

2023 Ohio Gourd Show Workshops Friday Morning (9am - Noon)

1. Three-way Apple Gourd Dream Catcher

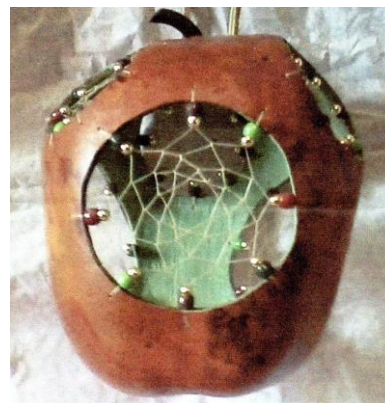
Leader: Miriam Fankhauser

Cost: \$25 **Level:** B

Min/Max: 1/6 **Time:** FAM

This workshop also available SAM.

Description: Gourds will be mostly cleaned and opened with circles. Participants will finish cleaning the outside of the gourd, gut and clean the inside of the gourd, seal outside and paint inside, drill holes and weave three rings on the Apple gourd. While the size of the apple gourds may vary, they will be in the range of 8" tall. The leader provides all supplies, but participants should bring a hand drill with 1/16" and 1/4" or 3/8" bits.



2. Tweety Birdhouse

Leader: James Anspach

Cost: \$45 **Level:** All

Min/Max: 3/8 **Time:** FAM

This workshop is also available SAM.

Description: Tweety Birdhouse – it is a pre-cut gourd ready to weave. You will learn to weave to the bottom and to close it in to complete the birdhouse. Reed colors may vary depending on class size. The leader provides all materials for the workshop, but Participants are asked to bring an apron, towel, and small wire cutters.



3. The Thunder Gourd

Leader: Christie DeLamater

Cost: \$55 **Level:** ALL

Min/Max: 1/10 **Time:** FAM

Description: Learn how to make this fun gourd that sounds like thunder. We will carve holes in the gourd and add a synthetic drum head and the "thunder spring." Several designs will be available from which to choose. Participants will need to bring a heat gun and a wood burner with a rounded skew tip (I like the Optima #10 or #12).



Friday Afternoon (1pm - 5pm)

4. Gourd Light

Leader: Altan Erginkoc

Cost: \$65 **Level:** B/I

Min/Max: 6/15 **Time:** FPM

This workshop also available SAM and SPM

Description: The Gourd Light is a fun class in which the student will learn about basic carving and drilling holes of various sizes. Transform an ordinary kettle or cannonball gourd into a sweet glowing light! With the LED bulb (provided), your design will shine beautifully on nearby surfaces. Beads can be inserted into some of the holes for a little accent color. This workshop involves drilling lots and lots of little holes! It's a noisy, dusty, fun project, not suitable for people under the age of 19, or those who would have difficulty with repetitive motion. This workshop uses power tools and hot or sharp equipment, and is geared toward adults. The leader will provide: a Ceiling Pendant, LED bulbs, beads, and a gourd (between 4 and 6 in. diameter). Participants should bring: an apron, mask, rotary tool (such as a Dremel) and bits for carving and drilling holes (3, 4, 5, 6 mm or 1/8, 3/32, 3/16, 1/4 in.). Bring stain or paint if you wish to add color.



5. Oriental Lidded Gourd

Leader: Christie DeLamater

Cost: \$60 **Level:** All

Min/Max: 1/10 **Time:** FPM

Description: Choose from several oriental designs, and woodburn them on your gourd. The next step is to paint the gourd. Finally, using a pen, you will mark your design and finish with gold wax. Participants should bring a heat gun and a woodburner with a small skew tip (I like the Optima #10 or #12). Patterns and all other materials are supplied.



6. Woven Beaded Bowl Basket

Leader: James Anspach

Cost: \$55 **Level:** All

Min/Max: 3/8 **Time:** FPM

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Saturday All Day (9am – 5pm with one hour lunch break)

7. Sunflower Basket

Leader: Christie DeLamater

Cost: \$75 **Level:** All

Min/Max: 3/10 **Time:** SALL

Description: The first step is to put a sunflower design on a gourd and then woodburn it. After the design is outlined by burning, participants will learn to paint and blend various colors of ink. Participants should bring paint brushes, a heat gun and a woodburner with a small skew tip (I like the Optima #10 or #12). Patterns and all other materials are supplied.



Saturday Morning (9am - Noon)

8 Funky Chickens

Leader: Joni Hasselbach

Cost: \$35 **Level:** ALL

Min/Max: 5/20 **Time:** SAM

Description: Create a funky chicken by giving a personality to your gourd, using paint and polymer clay. Meet The Biker Chick Dixie Chick, Coop Nasty, Buckeye, and Cluck Norris! This is for ages 9 to 99, and it is for beginners as well as experienced gourd artists.



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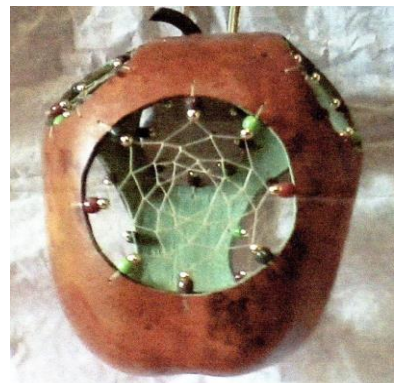
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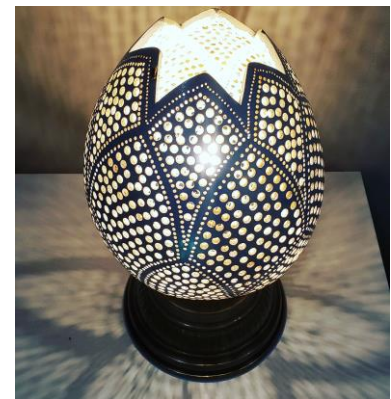
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12. Woven Beaded Bowl Basket

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13. Winter Gnomes with Hydro Dipped Christmas Ornament

Leader: Joni Hasselbach

Cost: \$50 **Level:** B

Min/Max: 3/10 **Time:** SAM

Description: This is an incredibly fun project, where you first hydro dip a mini gourd ornament. Then you will get to paint a bottle gourd with acrylic paint. You may choose painting a Santa Gnome or a Winter Gnome! You will learn the use of Quickwood to sculpt arms, boots, and a nose. The gloves have a hole to hold items, such as ornaments or a flower, etc. There will be choices of hats and scarves. Selections include Ohio State items as shown. The gourd is about 10 inches tall and 6-8 inches wide at the base.



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15. Whimsical Birdhouse With Epoxy Clay Sculpting

Leader: Vikkie Mustad

Cost: \$30

Level: B

Min/Max: 1/12

Time: SPM

Description: This is great introduction for any gourd enthusiast wanting to learn how to create a simple birdhouse and/or sculpt/embellish gourds with self-hardening epoxy clays and a simple wood stain finish. Bringing your own apron is optional, a cheerful and positive outlook is mandatory.

