

Summer 2018

**ARTSmart:** Programs  
for Children and Families



Jean Van Harlingen, *A Place for Eagles to Fly* (detail), 1984, 3 handmade sheets of paper, 39 x 75 in. each, gift of Jane Van Harlingen (twin sister), 2017.248

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# ARTSmart Classes

Spend the summer exploring themes from the exhibitions “Summer Idyll” and “Jam Session.” “Jam Session” is in conjunction with the Manhattan Public Library summer reading theme “Libraries Rock.”

Cost is \$3 per child. Call 785-532-7718 or email [klwalk@k-state.edu](mailto:klwalk@k-state.edu) for reservations. Children must be accompanied by an adult. If you must cancel, we would appreciate a call.

## Summer Class Schedule

- Tuesday** 3-4 p.m. (all ages)
- Wednesday** 10:30-11 a.m. (toddlers and twos)  
3-4 p.m. (all ages)
- Thursday** 10:30-11:30 a.m. (ages 3-5)  
3-4 p.m. (all ages)

## Dates and Topics

- June 5-7:** Jazzy Collages
- June 12-14:** Humming Along (homemade harmonicas)
- June 19-21:** We Got the Beat (percussion instruments)
- June 26-28:** Classical Notes (keyboards and strings)
- July 10-12:** Cubist Landscapes (photography in The Meadow)
- July 17-19:** Abstract Worlds (marbleized and poured landscapes)
- July 24-27:** Landscape Layers

**Special for Military Families:** In conjunction with the Blue Star Museum program, the Beach Museum of Art offers military families half-price on all workshops!



Papermaking >  
in the Meadow





## Young Artists Program

The **Young Artists Programs** take place in June with museum tours and art workshops taught by K-State and Manhattan High School fine arts and art education students. The class for younger children allows artists to explore a variety of media. Classes for older children focus on learning more about specific techniques. Class size is capped at 12 children. Reservations can be made by calling 785-532-7718. Cost is \$15 per session.

### Class Dates and Topics

**June 4**, 1:30-3:30 p.m.: Ages 5-8, Media Exploration (wet media)

**June 5**, 9:30-11:30 a.m.: Ages 8 and up, Painting Landscapes (acrylics and watercolors)

**June 11**, 1:30-3:30 p.m.: Ages 5-8, Media Exploration (dry media)

**June 12**, 9:30-11:30 a.m.: Ages 8 and up, Pastel Still Lives (oil and chalk)

**June 18**, 1:30-3:30 p.m.: Ages 8 and up, Abstract Printmaking (linoleum block and collographs)

**June 19**, 9:30-11:30 a.m.: Ages 5-8, Media Exploration (wet media)

**June 25**, 1:30-3:30 p.m.: Ages 8 and up, Drawing Portraits (pencil, prismacolor, and charcoal)

**June 26**, 9:30-11:30 a.m.: Ages 5-8, Media Exploration (dry media)

One work by each artist per session will be chosen for matting and display. One T-shirt per child included.

### Young Artists Celebration and Reception

**July 14**, 10:30 a.m.-noon

View works created in the Young Artists Program. Refreshments will be served. Open to the public.

## Hot Weather Fun

### Papermaking Workshops

**August 1 or 2**, 10-11:30 a.m.

Inspired by "A Place for Eagles to Fly" by Jean Van Harlingen.

Cost is \$5 per person (Reservations required)

## Family Resources for Hot Summer Days

The **Exploration Station**, located in the galleries, will feature books and art activities for "Jam Session."

Enhance your museum visit with an **ARTote** available at the information desk. Topics include the elements of art (line, shape, form, color, and texture), nature, and weather. Each tote bag contains books, games, gallery activities, and guide sheets to direct families to special works in the permanent collection.

## Summer Exhibitions



◀ Robert Alexander Fromme, *Large Dragon Whistle*, ca. 1973, stoneware, 18 x 13 in. x 9 1/2 in., KSU, Beach Museum of Art, gift of the Rose & Angelo C. Garzio Art Collection, 2004.170

### **Jam Session: Musical Selections from the Permanent Collection** May 15-August 25, 2018, Donna Lindsay Vanier Gallery

This exhibition, curated to complement the Manhattan Public Library's summer reading theme "Libraries Rock," features music, musicians, and musical instruments through the eyes of artists.



◀ Judy Love, *River Idyll*, dry pastel (Windsor Newton and possibly Sennelier) on paper, no fixative, 29 3/8 x 43 1/2 in., KSU, Beach Museum of Art, gift of Judy Love, 2011.215

### **Summer Idyll: Selections from the Permanent Collection** June 12-August 4, 2018, Marion Pelton Gallery

Inspired by the recent acquisition of *A Place for Eagles Fly* by Jean Van Harlingen, this exhibition features abstract landscapes from the permanent collection, displayed to encourage travel to idyllic places through the imagination.

## Fall 2018 Preview



◀ Shirley Smith,  
*Burning Field*, 1994,  
oil on canvas,  
56 x 56 in., KSU,  
Beach Museum of  
Art, gift of Shirley  
Smith Estate,  
2014.42

## Picturing Kansas

October 5, 2018-June 1, 2019

From scenic prairies to bucolic farms to the architecture of Kansas' agricultural industry, this exhibition features more than 100 years of works by Kansas artists reflecting a sense of place. Included are works of both seminal and lesser-known artists, with many paintings not previously on view in the galleries.

"Picturing Kansas" will feature early Kansas painter Thomas Johnston; important Kansas artists Birger Sandzen, John Steuart Curry, and William Dickerson; and several women artists, including Shirley Smith, Diana Werts, Barbara Cleary, and Lisa Grossman.

The exhibition is a cornerstone for the museum's popular "Picturing Kansas" school tour program that integrates art, history, environmental and agricultural science, and language arts. An additional tour component at the Riley County Historical Society is available. Contact Kathrine Schlageck, associate curator of education, at [klwalk@k-state.edu](mailto:klwalk@k-state.edu) or 785-532-7718 for more information on tours and bus funds.



Bruce Handiside Mitchell, *title unknown (Kansas City jazz)*, 1950s, oil on hardboard, 26 x 39 in., gift of Jim and Virginia Moffett, 2003.96

## Group Tours

“Jam Session” tours with an activity are available for summer school, camp, social service, and summer day care programs on a first come, first served basis. These tours are offered Tuesday-Thursday from 1-2:30 p.m. and on Fridays. Participants receive a general tour of the exhibition and participate in the week’s featured project. Contact Kathrine Schlageck at [klwalk@k-state.edu](mailto:klwalk@k-state.edu) or 785-532-7718.

## Young Writers Program

For information about K-State’s Department of English Young Writers program at the museum please visit [k-state.edu/english/summer/youngwritersworkshop.html](http://k-state.edu/english/summer/youngwritersworkshop.html).

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