

# Community School of the Arts at Lenard Hall



## Lenard Hall Community School of the Arts

The fall of 2019 marked a very special time in the over 40-year history of the Community School of the Arts with the opening of Lenard Hall; new home to music, visual arts, and performance instruction in Mansfield. Through the generosity of principal donors John and Jean Lenard, and others including the Jeffrey P. Ossen Family Foundation, the Lenard Hall facility was made possible. The program has continued to persevere during the COVID-19 pandemic, expanding to include virtual instruction opportunities. Mansfield Parks & Recreation is eager to continue to grow the program in this new location as we return to more social and in-person programs and events. Participants can be reassured that Mansfield Parks and Recreation is committed to providing high quality instruction, offering students of all ages and ability levels professional, affordable instruction in the performing and visual arts. Come learn, grow, and create with us!

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## Individual Instrumental and Voice Lessons

(Virtual & In-person)

Please visit the Lenard Hall Reception desk or [www.mansfieldct.gov/csa](http://www.mansfieldct.gov/csa) for a list of virtual and select in-person lessons and instructors. Register online or in person with activity numbers below. Once registered, you will be contacted within two weeks to discuss your lesson appointments, once scheduled you will receive lesson schedule via email. Students meet with an instructor once per week for 30, 45, or 60 minutes. Depending upon the instrument, age requirements may apply. Lessons are offered in-person on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at Lenard Hall or virtually weekdays. **Please note there will be a once per season \$10 non-resident charge for those participating in lesson that do not live in Storrs/Mansfield.** Summer season lessons will be held in 2 sessions - July and August. \*Fees below represent an estimated 4-class season; however, final fee is adjusted for the number of lessons, additional fees will apply if there are additional lessons available in the season. **For the summer season, lessons can be purchased 1-month at a time – 4 weeks for July (July 3-30), and 4 weeks for August (August 1-27). Register now with the activity numbers below!**

### JULY SERIES (July 3-30)

**Activity #:** 130700-A (30 mins)  
130700-B (45 mins)  
130700-C (60 mins)

### AUGUST SERIES (August 1-27)

**Activity #:** 130701-A (30 mins)  
130701-B (45 mins)  
130701-C (60 mins)

LESSON LENGTH	30 MINUTES	45 MINUTES	60 MINUTES
*Approximate Summer Series (4 lessons)	\$126	\$172	\$227



## Electronic Music Production - FREE 30 Minute DEMO! (Ages 10+)

Want to learn to make beats? You've come to the right place! Schedule a FREE one-on-one demo lesson focusing on producing instrumental soundtracks! Learn to create drum patterns and compose melodies for genres including Pop, Rock, Hip Hop, EDM, and more. The best part is no experience or equipment is required; though it is very helpful if students have access to a computer (iPads and iPhones are also great alternatives if a computer is not available.) Electronic production is the primary topic but lessons can be customized to include other related skills, such as recording live instruments and vocals. Small group lessons can also be arranged. **If you enjoyed your demo, submit an individual music lesson request form to get started!**

**Instructor:** Walker Suib has been practicing Electronic Music Production (his favorite activity) for the last 6 years. He makes beats for singers and rappers, but also enjoys sound design, sound engineering, and songwriting.

**Location:** Lenard Hall

**Demo Fee:** FREE! – Email Recreation Coordinator, Bethany Cologna at [ColognaB@mansfieldct.org](mailto:ColognaB@mansfieldct.org) to schedule your free 30-minute demo now!

**Fee:** Free 30-minute demo lesson. Can register for 30, 45, or 60-minute individual lessons (see above rates).

## Summertime Suzuki Violin Program!

The Suzuki philosophy emphasizes how learning music in the early years is crucial for developing mental processes a muscle coordinator. Don't let the "lazy days" of summer halt your progress! Keep up your musicianship skills by joining us for group playing sessions each week. All Suzuki violin players welcome in group. Private lesson registration optional during the summer, and handled separately. Please register for our Individual Instrumental Lesson Summer Series above for private lessons, if desired. Parent attendance required.

**Instructor:** Bobby Luan

**Location:** Lenard Hall

**Dates:** Wed., Aug 3-31 (5 lessons)

**Books 1 & 2 Time:** (130105-A) 5-5:45 p.m.

**Books 3 & 4 Time:** (130106-A) 6-6:45 p.m.

**Fee:** \$225 for residents, \$235 for non-residents

# Community School of the Arts at Lenard Hall

## NEW! Community Band

Are you interested in joining a Community Band? For intermediate-level musicians of any age, regardless of band experience. Whether you have played in your school band, participated in Suzuki groups, or have only played solo, this is a great step to develop skills of working in a group band setting. Participants must be able to read music and should have at least 2 years' experience on their instrument (percussion, brass, and woodwind). The program will be adjusted to the needs and abilities of the group, and may include chamber music breakout sessions or full ensemble work. The program season will end with a performance for family and friends!

**Instructor:** Gracie Martin  
**Location:** Lenard Hall  
**Dates:** Mon., July 11-Aug. 29 (8 classes)  
**Time:** 5-6:30 p.m.  
**Fee:** \$90 for residents, \$100 for non-residents  
**Activity #:** 130301-A

## Open Studio Space for Artists (Ages 14+)

Artists of all mediums are welcome to enjoy the open studio space at the Community School of the Arts Lenard Hall, Tuesdays from 5 to 7pm. Bring your own materials, and come create and collaborate with your peers. Please leave yourself enough time to clean up! All skill levels welcome. No instruction provided. Dates and times subject to change or cancellation due to holidays and facility scheduling needs, fees will not be prorated or refunded. Attendance requires monthly registration. Additional details below.

**Location:** Lenard Hall  
**Dates:** Tues., July 5, 12, 19, 26 (130000-A)  
Tues., Aug. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 (130000-B)  
Tues., Sept. 6, 13, 20, 27 (130000-C)  
**Times:** 5-7 p.m.  
**Fees:** \$10 per month for residents,  
\$20 per month for non-residents



## NEW! Fantasy: Fairies, Fish, & Dragons - Art Kid's Drawing/Multi-Media (Ages 6-12)

An experienced, creative art teacher brings her own unique, wild and wonderful skills to the children's program! Have fun experimenting with drawing, and painting. Entertain fairies and dragons, and are you kidding, a fantasy fish? Delight in a journey into your imagination! Students are encouraged to observe carefully, to experiment with materials, shape, color, line, and texture and to create unique artworks using their imagination.

**Instructor:** Nancy Cooke-Bunnell, an award-winning pastel and acrylic painter, is an experienced state certified art teacher for over 18 years art teaching to all ages. She has taught art at the Community School of Arts at MCC, the Art Center East, West Hartford Art League, and others. Her pastels have won first in the state at the CT Pastel Society and has won numerous high-ranking awards at Art Center East, the Munson Art Center and throughout the state.

**Location:** CC Arts & Crafts Room  
**Time:** 4:45-5:45 p.m.  
**Date:** Mon., July 18-Aug 8 (4 classes)  
**Fee:** \$40 for residents, \$50 for non-residents  
**Materials Fee:** \$12; fee waivers do not apply to materials fees  
**Activity #:** 130011-A

## NEW! Things that Crawl, Hop, & Fly - Art Kid's Drawing/Multi-Media (Ages 6-12)

An experienced, creative art teacher brings her own unique, wild and wonderful skills to the children's program! Have fun experimenting with drawing, and painting reptiles, amphibians, insects, and butterflies. Improve your drawing and painting skills. Explore your imagination! Students are encouraged to observe carefully, to experiment with materials, shape, color, line, and texture and to create unique artworks using their imagination.

**Instructor:** Nancy Cooke-Bunnell, see biography under "Fantasy: Fairies, Fish, & Dragons"  
**Location:** CC Arts & Crafts Room  
**Time:** 10-11 a.m.  
**Date:** Sat., July 23-Aug 13 (4 classes)  
**Fee:** \$40 for residents, \$50 for non-residents  
**Materials Fee:** \$12; fee waivers do not apply to materials fees  
**Activity #:** 130012-A



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# CALL TO ARTISTS!

The Mansfield Arts Advisory Committee is proud to announce the Annual Juried Art Show.

**SUBMISSIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED  
UNTIL SEPTEMBER 6, 2022.**

Selected works will be on display from  
October 1, 2022 - November 12, 2022.  
Watch for more information on submission guidelines  
coming soon at  
<https://www.mansfieldct.gov/Arts-Advisory-Committee>

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