



# MOUNTAIN ARTS COMMUNITY CENTER

A DIVISION OF THE TOWN OF SIGNAL MOUNTAIN

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FALL 2010

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DEAR PATRONS

Welcome to the Mountain Arts Community Center, truly a jewel of Signal Mountain. Few communities of our size have the support for, and can reap the benefits of, an arts center! We should all be proud to support the MACC.

As the new director of the MACC, my commitment is to work tirelessly to offer the arts to the community through quality education, opportunities for performance and exposure to the arts through concert series, art exhibits, workshops, and artists in residence.

Working toward our goals, we will need to restore the old Signal Mountain Elementary School, the home of the Mountain Arts Community Center. Plans are underway for a full restoration, taking the look back to 1926 as much as possible, while upgrading systems to ensure the safety and comfort of all who enter the building. These are exciting times! You can become a part of this wonderful and ambitious project by contacting the MACC Foundation.

As we re-open this fall for classes I thank you for your patience during our construction this past year. I hope you will find something that piques your interest in the following pages, and that you will come to the MACC.

Please feel welcome just to come and look around any time.



Sincerely,

Barb Storm  
Director

Bringing the Arts to the Community



**MACC BUSINESS HOURS:**

**Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 9am - 8pm**  
**Wednesday, Friday 9am - 4pm**

**Signal Mountain Town Council**

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**MACC MISSION**

To provide and facilitate opportunities to explore arts, culture, civic and educational activities that foster personal growth and benefit the community.

**Town of Signal Mountain Mission**

To be a community that preserves its small town atmosphere by managing growth and requiring development to be orderly and consistent; provide services that are necessary for the well-being and general welfare of its citizens; and endeavors to be a desirable and safe place in which families may live and grow.

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BALLET TENNESSEE

**Ballet Tennessee** returns to MACC to offer classes in Creative Movement, Pre-Ballet, and Ballet for ages three through eleven. The Ballet Tennessee Company has presented classical ballet to the community since 1987 and is made up of professional dancers as well as talented student dancers. Ballet Tennessee holds annual master classes and summer workshops. Advanced classes are currently available at the Van Cura Ballet Conservatory at 3202 Kelly's Ferry Road.

For additional information about classes or auditions please contact: Anna Van Cura at 821-2055. or visit [www.ballettennessee.org](http://www.ballettennessee.org)

**Semester begins Thursday, September 9 through December 9 & resumes January 6- January 13**

**Winter/Spring Registration at the Conservatory on Aug. 28; 10am-2pm**

Registration Fee: \$15 for a single person, \$20 for a family

Tuition (15 week semester) \$135

Check our website calendar for outreach class schedule, school holidays, and other information.

**CREATIVE MOVEMENT**

**Ages 3 - 4**

Children will explore natural movement. This program helps develop motor skills, rhythm, and coordination.

**Attire:**

**Girls-** matte ballet pink leotard, tights and pink ballet slippers

**Boys-** white t-shirt, navy blue shorts, white socks, black ballet shoes

**PRE- BALLET**

**Ages 5 - 6**

Introduction to basic ballet concepts with emphasis on developing strength and flexibility. Continuing development of motor skills and rhythm.

**Attire:**

**Girls -** matte ballet pink leotard, tights and pink ballet slippers

**Boys -** white t-shirt, navy blue shorts, white socks, black ballet shoes

The Company Ballet Tennessee is dedicated to providing the community with quality dance in performance and instruction. The Company is made up of professional dancers as well as talented student dancers. Since 1987, Ballet Tennessee has been presenting classical ballet to audiences. A blend of classical and contemporary works by the resident choreographers/directors and guest choreographers produces a unique regional ballet company. The company presents a full classical production each season as well as community performances of classical and contemporary dance. Ballet Tennessee offers dance to children through outreach programs and the "DANCE ALIVE!" and TIP Programs in collaboration with the Chattanooga Parks, Recreation, Arts and Culture. It offers dance to public schools through the government program "LIGHTS ON", and 21st Century Learning Centers. The company has outreach programs throughout the city. Ballet Tennessee holds annual master classes and summer workshops.

**Faculty & Staff**

Anna Baker-Van Cura - Director

Barry Van Cura - Director

Laurel Shastri - Associate Director

Renee Russell - Teacher

Brittany Johnson-Mills - Teacher

**JUNIOR 1A BALLET**

**Ages 6 1/2 - 7 1/2**

First level of elementary classical ballet training. No previous training required.

**Girls -** light blue leotard, matte ballet pink tights, & pink ballet slippers

**Boys-** black tank leotard, black stretch shorts, white socks, white ballet shoes

**THU 5:30pm - 6:15pm**

**JUNIOR II BALLET**

**Ages 8 - 11**

First level of elementary classical ballet training. No previous training required.

**Girls -** medium blue leotard, matte ballet pink tights, & pink ballet slippers

**Boys-** black tank leotard, black stretch shorts, white socks, white ballet shoes

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 TUITION FOR ALL CLASSES UNLESS  
 STATED:  
 \$135 for 15/wk semester  
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**FALL HODGEPODGE**  
**ART & CRAFT SHOW**

**October 1- 2, 2010**

**Come join in the fall fun!**

Held at the Signal Mtn. Town Hall, Fall Hodgepodge features a variety of fine arts and craft artists from all around East Tennessee!

POTTERY ♦ GLASS ♦ PAINTING ♦ WOODTURNING ♦ JEWELRY  
 SCULPTURE ♦ SOAPS ♦ CRAFTS



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 Check our website for more information and interesting items! [Signalmountainmacc.org](http://Signalmountainmacc.org)  
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Please refer to Optional fee policy on registration information page #12

# BONSAI BASICS

**INSTRUCTOR:** Gregg Richie

Bonsai is the Japanese art of aesthetic miniaturization of trees, or woody or semi-woody plants shaped as trees, by growing them in containers. Cultivation includes techniques for shaping, watering, and repotting in various styles of containers. This six weeks class includes the following: Introduction to Bonsai- Art vs. Technique; Getting Dirty -The Basic Bonsai Styles; The Princess Buys a New Kimono-Choosing a Pot; Getting Dirty: Part II-Creating Bonsai Solo; Choosing an Accent; The Emperor's Parade-Bonsai Basic student's Bonsai Exhibit/ Party.

**BEGINNER BONSAI:**

**Wednesday**

**Session I: September 1-October 6**

**Time:** 6:30-8:30pm

**Tuition:** \$115

**Town of Signal Mtn. Res.:** \$100

**Material Fees:** \$45

**INTERMEDIATE BONSAI:**

**Wednesday**

**Session I: October 13- November 17**

**Time:** 6:30 - 8:30pm

**Tuition:** \$115

**Town of Signal Mtn. Res.:** \$100

**Material Fees:** \$45

**All Tuition and Material fees payable to: Gregg Richie**

**For more information please call Gregg: 580-7030**

Minimum: 2 students

# BEER BREWING BASICS

**INSTRUCTOR:** Tony Giannasi

A one day workshop crash course in Beginning Home Brewing! Hands on teaching ensures that you will learn all you need to know to make beer in your home! Workshop will be held on the first Wednesday of the month. September class is after Labor Day.

September 8: 10 - 11 Pumpkin Ale

October 6: 10 - 11 Spice Winter Ale

November 3: 10 - 11 Stout

December 1: 10 - 11 English Pub Bitter

**Tuition: \$35 per workshop—Signal Mountain Residents: \$20 per workshop**

**Payable to Tony Giannasi**

**Class Minimum: 4**

## Get INVOLVED .....

MACC is not just a wonderful place to take classes, it is an essential part of the Signal Mountain Community! In this time of change and restoration, we have a need for even more volunteers. Below are opportunities. Let us know if you have a skill or talent that could benefit us all. Call or email to let us know that you are interested.

Phone: 423-886-1959 Email: [macc@signalmountaintn.gov](mailto:macc@signalmountaintn.gov).

**• VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR**

Our volunteers will need guidance and coordination. Phone calls to get the Teams going, and a meeting to talk about various projects. You would not necessarily be involved with each project, just coordinating the volunteers to get it done. Good follow up is necessary.

**• VIDEOGRAPHER**

At this historic time, we need to document all the changes that are going to happen at the MACC and on the grounds. We desperately need the "before" shots taken, before any more disturbance to the building. Still shots are good, but we will also need a digital video taken of every square foot! Video editing experience will help with this - either iMovie or other video editing software.

**• DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

Our MACC Foundation will need others to assist on some pretty big fundraisers. If you could be called upon to help make some phone contacts, or assist in mailings, let us know!

**• COMMUNICATIONS**

We need a media secretary. More and more, the media wants to publish ads, articles, and even feature stories. Someone with a flair for taking pictures to have on hand to send the media, or to write feature articles for press releases would be so helpful. We will be putting together several catalogs and promo pieces for our fund development activities also.

**• WEBMASTER**

Our website is pretty amateur! Someone out there, with experience and creativity, could make it look so much better. Come and help us look great, functional and interactive. And, have fun!



# MUSIC

## GUITAR

**INSTRUCTOR: Jim Palmour**

Guitar instruction in multiple styles.—rock & roll, folk, country, bluegrass and beginning classical. Lessons will be 30 minutes and are scheduled Monday through Thursday. Call Jim at 267-7750 to schedule a class time.

BEGINS September 13 MON • TUE • WED • THU

TUITION: \$20 per class/due first class of each month. Tuition payable to: Jim Palmour

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## PIANO

**INSTRUCTOR: Elizabeth Langston-Pierce**

Beginning to early intermediate classical piano instruction. Technique, artistry, ear-training, sight-reading, theory, and scales will be emphasized. There will be a recital near the end of each semester. Lessons are 30 minutes. Piano or weight-action keyboard required. Call Elizabeth at 423-505-9371 to schedule lessons.

BEGINS August 16 MONDAY • TUESDAY • WEDNESDAY • THURSDAY Group lessons last Friday of the Month 5:00pm

TUITION: \$20 per class DUE 1ST CLASS OF EACH MONTH OR TWO INSTALLMENTS Tuition payable to: Elizabeth Pierce

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## PIANO

**INSTRUCTOR: Johan Sentana**

Beginning to early intermediate classical piano instruction. Technique, artistry, ear-training, sight-reading, theory, and scales will be emphasized. Students will be invited to share their musical gifts at recitals at least once per semester! Lessons are 30 minutes. Piano or weight-action keyboard required. Contact Johan at 423.396.9772 to schedule lessons.

BEGINS August 16 TUESDAY • THURSDAY • FRIDAY

TUITION: \$20 per class DUE 1ST CLASS OF EACH MONTH OR TWO INSTALLMENTS Tuition payable to: Johan Sentana

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## VIOLIN, VIOLA, CELLO

**INSTRUCOTRS: Melinda and Don Grohman**

Private Instruction

ALL AGES

String instructors Melinda and Don Grohman continue as studio teachers this fall at the MACC. They have extensive experience teaching both beginners and advanced students.

**NEW STUDENTS:** To schedule a time, please call Melinda or Don 886-2372.

BEGINS Sept. 7 continues thru Dec. 15 MONDAY • TUESDAY • WEDNESDAY

TUITION for Violin, Cello and Viola: \$20 per 30 min. class/ see payment schedule • \$30 per 45 min. class/ see payment schedule

1st payment due Sept. 7 (6 lessons) • 2nd payment due Nov. 8 (5 lessons)

Tuition payable to: Melinda Grohman or Don Grohman

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## SIGNAL MOUNTAIN STRINGS

**INSTRUCTOR: Melinda Grohman**

All Ages

This class is for musicians who have had some previous ensemble experience. We welcome adults who have not played for many years who wish to renew their skills. Open to violin, viola, cello & bass students with permission of Instructor. We are working on fiddle tunes, seasonal and string ensemble music with the goal of performing at the end of the semester. We welcome adults who have not played for many years and wish to renew their skills. To register for class, call Melinda at 886.2372

Tuesday: September 7 through December 14, 6:30-8:00

TUITION \$180 11/wk session Tuition payable to : Melinda Grohman Minimum enrollment: 4

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## YOUTH STRING ENSEMBLE

**INSTRUCTOR: Melinda Grohman**

Open to violin, viola, and cello students. Music reading string students will develop bowing techniques, sight reading, and ear training skills. To register for class, call Melinda at 886.2372

Tuesday: September 7 through December 14, 4:30pm - 5:15pm

TUITION \$70 11/wk session Tuition payable to : Melinda Grohman Minimum enrollment: 4

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**An Annual \$25 fee is required of all MACC music students who live outside the Town of Signal Mountain limits.  
Check payable to MACC**

**Check our website for more information and interesting items! [Signalmountainmacc.org](http://Signalmountainmacc.org)**

**Please refer to Optional fee policy on registration information page #12**

## PRIVATE LESSONS FOR ALL BEGINNING BAND INSTRUMENTS

**INSTRUCTOR: Barb Storm**

Are you thinking of enhancing your child's education with the enrichment of music? If you are considering a woodwind, brass or percussion instrument, you should also consider some private lessons. Studies show that progress, self-satisfaction and motivation are all increased with private instruction.

Barb can assist in the selection of an instrument, and then give the private lessons that will ensure success on the instrument. One half hour lesson per week, plus some additional practice by the child at home, will produce results that will make you proud.

Students must provide instrument. Call 423-504-3035 to schedule a lesson.

BEGINS September 7 MON • TUE • THU After 4:30pm

**TUITION: \$20 per 30 min lesson/ due first class of each month. Tuition payable to: Barb Storm**

## WOODWIND LESSONS

**INSTRUCTOR: Barb Storm**

Instruction for flute, clarinet or saxophone. All ages and all levels are welcome. Technique, scales, tone quality and music theory will be emphasized. Lessons begin at 4:30 on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, and are 30 minutes. Students must provide instrument. Call 423-504-3035 to schedule a lesson.

BEGINS September 7 MON • TUE • THU After 4:30pm

**TUITION: \$20 per 30 min lesson/ due first class of each month. Tuition payable to: Barb Storm**

## FIBER ARTS

### PROJECT FASHIONISTA

**INSTRUCTOR: Linda Benton**

**Ages: 11-14**

Do you love to watch Project Runway? Do you long to become a fashion designer or at least dress like a high fashion model? Then **Project Fashionista** is for you! Over a five week period we will explore the history of fashion, clothing construction, simple sewing techniques, and the creative development process for designing your very own fashions. At the end of the class "designers" will have the opportunity to show off their latest design at our very own **Project Fashionista Runway Show**, October 10! Invite your friends and family to attend.

Thursday 6:00pm - 7:30pm September 9 - October 7 Fashion Show October 10 at 4pm

**Tuition: \$80 Town of Signal Mtn. Res. : \$65**

Material Fee: \$15 (payable to Linda Benton) **Tuition payable to: Linda Benton**

### MACC Sit 'n' Knit

MACC is offering a chance for knitters of all skill levels to get together and share stitches and stories! MACC's Sit 'n' Knit is not a class. This is an open time for members of the community to come together.

Wednesday: 1:00pm- 3:00pm Starting September 8

### Crazy Quilting

**INSTRUCTOR: Olga Satterfield**

This course will consist of learning the technique of piecing individual blocks and joining them to create a throw or pillow. Students will also be given the other choices of Christmas Stockings or Victorian Opera Pouches. Students will be taught how to do the decorative stitches, how to pick the right fabrics and how to embellish with old buttons and lace. Most Victorian Crazy Quilts consisted of satin, velvet, and silk cloth. This class will utilize recycled clothing. Students will be given the foundation to create unique and personal pieces! Students may bring their own materials, (ie: old fabric, buttons, pins, embellishments, accessories, and heirlooms) or purchase a kit the first day of class.

Warning: Crazy Quilting can be addictive. You will never look at a piece of lace, a button, or a piece of fabric the same way.

**Tuesday; Session 1: September 7- October 12 & Session 2: October 26-December 7**

**Thursday; Session 1: September 9- October 15 & Session 2: October 28- December 9**

**Tuition: \$215/6wk Signal Mtn. Residents: \$200/6wk**

**For students interested in both Tuesday and Thursday classes: \$295 Signal Mtn Residents: \$280**

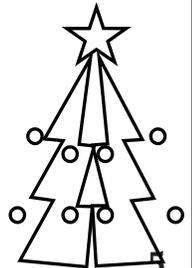
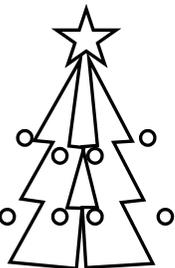
**Tuition payable to: Olga Satterfield**

**Don't Forget :**

Town Tree Lighting

December 4, 2010

**Hosted by the Mountain Arts Community Center**



# DRAWING & PAINTING FOR ADULTS

## INTRODUCTION TO PAINTING

**INSTRUCTOR: Valerie Gibson**

Study and practice basic methods of painting with an emphasis on developing an understanding of color, form, light-dark, focal points, design, and perspective in a working studio environment. This class is especially good for those who want to enhance their "artistic eye."

Thursday: 10:00am - 12:00pm Session1: September 16 -October 14, Session 2: October 21- November 18

**Tuition: \$140/ 5 wk Town of Signal Mtn. Res. : \$125**

Material Fee: \$15 (payable to Val Gibson) **Tuition payable to: Val Gibson**

## DRAWING BASICS

**INSTRUCTOR: Valerie Gibson**

Hone your drawing skills to enhance the concepts of design, light + shadow, form, and perspective. This is a foundational course for the further exploration of art, design, and life.

Thursday 1:00pm - 3:00pm Session1: September 16 -October 14, Session 2: October 21- November 18

**Tuition: \$140/ 5 wk Town of Signal Mtn. Res. : \$125**

**Tuition payable to: Val Gibson**

## LANDSCAPE AND STILL LIFE PAINTING

**INSTRUCTOR: Valerie Gibson**

A studio experience that explores the underlying techniques of oil and acrylic painting. This is an opportunity to learn the basics of painting with an eye to good design and color choices. A basic background in drawing is helpful.

Friday 10:00am - 12:00pm Session1: September 17 -October 15, Session 2: October 22- November 19

**Tuition: \$140/ 5 wk Town of Signal Mtn. Res. : \$125**

Material Fee: \$15 (payable to Val Gibson) **Tuition payable to: Val Gibson**

## OIL AND ACRYLIC PAINTING FOR THE MORE ADVANCED PAINTER

**INSTRUCTOR: Valerie Gibson**

This class is for the student who wants to further develop ideas and skills in a mentoring environment. A focus is placed on identifying the focal point, choosing color ranges, and finding the best way to express the mood of a studio-scape or land-scape. Bring your own paints and canvases. Further questions can be addressed to Valerie Gibson, 886-1973.

Friday 1:00pm -3:00 pm Session1: September 17 -October 15, Session 2: October 22- November 19

**Tuition: \$140/ 5 wk Town of Signal Mtn. Res. : \$125**

**Tuition payable to: Val Gibson**

## OPEN PAINTING STUDIO WEDNESDAY 1pm-3pm

Open studio time is for painters who want to get feedback from fellow artists and Valerie Gibson.

There is no fee for Open Studio.

# DRAWING & PAINTING FOR KIDS AND YOUNG ADULTS

## DRAWING FUNDAMENTALS for 9th-12th grade

**INSTRUCTOR: Shaun Larose**

This class will build on the five foundational areas of drawing and explore expression, mood, organic vs. non-organic studies, among other concepts that will equip students to both capture the technical accuracy as well as the expression of a composition. Students will keep a sketch journal for use at the beginning of every class.

**Wednesday: 4:00-6:00**

September 15-October 27 No class: October 20

**Tuition: \$165/6 wk Signal Mountain Residents: \$150/6 wk**

**Material Fee: \$50 payable to Shaun Larose**

## DRAWING FUNDAMENTALS II for 9th -12th grade

**INSTRUCTOR: Shaun Larose**

This class will challenge students to apply their previous work in foundational drawing to more advanced renderings and creative compositions. Students will also be introduced to anatomical studies, hand, feet and portrait studies. In this class students begin using a more diverse range of medium for rendering such as ink and brush, pastels, and charcoal. This class will prepare students for life drawing.

**Wednesday: 4:00-6:00**

November 3 - December 8 No class: November 24

Extra class: December 9 Student Show: December 10

**Tuition: \$165/6 wk Signal Mountain Residents: \$150/6 wk**

**Material Fee: \$50 payable to Shaun Larose**

## DRAWING FUNDAMENTALS for 6th - 9th grade

**INSTRUCTOR: Shaun Larose**

This class will introduce students to basic elements and principles of drawing and encourage students to develop a strong foundation in line, shape, perspective, value, and composition. A final project will be given which incorporates all five elements. Students will keep a sketch journal for use at the beginning of every class.

**Tuesday: 4:00-6:00**

Session 1: September 7-October 12 Session 2: November 2 - December 7

**Tuition: \$165/6 wk Signal Mountain Resident: \$150/6wk**

**Material Fee: \$50 payable to Shaun LaRose**

## ART FOR KIDS- AGES 5-8

**INSTRUCTOR: Valerie Gibson**

Drawing, painting, and collage classes with an eye to developing the creativity of the child. Building on the child's innate desire to express themselves, this class offers an opportunity for the child to develop satisfying ways of telling their own stories. Further questions can be addressed to Valerie Gibson, 886-1973.

**Thursday: 4 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. Session 1: September 16 -October 14, Session 2: October 21- November 18**

**Tuition: \$65/ 5wk session Signal Mountain Residents: \$50/ 5wk session**

**Material Fee: \$15 (Payable to Val Gibson) Tuition payable to: Val Gibson**

Class limited to 6 children.

# THEATRE

**The Skwalking Heads Winter Youth Theatre Production is:**

**“THE BEST CHRISTMAS PAGEANT EVER” by Barbara Robinson**

**Directed by Colleen Laliberte**

A delightful Holiday Classic promising fun for the entire family! When the Herdman kids decide to participate in the annual Christmas Pageant everyone's world gets turned upside down. Everyone is certain that the pageant will be ruined as the Herdman kids bring chaos to the small town Sunday School class, so how is it that this ends up being “The Best Christmas Pageant Ever”? The cast of characters include: the Herdman children, (Ralph, Imogene, Leroy, Claude, Ollie and Gladys), the Bradley kids (Beth and Charlie) and all of the kids at the Sunday school as well as the “Church ladies”.

### ACTING FOR KIDS CLASS

TUESDAY Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> through Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> with performances Dec. 9, 10, 11 & 12

(NO rehearsals NOV. 2<sup>nd</sup> and NOV. 9<sup>th</sup> during “Amahl and the Night Visitors” at the Tivoli)

CLASS TIME: 6:00 – 8:00 pm

**Tuition: \$165/13 wk Signal Mountain Resident: \$150/13wk Payable to MACC**

**Material Fee: \$35.00 payable to Colleen Laliberte**

NOTE: There will be additional rehearsals scheduled in Nov. & Dec. /schedule TBA

10 % DISCOUNT for families with two or more children in a class

### IMPROV FOR KIDS!

These classes are designed to give actors a fun and dynamic introduction to the elements of theatre, using theatre games for performance. Have fun building confidence with fellow actors (sign up with a friend and enjoy creating scenes together).

Learn to create scenes without a script! Make you're audiences laugh, cry, wonder, cheer.

It's a SPORT! It's THEATRE! It's BOTH!

Come be part of the Skwalking Heads Improv team!

NOTE: Classes are divided by age, not skill level. Colleen currently teaches improvisation at UTC and has developed a professional development curriculum for teachers approved for funding by the Tennessee Arts Commission. She has been studying with Keith Johnstone, author of *Improv* and *Improv for Storytellers* since 1993 and teaches improvisation Workshops for youth and adults throughout the US and internationally.

#### IMPROV FOR KIDS I

Ages 6 – 10

Monday: 5:15 pm - 6:15 pm

Session I: September 13 - October 11<sup>th</sup>

Session II: November 8<sup>th</sup> – December 6<sup>th</sup>

#### IMPROV for KIDS II

Ages 11- 14

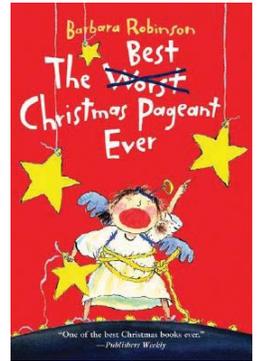
Monday: 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Session I: September 13<sup>th</sup> – October 11<sup>th</sup>

Session II: November 8<sup>th</sup> – December 6<sup>th</sup>

**Tuition: \$90 per session Signal Mountain Resident: \$75 per session**

(Sign up for both sessions and receive a 10 % discount!)



### **“BEST CHRISTMAS PAGEANT EVER”**

#### **Performance Schedule**

THURSDAY December 9: 10am

(Special performance for school audience)

FRIDAY December 10: 10:am & 7pm

SATURDAY December 11: 7pm

SUNDAY December 12: 2:30pm

### **The Skwalking Heads Saturday Studio Series**

Watch for upcoming workshops in Puppetry, Storytelling, Mime, and more during the special Saturday Studio Series for kids on the Second Saturday each month!

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 11 : Special Guest Artist Performance @11:00 (TBA)

SATURDAY OCTOBER 9 : The Magic of Masks @ 11:00 am

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 13: Stories and Songs @ 11:00 am

Check our website for more information and interesting items! [Signalmountainmacc.org](http://Signalmountainmacc.org)

Please refer to Optional fee policy on registration information page #12

## YOGA

### INSTRUCTOR: Jan & Rich Barrali

Yoga at MACC... A gentle flow yoga for all levels. This yoga class will allow you to choose the level of intensity that is right for you. Emphasis will be on body and breath awareness and flowing the postures with the breath. BREATHE, RELAX, & FEEL! Jan and Rich Barrali are Certified Yoga Instructors. They will be happy to lead you through a rich and authentic yoga experience. Bring your yoga mat and a towel. Wear comfortable clothes.

**Monday** 8:30 - 9:45am & 6:00 - 7:15pm **Wednesday** 9:00 - 10:00am  
**Classes begin the week of Sept 13 and run through the week of Oct 25**

**Tuition:** \$77 **Payable to:** Jan Barrali

Private Lessons available

Minimum enrollment: 6

## YOGA

### INSTRUCTOR: Victoria Butler

This class will emphasize the breath and fluidity of movement, as well as the use of props and modifications as needed. We will use repetitions to establish therapeutic patterns for movement. Victoria Butler is a certified Yoga Instructor by Red Stone Yoga. For more information please contact Victoria: 886-3209

**Thursday** 11:00 -12:30

**Sessions held monthly. Session 1 begins Sept 2**

**Tuition:** \$11 per class **Payable to:** Victoria Butler

Private Lessons available

Minimum enrollment: 6

## WEIGHT WATCHERS

### Led by Cindy Pare, Kimberly Smith and Janice Hartman

Weight Watchers is devoted to a comprehensive approach to weight management through an educational program directed at lifestyle change in an atmosphere of group support in our meetings. The program is built on sound scientific principles in the areas of nutrition, behavior, and exercise and is designed to achieve the recommendations of major health organizations throughout North America. Classes meet on a weekly basis and participants can attend on the day of their choice.

**Thursday** 5:30pm - 6:30pm and **Friday** 9:00am - 10:00am

**For more information visit: [www.weightwatchers.com](http://www.weightwatchers.com) or email: [info@wecountpoints.com](mailto:info@wecountpoints.com)**

## BEGINNING TAI JI

### INSTRUCTOR: Earl Morgan

Tai Ji is becoming one of the most popular forms of exercise today. Originally created for the single purpose of training to fight. Today Tai Ji has been modified to improve balance, alignment and circulation while enhancing agility and coordination. Research has shown Tai Ji can be beneficial in lowering blood pressure and the Arthritis Foundation has listed Tai Ji as beneficial for those with arthritis. Physicians who include alternative medicine in their practice, recommend Tai Ji as part of a daily exercise program.

The beginning student will learn the basic exercises designed to teach proper alignment and correct methods of moving the body, shifting the weight, stepping, etc. Once the basics are understood, the student will progress to learning the forms that can be practiced daily.

**Tuesday** 6:00 - 7:30 **August 10– November 30: Classes offered in 4 wk sessions**

**Tuition:** \$60 per month **Payable to:** Earl Morgan

## ZUMBA

### INSTRUCTOR: Lindsey Morman

Zumba Fitness is a program blending exciting music from around the world with easy-to-follow dance moves. The music and steps are integrated from modern rhythms like reggaeton, bollywood and hip hop as well as traditional dances like salsa, samba, flamenco, soca and meringue. It's an amazing cardio workout, but the choreography is so much fun that you forget you are working out! Participants require no prior dance experience but should be healthy enough for physical exercise. Bring a water bottle and wear tennis shoes.

**Tuesday:** 5:30-6:30 **September 7 - December 7** No Class: October 19 or November 23 Class will be held in the Dance Studio Class limit:15

**Thursday:** 5:30-6:30 **September 9 - December 9** No Class: October 21 or November 25 Class will be held in the Practice Hall

**Tuition:** \$72 /6wk **Payable to:** MACC

**ALL STUDENTS MUST REGISTER AND PAY IN MACC FRONT OFFICE**

Check our website for more information and interesting items! [Signalmountainmacc.org](http://Signalmountainmacc.org)

Please refer to Optional fee policy on registration information page #12

TICKET NO. 100  
maccCINEMA  
Classic Film Series

## LET'S GO TO THE MOVIES!

### maccCINEMA Presents:

September 17: *Dracula* 1931

October 15: *The Mummy* 1932

November 19: *Miracle on 34th Street*

December 17: **It's A Wonderful Life** 1947

January 21: *It Happened One Night* 1934

February 18: *CASABLANCA* 1943

March 18: *All About Eve* 1950

April 15: *Mary Poppins* 1964

The third Friday of every month MACC is showing a Classic Film!

Admission: \$5 includes popcorn and a drink

ALL PROCEEDS GO TOWARDS RENOVATING THE AUDITORIUM

## COOKING

### HARRY POTTER COOKING EXPERIENCE

INSTRUCTOR: Bob & Christi Sloan

What do treacle tarts, butterbeer, and rock cakes have in common? Harry Potter foods! Of course, all of you wizards disguised as Muggles, easily knew the answer to that! Would you like to come and delightfully conjure up some of Harry, Hagrid, Hermione, and Rons' favorite foods? Come and join us! We will be learning, mixing, stirring and cooking up our treats at each class. Come dressed in your finest Wizard garb, watch some Harry Potters' film clips and get ready to stir up some of the finest (and tasty) potions this side of Hogwarts!

Monday: 6pm-7:30pm Session 1: September 13-October 25 No Class: October 18 Session 2: November 1 - December 6

Tuition: \$135 Signal Mountain Residents: \$120

Material: \$15 Tuition and Material payable to: Bob or Christi Sloan

## MILITARY HISTORY CLUB



This is a friendly group who has a common interest in all areas of military history from the revolution to present day. It is open to the public and everyone with an interest in military history is welcome to attend.

The group will hold monthly meetings on the first Tuesday of every month at 7:00pm. Questions? Contact Jerry Pala at [jerrypala@comcast.net](mailto:jerrypala@comcast.net)

## RENTALS

MACC is a great place for your special event or party!

### Classroom Rentals

Meetings • Lectures  
Parties • Workshops

### Cafeteria and Kitchen Rentals

Meetings • Receptions  
Exhibitions (ie: Flower and Art Shows)

### Amenities:

Bunn Commercial Coffee Maker • 3 Microwaves  
Two, 30 Cup Coffee Percolators • 100 Dishes and Coffee Cups  
Silverware • Two, 100 Cup Coffee Percolators  
5 Section Steam Table • Commercial Dishwasher

### Auditorium Rental

Seats approx 275  
Recitals • Meetings  
Parties • Concerts  
Lectures • Theatrical Productions  
Concerts • Movies

### Amenities:

Mounted Electronic Projection Screen  
DVD Player • Projector • Sound System  
Theatrical Lighting

Check our Website for rates and specifications!  
[signalmountainmacc.org](http://signalmountainmacc.org)

# INSTRUCTOR BIOS

**Jan & Rich Barrali** are long time residents of Signal Mountain and have been practicing Yoga for over 10 years. Both Jan and Rich have intensely studied at Discovery Yoga in St. Augustine FL. These certified instructors are looking forward to sharing this transforming practice with you and to helping you find a rich and authentic yoga experience.

**Linda Benton** is a mother of three who has always enjoyed adding an element of creativity to everything she does. After receiving a sewing machine for her 15th birthday, Linda taught herself how to sew. A marketing person and writer by trade, Linda feels fashion, too, can be an expressive art form. She enjoys everything about fashion - the history, trends, fabric, colors and she wants to share her love and knowledge with girls who have a passion for fashion!

**Valerie Gibson** earned her BA in Art, Art Education, and Archaeology, and now has 15 years experience as a freelance artist. Currently, Val is creating, designing, and publishing for her card company Someday Press. She is also painting murals in private homes and public spaces.

**Don Grohman** has been a member of the Knoxville Symphony, Johnson City, Kingsport, and Maryville Orchestra for 30 years. He has also played with the Oak Ridge Orchestra. He is a member of the Rosewood Trio (violin, cello, and piano). For the past 24 years, this group has performed extensively all over the southeast. Don is the Dean of Knoxville College and a Presbyterian pastor.

**Melinda Grohman** began developing her teaching skills when she double majored in music education and performance at The Eastman School of Music in New York. Her studies continued at UTK where she was granted a Masters of Music. Her most recent experiences include teaching in private studios and at the university level at UTK, Maryville College, and Walters State Community College.

**Colleen Laliberte** is the founding director of Skwalking Heads Productions and has been teaching theatre in Chattanooga for over 20 years. She has been a guest Master Teacher in Sweden, Austria & Canada and regularly performs as a Storyteller on festival stages throughout the US. Colleen teaches acting, improvisation, puppetry and mask making and works extensively in schools as an Artist in Residence, designing performances for students of all ages. She is looking forward to the new class at MACC in improvisation and to an exciting theatre season for family audiences. Colleen & family have lived on Signal Mountain since 1985. Check out [www.skwalkingheads.com](http://www.skwalkingheads.com)

**Shaun Larose** has worked as a studio artist and muralist for twelve years with work exhibited in Houston, Austin, Minneapolis and Chattanooga. He currently lives in Chattanooga with his wife and five kids. His public work can be seen locally on main street and his fine art can be seen at [www.shaunlarose.com](http://www.shaunlarose.com) His most recent project and design for 'Amahl and the Night Visitors' can be seen at the Tivoli Theatre this Nov. His emphasis includes master techniques in drawing and oil painting, figure drawing, design. Backdrop and mural production.

**Earl Morgan** calls Tennessee his home. He began his studies and training in Martial Arts in 1982 and was exposed to several different styles including Wing Chun, Chen Tai Ji, Hsing, Pakua and Walu. In the late 80's, Earl studies on Chen Tai Ji. Today, when not teaching in Chattanooga area and Signal Mountain, Earl continues his personal growth in Chen Tai Ji attending workshops in the Southeast with Master teachers.

**Lindsey Nunis Morman**, Signal Mountain resident and a leader in the region's fitness and dance community, is bringing Latin and International flavor to Signal Mountain's very own MACC center. She teaches Zumba Fitness, a program blending exciting music from around the world with easy-to-follow dance moves. The music and steps are integrated from modern rhythms like reggaeton, bollywood and hip hop as well as traditional dances like salsa, samba, flamenco, soca and merengue. Her students say it's an amazing cardio workout, but her choreography is so much fun that you forget you're working out! Lindsey and her husband Matt and daughter Madelyn moved to Signal Mountain in 2008 from LaGrange, GA. While studying for an herbalist certification, She has been sharing her love of dance all over the Chattanooga area. You may have danced with her at one of Chattanooga's YMCAs, seen her perform at La Feria Hispana, Coolidge Park or the Incline, heard her interviewed on the radio, or seen her featured on News Chanel 5 about her Zumbathon for the Chattanooga Area Food Bank. She is so excited to bring the Zumba fire to Signal Mountain. Although she has been dancing most of her life, she has never experienced the freedom that Zumba Fitness gives to its participants. It's so wonderful to have an opportunity to celebrate all the cultures of the world through dance!

**Jim Palmour** is a well known local musician for the past 30 years, has a Bachelor of Music from UTC. He plays with bands throughout the Chattanooga area as well as solo performances. Jim can frequently be found at the Chattanooga Theatre Centre performing in the shows or playing in the orchestra. Jim has been teaching guitar at MACC for the past seven years.

**Elizabeth Pierce** is a native of Chattanooga who began teaching at MACC in the fall of 2006. She strives to keep her lessons fun and challenging for beginning and intermediate students. Elizabeth is an active member of the MTNA (Music Teachers National Association) and has helped

**Gregg Richie** was born and raised in Chattanooga. He hold a Bachelor's form UTC in Philosophy and Anthropology and a Master's from UCLA in Folklore and Mythology. He has been creating bonsai since 1972 and has studied extensively with the following Sensei: John Naka, Ben Oki, George Yamaguchi, Sam Nakano, Ricky Sumamoto, Joe Uyemoto, Johnny Uchida, and, most recently, Kusuo Inadomi. For the past 15 years, he served as Assistant Sensei with the Fuji Bonsai Club in Berkeley California. His skill includes the following bonsai and Japanese garden styles: ishitsuki, sejijoku, saikei, suiseki, kusamono, and niwaki.

# INSTRUCTOR BIOS

**Olga Satterfield** used to do only traditional quilting and after taking a class in crazy quilting she became, well, crazy for it! She has since taught classes at Three Sisters of April and given private lessons. Though most Traditional Victorian Crazy Quilting consisted of using satin, silk and velvet, Olga uses recycled clothing and accessories in her work. She loves the sense of community and wonderful friendships that are formed with crazy quilting; the idea is to have fun and make new friends. All the Crazy quilted she knows have something in common. They are creative, interesting, and above all "quirky." It is fun to be surrounded by "Crazy" quilters.

**Johan Sentana** is a graduate of Southern Adventist University with a B.S. in music Performance. He is currently a candidate of Graduate Piano Studies at UTC under Dr. Sin-Sing Tsai. Johan has taught private lessons in Surabaya, Indonesia and Chattanooga.

**Bob and Christi Sloan**, native from parts unknown are entering into their second phase of Harry Potter cooking. Residing in odd parts of the region, they have great passion for cooking, gardening, reading and attempting to run and catch plastic disks. Teaching children in the Chattanooga area, for some time now, they delight in being mysterious and spiritual, all at the same time. To the surprise of their cat, Poppy, they also enjoy bird watching and the first time wonder in children's eyes.

**Barb Storm** is a graduate of the University of Minnesota, with a Major in Music Education, K-12, and Minor in Music Therapy. She also has her Masters Degree in Music Education from the U of MN. Born in Wisconsin, she taught band and music classes for 15 years in Minnesota, then served as Head of the Fine Arts Dept. and music teacher at the Atlanta International School for nine years. Teaching music at GPS brought her to Chattanooga, where she taught for five years. She is now the Director of the MACC. She is on the Board of the Chattanooga Music Club, and performs around Chattanooga for various event on her major instrument, the clarinet.

**Anna Baker-Van Cura** is the Founder/Artistic Director for Ballet Tennessee. Ms. Van Cura trained with Josephine and Hermene Schwarz of Dayton, Ohio. She was selected by Frederic Franklin for a Ford Foundation Scholarship to study in Washington, D.C.

#### PROFESSIONAL CREDITS

- Ruth Page's International Ballet
- American Ballet Theater
- National Ballet of Washington, D.C.
- Chicago Ballet and Lyric Opera
- University of Illinois-Urbana

Ms. Van Cura was recognized as an Artist in Education by Ohio Arts Council and served on the Dance Panel. She remains an out-of-state consultant. She studied in Russia on the first three years of the Soviet method of training. A popular guest master teacher, Ms. Van Cura has taught for the Tennessee Association of Dance, Bill Evans Summer Dance Institute, Memphis Dance Alliance, and Northwest Ballet of Florida. She most recently received her third Outstanding Teacher Award from the Tennessee Governor's School for the Arts as one of the state's outstanding educators.

**Barry Van Cura** is the Founder/Executive

Director for Ballet Tennessee. Mr. Van Cura has a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree majoring in Ballet from the North Carolina School of the Arts. His early training in Chicago, began with teachers: Edward Parish, Bernice Holmes and Loretto Rozak. He was selected by New York's David Howard to be an apprentice for the Harkness Ballet.

#### PROFESSIONAL CREDITS

- Eglevsky Ballet of New York
- Chicago Ballet and Lyric Opera
- Milwaukee Ballet
- Indianapolis Ballet Theater

Mr. Van Cura has choreographed musical theater and opera, as well as classical and contemporary ballet. His ballet, Amethyst, (which was a UTC collaboration) was televised nationally on Public Television. It won a Arts Award in South Carolina and commendation in New York. His ballet, Pocahontas, won first place at the PANOPLY Choreography Competition in 1998. His ballet, GAHELET, won "Best Dance Drama" in the Zoie Film Festival of Atlanta in 1999.

**Mr. & Mrs. Van Cura** co-directed the following:

Chicago' Ballet Midwest in Illinois  
National Academy of Dance - Champaign, Illinois  
Western Reserve in Ohio  
Chattanooga Ballet in Tennessee

# REGISTRATION INFORMATION

## OPTIONAL FEE POLICY

**Option 1.** Class tuition may be paid as indicated for each class.

**Option 2.** Families residing outside The Town of Signal Mountain planning to enroll in two or more classes annually may choose to pay an annual \$25 fee and pay the same class fee as the residents of The Town of Signal Mountain. This \$25 fee provides all members of your family to participate in all classes at MACC at same fee as those who reside in the Town. All residents of the Town pay \$25 in support of MACC through their property taxes.

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Registration forms may be mailed into 809 Kentucky Ave. Signal Mtn. TN 37377, faxed to: (423) 886-7110, or filled out in the office during MACC Business hours.

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 9:00am - 8:00pm  
Wednesday and Friday 9:00am - 4:30pm

**Fees and Refund Policy:** Normally, registration and fees are due one week prior to the beginning of each class unless otherwise noted, however due to the renovation, class fees are due the first day of class or as arranged with the instructor. No refunds are made after the first day of class without the approval of the MACC Director and class instructor.

**Inclement Weather:** In the event of inclement weather, MACC will follow the Hamilton County School closing policy. Make-up classes will be announced.

**Cancellation of Class:** MACC reserves the right to cancel any classes with insufficient enrollment. Fees are 100% refundable if the class is cancelled by MACC.

For questions regarding registration or classes at MACC please call 886-1959

## DONATION INFORMATION

All monetary Contributions for the Mountain Arts Community Center go through the MACC Foundation. The MACC Foundation is a non-profit 501(c)3 corporation and your donation may qualify for tax exemption as a contribution. To give a donation please write your check to:

MACC Foundation  
809 Kentucky Ave.  
Signal Mountain, TN 37377

Please check with your tax advisor for a determination of tax benefit.

# REGISTRATION INFORMATION

## MACC Registration Form (Please Print)



Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Age (if under 18): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name (if student is under 18): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

(H) Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ How did you hear about us? \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Day/Time/Instructor of Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you live in the Town of Signal Mountain? YES NO

Please refer to the course description and make check payable as requested.

If enrolling for two or more classes and/or students, please make a copy of this form for each student or class.

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### PARENTS INDEMNITY CONTRACT AND RELEASE ( for child participant under 18 years of age )

I assume all risk of liability arising from the participation of my minor child in any course or classes offered by Mountain Arts Community Center (MACC). I agree to indemnify, hold safe and harmless against and defend the Town of Signal Mountain and MACC, its officers, agents, employees, and members from any and all claims, costs, expenses, damages, and liabilities arising from or pertaining to my child's participation with MACC. I further completely release the Town of Signal Mountain and MACC, its officers, agents, employees and instructors from any present or future legal responsibility for any negligence arising from my child's participation with MACC.

As a parent or guardian, I further grant permission to MACC to use photos of my child taken during the course or classes for publicity.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent / Legal Guardian

### INDEMNITY CONTRACT AND RELEASE ( for 18 years or older )

As a participant in any course or classes offered by MACC, I agree to Indemnify, hold safe, and harmless against and defend the Town of Signal Mountain and MACC, its officers, agents, employees, and members from any and all claims, costs, expenses, damages, and liabilities arising from or pertaining to my participation with MACC. I further completely release the Town of Signal Mountain and MACC, its officers, agents, employees, and instructors from any present or future legal responsibility for any negligence arising from my participation with MACC.

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Participant (18 years or older)

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## MACC EVENT 2010 HIGHLIGHTS

[signalmountainmacc.org](http://signalmountainmacc.org)

MACC GRAND RE-OPENING  
SEPTEMBER RECEPTION TO BE ANNOUNCED

## Fall Hodgepodge

October 1-2, 2010



### HAUNTED HOUSE

The last 3 weekends in October



### MACC CINEMA:

Third Friday of every month!  
Please see page 9 for a list of films



PROJECT FASHIONISTA FASHION SHOW:  
October 10, 4pm



### Student Piano Recital:

December 11 2pm

**Skwalking Heads Productions presents:**

### THE BEST CHRISTMAS PAGEANT EVER!

December 9-12

### Student Art Show

December 10, 7pm

### MACC MISSION

To provide and facilitate opportunities to explore arts, culture, civic and educational activities that foster personal growth and benefit the community.