

Tuesday, April 1, 2025

Art Program - After School Art Club: session 3

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 1 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Dive into the archives of GPAG's permanent collection and learn fundamental art techniques such as printmaking and colour theory referencing some of our gallery's greatest treasures. Bring your own perspectives and imagination to your artworks and show what the next generation of Grimsby artists look like!

Art Program - Hooked On Handmade: Zine Workshop

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 1 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Participants will learn about the history of Zines and their role in DIY culture through a variety of examples and approaches. Participants will learn how to create and reproduce their very own zines from formatting and design, to print. All supplies included, however you're welcome to bring your own drawing materials. Whether you're new to Zines or are a Zinester, we hope you'll join us!

Art program - Hooked on Handmade: Book Arts Bundle

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 1 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

The Hooked on Handmade: Book Arts Bundle includes enrollment in the **Zine Workshop, Longstitch Bookbinding Workshop, Collage Night with Paper Bananas**, and **Gelli Printing Workshop**.

GPAG is well-known for our Wayzgoose Anthology publication and Book Arts Fair that is always held on the last Saturday in April. A celebration of printmaking, private press printers, bookbinders, paper makers, and other artisans working within the art of the hand-made book. Dive into the world of Wayzgoose with 4 exciting DIY book arts workshops that take place throughout the month of April!

Thursday, April 3, 2025

Art Program - Super Studio Creators: Bring on the Paint

Date and Time: Thursday, April 3 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Take a break from homework and textbooks during your school week and exercise your creative side in our adventurous Super Studio Creators. Guided step-by-step and process-led art projects are taught along with important art skills by one of our talented studio instructors. All materials included.

Friday, April 4, 2025

Art Program - PD Day Art Club: April 4

Date and Time: Friday, April 4 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

PD Day Art Club just got a full-day, full-fun upgrade! With all-day art activities and LUNCH INCLUDED, GPAG offers the perfect opportunity for students on their day off of school to engage their creative minds in imaginative art making across a variety of mediums. All materials are included! Lunch includes pizza, juice, fruit, and healthy snacks. Sign up early to secure your spot!

Art Program - ARTful Play with Creative Bug

Date and Time: Friday, April 4 10:00 am - 10:45 am

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Squish, splat and smoosh along with your toddler as they discover the joy of art through play with Creative Bug! Wear your play clothes and come ready to join in the fun as we explore new art stations each week! ARTful Play sessions run for 6 classes.

Easter PD Day Drop In

Date and Time: Friday, April 4 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Address: 6 Murray Street

Join us on **Friday, April 4th**, at the Grimsby Museum for a fun-filled, Easter-themed PD Day scavenger hunt and felt Easter craft activity! This event is open to all ages.

Admission is by donation, with all proceeds supporting the Grimsby Museum. **Pre-registration is required** as space is limited—secure your spot through the link provided.

This is a drop-in event, so feel free to join us anytime between 11:00 AM and 3:00 PM, and stay as long as you like!

Please note: Adults must accompany children for the duration of your visit.

Saturday, April 5, 2025

Art Program - Saturday Morning Makers: Zootopia

Date and Time: Saturday, April 5 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

The best reason to get out of bed on a Saturday morning! Get out the art materials to start your weekend off on a creative foot with exciting projects and innovative art techniques. Guided step-by-step and process-led art projects are taught along with important art skills by one of our talented studio instructors. All materials included.

Art Program - Saturday Art Explorers: Junior Junk Journals

Date and Time: Saturday, April 5 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Discover the world of art as part of our Saturday Art Explorers! Guided step-by-step and process-led art projects are taught along with important art skills by one of our talented studio instructors. All materials included.

Ticket Ice

Date and Time: Saturday, April 5 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: 162 Livingston Avenue

Tuesday, April 8, 2025

Art Program - After School Art Club: session 3

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 8 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Dive into the archives of GPAG's permanent collection and learn fundamental art techniques such as printmaking and colour theory referencing some of our gallery's greatest treasures. Bring your own perspectives and imagination to your artworks and show what the next generation of Grimsby artists look like!

Art Program - Hooked on Handmade: Longstitch Bookbinding Workshop

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 8 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Join longtime Wayzgoose contributor Beth Rose from Grace Notes Press and learn for yourself the process of Longstitch Binding. This glueless binding, heralding from eighteenth-century Italy, uses a single thread to sew several signatures onto the cover. With exposed stitches at the top, middle and bottom of the spine, this bookbinding method creates a simple appearance that secures the sections to the cover in a pleasing pattern.

Art program - Hooked on Handmade: Book Arts Bundle

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 8 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

The Hooked on Handmade: Book Arts Bundle includes enrollment in the *Zine Workshop*, *Longstitch Bookbinding Workshop*, *Collage Night with Paper Bananas*, and *Gelli Printing Workshop*.

GPAG is well-known for our Wayzgoose Anthology publication and Book Arts Fair that is always held on the last Saturday in April. A celebration of printmaking, private press printers, bookbinders, paper makers, and other artisans working within the art of the hand-made book. Dive into the world of Wayzgoose with 4 exciting DIY book arts workshops that take place throughout the month of April!

Thursday, April 10, 2025

Art Program - Super Studio Creators: Bring on the Paint

Date and Time: Thursday, April 10 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Take a break from homework and textbooks during your school week and exercise your creative side in our adventurous Super Studio Creators. Guided step-by-step and process-led art projects are taught along with important art skills by one of our talented studio instructors. All materials included.

Grimsby Historical Society presents "Celebrating GPAG's 50th Anniversary"

Date and Time: Thursday, April 10 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 25 Adelaide Street, Grimsby, Ontario

Calling on everyone who is interested in art and history to join the GHS as we welcome Sarah Oatley from the Grimsby Public Art Gallery as she presents "Celebrating GPAG's 50th Anniversary"!

Sarah's presentation features the history of the foundations of the art gallery from basement beginnings to the new building. Highlighting significant moments in the gallery's history including prominent exhibiting artists, interesting and unconventional programming, permanent collection features and vault storage upgrades.

Sarah is an art historian and researcher working as a program assistant for the GPAG's 50th anniversary. She has conducted research and produced exhibitions across Canada including the Agnes Etherington Art Centre, the Bachinski-Chu Print/Study Collection and the Fashion History Museum.

Fee for GHS members is complimentary and guests is \$10.00. Everyone is welcome to attend!

Friday, April 11, 2025

Art Program - ARTful Play with Creative Bug

Date and Time: Friday, April 11 10:00 am - 10:45 am

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Squish, splat and smoosh along with your toddler as they discover the joy of art through play with Creative Bug! Wear your play clothes and come ready to join in the fun as we explore new art stations each week! ARTful Play sessions run for 6 classes.

Art program - Open Studio Figure Drawing

Date and Time: Friday, April 11 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Practice and refine your skills with our Figure Drawing sessions. Drawing the human form live is an essential exercise for artists of all abilities, mediums, and styles. Get into the practice with quick studies, gestures, and extended poses, clothed and unclothed. Participants are self-directed and without an instructor in an open studio format. Participants are to provide their own drawing board, paper, and materials of choice. Pre-registration required to ensure a spot in the session.

Saturday, April 12, 2025

Move for Kids

Date and Time: Saturday, April 12 8:00 am - 1:00 pm

Address: 325 Main Street East

Kids are the Reason we MOVE!

Your participation, passion, and generosity help raise funds to support children and their families by providing access to YMCA of Niagara services and programs that create opportunities for them to grow, lead, thrive, and belong. We invite you to be a part of this vibrant day filled with community connection and to help us reach our goal of supporting kids in Niagara.

Register your team today at <https://ymcaofniagara.org/move-for-kids/>

Art Program - Saturday Morning Makers: Zootopia

Date and Time: Saturday, April 12 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

The best reason to get out of bed on a Saturday morning! Get out the art materials to start your weekend off on a creative foot with exciting projects and innovative art techniques. Guided step-by-step and process-led art projects are taught along with important art skills by one of our talented studio instructors. All materials included.

True Crime Talk Series - Keith Leckie

Date and Time: Saturday, April 12 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 6 Murray Street L3M 4G5

Join us at the **Grimsby Museum** for the final part of our new true crime talk series on April 12th at 1pm featuring guest speaker Keith Leckie.

Join us as Leckie explores the true story of the “Black” Donnellys, a tale where Jim Donnelly and Johannah Ma gee boarded an immigrant ship from Ireland to Canada to start a new life that would eventually become filled with feuds, vendettas, and murder. Learn about how the Donnelly family had become one of the most powerful families of Biddulph County, loved by some and hated by others, in this engaging discussion presented by scriptwriter, novelist, and film director Keith Leckie.

Pre-registration is required; space is limited, so grab your ticket now. Tickets are \$10 per person.

Art Program - Saturday Art Explorers: Junior Junk Journals

Date and Time: Saturday, April 12 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Discover the world of art as part of our Saturday Art Explorers! Guided step-by-step and process-led art projects are taught along with important art skills by one of our talented studio instructors. All materials included.

Wednesday, April 16, 2025

Art program - Hooked on Handmade: Book Arts Bundle

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 16 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

The Hooked on Handmade: Book Arts Bundle includes enrollment in the **Zine Workshop**, **Longstitch Bookbinding Workshop**, **Collage Night with Paper Bananas**, and **Gelli Printing Workshop**.

GPAG is well-known for our Wayzgoose Anthology publication and Book Arts Fair that is always held on the last Saturday in April. A celebration of printmaking, private press printers, bookbinders, paper makers, and other artisans working within the art of the hand-made book. Dive into the world of Wayzgoose with 4 exciting DIY book arts workshops that take place throughout the month of April!

Art Program - Hooked on Handmade: Collage Night with Paper Bananas

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 16 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Join in on a fun and creative Collage Night with Paper Bananas! Everything you need is provided! Dig into a huge supply of magazines, books,

paper and other art supplies, and get inspired. Whether you're a seasoned artist or it's your first time picking up a glue stick, it's sure to be a relaxing evening of creativity!

Tuesday, April 22, 2025

Art Program - Super Studio Creators: Eco Art Activists

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 22 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Young artists will explore artmaking through an environmentally conscious lens, creatively considering recycled materials and proper material disposal through projects touching on collage, mixed-materials, and environmental activism. Expand your imagination and artistic abilities in a way that benefits your own creativity and the planet!

Wednesday, April 23, 2025

Art Program - Fresh Air & Fine Art: En Plein Air Painting

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 23 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Join us for Fresh Air & Fine Art, a relaxed and inspiring painting group set against the stunning landscapes of Grimsby. This group is perfect for artists of all levels who want to capture nature and the local landscape in their art. Each session will take place at a different outdoor location, offering a fresh perspective of the area's natural beauty. While this is a primarily self-directed experience, our group facilitator, Anja Steensma, will be available for light guidance, support, and encouragement. Be sure to bring your preferred painting supplies, including paints, brushes, and a portable easel. Fresh Air & Fine Art offers a perfect opportunity to connect with fellow artists, find creative inspiration in nature, and enjoy the therapeutic benefits of painting outdoors.

Thursday, April 24, 2025

Art Program - Youth Arts Studio: Early Spring Session

Date and Time: Thursday, April 24 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Our Youth Art Studio program is designed for eager youth and teens looking to expand their talents in creative classes that focus on fundamental technical skill development and finding their artistic voice as emerging artists. An experienced studio artist instructor will focus sessions on different mediums and methods of artmaking to benefit youth of all different artistic levels and abilities. In a creative environment that allows students to work and socialize alongside like-minded peers, this program will equip you with the tools needed to help you make your mark and develop your very own portfolio.

Permanent Exhibit Opening Reception

Date and Time: Thursday, April 24 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: 6 Murray Street, L3M 4G5

The Grimsby Museum is thrilled to announce the opening of its first ever permanent gallery this April.

This exhibition explores Grimsby's history through a journey from ancestral lands and peoples to modern times . With a hologram installation and interactive artificial intelligence, The Grimsby Museum invites you to experience history through a new lens.

Join us April 24th from 4:30pm - 7:00pm at the museum for an evening filled with history, food, and drinks to celebrate this exciting event!

RSVP required, admission by donation. Stay tuned on our website and social media for more details.

Friday, April 25, 2025

Art Program - ARTful Play with Creative Bug

Date and Time: Friday, April 25 10:00 am - 10:45 am

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Squish, splat and smoosh along with your toddler as they discover the joy of art through play with Creative Bug! Wear your play clothes and come ready to join in the fun as we explore new art stations each week! ARTful Play sessions run for 6 classes.

Saturday, April 26, 2025

Canadian Federation of University Women Annual Book Sale

Date and Time: Saturday, April 26 9:00 am

Address: 6 Kidd Ave., Grimsby L3M 3S3

The Canadian Federation of University Women will host their Annual Giant Book Sale.

1. Books may be dropped off at St. Andrews Parish Hall on Friday April 25th from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.
2. Sale is on Saturday April 26th, from 9 a.m. to noon
- 3.

Tuesday, April 29, 2025

Art Program - Super Studio Creators: Eco Art Activists

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 29 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Young artists will explore artmaking through an environmentally conscious lens, creatively considering recycled materials and proper material disposal through projects touching on collage, mixed-materials, and environmental activism. Expand your imagination and artistic abilities in a way that benefits your own creativity and the planet!

Wednesday, April 30, 2025

Art Program - Hooked on Handmade: Gelli Printing Workshop

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 30 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

Explore the exciting world of monoprinting using a soft, reusable gel plate as part of our Gelli Printing Workshop! This process is simple yet full of possibilities- Stencils, stamps, natural elements like leaves, and textured recycled materials create unique patterns and impressions using this special printing method. No experience is needed - just a willingness to experiment and enjoy the creative process!

Art program - Hooked on Handmade: Book Arts Bundle

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 30 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 18 Carnegie Ln

The Hooked on Handmade: Book Arts Bundle includes enrollment in the **Zine Workshop**, **Longstitch Bookbinding Workshop**, **Collage Night with Paper Bananas**, and **Gelli Printing Workshop**.

GPAG is well-known for our Wayzgoose Anthology publication and Book Arts Fair that is always held on the last Saturday in April. A celebration of printmaking, private press printers, bookbinders, paper makers, and other artisans working within the art of the hand-made book. Dive into the world of Wayzgoose with 4 exciting DIY book arts workshops that take place throughout the month of April!

<https://calendar.grimsby.ca>