

Creative Camp 4 Creative Kids

Summer 2004

WEEKLY THEME DESCRIPTIONS

JUNE 14—18: ADOPT AN ARTIST

Students will be introduced to a number of famous artists, both visual artists and performing artists, and then choose the artist they would like to adopt. During the a.m. visual art portion of the class, students will learn the life and workings of that artist and learn how to do artwork based on that artists work and style. A wide variety of media will be used and incorporated. In the afternoon the kids will not only learn the legendary artists of theatre and film but will bring these characters to life in a one act play the tells and depicts the history of acting. Parents, family and friends are invited to attend the end of the last course for an art show and performance!

JUNE 21—25: SUPERHEROS & SUPERVILLIANS

Bring your own characters to life through storyboards. Study and examine the process of creating your own comic books and animations. We'll study some of your favorite animated stories to draw inspiration and techniques from. Superheroes and Supervillains welcome! After creating your own characters on paper join us in the afternoon when we bring them to life in loads and loads of melodrama. We will focus on improvisation and the art of melodrama: the classic good guy bad guy story. By the end of the week we will make up our own melodrama, superhero and supervillain play out of improvisation and perform it for family and friends!!!

JULY 12—16: DRAMARAMA: THEATRICAL FIGURE DRAWING & DRAMA

In this intense investigation of drawing the figure, we'll draw life size figures from observation with some strange twists. Using a wide variety of media and found materials we will draw wildly costumed models. Each student will take a turn at dressing up and modeling. Participants can bring their own costumes and props from home and we'll have a variety of items to choose from in the studio. In the afternoon the kids will take the characters they have developed and apply them to the wonderful world of improvisation! Have you ever seen *Who's line is it Anyway?* Well, after this session you will have full blown comedians to entertain you with the crazy antics of on the spot delivery. For the final show the kids will put on a match and try to outwit the wittiest in a battle of improv! A comedy or tragedy? Parents, family and friends are invited to attend the end of the last course for an art show and performance.

JULY 19—23: WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE

In the morning learn about bio-diversity by drawing from nature. We'll examine a variety of amazing creatures and their habitats along with visiting some natural areas on Chaffey College campus. Students will create visual journals while working with a variety of media. In the afternoon... well, only the wild things would be crazy enough to put acting, singing and dancing all together to create the wonderful world of Musical Theatre...and that is exactly what we are going to do! Calling all wild ones who want to learn the basics of musical theatre and the audition process...We will even learn a full company scene from a famous Broadway Musical to perform for an audience!!!