

## 14 January

## Decorative Wreaths – Sandra McArthur

Explore the gardens, draw from observation and paint a colourful Wreath using the wet-on-wet technique of illustration Artists.

10.30am-12.30pm
Bookings essential. Phone 4304 7550
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## Animal Portraits – Sandra McArthur

Bring along an image of your favourite animal to help recreate a realistic drawing using the Grid Method of Renaissance Artists.

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### Weaving – Vanja Zetovic

Be introduced to the ancient techniques of intertwining textured yarn and fabric on prewrapped looms and create your very own woven wall hanging. 10.30am-12.30pm
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#### **Bonsai Trees – Vanja Zetovic**

Inspired by our Ancient Black Pines in the Japanese Garden, form your very own miniature Bonsai tree created from decorative beads and wire.

1.30-3.30pm
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### 16 January

# My Little Book of Prints – Sandy James

Walk away with a collection of Relief Prints that explore Positive, Negative and Repetitive Printing which are all inspired by Japanese woodblocks, Margaret Preston, Julie Paterson and Andy Warhol. 10.30am-12.30pm Bookings essential. Phone 4304 7550 6-14 years

#### **Print 'N' Paint – Sandy James**

Using the style of Japanese woodcuts, print your very own Monochromatic Relief Print that can be either hand coloured using Art Pencils or painted in Acrylics. 1.30-3.30pm

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### 17 January

# Tactile Selves – National Portrait Gallery

Join us for a workshop that investigates the languages of texture and portraiture, inspired by the portrait of Ben Mendelsohn. We will explore how textures function in portraits from the exhibition, 'Express Yourself', and then experiment with surfaces to create a self-portrait. Please bring a photograph of yourself to help get you started and a piece of old clothing or fabric if you can. All other materials provided. We will have a short break, so bring a snack and drink bottle. 10.30am-12.30pm

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# Portraits using the Environment – Susan Ingham

Use your creativity to Collage a portrait using the Japanese gardens environment as a source of inspiration to grow your identity.

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## 21 January

## Mandala Designs – Sandra McArthur

Take your Dot for a walk in the spirit of artist Paul Klee to design and paint Mandala patterns of your own. 10.30am-12.30pm Bookings essential. Phone 4304 7550 7-14 years

#### Bird Illustrations – Sandra McArthur

Develop your concentration and creative mindfulness by recreating simple and delicate watercolour birds using the weton-wet technique of illustrators.

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## 22 January

#### Tales from the Tea House

Add a little colour to your day when you join us in the Japanese Garden for a colourful storytime and craft session. 10.30-11.30am

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### **Crafty Stitches – Vanja Zetovic**

Learn the basics behind textile arts and crafts with threading, simple embroidery stitching and embellishing to create a decorative placemat.

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### Babushka Dolls – Vanja Zetovic

Discover Russian culture through decorating a series of 5 stackable wooden dolls inspired by traditional folk art designs.

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### 24 January

## Clay Mega Beasties – Shelley McGavin

Create a frenzy by bringing horror sculptural creatures to life, which will give anyone nightmares after seeing their gruesome features.

10.30am-12.30pm

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# Clay Dungeons & Castles – Shelley McGavin

Build your very own ghastly dungeon or fantasy castle using slab construction techniques that will be enhanced through surface decoration details.

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