

34th Annual Convention "Acres and Acres of Red Wing"

Kids View Back to the Basics

Thursday, July 8			Friday, July 9	
Time	Group 1 & 2**	Group 3**	Time	All Participants
1:00 – 1:45	version of miniature stoneware. (the piece will be fired and picked up on Friday)	Auction Basics 101. The children will review the finer points of auction viewing and bidding. Help build an auction checklist for future bidders. Use your personal knowledge of Red Wing and auction process to win special piece of pottery.	10:00 – 10.50	 Hand painting basics. Most Red Wing dinnerware is hand painted. This session enters the 11th year of learning all about hand painting real Red Wing dinnerware. Take the opportunity to begin or complete a place setting of your favorite designed pattern. We will have a contest to see which Red Wing pattern is the most popular. Art Room I
2:00- 2:35***	Art Room* Auction viewing and selection Auction viewing and selection. The donated pieces for group 1 auction are available to inspect and offer a bid for top 3 choices. Auction rules are reviewed and auction begins	Auditorium * Make Your Own Stoneware As in the beginning Mike Robinson will assist kids as they stamp and glaze a specially designed version of miniature stoneware. (the piece will be fired and picked up on Friday)	11:00-2:20***	Where did it begin? How fun it will be to time travel back to the 1800's and experience life in the pottery. You will have a ball at taking on the tasks of a pottery worker. Put together the puzzle to identify what the pottery pieces were used for. We are so lucky to have our own special expert to guide us through the many types of salt glazed pieces so come prepared with all of your questions. She will know the answers! Since salt glazed pieces were the first pottery made, Kevin and Paul from Ephraim Pottery will assist us in making our own salt glazed piece. Do you think it was hard to get those pretty blue designs on the front of a crock? Let's try it and see. Some children will also have a chance to work on the potter's wheels. *Lunch and a break are provided.
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3:00-3:30***	Silent auction continued Younger children are encouraged to watch the auction and see how the bidding process works.	Kids View Bidding Auction Begins Dick Houghton will conduct the kids auction. A sealed envelope gives \$ to bid to secure your favorite piece. It's time to practice all that you have learned and a chance at winning a special piece.	 *All children meet in the Art Room. ** Children will be divided into groups based on age. *** Starting times may vary. PARENTS: Your child will be expected to stay in the Art Room or Auditorium for the duration of the activity UNLESS you have given express permission that your child may leave independently. 	
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