

Red Rock Center's July Calendar of Events

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Artists' of the Month – Sean Conrad, Sioux City, Iowa



Born in Illinois and raised in Texas, Sean Conrad now resides in Sioux City Iowa with his wife and daughter. Being surrounded from an early age with art and creativity it comes as no surprise that his God given talents lie in the fine arts. Continually driven by a desire to capture the ever fleeting changing light upon his subjects, Sean is always on the lookout to capture inspirational aspects of light. "My hope is to bring God glory in every painting that I create. I'm so thankful that He's blessed me the way He has and allowed me to make a living creating paintings and living this wonderful life of an artist".

Tuesday, June 9 • Noon Lunch With the Arts program

Featuring Shelley Gerhardt playing sacred hymns on the piano, and vocals by her daughter, Claire accompanied by Randy Yackle. Bring a sack lunch if desired. Coffee will be provided. Free will donation.

Sunday, July 14 • Hymn Fest

Come and sing your favorite non-denominational hymns. Free will donation.

Monday, July 15 • Big Band summer series continues

The Northland Serenaders Jazz Band series continues featuring local musicians Tom Kellander, Dick Bowdin, Doug Kodet, and regional musicians Tim Schumacher, Jennifer Heller, and Tom Nuessmeier. The band has something for everyone's enjoyment; Broadway, ballads, Latin, 50's rock, Dixieland, polkas, waltzes, and old time. The band will meet the third Monday in June-July-August. The public is welcome to attend and a suggested free will donation will be taken.



Red Rock Center is pleased to announce an Equipment and Facilities grant award in the amount of \$2000 from Prairie Lakes Regional Arts Council through the legislative appropriation from the Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund. The grant dollars were used to build a portable art supply storage unit, install a wall cabinet in the lower level art room, and purchase a 13" display panel to display the students and the featured artist artwork.



New Board Members:
Judy Berkeland & Susanna Skirpnik

ART EDUCATION CLASSES AVAILABLE



Story Time Art Tuesday's

Each session will begin with a colorful tale to capture your imagination. Then go on an artistic adventure to create your own masterpiece using a variety of media and techniques. Includes snacks and last 10 minute of class a show and tell time (parents welcome). Cost: \$10.00/session

Session B: Tuesday, July 2: Fire in the shy using pastels

Session C: Tuesday, July 16: Our Fine Feathered Friends using watercolor/crayon resist.

Ages 3-6, 10:30-noon · Ages 7-12, 1pm-3pm

“All About Me,” Children’s Scrapbook Class Monday, July 8 · 6:30 Ages: 8-12



Create a keepsake that will bring pleasure for many years to come! Learn basic scrapbooking skills and create their own mini album to take home. Children should bring with them a selection of at least 12 4”x6” photos. Photo subjects can be school photos (can be wallet size), child with parent(s), child with siblings, grandparents or other relatives, friends, pets, child at play or with hobby (LEGOS, dolls stamp collecting, etc.), sports activities, dance or gymnastics class , holiday pictures, etc) Instructor: Julie Hendrickson. Cost: \$10.00

Watercolor Techniques (Ages Teens & Adults) Saturday, July 16 (2 sessions) 9am-noon, and/or 1-4



Paper selection, paints, brushes and variety of approaches to watercolor will be discussed. Each class will complete a different painting. Classes are for beginners and intermediate painters. Bring your own Prang watercolor paints. Or purchase them at Red Rock (Prang professional grade \$12.) Pre-registration required. Instructor: Avis Davis. Cost: \$20.00 (\$35 for both sessions)

Creative Play Art Class (Ages 8-12) Tuesday, July 30th & Thursday, August 1st



This 2-day workshop encourages creativity and self-expression through exploration of various materials, processes, techniques and discover new ways of thinking/seeing their world and expressing it in a form of art. Students will create a self-portrait that best represents who they are. During the last half hour of the second day parents are invited to enjoy refreshments while children share what they have created and learned. Instructor: Susanna Skirpnik. Cost: \$18.00

Pre-registration required through Community Ed & Recreation
<http://fairmont.revtrak.net> or by phone (507) 235-3141

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 10am-3pm
Extended Gallery Hours: Tuesday & Thursday until 6pm