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FIREHOUSE COMMUNITY ARTS ACADEMY



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ALL THE ARTS • ALL AGES • YEAR-ROUND

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Monthly tuition & Great Discounts

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VOCAL & INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

(Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced- All Ages)

Piano, Violin/Viola, Drums, Voice, Guitar, Trumpet, Trombone, Tuba, Clarinet, Flute, Saxophone, Djembe,

Group instruction is an ideal way to try out an instrument, learn the rudiments and enhance skills. In small classes, with plenty of individual attention, students become familiar with the instrument and begin playing simple pieces as preparation for private instruction; Adults, as well as children enjoy studying with friends and can benefit from each other's progress. We encourage young children (5 or younger) to take MBAA's KoKa Babies ® program.



Private Instruction - Organized courses of instruction leading from very beginning study to advanced performance levels. Students learn theory, techniques and performance skills and are expected to participate in periodic recitals.

All music students (group and private) are required to have an appropriate instrument for regular practice; instruments may be rented.

VISUAL ARTS

Drawing/Painting -Arts Exploration -Photography

The Visual Arts program encourages students of all ages to observe the world around them and empowers them to articulate that world and their own imaginations, visually. In each course students (organized by age) are made aware of the structure of visual communication and related sources of form in the environment. Studio experience in drawing, painting, graphics and exploring with sculpture materials introduces these art forms to children and adults. Students will exhibit at the end of the school year. Intensive Workshops & Seminars will be available for adults.



Arts-A-FIRE YOUTH THEATER TROUPE

Express yourself on stage! Do you have a story to tell and or act out... A song to sing or dance? Enroll in join the new **Arts-A-Fire Youth Theater Troupe**. Learn speech and diction, how to create characters, scenes, theater terminology, body language, cultural competency and much, much more. Youth, ages 7 to 17 from throughout Greater Memphis area in MS and AR will be able to perform original and classic productions on stages throughout the region.



DANCE & MOVEMENT

(Zumba-African-Ballet-Tap-Jazz-Hip-Hop, Ballroom)

MBAA's FireHouse Community Arts Academy Dance & Movement Department taught by academically and professionally experienced dancers, offers many classes for ages 4 to senior adults. Dance improves confidence, coordination, rhythm, posture and relaxation. It lets students explore the creative aspects of movement. All classes are suitable for boy or girls. Dance attire is required. Students perform in public, including a yearly dance recital. Serious dance students are encouraged to take several classes a week. As students progress, instructors will assign them to sequential levels based on ability.



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MEMPHIS BLACK ARTS ALLIANCE
FIREHOUSE COMMUNITY ARTS ACADEMY
2010-2011 CLASS SCHEDULE

| Hr | CLASSES/WORKSHOPS/LESSONS | Sat | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thur |
|--|--|-------|-------------|----------------|------|--------|
| DANCE & MOVEMENT | | | | | | |
| 1.00 | ZUMBA® (Adults) | 4:30 | 6:30 | | | |
| 1.00 | Movers & Shakers (Gentle & Contemporary Dance) | | 4:30 | | | |
| 1.00 | Grand Tappers (Tap for Mature Adults) | | 5:30 | | | |
| 0.75 | Baby Ballet (3-4 yrs) | 9:15 | | | | |
| 1.00 | Ballet/Tap/Jazz (5 - 7 yrs) | 10:30 | | | | |
| 1.00 | Ballet/Jazz/Tap (9 yrs & up) | 11:30 | | | | |
| 1.00 | Jazz/Hip-Hop (7 yrs & up) | 12:30 | | | | 0.1875 |
| 1.00 | Jazz/Hip-Hop (Teen/ Adults) | 1:30 | | | 6:30 | |
| 1.50 | Traditional West African Dance (Adults) | TBD | | | | |
| VISUAL ARTS | | | | | | |
| 1.00 | Creative Connections (6 - 8yrs) | 9:30 | | | | |
| 1.50 | Arts Exploration-Drawing, Painting, Fabric, Graphics (9 up) | 10:30 | 5:30 | | | |
| 1.00 | Drawing & Painting (Teens & older) | 12:00 | | | | |
| 1.00 | Intro to Digital Photography - 8 Lessons (Youth) | 2:00 | 6:30 | | | |
| 4.00 | Digital Photography & Editing Seminar (Adults) | TBA | | | | |
| 1.50 | Sewing for Beginners (14 & up) | 3:00 | | | | |
| 1.50 | Needlepoint, Knit, Crochet - BLING (11 & up) - 10 Lessons | TBA | | 6:30 | | |
| 1.50 | Fabric Arts, & Recyclable Designs - 10 Lessons | TBA | | | | |
| THEATER ARTS | | | | | | |
| 2.00 | Theater Class & Arts-A-Fire Youth Theater Troupe (9-21) | 2:00 | | 6:30 | 6:30 | |
| 1.00 | Acting Basics for Adults | 4:00 | | | | |
| 1.50 | Musical Theater Chorus | | 6:30 | | | |
| 1.00 | Playwriting (Teens/Adults) | TBA | | | | |
| ENCORE CREATIVE ARTS FOR MATURE ADULTS | | | | | | |
| This series of courses is designed for active adults ages 50+. | | | | | | |
| 1.00 | Encore Chorale - Negro Spirituals & Songs of 50's,60's, 70's | | 11:00 | | | |
| 1.00 | Encore Movers - Line Dance, Madison, Chicago Steppin' | | 11:00 | | | |
| 1.00 | Encore Visionaires - Water colors, Photography, More! | | 11:00 | | | |
| 1.00 | Encore Players - Acting, Poetry, short plays, Comedy | | 11:00 | | | |
| GROUP MUSIC | | | | | | |
| 45-60 Minute Lessons - By Appointment (Appt) | | | | | | |
| Multiple Sections-Students Assigned by Skill Level & Age | | | | | | |
| 1.00 | Piano (6 & up) | | Saturdays & | By Appointment | | |
| 1.00 | Snare Drums Youth Group | | Saturdays & | By Appointment | | |
| 1.00 | Snare Drums Youth Group-Level 2 | | Saturdays & | By Appointment | | |
| 1.00 | Guitar (Acoustic, Electric, Bass) | | Saturdays & | By Appointment | | |
| 1.00 | Beginning Teen Chorus (11-14) | | Saturdays & | By Appointment | | |
| 1.00 | Trumpet & Other Brass | | Saturdays & | By Appointment | | |
| 1.00 | Saxophone, Flute, Clarinet | | Saturdays & | By Appointment | | |
| 1.50 | Jazz, R & B, Blues Ensemble (Teen-Adults By Permission) | | Saturdays & | By Appointment | | |
| 1.00 | Violin/Viola | | Saturdays & | By Appointment | | |
| PRIVATE MUSIC LESSONS by APPOINTMENT | | | | | | |
| Master Vocals (Jazz/Opera/Spirituals) - 14 - Adult Piano (7 & up), Piano - Blues/Jazz/Gospel/(12 - Adult), Guitar, Violin/Viola, Trumpet/Tuba/Trombone, Saxophone, Flute, Clarinet | | | | | | |
| AFTER-SCHOOL ARTS ACADEMY | | | | | | |
| Mon - Friday 2:30 - 5:30 PM | | | | | | |

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MEMPHIS BLACK ARTS ALLIANCE
2010-2011 FEE SCHEDULE

Monthly Rates

| Class Rate/Hour | Member | Non-Member | Ages |
|--|--------|------------|--------|
| Group Dance, Acting, Musical Theater (Acting/Vocals Combo = 2 hrs) | | | |
| 1 | \$ 50 | \$ 65 | All |
| 2 | \$ 70 | \$ 85 | All |
| 3 | \$ 105 | \$ 120 | All |
| 4 | \$ 155 | \$ 175 | All |
| Unlimited | \$ 185 | \$ 220 | All |
| Visual Arts | | | |
| 1 | \$ 55 | \$ 70 | All |
| 1.5 | \$ 75 | \$ 95 | All |
| 2 | \$ 95 | \$ 110 | All |
| Group Music Lessons | | | |
| 1 | \$ 60 | \$ 75 | 6 yrs+ |
| 1 | \$ 70 | \$ 80 | Adults |
| Group Violin/Viola Classes \$160/month | | | |
| Private Music Lessons | | | |
| 1/2 | \$ 110 | \$ 130 | All |
| 3/4 | \$ 160 | \$ 200 | All |
| 1 | \$ 190 | \$ 240 | All |
| Private Voice/Violin/Viola Classes 30 min. \$45/lesson | | | |
| After School 2:30-5:30 Weekly Rates -Tutor, Math, Science, Arts, Dance | | | |
| 1 Child | \$ 100 | \$ 115 | 7-14 |
| 2 Children | \$ 150 | \$ 170 | 7-14 |
| 3 Children | \$ 220 | \$ 250 | 7-14 |
| 4 Children | \$ 290 | \$ 335 | 7-14 |
| Annual Registration Fee: \$25/Single; \$35/Family - *Membership is Once a Year, \$50 for individuals, \$75 for families. Benefits include discounts on classes, Firehouse rental for parties, receptions, meetings, invitation and discount for special events, products and other services. Discounts for siblings & multiple classes | | | |



HOW TO REGISTER

Register in person, complete an enrollment agreement, pay non-refundable registration fee and submit a tuition payment. Tuition may be paid in **monthly installments** or in full for a discount at registration.

Most classes meet on a weekly basis (Unless otherwise noted). Tuition is pro-rated for those who begin after the term has started. Enrollment is on a first come, first serve basis. Class size is limited, music lessons (group and private) are by appointment. MBAA reserves the right to cancel a class or ensemble due to insufficient enrollment.

TUITION PAYMENT PLANS

Monthly installment payments due by the 1st class of each month, a \$10 late fee is assigned after the 15th of the month.

Full Pay Save 15%. Pay tuition in full at the time of registration

OTHER DISCOUNTS

Members Get It! Become a MBAA member and receive a discount on all FireHouse Community Arts Academy classes, camp, merchandise and special events. Membership may be tax deductible and is good for one year from date of donation.

Family Discount & Free Classes- If your Child(ren) enroll in a total of 4 or more weekly classes, you may take 1 adult group class free. Multiple enrollments by a family or an individual receive a discount.

WALK-INS WELCOME

Please drop by for a tour **10-6 (M-F), Sat 10-2**

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