

2022 Summer PROGRAMS



ADULT PROGRAMS (Ages 16+)

Summer Camp at Frederik Meijer Gardens

Cost: \$150

Location: Frederik Meijer Gardens

Teaching Artist: Elizabeth Edgerton

Time: 9:00am - 1:00pm (4 hr)

Dates: 7/18, 7/19, 7/20

In our Summer Camp at FMG, we'll spend three days at FMG creating visual art projects and exploring the gardens. This hands-on, educational experience will be full of discovery and observation. We'll make messes and masterpieces with a variety of artistic mediums, so come ready to observe the wildlife, learn about the gardens, and have lots of creative fun. Bring a morning snack, lunch, a water bottle, and sun block. Dress for the weather and wear comfortable clothing and shoes. Space is limited so sign up now!

Mondays

Ukulele Club

Cost: \$90

Location: ACT Studio

Teaching Artist: Micah King

Time: 4:15-5:00pm (45 min)

Mondays, 8 weeks: 6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/11, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8
No Class: 7/4, 7/18

Performance:

Weds, 8/10 at ACT Open House

Club members chat about music & life while learning how to play this quirky instrument! No previous ukulele experience necessary. Ukuleles will be provided for students during class. Space is limited so sign up now!

ACTion Drummers

Cost: \$100

Location: ACT Studio

Teaching Artist: Josh Dunigan

Time: 5:15-6:15pm (1hr)

Mondays, 8 weeks: 6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27, 7/11, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8
No Class: 7/4, 7/18

Performance:

Tues, 7/26 at Whitecaps Stadium

Join ACT's drum troupe and learn about rhythm, percussion, dynamics, and using music as a tool to build up each other and our community! No previous drumming experience necessary. Class includes optional opportunities to perform publicly - including opening a home game at the WHITECAPS Stadium! Drums are provided in class.

Virtual ACTion Drummers

Cost: \$40

Location: Zoom

Teaching Artist: Josh Dunigan

Time: 3:45 - 4:30pm (45 min)

Mondays, 4 weeks: 6/6, 6/13, 6/20, 6/27

Optional Performance:

Tues, 7/26 at Whitecaps Stadium

Join ACT's drum troupe and learn about rhythm, percussion, dynamics and more! No previous drumming experience necessary. Students will need drumsticks (or objects in place of drumsticks), a hard surface for drumming, and a musical shaker (or a DIY shaker will do!).

Tuesdays

Fiber Arts

Cost: \$70

Location: ACT Studio

Teaching Artist: Audrey Frank

Time: 4:15-5:15pm (1 hr)

Tuesdays, 7 weeks: 6/7, 6/14, 6/21, 6/28, 7/12, 8/2, 8/9
No Class: 7/5, 7/19, 7/26

Learn to knit, crochet, macramé, and sew: coming away from each session with one useful and/or beautiful handmade item. Lessons include practical skills such as basic knots and mending, as well as creative approaches to the craft. No experience necessary and all abilities welcome!

Art of Gardening

Cost: \$150

Location: ACT Studio + Rooftop Garden

Teaching Artist: Caitlin Qua

Time: 5:15-6:15pm (1 hr)

Tuesdays, 11 weeks: 6/7, 6/14, 6/21, 6/28, 7/12, 8/2, 8/9, 8/16, 8/23, 8/30, 9/6
No class: 7/5, 7/19, 7/26

Special Events (time TBA):

Monday, 7/18 at Frederik Meijer Gardens

Friday, 8/5 at Fulton St Farmers Market

Weds, 8/10 at ACT Open House

Looking to spend more time outside this summer? Join us for our annual gardening class on ACT's rooftop deck! You'll learn to plant seeds, water, and watch your seedlings grow. Along with gardening, participants will learn how to incorporate veggies into meals and create garden inspired art. Our class will culminate in a Harvest Party on the final day of class.

Thursdays

Yoga

Cost: \$60

Location: ACT Studio

Teaching Artist: Natalie Steers

Time: 1:15-2:00pm (45 min)

Thursdays, 6 weeks: 6/23, 6/30, 7/14, 7/28, 8/4, 8/11
No class: 7/7, 7/21

Learn the fundamentals of yoga with certified yoga instructor, Natalie Steers. This class will integrate breathing, dance, creative movement games and relaxation. Yoga will take place both inside our studio, and outside on our rooftop garden. No previous yoga experience necessary. Please bring a towel or yoga mat and water bottle. Wear comfortable clothing!

CREATIVE CUBE EVENTS

Join us in celebrating community, art, and accessibility at our mobile art studio, the Creative Cube!

The Creative Cube season runs from March through October. Events are free and open to all ages and abilities. Registration is not required.

Asian Pacific Festival

Date: June 10 + 11
Time: Friday from 3:00-7:00pm
Saturday from 11:00-3:00pm
Location: Ottawa Ave. in front of Calder
300 Monroe Ave NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49503

Whitecaps Ball Game

Date: July 26
Time: Cube activities from 5:15-6:15pm,
followed by an ACTion Drum Performance at 6:30pm
Location: LMCU Ballpark
4500 W River Dr NE, Comstock Park, MI 49321

Fulton Street Farmers Market

Date: August 5
Time: 9:00am-1:00pm
Location: Fulton Street Farmers Market
1145 Fulton St E, Grand Rapids, MI 49503

Creative Cube

An ACT
Mobile
Art Studio

For more Creative Cube Events and Updates, please visit our community calendar at:

[www.artistscreatingtogether.org/
community](http://www.artistscreatingtogether.org/community)

COMMUNITY & INDIVIDUAL

Open House

Cost: FREE!
Location: ACT Studio

**Wednesday, 8/10
from 4-7pm**

Take a tour of ACT spaces, meet our staff & interns, and discover what ACT can do for you! New and current students, families, interns and artists are welcome to network and learn more about ACT. Enjoy special appearances from our current Art of Gardening students and a 4:15pm performance by the Ukulele Club! Refreshments provided.

Open Studios

Cost: \$10 per Open Studio
Location: ACT Studio
Time: 6:00 - 7:30 PM (1.5 hr)

**2nd Wednesday of the Month:
June 8
July 13**

Join us in ACT's studio to explore art and creativity with projects inspired by people with disabilities and local artists. You can choose to follow along with the projects we have prepared, or you may create something entirely your own! Open Studio welcomes those with disabilities, their friends, siblings, and peers of all ages & abilities.

Private Art Instruction

Cost (please note new pricing):
\$200 4 sessions - \$300 6 sessions
\$400 8 sessions - \$500 10 sessions

An ACT teaching artist will meet you virtually OR in-person to provide one on one art instruction.

Performing Art instruction offered: guitar, piano, drum, ukulele. Students must have their own instrument. Visual Art instruction will also include a materials fee and will require materials to be picked up and dropped off, if virtual.

Session times and location scheduled to fit your needs. All sessions 45 minutes.

Family Fun Night at Frederik Meijer Gardens

Cost: FREE!
Location: Frederik Meijer Gardens

**Monday, 7/18
Time: 5:30-7:30pm**

Join us at Frederik Meijer Gardens for a night of artmaking, adventure, and exploration! FMG is opening their doors to ACT families for a night in the Lena Meijer Children's Garden - for FREE! Family Fun Night allows families with kids of ALL ages and abilities free reign to explore all that the garden has to offer. We'll also be making art in the garden! Space is limited. Registration is required.



Questions?
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PROGRAM REGISTRATION

summer 2022



Sign up for programs! or sign up at www.artistscreatingtogether.org

Participant Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Emergency Contact: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Relationship: _____

New participants must complete a one-time Student Enrollment form and attend an orientation prior to beginning multi-week ACT classes.

Is the participant new to ACT?

Yes _____ No _____

Please list the class or classes* you are registering for:

1.) Class: _____ Cost: \$ _____

2.) Class: _____ Cost: \$ _____

3.) Class: _____ Cost: \$ _____

4.) Class: _____ Cost: \$ _____

5.) Class: _____ Cost: \$ _____

6.) Class: _____ Cost: \$ _____

Total Amount Due: _____

*All classes require a minimum # of participants. If any class does not reach its minimum enrollment, registered participants will receive a refund or credit valid for one full year from date of payment.

Payment Method:

Cash _____ Check _____ Money Order _____ Online _____ Credit Card _____ Is payment enclosed? Yes No

For Card Pymt: Cardholder Name: _____ Card #: _____

Expiration Date: _____ CVV: _____ Billing Zip Code: _____

Caregiver Information

Because ACT's priority is ensuring proper student accommodations, all students will be allowed to attend class with caregivers as needed.

Will the student be in class with a direct assistance caregiver? YES _____ NO _____

Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury, including exposure and/or transmission of COVID-19, to my student(s), caregivers or myself, of any kind, that I or my student(s) may experience or incur in connection with my student(s) participation in ACT programming ("Claims"). On my behalf, and on behalf of my student(s), I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless ACT, its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of ACT, its employees, agents and representatives.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Print Name of Parent/Guardian _____