Lifelong Learning

Upcoming Classes

June 2021

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Ko Heichi Fitness: Bushidokan
Jun 2 – 30, or Jul 5 – 28 (M, W)
6:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Single: $30; Family: $45 (up to 4)

Known as “an original U.S. MMA,” Bushidokan is deeply rooted in the history of American martial arts with multiple world titleholders and respected self-defense experts. Bushidokan has borrowed techniques from more than 10 different martial arts and three primary systems: karate, judo, and jiu jitsu. Recognized worldwide for its self-defense, Bushidokan’s tactics have been tested in diverse situations including life-or-death defense by citizens, law enforcement, and elite military groups such as Green Berets, Rangers, Navy SEALs, and others. Men, women, children, law enforcement, and military are encouraged to attend. All are welcome!
**Drawing for Kids**  
**Jun 4 (F)**  
7:45 a.m. – 5:15 p.m., $60 (includes lunch)  
Grades: 3 and up  
This fun workshop for kids from 3rd grade and up will focus on basic drawing techniques. Learn basic information on perspective and shadowing with pencil techniques. Have fun experiencing different types of pencils and drawing paper. Learn and practice the basic techniques in the morning and work on your own drawing masterpiece to take home and frame in the afternoon. Basic instruction on drawing people, animals, landscapes and some cartoon work will be provided.

**Heart saver CPR & First Aid**  
**Jun 7, or Aug 2, or Oct 4, or Dec 6 (M)**  
1:00 – 4:00 p.m., $70  
**or**  
Jul 12, or Sep 13, or Nov 1 (M)  
6:00 – 9:00 p.m., $70  
Heart saver First Aid class is designed for anyone with limited or no medical training who needs the course completion card to meet employment, regulatory, or other requirements. This includes daycare workers/owners, OSHA-compliant factory employees, government office workers, teachers, etc. The general public is also welcome. Upon completion, participants receive an American Heart Association Heart Saver First Aid Course Completion Card which is valid for two years.

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**Cupcake Boss (M, T)**  
Cupcakes are simply irresistible single servings of delicious cakes and frosting dressed up in perfect little packages. In this course, student chefs participate in several “challenges” to see who the “boss” is of each challenge. Some of the challenges are individual and some are group challenges.

**Chef’s Delight (W, TH)**  
This class is sure to be a delightful experience for young chefs. Several educational skills are enhanced as they share stories, participate in cooking experiences, and learn about kitchen safety and dining etiquette. Students will have opportunities to practice math and reading skills, learn science concepts, and develop good work habits as they work cooperatively in groups. What better motivator for learning than a good story and fun food?

**LEGO Mindstorms EV3 Robotics**  
**Jun 7 – 10 (M – TH), or**  
**Jun 21 – 24 (M – TH), or**  
**Jul 12 – 15 (M – TH), or**  
**Jul 26 – 29 (M – TH)**  
7:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., $35/day or $120/week  
Grades: 4 and up  
Have you ever wanted to make your LEGO creations move? Now you can! Using the LEGO Mindstorms EV3 you will be able to make and program a robot that can move on your command. This class will cover building and programming using LEGO robots. You will learn to use a light touch, and ultrasonic sensors to enable your robot to explore and interact with the world around you. If you like LEGO, and want to learn to program, this is for you! This class is for all students - beginner to advanced.

**Painting with Watercolor for Kids**  
**Jun 11 (F)**  
7:45 a.m. – 5:15 p.m., $60 (includes lunch)  
Grades: 3 and up  
This fun workshop for kids from 3rd grade and up will focus on basic watercolor techniques. Learn basic information on mixing colors, and some basic techniques to begin creating your own watercolor paintings. Have fun experiencing different types of watercolor paints and paper. Learn and practice the basic techniques in the morning and work on your own watercolor masterpiece to take home and frame in the afternoon. Basic instruction on painting shapes, shadows, landscapes and some floral work will be provided.

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**Women as Warriors**  
**Jun 8, or Jul 6 (T)**  
6:00 – 9:00 p.m., $20  
Must be 16 or older to participate  
Women as Warriors: How to Survive a Deadly Attack is focused on teaching survival skills for worst-case self-defense scenarios. We will cover the nitty-gritty, down and dirty tactics you need in order to survive a deadly attack as well as the soft skills of avoidance, escape, and evasion. When you can’t talk your way out and they won’t let you walk out – you must take them out! Wear comfortable workout clothes and shoes.

**Kids in the Kitchen Week**  
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**Introduction to Ceramic Wheel Throwing and Hand Building**  
**Jun 12, or Jun 26 (SA)**  
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., $23  
Ages: 10 and up  
**Der Topfer, 1211 3rd Ave., Scottsbluff**  
Have you always wanted to try your hand on a pottery wheel? Here’s your chance! This is an introductory class offering students the opportunity to throw on a pottery wheel and learn hand-building clay techniques. A brief introduction of ceramics and ceramic tools, description, and use will be included. Projects will not be completed in the three-hour class, but students can continue in ceramics classes or set up private lessons with the instructor. All materials provided. Class size is limited to six.

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All About the Arts Week
Jun 14 – 17 (M – TH)
1:00 – 5:15 p.m.
$35/day or $120/week
Ages: 7 – 14
Caution: Wet Paint
Imagine, explore, discover, and create products using a variety of paint. Students use puffy paint, neon paint, liquid watercolors, pearl paints, glitter paint, and glow-in-the-dark paint. Students learn about famous artists from around the world and emulate their famous works of art.

Marvelous Mosaics
Students learn about the ancient art of mosaic and learn to make their own artwork using a variety of fun materials. Students cut, glue, read, and create as they learn about how traditional and modern mosaics are made.

Duct Tape Dynasty
Duct Tape solves everything, right? Students use duct tape to decorate jars, composition books, pencil pouches, pencils, etc. Students also create various items such as pouches, wallets, flowers, and bracelets using only duct tape.

Just Bead it
Beads, safety pins, leather, and washers! Does that sound intriguing? These are just a few of the materials you’ll explore and create with, in this class. Create bracelets, rings, and necklaces for all occasions. Embellish items such as picture frames and beads.

Bob Ross Painting
Jun 19 (SA)
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., $60
Bob Ross believed that everyone who wanted to paint, could paint like a natural with the right tools and a little encouragement. Come and experience the joy and confidence of painting a beautiful landscape using the Ross wet-on-wet technique. Please bring a roll of paper towels to this class.

Astronomy Week
Jun 21 – 24 (M – TH)
1:00 – 5:15 p.m.
$35/day or $120/week
Ages: 7 – 14
Explore the size and scale of our solar system by mapping out the sun and planets on a very large map – over 1,000 yards in length! Investigate the other planets in our solar system, observe the sun using telescopes, binoculars, and other tools. Captain Kirk would be proud!

Advanced QuickBooks Online
Jun 23, or Sep 1 (W)
6:00 – 9:00 p.m., Panhandle Residents FREE, Non-Residents $55
Online Class
If you understand accounting software basics or you have already completed introductory-level QuickBooks Online training, this class will help you achieve the next level of managing your business. You will learn how to use QuickBooks for advanced business management functions such as:
• Set up a chart of accounts
• Reconcile Bank and Credit Card Accounts
• Track inventory
• Create project or service estimates
• Calculate sales tax payment
• Filter and generate reports
• Calculate and run payroll
• Track fixed assets
Your instructor is Kelly Abrahams, owner of ASK Bookkeeping. This class is offered via Zoom, please provide your email address when registering. Tuition for Panhandle residents is paid by Panhandle Area Development District (PADD) with funding provided through the U.S. EDA CARES grant.
This fun workshop for kids from 3rd grade and up will focus on basic techniques and using both torn and cut paper to create works of art. Learn basic information on types of paper and glue to use, and how to create shapes and put them together to create a mosaic collage. Have fun experiencing different types of paper and glue. Learn and practice basic techniques and work on your own mosaic masterpiece to take home and frame in the afternoon.

Creative Writing and Journaling for Kids
Jul 16 (F)
7:45 a.m. – 5:15 p.m., $60 (includes lunch)
Grades: 3 and up
In this fun and interactive workshop, students will learn unique ways to journal and write creatively. You will have the opportunity to explore different creative writing techniques and practice creative writing with story starters. Learn new journaling techniques, including bullet journaling, artistic journaling, and gratitude journaling. You will come away from this workshop with a journal of your own and great ideas of how to fill it with your personal thoughts.

Innovate, Create & Explore Week
Jul 12 – 15 (M – TH)
1:00 – 5:15 p.m.
$35/day or $120/week
Ages: 7 – 14
CSI: Crime Scene Investigations
Are you a sleuth? Do you want to become one? If you would like to learn more about solving crime, this is the course for you! Students meet crime-fighting professionals and learn their secrets. Students learn the art of fingerprinting, hair analysis, and other trace evidence left at the scene of the crime.

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Exploring K'NEX Week
Jul 19 – 22 (M – TH)
1:00 – 5:15 p.m.
$35/day or $120/week
Ages: 7-14
Are you familiar with punkin’ chunkin’? Build some simple machines using K’NEX building system pieces to understand the physics involved in various classes of levers. Then create your own chunkin’ machine (catapult) to launch projectiles, much smaller than pumpkins in competition. We also explore with K’NEX building systems to create bridges, structures and simple machines. By the end of the week, we will have had a competition to see who can build the lightest and strongest bridges.

Intermediate Sign Language
Oct 13 – Nov 10 (W)
6:00 – 9:00 p.m., $30
This course utilizes a practical approach to teaching intermediate American Sign Language. This class is a continuation of the Beginning Sign Language class. Students are encouraged to have taken Beginning Sign Language or have knowledge of basic signs. This course not only deals with more vocabulary, but also includes the use of non-manual markers, facial expression, classifiers, and the grammatical structure of American Sign Language. We also work on receptive sign skills and continue with the fluency of fingerspelling. This is an interactive course for those who consider their sign skills as intermediate.

QuickBooks™ Basics (Evening Class)
Oct 13 – 27 (W)
6:00 – 9:00 p.m., $70
Are you new to QuickBooks™? Would you like to learn how to set up QuickBooks to make it more effective for you or your business? Please join us for a full-day class that focuses on the basics of setting up your QuickBooks software. This is a basic class for the desktop version of QuickBooks. Feel free to attend regardless of the version of QuickBooks you currently use. Please note: This class does not cover payroll or taxes.

CSI Adult Presentation
Jan 12 (W)
6:00 – 9:00 p.m., $20
Ages: 18 and over
Online Class
Do you enjoy watching CSI programs/mysteries? Then this class is for you. Learn ‘behind the scenes’ facts of several crimes such as homicides, robberies, staged crime scenes, and more. Fingerprint mutilations, that were intentionally performed, will also be shown. Latent fingerprints are the main forensic evidence discussed but other forensic disciplines will be covered in general. Hands on exercises as well as looking at actual photographs of a homicide and determining what you ‘see’ to analyze the facts. This 3-hour presentation will contain some photos and information that might be considered graphic/offensive. You will need a 4-inch piece of clear tape (like scotch tape) and a 4 or 5 inch by 4-inch piece of clear plastic (preferably from a sheet protector)
Live Online learning information:
Zoom will be used for the Live Online presentation. In order to participate in this webinar, you will need:
Access to a computer with speakers
Access to high-speed internet
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- Meditation
Digital Marketing Hacks for Small Businesses

This suite of virtual classes will help businesses build a foundation for marketing in the digital world. We’ll show you how to take a cost effective, time saving, do-it-yourself approach to utilizing the key building blocks to grow your business. Class size is limited, and seats will fill quickly! Registrations are on a first come-first serve basis.

- These classes are free: sponsored by PADD with funding provided through the U.S. Economic Development Administration (EDA) Cares grant.
- All classes are virtual and interactive via Zoom
- Taught by local marketing entrepreneur and consultant Don Osborn of DBO Digital Marketing

**Attract New Customers with Facebook Advertising**
Thursday, June 3, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

**Create Email Marketing to Keep Your Customers Engaged**
Thursday, June 24, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

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