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SUFFOLK ART GALLERY CLASSES AND EVENTS

SUFFOLK, VA (January 3, 2018) The Suffolk Art Gallery is home to classes and events for people of all ages. The Suffolk Art Gallery is located at 118 Bosley Avenue.

KIDS ART STUDIO

Spark your child's imagination as they explore drawing, painting, ceramics, photography, mixed media, fine crafts and more. All courses are taught at the Suffolk Art Gallery by regional artists and art educators. Materials are included. This is a 6-week course that meets every Saturday from January 17th to February 24th, from 10:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.

This class is for children ages 7 to 12. The fee for the course is \$65.00. Space is limited, so please register early. You can register in person at the Suffolk Art Gallery or online. Online registration is available on the Suffolk Parks & Recreation Department website:

<http://registerpkr.suffolk-va.net/wbwsc/webtrac.wsc/wbsplash.html>.

POETRY, PROSE & PIZZA WITH NATHAN RICHARDSON

Poetry, Prose & Pizza: Open Mic Night will be held at the Suffolk Art Gallery on Thursday, January 11th from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. with host Nathan Richardson.

We invite poets and songwriters to perform their poems, prose, or songs or to just come and listen to other artists' work. The event will be hosted by Nathan Richardson and is free and open to the public. This program is co-sponsored by the Suffolk Art League. Pizza is provided by Al Forno Pizzeria.

TEEN ART STUDIO

Teens dive into the visual arts to create in exciting and unexpected ways at the Suffolk Art Gallery. Classes are taught by artists and educators who design fun, challenging and educational projects to explore various techniques and mediums. Materials are provided.

This is a 6-week course that meets January 16th through February 23rd from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. This class is for ages 13 to 17. The fee for the course is \$65. Space is limited, so please register early. You can register in person at the Suffolk Art Gallery or online. Online registration is available on the Suffolk Parks & Recreation Department website: <http://registerpkr.suffolk-va.net/wbwsc/webtrac.wsc/wbsplash.html>.

ANIME WORKSHOP WILL BE OFFERED AT THE SUFFOLK ART GALLERY

Instructor Elijah Ramsay will teach participants about the Japanese art style: Anime. On Saturday January 27, 2018 from 1 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., learn what Anime is, where it came from, what is considered the first Anime Character and some of the most popular Anime in America.

This class is for ages 8 to adult. The fee for the workshop is \$15. Space is limited to a maximum of 40 students per class. Online registration is available on the Suffolk Parks & Recreation Department website:

<http://registerpkr.suffolk-va.net/wbwsc/webtrac.wsc/wbsplash.html>.

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