

College of Southern Idaho
Mini-Cassia Higher Education Center
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Portrait Drawing for Beginners

Local artist Stephanie Call will teach the basics of portrait drawing including facial features, hair, and how everything fits together on the head. Students will need some supplies before class.

XART004M01 \$40
6 to 8 p.m., Wed. Sept. 9 to 30
MCC/Room A-16 Stephanie Call

Water Color Painting

Explore your inner artist and learn the basics of watercolor. Students will create images with simple brush strokes and degrees of color. Student supplies include watercolors, brushes, watercolor paper and a sturdy surface for taping project. Watercolors can be as simple as children's watercolor sets or more adult style tubes.

XART007M01 \$40
6 to 8 p.m., Wed. Oct. 7 to 28
MCC Room A-16 Stephanie Call

Pottery (Ages 12 to adult)

Mud, water, fire and paint as you explore your creative side learning the basics of pottery. Students will experience the relationship between clay, water, air and fire in creating art and useful items for the home. The course is ten sessions.

XART008M01 \$60 + \$20 clay fee to instructor
6 to 8 p.m., Mon. Sept. 14 to Nov. 23
MCC Room A-16 Joan Peterson

Digital Camera Survival Skills

Okay, you have the digital camera, but where are the pixels and what is a jpeg? John Berglund will help students discover the settings and controls to survive in the digital camera world.

Students will need to bring their camera and camera manual to class. Class meets twice so that students can try out the new skills and then have time to discuss more details.

XART038M01 \$20
7 to 9 p.m., Wed. Aug. 19 and 26
MCC Room B-14 John Berglund

Basic Photography and Landscapes

It's all about "light" and focus. John Berglund will have some new techniques to bring out the best in your pictures with composure, angle and light. Among the techniques award winning photographer Berglund plans to teach are dissecting a scene by taking an overall picture and then breaking the scene into smaller scenes. The agenda includes a field trip for practice. Participants need a camera, digital or single reflex lens, with aperture and f/stop settings.

XART038M02 \$40

7 to 9 p.m., Wed. Sept. 2 to 23
MCC Room B-14 John Berglund

Shooting in Black and White

If you've ever stood in awe of an Ansel Adams photograph or pulled the color out of a picture in photoshop you really want to add these new skills to your photography. John Berglund has been playing with digital filters and exposure settings for six months to make your transition to digital black and white simple. He's having a great time. Join the fun but remember once you start, shooting black and white is addictive.

XART038M03 \$40
7 to 9 p.m., Wed. Oct. 7 to 28
MCC Room B-14 John Berglund

Photos of People

Just in time for the holidays you can learn simple tricks for great photos of people. John Berglund will review composition and basics before delving into photographing individuals and groups. Students will learn a variety of skills for lighting and using light sources. This is a hands on "apply it now" class with photo practice during class and jaunts around Burley for unusual photo setting experience. Participants need a camera, digital or single reflex lens, with aperture and f/stop settings.

XART038M04 \$40
6 to 8 p.m., Mon. Nov. 2 to 23
MCC Room B-11 John Berglund

Totally Terrified of Computers?

You're really not alone, many people are afraid of computers. This course is designed to take away the fear. Participants will experiment with the keyboard and mouse on common computer programs. Students will learn to set up programs, create and manage files, customize windows, change Desktop displays and discover great shortcuts. If you saved it, we can teach you to find it. Remember M*I*C*K*E*Y* is not the mouse you need.

XCMP001M01 \$40
6 to 8 p.m., Thurs. Aug. 6 to 27
MCC Room A-25 Shirley Stauffer

Computer Boot Camp

Lace up tight, this course will tramp through the new features in Microsoft Office 2007, features that will enable users to create high-impact documents and presentations. Word, Excel, PowerPoint and One-Note will be covered on separate nights during the four weeks.

XCMP014M01 \$40
7 to 9 p.m., Thurs. Sept. 3 to 24
MCC Room A-25 Shirley Stauffer

Office 2007 Word

You will eventually "HAVE TO" update your programs, update your skills now. Work with the newest version of the Microsoft Office programs and learn how versatile Word can be. See how new features like building blocks, SmartArt and themes make it easier to transform a plain

document into a great document. Class will cover fonts, formats, importing text and images, graphics and templates while turning out cards, letters, stationery and more.

XCMP014M03 \$40
7 to 9 p.m., Tues. Oct. 1 to 22
MCC Room A-25 Shirley Stauffer

Social Networks-Twitter, Facebook, MySpace

Open the portal to the world with the social network sites that are the most popular. Soon you'll be tweeting on Twitter, Skyping calls and video, and sharing with family and friends on Facebook and MySpace.

XHEC054M01 \$40
7 to 9 p.m., Wed. Sept. 2 to 23
MCC Room A-24 Lance Pincock

Pimp My Laptop/Desktop

People spend a lot of time on their computers. Make your computer reflect your personality and have your favorite tools and programs at your fingertips. Pick up some great downloads to make your life easier. This is a great class for laptops but students can work on lab computers.

XCMP054M02 \$40
7 to 9 p.m., Thurs. Sept. 3 to 24
MCC Room A-24 Lance Pincock

Be a Better Googler

Learn how to easily narrow your search to find exactly what you want. Don't waste your time scrolling through 1,000's of pages of results when with just a few clicks the right thing is at your fingertips. And Google is not the only search in town you'll learn about other search engines like Dogpile.

XCMP054M03 \$40
7 to 9 p.m., Tues. Oct. 6 to 27
MCC Room A-25 Lance Pincock

eBay & Craig's List 101

People and businesses buy and sell an incredibly wide variety of goods and services world wide using the internet. These two websites, eBay and Craigs List, offer completely different services. Lance Pincock will cover all of the "how to" and "what not" things that will make postings safe and profitable.

XHEC054M04 \$40
6 to 8 p.m., Wed. Oct. 7 to 28
MCC Room A-25 Lance Pincock

Quick Picasa Photos

Digital doesn't get any easier than this. Picasa is a free photo organizing and manipulating program. Individual pictures can be cropped, lightened or darkened and emailed. Students will learn to transfer photos from camera to computer, move photos between folders and create a slide show disk or a .wmv movie. The cost is \$40.

XCMP060M01 \$40

7 to 9 p.m., Tues. Nov. 3 to 24
MCC Room A-24 John Berglund

EverNote

Remember everything and keep it organized and available anywhere. On your computer you will be able to search through all your files and even find text in images. On your cell phone you can read to-do lists, take snapshots and record audio. On the web you can create and clip notes or entire web pages. The neat part is no matter where the data was created it is accessible to the other resources. So take a phone picture and access it on your computer or the web.

XCMP153M01 \$40
7 to 9 p.m., Tues. Sept. 1 to 22
MCC Room A-24 Lance Pincock

Microsoft Office OneNote 2007

Learn how OneNote 2007 helps you gather, organize, find, and share your notes and information. Students will learn how to connect typed or handwritten text, pictures, graphics, photos and audio/video recordings in one place. One note can be used by groups of people in shared notebooks.

XCMP153M02 \$40
7 to 9 p.m., Thurs. Oct. 29 to Nov. 19
MCC Room A-25 Shirley Stauffer

Dog Obedience

Instructor Virginia Hansen will cover basic obedience for pets and their companions. The one-hour sessions will be held at the Mini-Cassia Center. Dogs must be current on distemper complex and parvovirus shots.

XHOB004M01 \$40
7 to 8 p.m., Mon. Sept. 14 to Nov. 23
MCC Room TBA Virginia Hansen

Handgun Safety and Handling

This course is recommended for individuals considering applying for a concealed weapons permit. Class will be from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on a Saturday. The certified instructors cover four hours of classroom information before moving to the shooting range. Students must bring a holster, handgun with extra magazines, hearing and eye protection and ammunition.

XHOB009M01 \$50
8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Sat. Sept. TBA
Cassia Sheriff's Office Antonio Bernad

Beginning Knitting

Knitting is not just for senior citizens or scary movies. It's a great stress reliever and you can create unique clothing and accessories. By the end of the course you will have learned to knit and purl and create a pattern in a kitchen rug.

XHEC017M01 \$40
6 to 8 p.m., Wed. TBA
MCC Room B-12 Mickey Hyatt

Knitting Socks

Think of all the great Christmas stockings you can give as gifts with the skills you'll learn in this class. Or maybe wearing unique socks is your fashion statement. Students will need to come with basic knit and purl skills but they don't need a lot of experience to pick up sock making.

XHEC017M02 \$40
6 to 8 p.m., Wed. TBA
MCC Room B-12 Mickey Hyatt

Conversation Spanish for Beginners

Don't wish you knew Spanish, start learning with this course designed to teach basic vocabulary and pronunciation through reading, writing and oral practice. Instructor Virginia Hansen will gear lessons for participants to start using their new language everyday. For the fall we are offering two beginner classes.

XLNG004M01 \$40
7 to 9 p.m., Thur. Sept. 3 to 24
MCC Room B-5 Virginia Hansen

XLNG004M03 \$40
7 to 9 p.m., Thur. Oct. 1 to 22
MCC Room B-5 Virginia Hansen

Spanish Repeat

Many students like to repeat Spanish class to work on their skills. Registering for this course will allow them to retake Conversational Spanish for Beginners and bring their text.

XLNG004M02 \$30
7 to 9 p.m. Thur. Sept. 3 to 24
MCC Room B-5 Virginia Hansen

XLNG004M04 \$30
7 to 9 p.m. Thur. Oct. 1 to 22
MCC Room B-5 Virginia Hansen

Step Back in Time: Bull Run

The first major land battle of the American Civil War was fought July 21, 1861, near Manassas, Virginia. This battle is where little known Colonel Thomas Jackson earned the nickname of "Stonewall." A brigand of Virginians serving under Colonel Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson stood their ground when other union troops panicked and ran for Washington, D.C. Both sides were sobered by the violence and casualties of the battle, and realized that the war would potentially be much longer and bloodier than they had originally anticipated. Joe will cover all the details and the significance of the battle and the stage it set for the rest of the war.

XMSC187M01 \$30
6 to 8 p.m. Thur. Aug. 27 to Sept. 10
MCC Room B-12 Joe Colflesh

Step Back in Time: Antietam

The Antietam Battle near Sharpsburg, Maryland was the worst single day in American history in respect to the loss of life. This strategic victory encouraged Abraham Lincoln to change the purpose of the war, from a war of preventing secession to a war of eventual abolition for the slaves. This battle enabled Lincoln to finally release the Emancipation Proclamation. Some of the class will focus on the ordinary heroes who helped influence the outcome and duration of the war such as Clara Barton who would eventually set the standard for American nursing and the American Red Cross.

XMSC187M02 \$30
6 to 8 p.m. Thur. Sept. 17 to Oct. 1
MCC Room B-12 Joe Colflesh

Step Back in Time: Saratoga

This battle was the turning point of the American Revolutionary War. Joe Colflesh will dissect the details and cover all the stages of the battles.

XMSC187M03 \$30
6 to 8 p.m. Thur. Oct. 8 to 22
MCC Room B-12 Joe Colflesh

Step Back in Time: Battle of the Bulge

The Battle of the Bulge was largest battle ever fought by the U.S. army. This class will discuss the rapid events from Normandy to the involvement of Patton's Third army up to the Battle of the Bulge from Dec. 17 to Jan. 31, 1945. Discussions will include advancements in technology during the war and the physical environment.

XMSC187M04 \$30
6 to 8 p.m. Thur. Oct. 29 to Nov. 5
MCC Room B-12 Joe Colflesh

Step Back in Time: Pearl Harbor

History channel buffs delight in stories from Pearl Harbor and this course is an opportunity to talk detail. The course will cover the Japanese preparation, the first wave, the loss of courage and the aftermath.

XMSC187M05 \$30
6 to 8 p.m. Thur. Nov. 12 to Dec. 3
MCC Room B-12 Joe Colflesh

How to Use a T-83 Calculator

The instruction manual isn't always the easiest place to start learn new skills. Lance Pincock will teach students the basics for using the T-series calculators necessary for math at the high school or college level. The course will include graph lines, using matrixes to find answers, parabolas, square roots, percentages, signs and co-signs, tangents and more. In an effort to keep your head from exploding, classes will be for one-hour increments over three days. Bring your calculator and manual.

XMSC192M01 \$20
6 to 7 p.m., Mo/Tu/We Aug. 17 to 19

MCC Room A-7 Lance Pincock

Stretch

Get limber and help prevent injury by learning to properly prepare your muscles for activities. After many, many requests from parents of gymnastic students, Susan Kippes will offer an adult stretching and strengthening class. Participants will learn to warm-up, stretch and use their body weight to strengthen muscles.

XPED004M01 \$20
5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Wed. Sept. 2 to 23
MCC Room A21 Susan Kippes

Gymnastics

Children ages 4 to 12 will run, tumble and cartwheel into fitness while developing balance, coordination, agility and self-confidence. Each class is limited to 12 children placed according to age or ability. Monthly classes are held Sept. 1 to 24, Sept. 29 to Oct. 22, and Oct. 27 to Nov. 19.

Ages 4-5

YPED010M01 \$30 monthly
4 to 4:50 p.m., T/Th Sept. 1 to 24
MCC Room A-21 Susan Kippes

Beginners Ages 6 to 12

YPED 010M04 \$30 monthly
5 to 5:50 p.m., T/Th Sept. 1 to 24
MCC Romm A-21 Susan Kippes

Intermediate/Advanced Ages 6 to 12

YPED010M07 \$30 monthly
6 to 6:50 p.m., T/Th Sept. 1 to 24
MCC Room A-21 Susan Kippes

ADDITIONAL CLASSES UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT PRESS TIME

Be sure to visit our webpage at <http://offcampus.csi.edu/miniCassia> and call or stop by the Center at 1600 Parke Ave. in Burley, 678-1400. You can register your name for the email database by emailing jbryant@csi.edu.