**2020 Summer Adventures at Stuhr Museum**

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Summer Adventures Policies and Information

REGISTRATION

• Registration will open to members on Saturday, March 7 at 9:00 am. Registration will open to the public on Saturday, March 21 at 9:00 am. No registrations will be accepted prior to these dates and times.

• All registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis, regardless of registration method. Please note, registrations received on weekends will not be processed until the next business day.

• Registrations may be made in three ways: via phone call, by sending an e-mail or in-person. We are unable to offer online registrations at this time.
  o To register by phone: call (308) 385-5316 ext. 204. We will complete the registration form and ask for payment over the phone.
  o To register by e-mail: scan registration form or type information into an e-mail and send to education@stuhrmuseum.org.
  o To register in person: drop your completed registration form(s) at the Reynolds Building by the train Monday-Friday or at the Stuhr Building on the weekends. Because we cannot process registrations on the weekends, you will be asked to leave a provide credit card information for processing during the next business day. If you do not wish to do so, we will call you to complete payment.

• Age categories must be observed. Each class has been developed with the skill level of each age group in mind. Students must be the specified age during the class - no exceptions.

• Please let us know if your child has any allergies or medical conditions we need to be aware of.

• Please note that by paying class fees, you are giving permission to Stuhr Museum's authorized staff photographers to capture your child's image for use in any and all publications for marketing purposes. If you do not wish for your child's picture to be taken, please notify us.

PAYMENT AND CANCELLATION

• Payment must accompany registration to reserve a spot in a class or workshop. Accepted forms of payment include cash, check or credit card (Visa or MasterCard only. Sorry, we cannot accept Discover cards)

• In order to receive member pricing, the person paying for the class must be a member of Stuhr Museum or Hastings Museum. Memberships may be purchased or renewed along with Summer Adventures registration to receive member pricing. Please visit our membership page for more information about memberships.

• If the registrant wishes to cancel, notification must be made to the Interpretive Resources department at least 7 days prior to the class to receive a refund, however a cancellation will
result in a 10% administrative fee. Cancellations made less than 7 days prior to the class are not eligible for refunds. No partial refunds are given if a student is absent from class.

- **Classes must meet a minimum enrollment.** Stuhr Museum reserves the right to cancel a class if the minimum has not been met. If a class is cancelled by the museum, you will be notified the week prior to the class. We will try to place the student in an alternate class, however is no alternative is available, a full refund will be issued.

**DROP-OFF/PICK-UP**

- **Students may not be dropped off more than 15 minutes prior to class and must be picked up no more than 15 minutes after the end of class each day.**

- **Vehicles are not permitted to stop along roads for drop-off and pick-up.** Any vehicle stopped along the road will be asked to move to a parking lot for the safety of their child and others.

- **A parking map will be provided to each vehicle on the first day of the class or workshop.** Please obey all parking and speed limit rules while dropping off and picking up your child(ren).

**CLASS POLICIES**

- **Please make sure your child is dressed appropriately for their class.** Several of our classes have specific dress codes, such as requiring long pants or closed-toe shoes, included in their descriptions. Children may not be able to participate in activities if they are not properly dressed for their safety.

- **For classes without a specified dress code,** we recommend closed-toe shoes due to the outdoor nature of our classes. While we do make efforts to keep the children out of the sun and buggy areas, sunscreen and bug spray are advised for any of our outdoor classes.

- **Please do not send pop or juice to class with your child.** Water will be available at various locations across the museum grounds. Snacks are not provided in all classes, however some classes will include treats. Please let us know if your child has any food allergies or restrictions.

- **In the event of inclement weather,** Stuhr Museum may choose to cancel or relocate classes for the safety of the students. Notifications will be made as early as possible in this case. In the event of rain, please stop by the Gate House to check if your child’s class has been relocated.

- **If your child is sick or unable to attend class,** please notify the Interpretive Resources department by phone or e-mail so that we may get the message to your child’s teacher.

- **Stuhr Museum reserves the right to remove any disruptive child from a class.** Parents will be notified and asked to pick their child up early. No refunds will be given in this event.
**C01 - A Stitch in Time - Ages 8+**
Students will learn basic sewing skills from threading a needle to sewing seams and hems. A simple pattern will be followed to create a doll-sized dress during the week.
**Session 1:** June 15-19, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Dusty Rose Butler  
**M:** $65  
**NM:** $70

**C02 - A Woman's World in 1901 - Ages 10+**
Walk in the shoes of several different women during the Edwardian Era! Experience the luxuries of an upper class madame through exquisite art, the creation of your own beautiful headpiece, proper dining and a ballet class. Be a part of the hard work and triumphs the lower-class woman faced by setting up for exquisite dinner parties, practicing trades and partaking in “proper” leisure activities such as croquet.
**Session 1:** June 8-12, 1-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Emily Kruse  
**M:** $60  
**NM:** $65

**C03 - Addy & Kirsten - Ages 7+**
Students will experience the life of two characters from the American Girl Series- Addy & Kirsten. They will study Addy and her mother, who as slaves, escaped to freedom in the North, and Kirsten, who has come with her family from Sweden to America. Students will bake buttermilk biscuits in a wood burning stove and churn ice cream by hand. They will make yarn dolls, bead necklaces and play game inspired by the 1850’s and 1860’s.
**Session 1:** June 22-26, 1-3 PM  
**Instructor:** Katie Springer  
**M:** $55  
**NM:** $60

**W04 - Amazing Nature 1 - Ages 6-9**
Do you love nature and being outside? Do you love to investigate your surroundings, both on a small and large scale? Do you love planting, reusing recycled goods, and building structures that are powered solely by nature? Then come and discover with us! We will dive into the way wind, sunlight and water work together in nature, what humans can do to help leave nature as "natural" as possible and even how we can use nature to better our lives!
**Session 1:** July 21, 9-11:30 am  
**Instructor:** Lauren Meier  
**M:** $15  
**NM:** $20

**W05 - Amazing Nature 2 - Ages 10-13**
Do you love nature and being outside? Do you love to investigate your surroundings, both on a small and large scale? Do you love planting, reusing recycled goods, and building structures that are powered solely by nature? Then come and discover with us! We will dive into the way wind, sunlight and water work together in nature, what humans can do to help leave nature as "natural" as possible and even how we can use nature to better our lives!
**Session 1:** July 22, 9-11:30 am  
**Instructor:** Lauren Meier  
**M:** $15  
**NM:** $20
C06 - American Girl Vacation - Ages 7-10
Hawaiian luaus, a movie premiere, garden parties, picnics and more! Each day is a new vacation for you and your doll! On every vacation you will create a souvenir for yourself and a doll sized version for your doll! Enjoy treats sized perfectly for you and your doll! Dress up for each occasion! Pack your bags and get ready for five of the best vacations ever!
**Session 1:** June 1-5, 1-3 pm
**Instructor:** Emily Kruse  **M:** $60  **NM:** $65

C07 - Anne of Green Gables - Ages 9+
Based on the Anne of Green Gables story, you will learn about the Victorian Era with special emphasis on fashion and lifestyle. Trips will be taken to various locations, such as the Millinery in Railroad Town. They will hold a Victorian tea party, exchange Valentine candy, create crafts and experience many other adventures based on this much-loved series.
**Session 1:** June 15-19, 9-11 am
**Instructor:** Darlene Darbro  **M:** $55  **NM:** $60

C08 - Art of Pie Baking - Ages 10-adult
If you love pie, then this class is for you! Students will make a variety of pies, from apple to pumpkin, and more! Several pies will be made using single, double, and lattice crusts. This will be a week of taste bud-tempting, palate-pleasing pie baking. Adults are welcome too!
**Session 1:** June 15-19, 8:30-11:30 am
**Instructor:** Nancy Buettner  **M:** $75  **NM:** $80

C09 - Barnyard Preschool - Ages 4-5
Come join us for a week of fun on the farm! We'll help with chores by pumping water from the well and scrubbing clothes and hanging them to dry. We'll also get to plant seeds and tend the garden, and even explore the barn and find out who lives there!
**Session 1:** June 15-19, 9-11 am  **Session 2:** June 15-19, 1-3 pm
**Instructor:** Emily Kruse  **M:** $55  **NM:** $60

C10 - Basic Blacksmithing - Ages 12-15
Learn basic blacksmithing skills, shop safety, how to build and maintain a coal fire, as well as hammer control and techniques. There will be a different project each day. Due to the nature of this class, long sleeve shirts, jeans and boots are required. For safety purposes students must stand 4’6” tall. Students wearing shorts or nylon pants will not be allowed to participate. Leather gloves are recommended, and safety glasses will be provided.
**Session 1:** June 1-5, 9-11 am  **Session 2:** June 1-5, 1-3 pm (will be added if morning fills and there is enough interest)
**Instructor:** Randy Dack  **M:** $75  **NM:** $80

C11 - Beginning Embroidery - Ages 10+
Learn how to get started in basic embroidery. Assemble supplies for a personal sewing kit, learn how to separate floss, thread a needle, and tie a knot. From there, a new stitch and project will be accomplished each day.
**Session 1:** June 1-5, 9-11 am
**Instructor:** Dusty Rose Butler  **M:** $60  **NM:** $65
C12 - **Bugs & Nature** - Ages 6-10

Catch bugs, examine plants and spot creatures in the water! Throughout the week we will be learning about Nebraska vegetation and all the little inhabitants we can find. Get an up-close experience with creatures such as ducks, minnows, butterflies, frogs and more!

**Session 1:** June 22-26, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Emily Kruse  
**M:** $55  
**NM:** $60

C13 - **Christmas Past** - Ages 8+

Prairie families had to think about planning for Christmas months before the actual holiday. From creating decorations to making handmade gifts and Christmas cookies and treats, this class will give students a head-start on holiday fun and should bring a “chill” to the heat of the summer months. Students will create kaleidoscopes, explore the art of quilling, and make other crafts that can then be used as gifts for their own families.

**Session 1:** June 8-12, 1-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Darlene Darbro  
**M:** $55  
**NM:** $60

C14 - **Cowpokes** - Ages 7-8

Saddle up and learn about the life, dress and work of the cowboy. Cowpokes will learn how to throw a rope, care for a horse, use a branding iron, and more! Students must wear hard-soled shoes or boots or tennis shoes and long jeans to class each day. Students not dressed appropriately will not be allowed to ride that day. Helmets are required for riding- bike helmets work great! If you don’t have one or forget it, we have some on hand at the barn.

**Session 1:** June 1-5, 9-11:30 am  
**Session 2:** June 8-12, 9-11:30 am  
**Session 3:** June 22-26, 12:30-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Kim Luthy  
**M:** $75  
**NM:** $80

W15 - **Cyanotype Sun Printing** - Ages 10+

Join us as we learn about one of the oldest ways of developing photographs that dates back to 1842! Students will arrange found objects on light-sensitive paper exposed to the sun and rinsed in plain water to create their very own works of art with just a few simple steps.

**Session 1:** July 20, 1-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Karen Buettner  
**M:** $15  
**NM:** $20

C16 - **Dancing into History** - Ages 8-12

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to go to a ball? Join us as we rediscover the importance of dance and make crafts fit for the occasion. Be prepared to form friendships on the dance floor while we learn historic dances as well as proper posture and ballroom etiquette.

**Session 1:** June 8-12, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Alyssa Smith  
**M:** $55  
**NM:** $60

W17 - **Dawn of Our Country 1** - Ages 6-9

Do you love searching for secret symbols from long ago? Building old houses and singing old songs? Sculpting? Inventing? Trying new things? Join us as we take a deep dive into some of America’s greatest moments, its people, and the courageous, inventive and secretive events that helped make America the great nation it is today!

**Session 1:** July 7, 9-11:30 am  
**Instructor:** Lauren Meier  
**M:** $20  
**NM:** $25
W18 - **Dawn of Our Country 2 - Ages 10-13**
Do you love searching for secret symbols from long ago? Building old houses and singing old songs? Sculpting? Inventing? Trying new things? Join us as we take a deep dive into some of America’s greatest moments, its people, and the courageous, inventive and secretive events that helped make America the great nation it is today!
**Session 1:** July 8, 9-11:30 am  
**Instructor:** Lauren Meier  
**M:** $20  
**NM:** $25

C19 - **Digital Photography - Ages 9+**
Have you ever wondered what it takes to be a great photographer? Come learn the basics of photography, using the many areas of the Stuhr grounds as your subject. Students need to bring a digital camera with an SD card or a cord to connect to a computer.
**Session 1:** June 15-19, 1-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Troy Brodsky  
**M:** $60  
**NM:** $65

C20 - **Doll A Day - Ages 7+**
Since time began, one of the most common toys has been dolls. Students will create many dolls while learning a bit of history for each one. Dolls will be made from corn cobs, corn husks, handkerchiefs, yarn, paper and rags. By weeks’ end there will be a handful of tiny new dolls to take home and love!
**Session 1:** June 1-5, 9-11 am  
**Session 2:** June 8-12, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Darlene Darbro  
**M:** $55  
**NM:** $60

C21 - **Earth Lodge Adventures - Ages 6-8**
Explore the life of a Pawnee child! Each child will make many crafts to be used in fun games and celebrations, and they will leave with a great appreciation for the people who lived on the Nebraska Prairie.
**Session 1:** June 1-5, 9-11 am  
**Session 2:** June 15-19, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Katie Springer  
**M:** $55  
**NM:** $60

C22 - **Explore the Platte - Ages 10+**
Come explore the outdoors just as the early explorers, hunters, trappers, and mountain men who traveled along the Platte River would have done. Students will learn how to use a compass, set a simple trap, tan a hide, and much more during this exciting week! Long pants and hard-soled shoes are required for this fun-filled week of adventure. Don’t forget your water bottle!
**Session 1:** June 15-19, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Troy Brodsky  
**M:** $60  
**NM:** $65

C23 - **Fishing Fundamentals - Ages 8-14**
Whether you’re a beginner or have some fishing experience, this class is for you! We’ll learn about species of Nebraska fish and where to catch them- pond, lake or stream- and how the weather has an effect on a good day of fishin’. More experienced fishers will try out different casting techniques and be given the extra challenge of using non-traditional bait in this combined-level class.
**Session 1:** June 1-5, 9-11 am  
**Session 2:** June 22-26, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Troy Brodsky  
**M:** $55  
**NM:** $60
**W24 - Fish Tales - Ages 8-14**
Come join us for this all-day fishing experience where participants can cast their line and kick back and relax for a while. The kids will learn the basics of fishing or simply just enjoy honing their fishing skills. As you can imagine, plenty stories will be told when a group of fishermen get together! While bait for the fish will be provided, participants do need to bring a sack lunch and are welcome to bring any extra bait they’d like to try out.

**Session 1:** July 9, 9 am-3 pm  
**Session 2:** July 23, 9 am-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Troy Brodsky  
**M:** $25  
**NM:** $30

**W25 - For the Birds - Ages 8-12**
One of our experienced carpenters will teach participants the basics of building a bird feeder with a hammer and nails. Your feathery friends will thank you for their new feeder when you take it home and fill it up with birdseed!

**Session 1:** July 7, 9-11 am  
**Session 2:** July 16, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Robert Dudley  
**M:** $20  
**NM:** $25

**C26 - Glass Etching - Ages 8-80**
Students young and old will discover the amazing creativity involved in the glass etching process. Throughout the week they will view examples of etching found on mirrors, window panes and even vases and jars. They will develop patterns and learn techniques in design as they create their own works of art. Beginning students will create projects using the sand-blasting technique, and returning students will take their creativity to a new level as they learn about glue-chip glass approximating snowflakes, flash glass, stage blasting, shading and adding photos to a framework of art.

**Session 1:** June 1-5, 9-11 am  
**Session 2:** June 1-5, 1-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Larry Roberts  
**M:** $75  
**NM:** $80

**C27 - Gold Rush - Ages 8+**
Come learn about the California Trail as it passed through Nebraska and view firsthand where the trail crosses over the museum grounds. We’ll talk about the history of the ’49ers as we stake a claim and pan for gold as if we were in the California gold fields. Those who strike the mother lode will keep their fortune!

**Session 1:** July 6-10, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Rob Burg  
**M:** $55  
**NM:** $60

**C28 - Grandma, Me & Tea - Ages 8+**
Hosting a tea is a very important event for a young Victorian lady! Spend the week preparing for the tea party to be held on Friday when you will entertain one of your favorite persons in grand style. Invitations will be made, linens pressed, the silver needs polished and so much more to do to prepare for our elegant tea party!

**Session 1:** June 22-26, 9-11 am  
**Session 2:** July 6-10, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Darlene Darbro  
**M:** $55  
**NM:** $60

**C29 - Horse 1 - Ages 8+ (must have completed prerequisite)**
This class is designed to give a basic introduction to the horse. You will learn basic ground handling skills, including grooming, saddling and bridling. You will also learn to perform basic maneuvers while mounted. Students must wear hard-soled shoes or boots or tennis shoes and long jeans to class each day. Students not dressed appropriately will not be allowed to ride that day. Helmets are required for riding- bike helmets work great! If you don’t have one or forget it, we have some on hand at the barn. Prerequisite: Must have taken Cowpokes OR Josefina or Kaya in 2018 or later.

**Session 1:** June 8-12, 12:30-3 pm  
**Session 2:** June 15-19, 9-11:30 am  
**Instructor:** Kim Luthy  
**M:** $75  
**NM:** $80
C30 - **Horse 1 for the Older Rider** - Ages 9+
This class is uniquely designed for older beginning students who have not taken the Cowpokes class and want to learn about horses and how to ride. These students must be at least 9 years old. Students must wear hard-soled shoes or boots or tennis shoes and long jeans to class each day. Students not dressed appropriately will not be allowed to ride that day. Helmets are required for riding - bike helmets work great! If you don’t have one or forget it, we have some on hand at the barn.

**Session 1:** June 15-19, 12:30-3 pm   **Session 2:** June 22-26, 12:30-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Kim Luthy   **M:** $75   **NM:** $80

W31 - **Ice Cream Social** - Ages 7-9
Participants will have the opportunity to try their hand at churning good old-fashioned vanilla ice cream! The kids will do the work during the first part of the workshop and as kids should do, play some games once the work is done and while waiting for the ice cream to set up. During the last half-hour, each participant may invite one guest to enjoy a dish of homemade ice cream!

**Session 1:** July 2, 1-3 pm   **Session 2:** July 10, 1-3 pm   **Session 3:** July 16, 1-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Alyssa Smith   **M:** $15   **NM:** $20

C32 - **Josefina** - Ages 7+
Come meet the popular American Girl as we read through her stories on our way to New Mexico in the year 1824. We will explore and interact with her rich Mexican culture by cooking foods, playing games, making crafts, and interacting with the animals (horses and goats) that were all part of Josefina’s daily life. This class can be used as a prerequisite to the Horse 1 class.

**Session 1:** June 1-5, 12:30-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Kim Luthy   **M:** $60   **NM:** $65

C33 - **Kitchen Basics 101** - Ages 8-12
Beginning cooks, we have a class just for you! We will create some tasty treats while learning the basics of cooking, including reading different types of recipes, measuring wet and dry ingredients, how to properly handle a knife, and even the difference between baking powder and baking soda. At the end of the week, students will be sent home with a recipe book as well as the skills needed to help them enjoy a lifetime of cooking!

**Session 1:** June 1-5, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Nancy Buettner   **M:** $60   **NM:** $65

C34 - **Laura Ingalls Wilder 1** - Ages 7-8
Join Laura, Mary, Ma and Pa for a true prairie adventure! Through Laura Ingalls Wilder’s timeless classics, students will learn to sew simple projects, create crafts, and cook on a wood stove, as they experience the type of prairie life that Laura would have known. Laura 1 focuses on the books Little House on the Prairie and The Long Winter. Period dress is encouraged, but not required.

**Session 1:** June 1-5, 9-11 am   **Session 2:** June 8-12, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Emily Kruse   **M:** $55   **NM:** $60

C35 - **Laura Ingalls Wilder 2** - Ages 9+
As Laura grows, so do her experiences on the prairie. Students will explore pioneer life through the eyes of Almanzo and Laura Ingalls Wilder. Crafts and activities will focus on the books On the Banks of the Plum Creek and Little Town on the Prairie. Sewing projects and foods will be made which Laura (and even Mary) would be proud of. Period clothing is encouraged, but not required.

**Session 1:** June 1-5, 1-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Darlene Darbro   **M:** $55   **NM:** $60
W36 - Learn to Sew - Ages 6-8
Your young beginning sewer will tackle a project on pre-punched paper to learn the basics of sewing including a running stitch, backstitch, and how to sew on a button.
**Session 1:** July 10, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Alyssa Smith  
**M:** $15  
**NM:** $20

W37 - Let’s Have a Picnic - Ages 9+
Picnics have a long history of bringing people together for food and fun. Participants will learn about picnicking in the Victorian era while packing a basket and enjoying a morning of games and a simple picnic lunch at the end.
**Session 1:** July 17, 9-11:30 am  
**Instructor:** Kay Cynova  
**M:** $20  
**NM:** $25

C38 - Little Women - Ages 9+
Inspired by the treasured books by Louisa May Alcott, you will celebrate just as the March girls did. We’ll enjoy daily “tea time” with piano accompaniment like Beth would have played. Learn to embroider items for Meg’s hope chest. Plus, Jo’s day where we help plan and act out a time period play. And don’t forget Amy’s day painting with easels outside with fancy cakes at tea time.
**Session 1:** June 15-19, 1-3 PM  
**Instructor:** Darlene Darbro  
**M:** $55  
**NM:** $60

C39 - Log Cabin Adventures - Ages 7-9
Step back in time to live like the first settlers of the Nebraska Prairie. Students will create crafts, build miniaturized log cabins and plant crops while experiencing life in a log cabin. They will have several challenges during the week such as hauling buckets of water using a yoke and playing games that pioneer children would have played!
**Session 1:** June 8-12, 1-3 pm  
**Session 2:** July 6-10, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Dusty Rose Butler  
**M:** $50  
**NM:** $55

W40 - Masters of Art 1 - Ages 6-8
Your young artist will learn about a few of the great artists in history while creating a masterpiece each day. Some pieces will focus on skill and others will be an exercise in enjoying the process. As we all know, art can be messy sometimes, so please send children dressed in appropriate clothes!
**Session 1:** June 29-July 1, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Karen Buettner  
**M:** $40  
**NM:** $45

W41 - Masters of Art 2 - Ages 9-12
Aspiring artists will learn about a few of the great artists in history while creating a masterpiece each day. Some pieces will focus on skill and others will be an exercise in enjoying the process. As we all know, art can be messy sometimes, so please send children dressed in appropriate clothes!
**Session 1:** June 29-July 1, 1-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Karen Buettner  
**M:** $40  
**NM:** $45

W42 - Mind Your Manners - Ages 11-14
Participants in this workshop will prepare a tea and practice their manners, from bowing and curtsying to sitting up straight and the art of making small talk. The etiquette learned in this workshop has been used throughout history and some of it is still relevant today!
**Session 1:** July 2, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Alyssa Smith  
**M:** $20  
**NM:** $25
C43 - **Mixing Bowls & Wooden Spoons - Ages 10-adult**
Experience the wonderful aromas and tantalizing flavors of fresh baked bread, cream puffs with homemade filling, dumplings simmering in broth and even a cake using great-grandma’s recipe as you prepare a variety of foods during the week using a wood cookstove as your heat source. You are encouraged to bring your apron and join in the fun!
**Session 1:** June 8-12, 9-11:30 am
**Instructor:** Nancy Buettner  
**M:** $75  
**NM:** $80

W44 - **Pawnee Pinch Pot 1 - Ages 6-8**
In this workshop, students will make a piece of Pawnee pottery and learn how they were used by the Native Americans in Nebraska 2000 years ago. They will take the pot home with them the day of class.
**Session 1:** July 15, 9-11 am
**Instructor:** Nancy Fairbanks  
**M:** $20  
**NM:** $25

W45 - **Pawnee Pinch Pot 2 - Ages 9-12**
In this workshop, students will make a piece of Pawnee pottery and learn how they were used by the Native Americans in Nebraska 2000 years ago. They will take the pot home with them the day of class.
**Session 1:** July 14, 9-11 am
**Instructor:** Nancy Fairbanks  
**M:** $25  
**NM:** $30

C46 - **Pieces of Time - Ages 9+**
Students will use piecing techniques from pioneer times as well as modern techniques as they learn the basics of quilting by hand. Each student will create 6-inch quilt blocks that will be turned into a finished doll quilt or table topper by the end of the week. Sewing experience is helpful, but not necessary.
**Session 1:** July 13-16, 9 am-12 pm (4-days only)
**Instructor:** Darlene Darbro  
**M:** $50  
**NM:** $55

W47 - **Pigments of Your Imagination - Ages 10-adult**
Come learn some fun techniques for dyeing clothing and other fabrics. Each participant will walk away with a pair of ice-dyed socks, a Shibori-dyed shirt, and a tote bag using a ‘reverse’-dyeing method. Each participant’s shirt size and shoe size (youth or adult) will be requested at registration. Come dressed in old clothes in case the dye splatters!
**Session 1:** July 9, 9 am-12 pm & July 10, 9-10 am
**Instructor:** Nancy Buettner  
**M:** $50  
**NM:** $55

W48 - **Pioneer Olympic Games - Ages 9-12**
Come join us for an afternoon of friendly competition as participants compete in a series of pioneer games. Contests will include a stilt walk, hoop rolling, horse shoe toss, water pumping, and battledore and shuttlecock, or the game that has become known badminton. Tennis shoes and comfortable clothing are suggested.
**Session 1:** July 15, 1-3 pm
**Instructor:** Robb Nelson  
**M:** $15  
**NM:** $20
**C49 - Prairie Preschool - Ages 4-5**  
Children will get a chance to experience a connection to history through daily activities in Railroad Town. These activities will include reading stories and playing old-fashioned games, as well as some fun crafts to as they are introduced to history in this fun-filled week on the prairie!  
**Session 1:** June 8-12, 9-11 am  **Session 2:** June 8-12, 1-3 pm  **Session 3:** June 22-26, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Katie Springer  
**M:** $55  **NM:** $60

**W50 - Pressed Flower Bookmark 1 - Ages 6-8**  
Pressed flowers can be used for a variety of projects and in this workshop, participants will get to create 2-3 bookmarks to take home to mark their place as they read their favorite books!  
**Session 1:** July 6, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Nancy Buettner  
**M:** $15  **NM:** $20

**W51 - Pressed Flower Bookmark 2 - Ages 9-11**  
Pressed flowers can be used for a variety of projects and in this workshop, participants will get to create 2-3 bookmarks to take home to mark their place as they read their favorite books!  
**Session 1:** July 6, 1-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Nancy Buettner  
**M:** $15  **NM:** $20

**C52 - Samantha - Ages 7+**  
Come meet the beloved American Girl Samantha as we read about her adventures and imagine what it would be like to live in New York in the year 1904! We will learn about and interact with artifacts from her time period while learning about American culture at that time. We will recreate many of Samantha's adventures through crafts, parties, games, and cooking that were part of Samantha's world.  
**Session 1:** June 8-12, 1-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Alyssa Smith  
**M:** $55  **NM:** $60

**C53 - School House Science 1 - Ages 6-8**  
Do you love to discover? To dive in and feed your curiosity? Do you love to figure out how rockets propel, crystals form and how bones and joints work? Then Schoolhouse Science is the perfect adventure for you! Get your hands dirty as we turn eggs into bouncy balls, make volcanoes explode, and try our hand at growing our own crystals. Discover the WHY in all of the fun!  
**Session 1:** June 8-12, 9-11 am  **Session 2:** June 22-26, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Lauren Meier  
**M:** $55  **NM:** $60

**C54 - School House Science 2 - Ages 9-11**  
Although this class will cover many of the same topics as the first class, these experiments are designed for scientists that are just a little older. Come join us for a week of fun and fascinating science!  
**Session 1:** June 22-26, 1-3 pm  
**Instructor:** Lauren Meier  
**M:** $55  **NM:** $60

**C55 - Secret Fairy Garden - Ages 7-9**  
What lies hidden in Stuhr's beautiful gardens? Could Stuhr be the secret home for “Flower Fairies”? Our Fairy Godmother will lead students to a secret enchanted garden, where they will learn the language of flowers and trees and the folklore of Garden Fairies. This will be a week of crafts and activities leading up to Friday’s tea.  
**Session 1:** June 15-19, 1-3 pm  **Session 2:** July 13-17, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Katie Springer  
**M:** $55  **NM:** $60
W56 - **Sewing for Preschoolers** - Ages 4-5
In this workshop, your little ones will get a very basic introduction to sewing by creating their own lacing cards to practice with! The lacing cards will be used to learn the running stitch and can be played with time and time again to create the foundation needed to learn to sew.

**Session 1:** July 16, 9-11 am  
**Instructor:** Alyssa Smith  
**M:** $15  
**NM:** $20

W57 - **Solar Energy 1** - Ages 7-9
Discover how harvesting energy from the sun can provide us energy to grow, work and play. Watch a solar car in action and try harvesting the sun’s energy to melt s’mores in your own solar oven! Students will also have the chance to visit with members of the American Solar Challenge teams and see the solar cars as they make a stop at Stuhr Museum.

**Session 1:** July 20, 8:30-10:30 am  
**Instructor:** Lauren Meier  
**M:** $15  
**NM:** $20

W58 - **Solar Energy 2** - Ages 10+
Do you love building things? Have you ever wondered about how to make electricity from the SUN? Come learn about solar energy and build a solar phone charger! Students will also have the chance to visit with members of the American Solar Challenge teams and see the solar cars as they make a stop at Stuhr Museum.

**Session 1:** July 20, 8:30-10:30 am  
**Instructor:** Benjamin Marten  
**M:** $25  
**NM:** $30

W59 - **Sound & Music 1** - Ages 6-9
Stop and listen to the sounds around you. What do you hear? The clicking of computer keys? The whistling of the wind? Running water from a faucet? Humans have been creating instruments since the beginning of time that mimic the sounds found in everyday life, and have used these sounds to create the music we all enjoy! Join us as we discover how different sounds are created, build our own instruments, identify the songs we use at special celebrations (Happy Birthday to You!) and try playing them on our creations. We’ll take it one step further when we learn about the different classical instruments (harp, drums, violin, trumpet, etc.), how they work together to create beautiful symphonies, and even get a look at the use of CODING in written music. It’s sure to be a melody-filled time!

**Session 1:** July 14, 9-11:30 am  
**Instructor:** Lauren Meier  
**M:** $20  
**NM:** $25

W60 - **Sound & Music 2** - Ages 10-13
Stop and listen to the sounds around you. What do you hear? The clicking of computer keys? The whistling of the wind? Running water from a faucet? Humans have been creating instruments since the beginning of time that mimic the sounds found in everyday life, and have used these sounds to create the music we all enjoy! Join us as we discover how different sounds are created, build our own instruments, identify the songs we use at special celebrations (Happy Birthday to You!) and try playing them on our creations. We’ll take it one step further when we learn about the different classical instruments (harp, drums, violin, trumpet, etc.), how they work together to create beautiful symphonies, and even get a look at the use of CODING in written music. It’s sure to be a melody-filled time!

**Session 1:** July 15, 9-11:30 am  
**Instructor:** Lauren Meier  
**M:** $20  
**NM:** $25
C61 - Tinsmithing 1 - Ages 10+
Learn about the origin, tools and products of the forgotten trade of Tinsmithing. By using the tools of the trade, students will create several authentic items that might have been found for sale in a tinsmith’s wagon. Students get to take home the items they make.
Session 1: June 8-12, 9-11 am    **Session 2: June 8-12, 1-3 pm (will be added if morning fills and there is enough interest)
Instructor: Loren Miller  M: $75  NM: $80

C62 - Tinsmithing 2 - 10+, must have completed Tin 1
Building on the Tinsmithing 1 class, this is an advanced four-day class where you will make a cup and pencil box.
Session 1: July 13-16, 9-11 am (4-days only)
Instructor: Loren Miller  M: $75  NM: $80

C63 - Trails West - Ages 9+
Join us as we hit the trail and head west! Students will explore the life of a child on the trail in the 1850’s while learning about various aspects of westward expansion. Topics will include the many different trails and stage lines traveled, as well as what would be brought along or left behind. No sandals are allowed on the trail; closed-toe hard-soled shoes or tennis shoes are mandatory.
Session 1: June 15-19, 1-3 PM
Instructor: Rob Burg  M: $55  NM: $60

C64 - Watercolor Painting - Ages 9+
Learn the basics about watercolor technique and sketching as you create images taken from Stuhr’s rich environment. Explore the elements and principals of design, composition and color relationship and how to appreciate and critique your own work. This class will meet in the air-conditioned Collections building again this year with some unique items to use as painting inspiration!
Session 1: June 15-19, 1-3 pm
Instructor: Kari Stofer  M: $55  NM: $60

C65 - Young Musicians on the Prairie - Ages 4-5
Learn the cultural influences from other countries on the music of the prairie between 1850 - 1900. Sing songs, make musical crafts and read books about other cultures.
Session 1: June 1-5, 9-11 am    Session 2: June 1-5, 1-3 pm
Instructor: Joel Rick  M: $55  NM: $60