10:30 am to 3:30 pm *Number of Students are limited.*

Cost: \$ 50.00 for both parts (ACP Members only)

Teacher: Anne Carling

*Supply your own gourd, opened and cleaned outside and in. It should be about a centimetre or more thick.*

You will learn ways to remove the outermost skin, stipple technique, undercutting, and shaping a simple leaf. You may choose to add more leaves to your gourd.

Students should bring a protective dust mask, protective eye wear (glasses are acceptable), protective gloves and an apron. If you have a Dremel/Rotary carver with a flex shaft, please bring it with any bits that you have. There will be a few carvers available to use.



## Beginner Gourd Art

Thursday August 1, 2019 10:30 am to 3:30 pm

**\$60 PER SESSION** 4 hours, plus lunch and coffee/tea breaks *all materials supplied*

In this class, you will learn to use both hand and power tools for opening and cleaning gourds. Basic safety of working with gourds and care of tools will be taught, so you will be able to use these tools on your own. You will sand and paint the inside of your gourd before using Adirondack dyes to give a colourful surface to the outside of your gourd. A glued leather rim will complete your gourd. Once you have completed this course you will be ready to apply a variety of techniques and express your creativity on a gourd. This class is a requirement for many other workshops in Gourd Art.



## Ocean Drum

Tuesday August 6<sup>th</sup> 10:30 am to 3:30 pm

Cost: ACP Member Price: \$60.00 Non-Member Price: \$80.00 (your gourd will be prepared for you)

Teacher: TBA

This drum is perfect for putting you in a relaxed mood! When your ocean drum is completed, you will learn to slowly move the drum to make the sound of soft waves lapping on a shore. A suitable gourd bowl will be provided which you will prepare and learn to make the ocean drum. Come with an idea of how you would like to decorate your ocean drum.

The Teacher will Provide all materials and supplies for the class.



## Penguins

Monday August 19<sup>th</sup> 10:30 am to 3:30 pm

Cost: **ACP Member Price: \$30.00**      **Non-Member Price: \$40.00 which includes a prepared gourd**

Teacher: TBA

You will be adding details to a penguin shaped gourd to make your own unique penguin using Quikwood, ApoxieSculpt, and paint.

The Instructor will provide all materials and supplies for the class.

Students will need to bring their imagination and an apron.



## Glue Tree on Gourd

Monday September 9<sup>th</sup> 10:30 am to 3:30 pm

Cost: \$ 30.00 (ACP Members only)

Teacher: Sharron Anstey

Using a hot glue gun, you will create trees and grass, and then finish by colouring your gourd using metallic paints and rubs.

Students should bring: **Gourd, opened and cleaned outside and in OR cleaned outside and left unopened. Hot glue gun (must be hot not cool) & a minimum of 12 glue sticks**

We will not be putting a rim on the gourd in this workshop but if the gourd is opened it can be finished in a future workshop on rimming/coiling/etc.



## CREATIVE HANDS ON FESTIVAL (2019)

Location: Artisans Centre Peterborough Square

Friday September 13<sup>th</sup> 10 – 4 Saturday September 14<sup>th</sup> 10 – 4 Sunday September 15<sup>th</sup> 10 - 4

**Sharing the joy of creating by hand.**

See our local artisans in action making a variety of hand crafted items. Get “hands on” and try a few quick crafts. Take a beginner’s class, learn a new skill and take your creation home. Meet the artisans and find out about craft groups to join in Peterborough. Free admission, free parking on Saturday and Sunday.

See all the details and register at: [www.creativehandsonfestival.ca](http://www.creativehandsonfestival.ca)

If you have questions, use the registration form, call: 705-775-1797 and leave a message, or e-mail: [creativefestival2019@gmail.com](mailto:creativefestival2019@gmail.com)



## Knotless Netting Dream Catcher

Monday September 23<sup>rd</sup> 10:30 am to 3:30 pm with a break for lunch

Cost: **ACP Member Price: \$20.00**

**Non-Member Price: \$45.00 (includes price of gourd, as well as all preparation - cleaning, cutting open, sanding, varnishing inside and out)**

Teacher: Barbara Bellchambers

I will supply a variety of gourds for members to **purchase** in advance of the class, so you can prepare your gourd for the class. You will precut the gourd with a circular hole in the front to make the dream catcher, or use a precut section of a gourd. You should seal the inside of the gourd before the class, as well as put a finish on the outside of the gourd. The rest we will do in class.

You are welcome to bring any special beads or feathers you would like to use to decorate your dream catcher. We also have lots of both available at the centre.



## Beginner Gourd Art

Thursday September 26th

10:30 am to 3:30 pm

**\$60 PER SESSION**

4 hours, plus lunch and coffee/tea breaks

*all materials supplied*



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## Coiling for the First Time

Monday October 7<sup>th</sup>

10:30 am to 3:30 pm

**Cost: \$ 30**

**(ACP Members only)**

**Teacher: Anne Carling**



Anne will show you the basic technique to coil with one colour. She will discuss how to get started on adding patterns once you have mastered the basic technique by coiling at least 3 rows on a gourd. Paper core and wax linen in a variety of colours will be available.

***Students will bring a gourd finished both inside and out.***

**Cost of wax linen thread - 0.25 cents a yard.**

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## Christmas Decorating Gourd Ornaments

Monday October 21<sup>st</sup>

10:30 am to 3:30 pm

**Free to make decorations for our Winterfest Tree**

**\$10 per decoration for yourself!**

We will get in the Christmas spirit by making gourd decorations for our Winterfest tree. These decorated trees are raffled off to raise money for Five Counties Children's Centre in Peterborough. Let's see how many wonderful decorations we can make to fill the tree this year. Kawartha Gourders will supply all materials and supplies for the class. If we each make at least 5 decorations for the tree, what a fabulous display we will have.

**Non-Members** are welcome to join our decoration day, to be inspired and learn from our gourding members.



## Engraving Doodle Designs on A Black Gourd

Monday November 4<sup>th</sup> 10:30 am to 3:30 pm

Cost: \$ 30.00 (ACP Members only)

Teacher: Dorothy Hawkins



Dorothy will show you how to make the outside of the gourd black, before carving the lines for your doodle design. Bring your ideas for patterns.

**The Instructor will provide** some patterns. You will be using a Dremel or other power carver in this class. Please let Dorothy know if you will need a power carver, so she can make sure we have enough carvers for everyone.

**Students will need to bring** a gourd cleaned inside and out and painted on the **inside** the colour of your choice. If you have a power carver please bring it along with your carving bits.

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## Beginner Pyrography

Monday November 25<sup>th</sup> 10:30 am to 3:30 pm

Cost: \$30.00 ACP Members \$40.00 Non-Members

Teacher: Barbara Bellchambers



Are you looking for a way to enhance your gourd or wooden bowls? Come and learn how adding simple designs with pyrography will add value and appeal to the most basic bowl. You will burn a sampler design inside a border on your bowl, learning while burning what the different tips can do.

**The Instructor will provide** a tutorial with pattern ideas.

**Students will need to bring a prepared gourd bowl, or a turned wooden bowl.** Although you may not be able to complete all the burning during class time depending on the size of your bowl, you will go away with a tutorial which will help you finish on your own. You may finish the inside of your bowl, but do not put a finish on the outside of the gourd.

**Students need to bring any pyrography equipment they have. Please let me know in advance if you need to borrow equipment, so I can have enough equipment available. [bellcham@nexicom.net](mailto:bellcham@nexicom.net)**

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## Beginner Gourd Art

Thursday November 28th 10:30 am to 3:30 pm

**\$60 PER SESSION** 4 hours, plus lunch and coffee/tea breaks *all materials supplied*



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