



# Winona Arts Center Inspire

Connecting Local Artists & Performers With Children in Our Community

May 19, 2010

Dear Visual & Performing Artists:

The Winona Arts Center is planning a series of workshops for local artists (visual & performing artists) to work with area children in creative, hands-on activities. We have funding for five visual arts workshops and five performing arts workshops over the next 12 months. Thanks to a grant from the Winona Foundation, these workshops will be offered tuition-free to the children.

We are looking to offer workshops featuring types of art that the children might not have access to at home or in the school art and music programs. Winona has a diverse arts community, with artists whose practices encompass a broad range of media. Workshop topics will be chosen by the artists who participate in the program, and could include many of the following: Music (world percussion music, singing, instrument making); Performance (theatre, poetry, storytelling, puppetry); and Visual Arts (book arts, collage, mosaic, painting, printmaking, sculpture, photography, calligraphy, mixed media). The center will have at least 25 percussion instruments, and some basic art tools available for children to use.

With funds from the Winona Foundation grant the center will be providing a stipend for the artist-instructors. The Winona Arts Center will provide an assistant for the instructor. The instructor may have a second assistant of their own choosing, if needed. Assistants will receive a stipend also.

Those interested in teaching a workshop should submit an Artist-Instructor Proposal form. Forms received by July 1st, 2010 will be given priority consideration for fall 2010 – summer 2011 workshops. Proposals received after July 1st will be considered for any unfilled 2011 workshop openings only. The workshop proposal form (pdf) file can be completed in one of two ways – enter the information directly in the form's fields, save it on your computer, and email it to [contactus@winonaarts.org](mailto:contactus@winonaarts.org) OR print the form, complete it by hand, and mail to:

*Inspire Workshop Proposals*  
Winona Arts Center  
228 E 5th St  
Winona MN 55987

If you have questions about submitting the workshop proposal please email us at [contactus@winonaarts.org](mailto:contactus@winonaarts.org) or give me a call at 507-313-3266.

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President  
Winona Arts Center



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Artist-Instructor Proposal

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Evening phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Workshop:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Will you need a second assistant?  Yes  No

Name of assistant: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of workshop (hours): \_\_\_\_\_ Number of sessions: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred days/times:

weekday afternoons/evenings  weekends

Preferred months: (mark all that you would be available for)

2010-11 school year  Sep.  Oct.  Nov.  Dec.

Jan.  Feb.  Mar.  Apr.

2011 summer  May  Jun.  Jul.  Aug.

Interested in doing a workshop during WAPS District 861 spring break?  Yes  No

Will this be a parent/child workshop:  Yes  No

Number of children: \_\_\_\_\_ Ages of children: \_\_\_\_\_

(visual arts workshops are limited to 15 children due to work area constraints)

Materials & supplies (list actual materials, if special tools are needed list them also):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Materials/supplies costs \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Instructor fee \_\_\_\_\_ hours @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /hr = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Assistant fee \_\_\_\_\_ hours @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /hr = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Workshop total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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