

Vesterheim Folk Art School Class Schedule

April – June

Registration opens February 10 (Noon CT) at vesterheim.org/folk-art-school.

Rosemaling and Painting

Introduction to the Basic Strokes of Rosemaling: Telemark Style with Lise Lorentzen

Online, April 15 (10:00–11:30 am and 3:30–5:00 pm CT) and April 16 (10:00 am–Noon CT),
Non-member/Member \$140/\$125

Gudbrandsdal: The Evolution of a Style with Pam Rucinski

In-Person, April 26–30 (9:00 am–5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$400/\$350

Mezen Style Painted Box with Patti Goke

Online, Wednesdays, May 10–24 (2:00–5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$215/\$195

Continuing the Basic Strokes of Rosemaling: Telemark Style with Lise Lorentzen

Online, June 3 (10:00 am–Noon and 3:00–5:00 pm CT) and June 4 (10:00 am–Noon CT),
Non-member/Member \$165/\$150

American Rogaland Miniature Trunk with Ruth Green

In-Person, June 8–11 (9:00 am–5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$335/\$285

Rosemaling in the Aust Agder Style with Patti Goke

Online, June 24 (9:00 am–Noon and 2:00–5:00 pm CT) and June 25 (1:00–3:30 pm CT),
Non-member/Member \$220/\$200





Heritage and Language

Vesterheim's online Norwegian language classes are supported in part by a generous gift to the Vesterheim Annual Fund from Ruth Sorenson in honor of her parents Paul and Lois Christenson.

Writing Family Stories: Digging Deeper with Kathleen Ernst

In-Person, April 15-16 (9:00 am-5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$200/\$150

Vesterheim Bokprat: Reindeer Hunters by Lars Mytting with Maren Johnson

Online, April 16 (1:00-2:30 pm CT), Free

This program is supported in part by a generous gift to the Vesterheim Annual Fund from Terje Østby.

Level 1 Norwegian Language with Nick Rogness

Online, Sundays, April 16-June 11 (7:00-8:00 pm CT) (no class May 28), Non-member/Member \$155/\$140

Level 2 Norwegian Language with Berit Skogen

Online, Tuesdays, April 18-June 6 (7:30-8:30 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$135/\$120

Level 3 Norwegian Language with Lianna Stewart

Online, Tuesdays, April 18-June 6 (7:00-8:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$135/\$120

Level 4 Norwegian Language with Rachel Peterson

Online, Mondays, April 17-June 12 (4:30-5:30 pm CT) (No class May 29), Non-member/Member \$135/\$120

Norsk i Sammenheng: Et Dukkehjem (The Doll's House) with Maren Johnson

Online, Tuesdays, May 2-23 (6:00-7:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$65/\$60

Vesterheim Bokprat: Kristin Lavransdatter (Vol. 1 - The Wreath) by Sigrid Undset with Maren Johnson

Online, May 24 (7:00-8:15 pm CT), Free

Vesterheim TVprat: Borderliner, Season 1 with Maren Johnson

Online, June 21 (7:00-8:15 pm CT), Free

Nordic Cooking

Vesterheim's Nordic Cooking programs are supported in part by a generous gift to the Vesterheim Annual Fund from the Oneota Community Food Co-op.

Påskebord (Easter Table) with Patrice Johnson

Online, April 1 (4:00–6:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$30/\$25

New Nordic Spring Meal with Kristi Bissell

Online, April 22 (4:00–6:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$30/\$25

Nordic Yellow Pea Soup with Patrice Johnson

Online, May 6 (4:00–6:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$30/\$25

Homemade Rye Crispbread (Knäckebröd) with Kristi Bissell

Online, May 11 (5:30–7:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$30/\$25

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Aquavit Cocktails for Syttende Mai with Emily Vikre

Online, May 12 (7:00-8:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$30/\$25

Celebrate Syttende Mai with the World's Best Cake: Kvæfjordkake! with Nevada Berg

Online, May 13 (10:00 am-Noon CT), Non-member/Member \$30/\$25

This class is supported in part by a generous gift to the Vesterheim Annual Fund from Heather and Casey Miller.

Celebratory Strawberry Cake with Kristi Bissell

Online, June 11 (2:00-4:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$30/\$25

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My Polar Experience with Lacey Jean

Online webinar, May 10 (7:00-8:00 pm CT), Free



Woodworking

Vesterheim's woodworking classes are supported in part by a generous gift to the Vesterheim Annual Fund from the Eric and Joan Norgaard Charitable Trust.

Scandinavian Figure Carving: Old Man with Cap and Cane with Charles Banks

Online, Wednesdays, April 5-19 (6:00-7:30 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$155/\$140

Introduction to Kolrosing with Chelsea Bowen

Online, April 22 and May 6 (10:00 am-Noon CT), Non-member/Member \$120/\$110

Bowl Turning: Nordfjord Style Ale Bowls with Roger Abrahamson and Patti Goke

Online webinar, April 26 (7:00-8:00 pm CT), Free

This program is supported in part by a generous gift to the Vesterheim Annual Fund from Paul Johnsen.

Introduction to Timber Framing with Dale Kittelson

In-Person, April 22-23 (9:00 am-5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$200/\$150

Hand Carving Post and Beam with Jock Holmen

In-Person, May 17-21 (9:00 am-5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$400/\$350

Crafting the Knutkorg with Fred Livesay and Phil Moody

In-Person, June 7-11 (9:00 am-5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$400/\$350

Shrink Box Magic with Scott Johnson and Bill Rickard

In-Person, June 22-25 (9:00 am-5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$335/\$285

Weaving a Traditional Willow Basket with Lee Zieke and Lindsay Lee

In-Person, June 23-25 (9:00 am-5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$270/\$220

Metalworking and Knifemaking

Wing Backed Viking Axe with Tom Latané

(Offsite) Tunnel Mill in Spring Valley, Minnesota

In-Person, April 14-16, Non-member/Member \$270/\$220

Tin Projects from Recycled Tin with Kitty Latané

(Offsite) Tunnel Mill in Spring Valley, Minnesota

In-Person, April 14 (9:00 am-5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$125/\$75

Creating Tin Lights with Kitty Latané

(Offsite) Tunnel Mill in Spring Valley, Minnesota

In-Person, April 15-16 (9:00 am-5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$200/\$150

Hand-Forging Norwegian Laminated Knife Blades with KJ Groven

(Offsite) Black Hills, South Dakota

In-Person, April 22-23 (9:00 am-5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$200/\$150

Jewelry

Freya's Fantasy Filigree with Liz Bucheit

In-Person, May 17-21 (9:00 am-5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$400/\$350

Sølje-Inspired Earrings with Liz Bucheit

In-Person, June 10 (10:00 am-Noon CT), Non-member/Member \$50/\$40

Exploring Coastal Sámi Handcraft with Hege Nilsen

Online webinar, June 4 (1:00-2:00 pm CT), Free





Youth and Family

Vesterheim's outdoor youth programs are supported in part by a generous gift to the Vesterheim Annual Fund from the "All of Us" Research Program through the Gundersen Health System Foundation. For more information about this research, visit joinallofus.org/Gundersen.

Family Handcraft at Home: Needle Felted Spring Garland with Jen Newburg

Online, Available for the month of April, \$20

FamilieTid: The History of Trolls with Lise Lunge-Larsen

Online, May 6 (11:00 am-Noon CT), Free

Summer Family Book Adventure: In the Hall of the Mountain King with Evelyn Galstad

Online, Available for the month of June, \$20

Family Book Walk: Seven Ways to Trick a Troll

In-Person, June and July, Free

This program is offered in partnership with Decorah Parks and Recreation, the Decorah Community School District, and The Oneota Valley Literary Foundation.

Fiber Arts

Norwegian Bead Embroidery with Jane Addams

Online, April 8 (1:00–3:30 pm CT) and April 15 (1:00–3:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$115/\$105

Scandinavian Loom Beading: Blue Bookmark with Laura Berlage

Online, Mondays, May 1–22 (5:30–7:30 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$225/\$205

Sewing Historical Stays with Martha Coates–Donahoo

In-Person, May 19–21 (9:00 am–5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$270/\$220

Natural Dyeing: Historical Handcraft as a Living Art with Lesley Darling

Online webinar, June 10 (1:00–2:00 pm CT), Free

Block Printing on Fabric and Paper with Kjersti Faret

In-Person, June 10 (9:00 am–5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$125/\$75

Hand Quilting with Caitlyn McLaughlin

In-Person, June 11 (9:00 am–5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$125/\$75

Pride Selbu Mittens with Susan Kolstad

Online, Mondays, June 12–26 (6:00–7:30 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$180/\$165

Painting with Wool: Dala Horse with Laura Berlage

Online, June 23 (2:00–5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$105/\$95



Weaving

Level 1 Introduction to Tapestry Weaving with Laura Berlage

Online, Thursdays, April 13–May 18 (5:00–7:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$335/\$305

Pick-Up Bandweaving with a Bandgrind with Laura Demuth

Online, April 29 (10:00–11:30 am and 3:00–4:30 pm CT) and April 30 (Noon–1:00 pm CT),
Non-member/Member \$150/\$135

Introduction to Tapestry Weaving Skill Builder: Wise and Foolish Virgins (Post Level 2 Stretch) with Laura Berlage

Online, Saturdays, May 13–June 24 (3:00–5:00 pm CT) (No class May 27), Non-member/Member \$355/\$325

Intermediate Bandweaving with Laura Demuth

Online, June 2 (10:00–11:30 am and 3:00–4:30 pm CT) and June 9 and 16 (10:00–11:30 am CT),
Non-member/Member \$160/\$145

Two in One Krokbragd: Combining Single and Double Krokbragd with Jan Mostrom

In-Person, June 21–24 (9:00 am–5:00 pm CT), Non-member/Member \$335/\$285

Music

Lawn Chair Night Concert: Lynx Lynx with Vidar Skrede and Patrik Ahlberg

(Offsite) Impact Coffee, Decorah, IA

In-Person, June 15 (5:30–6:30 pm CT), Free

*This concert is offered in partnership with the Downtown Decorah Betterment Program
and supported by Visit Decorah.*





Scholarships

Vesterheim Folk Art School has a long reputation as a place that fosters community. Whether in our online or in-person programs, we strive to offer an inclusive space where people of diverse ages, backgrounds, and abilities can gather and celebrate handcraft traditions. Through story sharing, making, and learning as a community, we keep folk art alive and moving forward. The Folk Art School offers several ways to provide better financial access for all. Scholarships are supported by gifts to the Vesterheim Annual Fund.

- The Emerging Artists Scholarship Program helps to cover the cost of tuition and materials to study folk art at Vesterheim. Any artist between the ages of 18-40 is eligible to apply.
- Our need-based scholarship program is designed as a pay what you can model. We encourage anyone with financial need to apply.
- Vesterheim also offers a local waitlist option. On a space-available, standby basis, any legal year-round resident living within 50 miles of Vesterheim can receive a 60% discount for in-person class tuition. This standby option is also available to full-time enrolled Luther College students and members of the Oneota Weaver's Guild.

Visit vesterheim.org/folk-art-school to learn more about all of the Folk Art School scholarships, as well as about our Folk Art Apprentice program and Artist in Residency. Wherever you are in your handcraft journey, Vesterheim is here to support you!



Registration opens February 10, 2022, at Noon CT
vesterheim.org/folk-art-school.

Join Vesterheim today!

Purchase a Vesterheim membership for as little as \$45 and save on most classes and supplies. When you become a member at the Basic Level you receive:

- Discounts on class tuition in the Folk Art School
- 10% discount on most items and mail orders in the Museum Store
- Free admission to the museum
- *Vesterheim* magazine, published twice per year
- And more!

Becoming a member is easy!

Join securely online at vesterheim.org/join-give/membership or call our Membership Office at 563-382-9681. Additional information about the levels and benefits of a Vesterheim membership can be found by visiting our website at the above membership link or by emailing our Membership Office at membership@vesterheim.org.



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