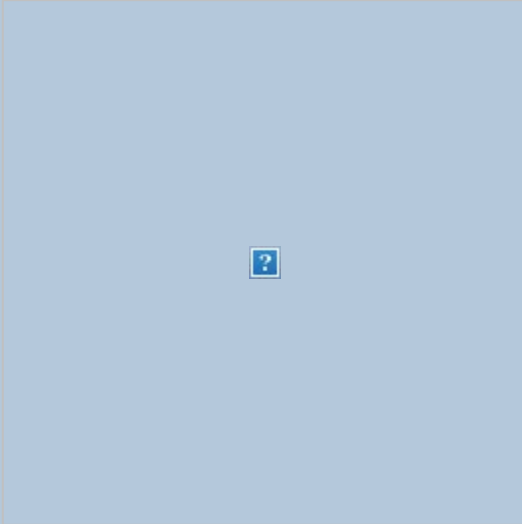


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## EVENTS SPOTLIGHT

The latest and greatest events at the  
**Chilliwack Cultural Centre!**

Dear Patron,

With the constantly shifting environment of COVID19, we are striving to keep you as up to date with what we are doing as an organization, as well as looking for ways to make sure that you as an audience are as comfortable as we can make you.

You are receiving this email as you had indicated that you were interested in being sent information about upcoming events available through the Centre Box Office. If you see something you like, just click on the link for that show to get more details or to order tickets. You can also contact the Centre Box Office in person at 9201 Corbould Street, Chilliwack, BC, V2P 4A6, by phone at 604.391.SHOW(7469), or online at [chilliwackculturalcentre.ca](http://chilliwackculturalcentre.ca)

Monday to Friday: 9:30am to 9:00 pm  
Saturday & Sunday: 9:30 am to 5:00 pm

*We look forward to welcoming you back!*

**If you need to get a hold of us during this time please email**  
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Over the past decade, The Centre's staff, volunteers, partners, sponsors, patrons, and

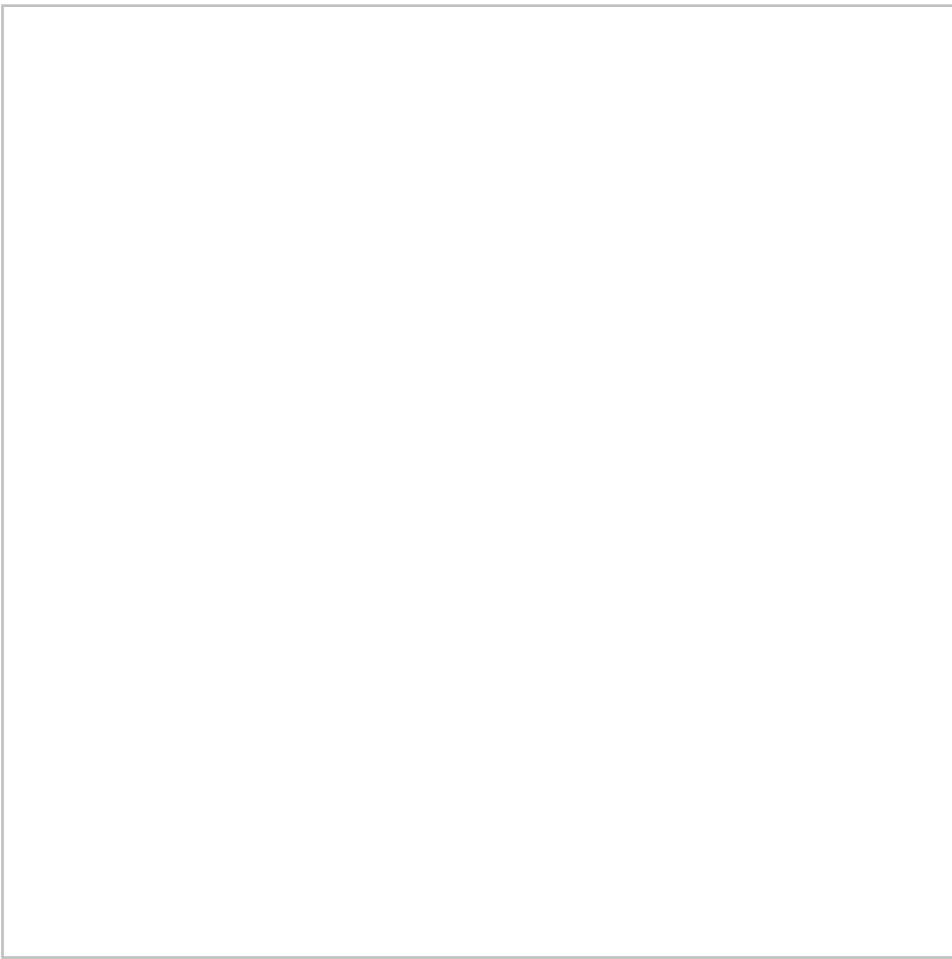
supporters have built a world-class Centre of excellence with a reputation within the industry as a place of high professionalism and dedication to the arts. The Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society will continue to build on this foundation, providing the community with a gathering place for creative expression, discovery, imagination and inspiration on behalf of the City of Chilliwack.

## **SAFETY PROTOCOLS**

Please take a look at our safety protocols for more information.

**The Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society acknowledges that it is located on the unceded traditional territory of the Stó:lō people.**





Shows are now selling at 75% seat capacity!



*Chilliwack Lions Club Music & Dance Festival* presents

**Music Honours Performance**

**April 9, 2022: 7:00pm**

HUB International Theatre

Tickets: All Seats \$10 / Children 4 and Under are free

**Music Honours Performance features soloists on piano, cello, violin, viola, and voice with a piano duet to add a different flavour.**

12 of the featured performers are moving onto the Provincials in June and 2 of them have been recommended to possibly go further.

Others are recommended by their adjudicator and the ages vary from 8 years to 21 years with a variety of

Classical, Musical Theatre and Contemporary Music.

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*The Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents*  
**Young Beethoven**

**April 10, 2022: 7:30pm**

HUB International Theatre

Tickets: Adults \$35 / Senior \$32 / Youth \$30

**Celebrate one of the worlds most admired  
composers with Young Beethoven!**

Featuring an ensemble of outstanding West Coast chamber players, the programme presents works that Beethoven composed before the age of thirty. From works seldom heard to extremely well known pieces, Young Beethoven reflects on the prolific output in the early years of his life. Commemorating the 250th anniversary of Beethoven's birth, Young Beethoven is a programme that invites you to celebrate an incredible body of work and fall in love with music like never before.

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*The Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents*  
**Pokemon-a-go-go**

**April 16, 2022: 7:30pm**

HUB International Theatre

Tickets: All Seats \$16

**Gotta strip them all!**

The adventure to become the very best has never been this fun or glittery! Acclaimed fandom theatre troupe Geekenders are combining comedy, burlesque and some scantily clad dance-battles for a playful parody of the worlds most beloved pocket monsters. Join Ash, Brock, Misty and Pikachu as they travel through the world of Pokemon, meeting new friends, battling fantastic Pokemon, and facing down against a Drag King and Queen Team Rocket and their trusty Meowth.

*Warning: Adult material and situations – may not be appropriate for all audiences. 19+ event*

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*The Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society presents*

## **Hotel Vortruba**

**April 17, 2022: 2:00pm**

HUB International Theatre

Tickets: All Seats \$12

**Come check-in to the surreal and hilarious Hotel Vortruba!**

Other-wordly room service, broken lamps, creaky floorboards and giant rats, Hotel Vortruba is a surrealist dream where finding shelter isn't as easy as it seems. RAGMOP Theatre's collaboration between clown, movement artist, and circus artist creates a humorous story of a hotel guest confronting a proprietor who has been hiding his true self within the Hotel. This gorgeous, hilarious and daring theatrical performance where magic lingers in every shadow is an enthralling piece of theatre fun for all ages.

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*Chilliwack Players Guild presents*

## **Calendar Girls**

**April 21, 22, 23, 28, 29, 30, 2022: 7:30pm**

**April 24, 2022: 1:30**

Rotary Hall Studio Theatre

Tickets: Adults \$25 / Seniors & Students \$20

**Based on the true story of the Yorkshire women who pose for a calendar to raise money for Cancer research, Calendar Girls has become the fastest selling play in British theatre history.**

Based on the Miramax motion picture by Juliette Towhidi and Tim Firth.

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After the previous year's fundraising calendar, featuring local bridges, raises a paltry sum, the members of the Knapely Women's Institute persuade one another to produce a charity calendar with a difference. They decide to pose nude for an "alternative" calendar. Puzzling their husbands, mortifying their children and riding the wrath of the outraged WI, the calendar becomes a huge success, sparking a global phenomenon. A very English story with a very English heart, Calendar Girls is quirky, poignant and hilarious.

Presented by special arrangements with Samuel French Inc., a Concord Theatricals Company.

*Note: Mature Content. For ages 13 and up.*

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*Shantero Productions Inc. presents*

## **Derek Edwards - "In Praise of the Ostrich"**

**April 21, 2022: 7:30pm**

HUB International Theatre

Tickets: All Seats \$56.50

**With 'In Praise of the Ostrich' Derek Edwards moseys back into town on horse-drawn comedy wagon; a searing meander down life's twisting trails, steered effortfully by this 30-year veteran. He returns with a payload of blissfully funny personal stories – a cacophony of shenanigans – set to tickle the ribs and warm the heart.**

With an easy conversational style, Derek reluctantly pulls his head out of the sand and launches into commentary on the influx of pot stores, self-driving cars, gambling tips, the challenge of staying youthful ... plus dressing warm.

From Vegas to St. John's, this Just For Laughs veteran is universally considered to be among the comic elite. Certainly his peers think so, as evidenced by the fact that he's a four-time nominee, and winner of Best Standup Comic – Canadian Comedy Awards, as well as a multiple Gemini nominee for Best Performance in a Comedy. As Rick Mercer says, "Everyone knows Derek is the funniest man in Canada."

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*Chilliwack Lions Club Music & Dance Festival presents*

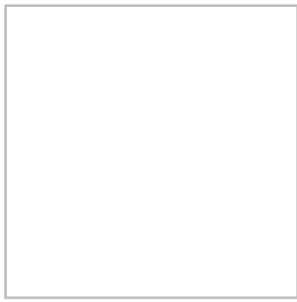
## **Dance Honours Performance**

**April 30, 2022: 7:00pm**

HUB International Theatre

Tickets: All Seats \$10 / Children 4 and Under are free

**Dance Honours Performance features solos, duos,**



**trios, and groups.**

9 of the solo performers are moving onto the Provincials in June.

Others are recommended by their adjudicator and the ages vary from 8 years to 20 years with a variety of Ballet, Contemporary, Modern, Jazz, Lyrical Jazz, Stage, and Tap to end the evening.

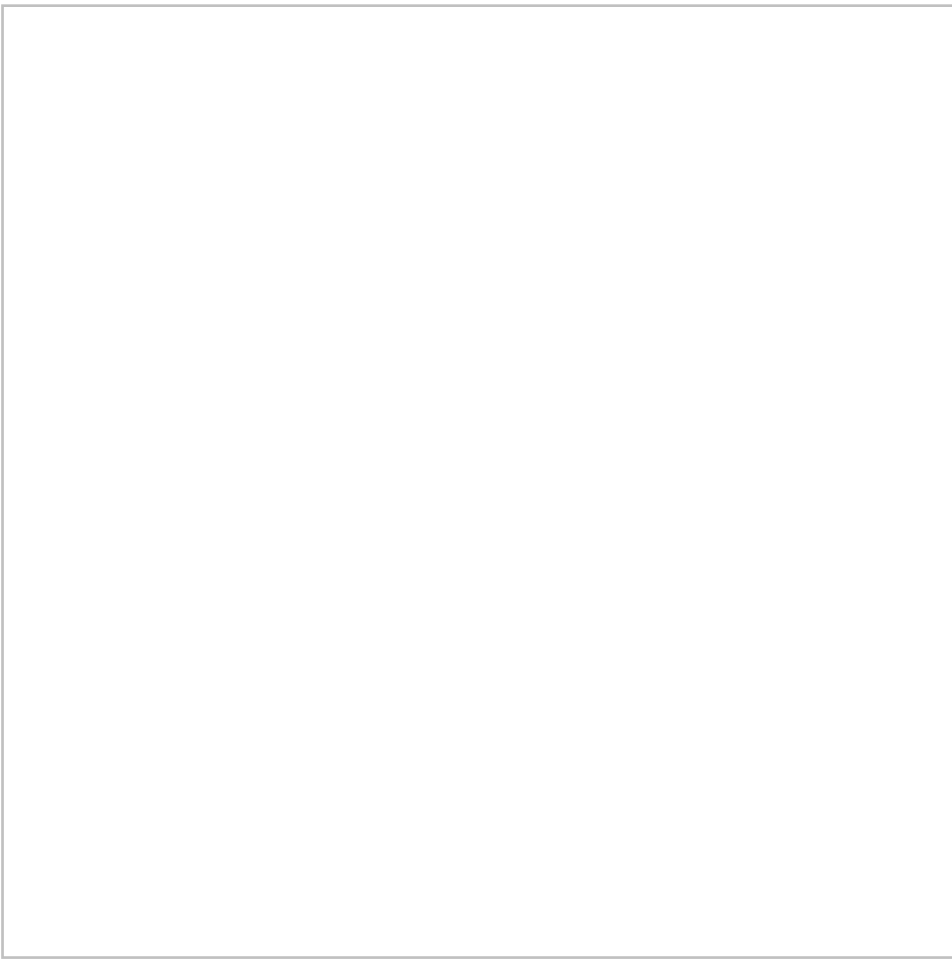
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We have continued to bring the arts to the community in every way we can. There are many ways to be touched by the arts and the following list is just a few ways you can brighten your day with them.



**Glass Mosaic**

Adults, Beginner  
Instructor: Jessica Fairweather  
**April 2 to April 30, 2022**  
**10:00 am to 12:00 pm**  
\$149 (5 sessions)

**Join local glass artist Jessica Fairweather of JFairWStudios and create two stunning glass mosaics in a creative environment.**

Be inspired by vibrant coloured, beautiful patterned and sparkly textured glass, while learning how to nip, chip, and score to make mosaics. Discover effective ways to

lay glass, understand the importance of grout lines, and master grouting. Discover tips and tricks of the trade and the amazing feeling you get after grouting and polishing up your glass mosaic.

*All supplies and tools are included.*

[More Info](#)



## Poetic Beginnings

Adults, Beginner

Instructor: Abrianna Leaming

**April 3 to April 24, 2022**

**11:00 am to 1:00 pm**

\$97 (4 sessions)

**“Poems are like dreams: in them you put what you don’t know you know.” – Adrienne Rich**

In this introduction for those who wish to hone their poetic skills, classes will discuss different poetry forms (haiku, ballad, free-verse, epic, pastoral, etc.), poem structure, common mistakes, and more. There will be writing prompts, spoken word exercises, and guidance for participants to walk away with either multiple short poems or one long poem.

[More Info](#)



## Introduction to Oil Painting

Adults, Beginner

Instructor: Darryl Funk

**April 5 to May 10, 2022**

**6:00 to 8:00 pm**

\$188 (6 sessions)

**Join Darryl Funk and learn the fundamentals of oil painting!**

Learn the five major elements that go into traditional

representational paintings. At the end of six weeks, students will each walk away with a finished oil painting on a birch panel and a set of oil brushes.

[More Info](#)



## Next Steps in Photography

Adults, Beginner

Instructor: Vickie Legere

**April 5 to April 26, 2022**

**6:15 to 8:15 pm**

\$90 (4 sessions)

**You've got the basics of photography – now turn your lens to more complex subjects!**

Prerequisites required. Please call the Centre Box Office at 604-391-7469 to register

Take your camera skills to the next level in this intermediate class. Learn how to get the most out of your holiday photos, capture memories with family and friends and even get the perfect pet portrait!

Participants will need cameras, the camera manual, a tripod, and note taking materials.

[More Info](#)



## Drawing Light & Shade

Adults, Intermediate

Instructor: Dan Berube

**April 6 to April 27, 2022**

**10:00 am to 12:00 pm**

\$75 (4 sessions)

**Discover the drama of light and shade in drawing.**

Explore contour lines, draw solid three-dimensional

shapes, and use shading to create solid form. Produce your own personal and innovative work!

Students will provide their own drawing supplies. A supply list will be available and the instructor will go over supplies on the first class.

Participants will need cameras, the camera manual, a tripod, and note taking materials.

[More Info](#)



### Next Steps in Anime

Kids 11 to 13 years, Intermediate

Instructor: Colin Hofmann

**April 6 to May 11, 2022**

**4:00 to 5:00 pm**

\$123 (6 sessions)

**Dive deep into the next level of drawing anime!**

Learn to refine your skills at the drawing characters, facial expressions, body shapes, and colour composition. Explore the different types of character designs in anime and their Japanese terminology. Work with pen and ink to construct and develop your manga illustrating skills and bring your characters to life!

All materials and tools will be supplied.

[More Info](#)



### Splash Watercolours

Adults, Intermediate

Instructor: Dan Berube

**April 7 to April 28, 2022**

**10:00 am to 12:00 pm**

\$75 (4 sessions)

**Come and have fun splashing paint!**

Explore new skills and techniques in watercolour. We will look at graded washes, wet on wet technique, pouring to mix colours, glazing and masking. Stretching paper will also be demonstrated. Students should have done a beginning watercolour course or have some knowledge of watercolour.

Students will provide their own paints and supplies. A supply list will be available and the instructor will go over supplies on the first class.

[More Info](#)



### Perspective Drawing

Adults, Intermediate

Instructor: Dan Berube

**April 7 to April 28, 2022**

**1:00 to 3:00 pm**

\$75 (4 sessions)

**Find out how easily perspective can be mastered in this explorative class.**

Explore perspective drawing through exercises in one-point and two-point perspective. Explore how objects diminish in size and how to use shading to make objects look solid. Students will utilize all of this to create a finished drawing.

Students will provide their own paints and supplies. A supply list will be available and the instructor will go over supplies on the first class.

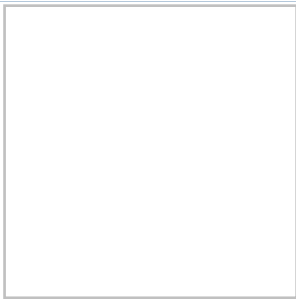
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### Teen Paint Night

Kids 13 to 15, Beginner

Instructor: Mary Goertzen

**April 8, 2022**



**6:30 to 8:30 pm**

\$40 (workshop)

**Bring your friends and your creativity and come out for a night of painting fun!**

Local artist Mary Goertzen will guide new artists, artists with experience, and anyone in between for an evening of painting. Absolutely no experience is needed to be able to take home a work of art that's as original and unique as you are.

[More Info](#)



### **Writer's Workshop Wednesday**

Adults, All Levels

Instructor: Abrianna Leaming

**April 13, 2022**

**6:00 to 8:00 pm**

\$39 (workshop)

**Looking for another set of eyes on your short story? Not sure how to give that scene more pop?**

A slice of time where budding writers can come in with their current work (novels, poetry, short stories) and receive feedback. The instructor will carefully read a section of their work and give honest, constructive criticism on plot, character, writing style, sentence structure, and more. They will also be available as an advisor of sorts, able to answer any writing-related question to the best of their ability.

[More Info](#)



## Art Journaling

Adults, Beginner

Instructor: Jessica Fairweather

**April 16 to May 7, 2022**

**1:00 to 4:00 pm**

\$143 (4 sessions)

**Stretch your creative muscles with art journaling!**

Join in on creating a colourful, interactive art journal. Learn how to express yourself through experimenting with many mixed media techniques.

\*All materials and tools supplied, however students may bring their own supplies if they wish.

[More Info](#)



## Clay Open Studio

Mondays: 6:00 – 9:00 pm

Fridays: 10:00 am – 8:30 pm

Sundays: 1:00 – 4:00 pm

(Registration required)

***Continue your ceramics journey with your own personalized projects in the Clay Open Studio!***

This open studio allows students to practice on the wheel, handbuilding or finish work started in class. Clay used in open studio must be purchased separately through the Centre Box Office.

Only work produced at the Chilliwack Cultural Centre from clay purchased here can be fired in our kilns. These sessions are not designed to accommodate production potters, nor are they designed for private instruction, but to allow students to independently develop their skills. Work created during this session will be glazed during a scheduled open studio.

## Glass Open Studio



Sundays: 1:00 – 4:00 pm

**This open studio allows students to hone their glass-bead making skills in a non-instructional, self-paced environment.**

This open studio allows students to hone their glass-bead making skills in a non-instructional, self-paced environment. Only students that have completed a glass bead course at The Centre are eligible to participate in the Glass Open Studio. Glass rods are available for purchase at the Centre Box Office and only glass purchased through the Centre Box Office may be used at the Glass Open Studio.



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### **Live Model Drawing Open Studio**

Wednesday: 6:30 – 9:00 pm ([Undraped](#))

Thursday: 6:30 – 9:00 pm ([Draped](#))

(Registration required)

**The ability to draw the human figure is an essential art form and vital to those who wish to continue to develop their observational drawing skills.**

The Live Model Drawing Studio is an open studio for professional and emerging artists, students, and anyone interested in drawing the human form. The Live Model Drawing Open Studio is composed of a friendly, welcoming and very dedicated group of creative people. People work independently and at their own level of experience. While no formal instruction is provided, support and encouragement is given. The open studio format is designed to work progressively from gestures through to longer poses. A variety of male and female models with different body shapes and ages are booked for the Open Studio. Please bring your own materials.

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### **Painting & Drawing Open Studio**

Mondays: 6:00 – 9:00 pm

(Registration required)





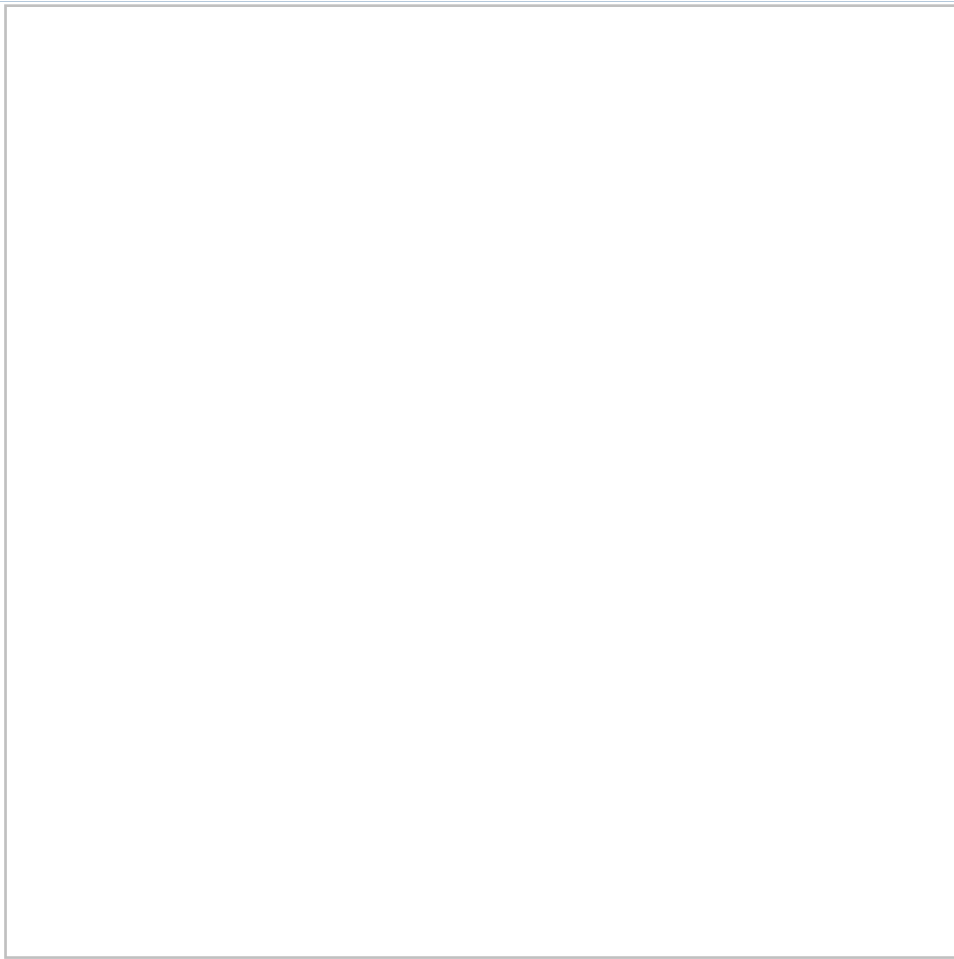
The Painting and Drawing Open Studio is for those who are looking for a supportive and encouraging space to draw, paint, or create in visual mediums. Patrons do not have to have taken a class to have access to the studio, but do need to provide their own tools and equipment. Students do have access to easels, tables, art horses and art boards, but please note that there is no space for projects that need long term storage for drying purposes.

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### **More Classes Coming to our Website Now!**

**New classes at the Centre in 2022, such as The Writer's Tool Kit, Toddleart, Crochet for Kids, and more. Don't miss your chance to register for these fantastic classes!**

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Chilliwack Visual Artists Association presents

## **Power of Colour**

**Federation of Canadian Artists Fraser Valley  
Chapter artists use colour to explore their personal  
vision and style. Colour really does speak!**

Colour really does speak. It can be used to convey levels of energy and movement, mood or concepts. Whether highly saturated or soft, greyed hues we can recognize artists by their use of colour. How much is deliberate and structured? How much is intuitive? Colour is used to convey a sense of the artists themselves, their personal vision and individual style. It appeals to our emotions and grabs people's hearts. The artists are encouraged to really think about how they use colour. Can we let intuition rule in order to produce new and exciting work, experiment with different colours on our palettes or use paint in a

different style? The challenge is change through colour. The intensity and complexity of the colour scheme promotes an emotional reaction to our paintings.

**February 23 to April 2**

**Gallery Hours:** Wednesday to Saturday: 12:00 am to 5:00 pm



Chilliwack Visual Artists Association presents

## **Figuration and Abstraction**

**An Exhibition exploring organic forms with individual media.**

In this exhibit the artists are exploring organic forms within their individual media which include: clay, glass, paint, collage, mixed media, and light. Their creative process overlaps. Their desire to manipulate the material to evoke a quality that charges the imagination. Their intention is to elicit curiosity and emotional engagement.

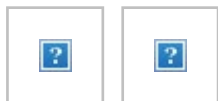
**April 6 to May 14, 2022**

**Gallery Hours:** Wednesday to Saturday: 12:00 am to 5:00 pm

***Opening reception: April 9, 2022: 1:00 - 3:00 pm***

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### **SOCIAL MEDIA**





**9201 Corbould Street, Chilliwack, BC**

**Want to know more?** To find out more details on upcoming events, venue rentals, series subscriptions, and more, check out [www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca](http://www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca) or call the Centre Box Office at 604.391.SHOW(7469).

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**AND FINALLY...a note about scents**

Some patrons have allergies or sensitivities to scented products. Please consider this when attending events. Your respect is appreciated.

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