

Hearts and Miracles

Or: Corazones y Milagros

Instructor: Mijali Barbagallo

Location: In-person

Class Description

Assemblage class using repurposed and found objects creating unique and outstanding pieces of art. You will be using discarded objects, acrylic paints, glue, and even fabric.

Skill Level

Beginner. No prerequisite required.

Included in Class Fee

Class fee and supply fee cover instructor and facilities costs as well as some shared provided supplies.

Please complete before class:

- Collect all your supplies and get ready to have fun!

Required Supplies

- Frame, interesting box, or some other found object that you would like to use as the base of your art piece (wooden box, a tin can, an old mantel clock, etc.). Approximately 8-12" would be an appropriate size, but that is up to you, of course! You will build your piece on this base. Thrift stores are a great source for these items. Keep the weight of the object in mind when you are selecting it.
- Assortment of found objects that may have interesting shapes: **hearts**, dolls, watch parts, gears, typewriter parts, hearts, bolts, pieces of old metal, straps of leather, fabric, spools, toys, bottle caps (plastic or metal)
- Synthetic paint brushes - inexpensive is best. Bring an assortment of sizes (e.g. 1/2", 1" round, and a couple fine detail brushes: 1, 2, and 3).
- E6000 and Gorilla Glue (original formula)

Optional Supplies

- Acrylic paints (no oil or enamel) - Golden, Liquitex, or Academy paints are highly recommended, but any brand will work.
 - Colors: Transparent Red Oxide, Black Carbon, Pthalo Blue, Quinacridone Red, Dioxazine Purple, Nickel Azo Yellow, Pthalo Turquoise, Iridescent Gold and Silver
- Adhesives: DAP Kwik Seal (White): paintable latex caulk
- Tools: Heat gun, Dremel, drill, screwdrivers, pliers
- Comfortable clothes that you don't mind getting paint, etc. on.

Assemblage Art

We are a fragrance-free shop

As a courtesy to individuals who may be sensitive to fragrances, we would like to ask that you refrain from wearing any perfumes, scented lotions or body sprays, or strong scents. Thank you.

Class cancellation

Classes fill up quickly and we often have a waiting list. If you cannot make it to class, please let us know at least four days in advance to receive store credit. Cancellations less than two days or no-shows will be charged full price.

Please do not come to class if you are sick or if you are experiencing any fever, cough, shortness of breath, or any other flu/Covid-like symptoms. Call us at 303-997-4372.

Classes with registration with fewer than three participants three days prior to class date may be cancelled by the instructor.

In the event of inclement weather, the instructor will have the discretion to cancel class.

Classes start on time. Please arrive 10-15 minutes early to get set up. Please note, if this class is scheduled when the shop is closed, we will lock the doors about 10-15 minutes after class begins. If you are running late, please give us a call at **303-997-4372** so we can let you in.

Parking

Parking is available in back. For after hours or weekend parking, you may also park in the Malley Senior Rec Center lot. Please do not park in this lot during weekday/9-5 as you will be ticketed.

For All-Day Classes (6-8 hours)

We will take a 30-45 minute break mid-day to allow for lunch. You are welcome to bring a lunch or order delivery and work on your projects during that break or take some time to stretch your legs and visit one of the many great restaurants in the area.

Guests

Please leave children, pets and friends at home. If you need special accommodations, please let us know.