



HELDEBERG WORKSHOP

AN ADVENTURE IN LEARNING

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2009 ADULT WORKSHOPS

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See <http://www.heldebergworkshop.org> for information, directions and registration forms

Saturday, April 18th

AD1) Amphibian Walk

9am – 12 noon

No fee

The Workshop Land has one of the richest diversities of amphibians in all of New York State. Join Al Breisch, co-author of Amphibians and Reptiles of New York State: Identification, Natural History and Conservation, as we explore the streams and woodlands on the Land to see how many salamanders, frogs and toads we can find and learn about their interesting life histories.



Sunday, May 10th

AD2) Birding & Brunch

7am – 10:30

\$10

It's Spring at last! What better way to celebrate this season of new beginnings than with an early morning bird walk! Join in the adventure as we look for and listen to birds as they migrate, mate and establish territories. Finish the morning off with a delicious *al fresco* brunch and good company! You'll feel sorry for your friends who are home in bed. Bring your binoculars along!

Instructor: Michael Matthews

Saturday, May 16th

AD3) Spring Wildflower Walk

9am – 12 noon

No fee

What's up in the woods? *May wildflowers* and we will show you how to identify them! The Heldeberg limestone slope is especially rich in wildflowers, and you can bring your camera along to capture their beauty. We will share the ecology of these wildflowers and their rich plant lore. You may bring a wildflower field guide, water, snack and perhaps a walking stick.

Leaders: Sheila Daniels, Frank Knight, Peg Wallingford

Saturday, June 6th

AD4) Learn to Yodel

9am-12 noon

\$5

Here's your chance to have fun and annoy or impress your friends and family! You will learn to yodel from square one, mostly in the Country Music style. This class is taught by Ed Kautz, who's been yodeling for over 35 years. Requirements: ability to sing and desire to learn and have fun.

Saturday, July 18th

AD5) Landscaping for Wildlife with Native Plants

No fee

9am -12 noon

Spend a lovely summer morning walking the trails of the Heldeberg Workshop. We will learn about native plants that hummingbirds, butterflies and birds love, as well as those plants that deer do not.

Instructors: Michael and Dorothy Matthews

Saturday, July 25th

AD6) Clay 1A: Handbuilding, Wheelthrowing & Introduction to Finishes with Colleen Skiff

\$25 + \$15 materials fee

9am – 12:30 noon



You can construct projects of your own choosing, or borrow ideas from samples projects on display. Wheel throwing of simple bowls will be demonstrated during the second half of the class, as well as basic finishes. Work from Clay 1A will be bisque fired and ready for pickup or for **Clay F: Just Finishes** on *Thursday July 30, Saturday Aug 1 or Thursday Aug 6*. Any student who takes both Clay 1A and Clay 2A may finish projects stated in 1A, apply clay finishes and also make additional clay pieces. A materials fee includes 15 pounds of clay, and one firing.

AD7) Spelunking

9am – 1pm

\$25

Does your *Bucket List* include going caving? Well, here's your chance! Explore a cave with local writer, geologist and caving enthusiast Dr. Michael Nardacci! This is sure to be a fascinating and mind expanding experience. Bring three (3) light sources, wear warm clothing (jeans, sweatshirt or flannel shirt), boots or sneakers and work gloves. Helmets will be provided. You will need a change of clothing for afterwards (caves can be muddy!). Bring a lunch.

AD8) Learn to Knit Socks

9am-12 noon

No fee

Are you tired of and yearn for a project? If you and pearl, then pair of socks! Land as we start project. You will be provided with a materials list before class.



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Instructor: Dorothy Matthews

Thursday Evening, July 30th**AD9) Clay F: Just Finishes**

5 - 6:30 pm

\$10 + \$15 materials fee

Finish off the projects you made in Clay 1A. Under glazes, glazes & ceramic paints with brush, dipping, wax and scratching techniques will be demonstrated. All glazes are lead free. A materials fee includes under glazes, glazes, ceramic paints and firing.

Saturday, August 1nd**AD10) Clay 2A: Handbuilding, Wheelthrowing & Introduction to Finishes with Colleen Skiff**

\$25 + \$15 materials fee

9am – 12:30 noon

Construct projects of your choosing, or borrow ideas from projects on display. Wheel throwing will be demonstrated in the second half of the class, as well as basic finishes. Projects begun during Clay 1A may be continued and finished during Clay 2A. All dried or bisque fired projects from 2A will be available for pickup on Aug 6 or for **Clay F: Just Finishes.** A materials fee includes 15 pounds of clay, and one firing.

AD 11) Clay F: Just Finishes

10am - 11:30am

\$10 + \$15 materials fee

Finish off the projects you made in Clay 1A in this class. See **class AD9** for a complete description.

AD12) Make a Crazy Quilt Pillow Top with Linda O'Connor

10am – 2pm

\$5

Begin a crazy quilt pillow top of your own design. Learn how to do embroidery stitching to embellish your work. Bring some muslin, 18"x18", fabric scraps, needles, thread, scissors, pins, and a variety of embroidery threads in various colors. Call Linda at 765-2887 if you have questions. Please bring lunch.

Thursday Evening, August 6nd**AD13) Clay F: Just Finishes**

5 - 6:30pm

\$10 + \$15 materials fee

Finish off the projects you made in **Clay 1A** or **Clay 2A** in this class. See **class AD9** for a complete description. Pick up your finished, fired pieces by August 12th.