



# west hartford art league

## 2015 ADULT SUMMER CLASSES

### MONDAY NIGHT INTRO TO WHEEL THROWING

Instructors: Charlene Li                      8 weeks

*Level:* For Beginners

This course will cover basic pottery wheel throwing techniques; centering, throwing and trimming. Students will learn to make the two most common pottery forms: a cylinder and a bowl. Students will learn how to embellish their pieces with carvings, handles and other accents IF the student wishes to. An introduction to creating pieces from clay slabs is an option for students who have taken at least 2 sessions in the past. A variety of glazes are available to complete each piece. Students will have completed pieces by the end of the class sessions. For more information about Charlene and to see samples of her work, please visit [www.summergreenpottery.com](http://www.summergreenpottery.com). Students will be required to bring their own pottery tool kit available at Jerry's Artarama and most art supply stores. Should include: needle tool, large and small ribbon/ shaving tool, wire tool, rib. Cost of tool kit at Jerry's is approximately \$7.99. Minimum of 6 Students.

LL112 | Monday, July 6<sup>th</sup> – August 24<sup>th</sup> | 6:00PM – 9:00PM

Downstairs Schoolhouse

Fee: Member \$240.00 Non-Member \$265.00

### THURSDAY NIGHT WHEEL THROWING FOR ADULTS

Instructor: David Wilson                      10 weeks

*Level:* For Beginners and Intermediates

This course will cover basic pottery wheel throwing techniques; centering, throwing (or pulling) and trimming. Students will learn to make the two most common forms which almost all pottery stems from; a cylinder and a bowl. From there we will learn more advanced skills and how to embellish our pieces with carvings, handles, beading and/or other accents. Intermediate students are invited to do slab work and hand-build after TWO full wheel sessions have been completed. Taught with a light heart, David will amuse you and guide you in making your first pottery pieces special ones. For more information about David and samples of his work that will inspire you, visit [www.dwilsonart.com](http://www.dwilsonart.com). Students will be required to bring their own pottery tool kit available at Jerry's Artarama and most art supply stores. Should include; needle tool, large and small ribbon/shaving tool, wire tool, rib. Cost of tool kit at Jerry's is approx. \$7.99. Minimum 6 students / Maximum 7 students.

DW442 | Thursday, July 2<sup>nd</sup> – September 3<sup>rd</sup> | 6:00PM - 9:00PM

Downstairs Schoolhouse

Fee: Member \$270.00 Non-Member \$295.00