

Jennifer McHugh Art

KIDS' CAMP CREATE



WEEK 1: June 26 - 30
TIME: 9:00 -12:00
LOCATION: 5674 Ashland Ave. SD 92120 (follow sign through gate on right side of house)

THEME: *Everything Abstract*

Campers will learn about various types of abstract art and create work in a variety of media. We will throw all those rules out the window as we look at Abstract Art and how shape and color can evoke as much response as something that looks "real".

Monday – 6/26	We'll be starting off our "week of abstracts" talking about the concept of abstract expressionism. While discussing this, campers will learn about some of the most famous abstract artists...some of which we will emulate this week. Our first project will be studying colors & emotions evoked through color, then painting on paper, tearing it into pieces and reassembling on canvas. (Today's snack: Fruit Popsicles*)
Tuesday – 6/27	Today, we will be channeling our inner Jackson Pollock! After learning a bit about his life and unique process of "drip painting" on a large canvas, campers will use different tools to practice creating their own painting on cardboard. Once they have the hang of it, they'll spend the morning dripping, dribbling, scraping, tossing & splattering paint over a large piece of fabric on the ground. This piece will later be cut into squares for each camper to bring home. (Today's snack: abstract "painted" graham crackers & grapes*)

<p>Wednesday – 6/28</p>	<p>Today's project will be an "earth friendly" creation using cereal boxes and other various sized boxes. We'll be priming the boxes with either white or black paint then paint over that with the opposite color. Before getting started, we'll study the work of abstract artist, Franz Kline, in particular his famous black and white abstracts. Many layers and much thought will go into these abstract sculptural pieces.</p> <p>(Today's snack: Tropical Fruit & Marshmallow Kabobs*)</p>
<p>Thursday – 6/29</p>	<p>Today is all about shapes and minimalism. We will use liquid acrylics to create several pieces on paper using repetitive shapes. How can we stir emotions just by using simple stripes, lines, dots, circles and imagination?</p> <p>(Today's snack: Yogurt, Fruit & Granola Parfaits*)</p>
<p>Friday – 6/30</p>	<p>After a week of learning about and creating abstract art, campers will get to create their own abstract masterpieces without a lesson or plan. We will talk about intuitive painting and start the day off painting a large canvas blindfolded. Once they're in a groove, the kids can choose from a variety of media and create something they'll present to the campers at our end of the week "art show".</p> <p>(Today's snack: Apples, Graham Crackers & Nutella Dip*)</p>

*If your child has any food allergies, please let me know and I will gladly accommodate.