

## Why Arts Escape?

Art workshops designed for anyone **touched by cancer**. Cancer is a diagnosis. Cancer does not define a person.

Workshops are free and open to the public. (Please note, some may require minimal materials fees). Participation is open to current cancer patients, survivors of cancer, caregivers, and loved ones. Art lessons will be offered in visual, performing, and literary arts. To ensure that each workshop is truly a rewarding experience, space is limited to 10-12 participants.

**To register**, go to [www.artsSiouxFalls.org](http://www.artsSiouxFalls.org) or Contact Lela Himmerich at the Sioux Falls Arts Council:

lhimmerich@artsSiouxfalls.org

or call 271-6696

**Artists** are also welcome to inquire about conducting arts workshops by utilizing the contact information above.

\*Winter workshops will follow beginning in January.

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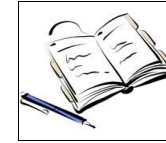


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Cancer Institute



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LIFE since 1969 and now  
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Introducing...



**Arts**

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workshops for people  
touched by cancer

Visual, Literary &  
Performing Arts  
Fall 2013

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\*Workshops modeled after *The Creative Center* in New York, a 501(c)(3) non-profit dedicated to bringing creative arts to people with cancer and chronic illness.

**Invigorate your creative side!**

# Fall Arts Escape Workshops:

Registration information, including full instructor biographies at [www.artsSiouxfalls.org](http://www.artsSiouxfalls.org)

**The Writing Room: Creative Writing Workshops:** Gather with others in a relaxed environment for writing and support. Release stress and develop your voice through journaling techniques, letter writing, and no-rules poetry. Participants will be free to write about personal experience or to explore the boundaries of imagination. No experience or reading aloud required. Please bring the notebook or journal of your choice and a smooth-writing pen or pencil. **Instructor: Writer, journalist, and teaching artist, Lori Walsh**  
**Session One: Wednesdays: Oct. 2,9,16**  
**Noon to 1:30 @ Caille Branch Library 4100 S. Carnegie Circle**  
**Session Two: Wednesdays: Nov. 6,13,20**  
**Noon to 1:30 Prairie West Branch Library 7630 W. 26th Switch Grass Room**

**The Writing Room for Kids: Creative Writing Workshops:** Kids in intermediate grades through middle school are invited to gather for some fun and irreverent creative writing. From journal-based stress busters to colorful character sketches, we'll cover a variety of ways writing can be used for imagination, exploration and self-expression. No experience or reading aloud required. Please bring the notebook or journal or your choice, a pencil or pen, and colored pencils or markers, if desired. **Instructor: Writer, journalist, and teaching artist, Lori Walsh**  
**Session One: Sat. Oct. 19th 1 to 2:30**  
**Session Two: Sat. Nov. 16th 1 to 2:30**  
**Location for both: Meeting Room B, Main Branch Downtown Library, 200 N. Dakota Ave.**

## Fall Arts Escape Workshops cont...

**Mixed Media Collage:** Learn how to mix different art mediums to create an 11 x 14 whimsical bird mixed media painting/collage on canvas. You will use patterned papers, acrylic paint, alcohol ink, old letters and texture medium. Beginners, accomplished artists or crafters will be able to create other projects independently following the workshop. **Instructor: Denise Cameron Nelson, Avera Artist in Residence and Owner of Funky Woman Art.**



**Nov. 5th, Tuesday 7-9 p.m. Or Nov. 9th, Saturday 9-11 a.m. Prairie Center Avera Cancer Institute Executive Conference Room**

## The New York School; Gorky and deKoonig:

South Dakota Artist, Timothy Vogl will provide insight into the relationship between Arshile Gorky and Willem de Koonig. Including an inside look at the influence on one another,, development of their work, and their lives and times. At session end, participants will create at to group acrylic painting in de Koonig style, to be displayed in a central location. **Instructor: Timothy Vogl, B.S. Art Education, M.Ed. in Studio Painting with numerous gallery displays nationally. Tuesdays Nov. 12th or 19th 3:30-5:00 pm. Prairie Center Avera Cancer Institute Small Conference Room**

**Watercolor for Leisure:** Interested in the watercolor process? This workshop teaches all about materials used, how to plan and start a watercolor, and techniques to arrive at a successfully completed watercolor. **Instructor: Timothy Vogl, B.S. in Art Education, M.Ed. in Studio Painting with numerous gallery displays nationally. Wednesdays Oct. 2nd 10am -noon Prairie Center Avera Cancer Institute Executive Conference Room. Or Oct. 9th 10 am-noon. Morningside Community Center @ 33rd and Bahnsen Avenue**

## Paper Mâché Christmas Ornaments:

Making handcrafted DIY Christmas Ornaments is a gift from the creative heart. This class will simplify the technique of paper mâché, making vintage style ornaments from old letters, book pages, newspapers, and patterned art paper. **Instructor: Denise Cameron Nelson, Avera Artist in Residence and Owner Funky Woman Art.**



**Date: Nov. 19, Tuesday 7-9 pm or Nov. 23, Saturday 9-11 a.m. Prairie Center Avera Cancer Institute Executive Conference Room**

**Alcohol Ink Tiles:** A relatively new product on the market, Alcohol Inks are an amazing art medium for experimentation. Vibrant colors of ink are dropped onto a tile with amazing results. Each tile will be abstract, and individually designed. No two will be alike. These tiles are for decoration only and make great Christmas gifts. **Instructor: Denise Cameron Nelson, Avera Artist in Residence and Owner Funky Woman Art.**



**Tues., Dec 3rd 4 to 6 pm or 6:30-8:30 pm Prairie Center Avera Cancer Institute Executive Conference Room**

**Sat., Dec. 7th 10-noon or 1-3 pm Avera Cancer Institute Executive Conference Room**

**Painting with Acrylics:** Enjoy an introduction to acrylics. Learn different techniques, along with diverse methods of producing a painting. **Instructor: Timothy Vogl, B.S. in Art Education, M.Ed. in Studio Painting with numerous gallery displays nationally. Oct. 22nd and 29th Tuesdays 10 a.m. noon Prairie Center Avera Cancer Institute Presentation Room.**