

## The Artist Palette Fine Art Studio

### Introductory 1 day Workshops for Adults

As artists we have a passion for art and would love to share our knowledge with you. Here is a perfect way for you to learn a new medium, or brush up on your skills. Each 2-hour class will provide you with information, techniques, the right materials to get you started.

Classes will be held on Thursdays from 7:00pm – 9:00pm

#### Awaken Your Creativity

**Intro to Watercolor** – April 6<sup>th</sup> 7:00 - 9:00 – A wonderful medium to use but can be a little challenging. With this class I will encourage you to develop your own relationship with color and water to create beautiful art work. I will teach you several fun techniques that will make your art interesting and full of texture.

**Intro to Acrylics**- April 13<sup>th</sup> 7:00 – 9:00 – Have fun with color on canvas. We will start with a simple picture (some drawing required) where you will learn different techniques, brushstrokes, and how to pick out background colors and how to mix colors to make a masterpiece.

**Intro to Pastels** -April 27<sup>th</sup> 7:00 – 9:00 – A medium that is unique and easy to use. Combines drawing with a variety of painterly sticks of so many colors. You will learn about different pastel types, papers and other materials to use. **Class taught by Ria Hills**

**Intro to Mixed Media** –May 4<sup>th</sup> 7:00 – 9:00 – Oh yes you can mix medias! Have fun building layers, start with a simple pencil or marker drawing then play off of that using different papers, colored pencils, oil pastels, paint, using canvas, cardboard boxes or matt board. The list goes on...

**Intro to Pen & Ink** - May 11<sup>th</sup> 7:00 -9:00 – A beautiful form of drawing using fine tip black pens. I will teach you several ways to use lines to help with values and contrast. This is a relaxing media that will transform any drawing into something different and unique. Maybe throw in a little watercolor.

**Intro to Jewelry making** - May 18<sup>th</sup> 7:00 – 9:00 – Leather cord and bead wrap bracelets are the perfect summer look. In this class you will create your own using silver, copper, or brass buttons, hammered by you for added texture. **Class taught by Liz Nye**

**Intro to Bookmaking**- May 25<sup>th</sup> 7:00 – 9:00 –Japanese bookbinding is elegant and adaptable to a variety of materials and styles. Everyone will create at least one unique, beautiful book that can be used as a blank journal, sketch book or photo album. **Class taught by Cristi Collari**

All classes are located at The Artist Palette Studio, 70 Douglas Road, Whitinsville, MA (Alternatives Mill Complex) All abilities welcome

\$50 a class. Includes all materials.....Register by emailing me [Pwmurphy@verizon.net](mailto:Pwmurphy@verizon.net)

½ payment up front to save your spot, balance due 1<sup>st</sup> day of workshop.

**You will leave each class feeling inspired and confident enough to make more art on your own!**