



summer 2011



**CREATIVITY** @ THE CENTER

create, interact, and learn at the AcA!



# explore your creativity!

AcA's Creativity @ the Center summer art camps offer creative, challenging and meaningful hands-on experiences for children. The limited group size provides opportunities for up-close and personal attention for each camper. We believe in an approach to teaching and learning that employs stimulating ideas like self-inquiry and self-expression. Although the activities are learning-based, they are also designed for lots of summer fun!

## **TEACHING STAFF**

**Creativity @ the Center's** teaching staff brings an exceptional breadth and depth of experience as working artists and as educators. They have extensive background working with children of all ages and learning levels. The staff regularly works together to design innovative and challenging activities that provide campers the opportunity to express their creativity through artwork of their very own. For complete teaching staff bios, visit [www.acadianacenterforthearts.org](http://www.acadianacenterforthearts.org).

## **EXTENDED DAY**

The AcA offers an extended day for all of our summer camps and intensives. Morning extended day session is from 7:30 - 9:00. Afternoon extended day session is from 4:00 - 5:30. Each has a cost of \$5 per session per day. Pre-registration discounts: Register in advance for all 5 morning and afternoon sessions for \$40.

# our mission

The mission of the Acadiana Center for the Arts is to create, facilitate, nurture and fund arts and cultural activities to enrich quality of life and place.

The AcA's Creativity @ the Center is an annual series of hands-on workshops for young people, families and adults built upon our award-winning core programs. Creativity @ the Center offers students of all ages opportunities to study traditional arts disciplines under the guidance of professional artists, educators and guest lecturers.



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## CitySmarts Arts & Science Camp

*Acadiana Center for the Arts & Lafayette Science Museum team up to bring your kids The Art & Science of Sports.*

We believe that learning is most effective when it's hands-on. When children actively participate and experience something first-hand, their learning comes alive! That's why the Acadiana Center for the Arts and the Lafayette Science Museum have teamed up to offer your child a fun-filled and educational summer camp experience. Each five-day session is packed full of hands-on activities and opportunities that inspire campers

to create and explore. With only 20 campers per session, you can be sure that your child is nurtured in his or her learning experiences! Sessions fill up quickly, so register early!

### the theme

We are all about sports!! Sports in groups, sports played by yourself and sports to challenge your friends in your neighborhood. Join us to explore the often overlooked art and science of the sports world. Campers will investigate the realm of sports through the eyes of artists and scientists instead of a coach. This is not a sports camp; it is so much more!

### team sports

June 27 – July 1

*Soccer, ice hockey, baseball, football, basketball, volleyball!*

Who designs the logo of the team to identify the team players and look cool? What is the best way for Drew Brees to throw his passes to the receiver? Who designed his shoes for traction and style? How can soccer players score on an indirect kick? Group sports depend on art and science to fine-tune team skills and provide a unified team look. Join this camp and learn all about it!

### individual sports

July 11 – 15

*Golf, tennis, swimming, judo, running, darts, bowling, chess, skateboarding!*

Did you ever wonder who designs skateboards? How do pole vaulters use leverage to improve their performance? Who created the sculpture of Babe Zaharis? How were golf clubs designed for her to hit the golf ball further? Join us and find out how individual players use science and art to improve their games and their profile.

### backyard sports

July 25 – 29

*Hopscotch, hide-and-seek, marbles, roller-skating, croquet, badminton, horseshoes, jump rope!*

Examine the inner workings of the tools and equipment used in simple backyard games. How can marbles be improved? Who writes the rules and leads the action in tag? What kind of arm swing guarantees a ringer in horseshoes? How have wheels on roller skates changed to go faster? Learn the inside facts in this camp!

## details!

- AGES 6-12
- WHERE Campers spend part of their day at the Acadiana Center for the Arts (AcA), where they are immersed in the visual and performing arts. The other part of the day is spent at the Lafayette Science Museum (LSM), where campers are challenged in the world of science.
- WHEN Each morning at 9:00 am, campers start their day at the morning campsite. At noon, CitySmarts staff members escort campers to the afternoon campsite, where they eat a bag lunch (provided by you). Campers are picked up at 4:00 pm from the afternoon site.
- LUNCH/SNACKS Bag lunches must be sent with campers each day. We'll provide daily snacks.
- FEE Each session is \$180 per child and includes all supplies, snacks and a CitySmarts T-shirt. AcA and LSM members: \$160.



The Lafayette Science Museum presents science, technology and math through exhibitions, Planetarium shows, hands-on interactive experiences, films, workshops and other programs for children, families and adults.

## Summer Arts Intensives

The Summer Arts Intensives for teens ages 13 – 18, are designed to give students an in-depth study in many areas of the arts. Participants gain insight about the skills necessary to work in a particular field of the arts.

### film and theatre

June 7 – 10

Casting Call for Theatre and Film Summer Intensive. Wanted: Actors, Writers, Directors, Designers, Camera Operators, Editors, Computer Experts.

Ever dreamed of being on the stage or screen? Perhaps makeup, costumes, or special effects? The Film and Theatre Summer Intensive will show you how to turn 'play' into a potential career. So come play! And create commercials with the assistance of the Acadiana Open Channel, Acting Up (in Acadiana) and the Acadiana Center for the Arts.

### graphic design

June 14 – 17

Learn the basics of graphic design by creating an original logo and poster design. This four-day course will take you through the entire creative process and will include lessons on concept, illustration, photography, typography, composition, and color theory.

### dance

June 14 – 17

Gear Up to Dance! Here is your opportunity to experience the passion and focus it takes to dance like you see on TV! During this four-day workshop, take classes with the incredible teachers and dancers of the Houston Metropolitan Dance Company. They will teach classes in Jazz, Contemporary, Modern and Hip Hop with a chance to show what you learned on the last day in an informal performance. Students will also learn about choreography, improvisation, costumes, make-up and more!

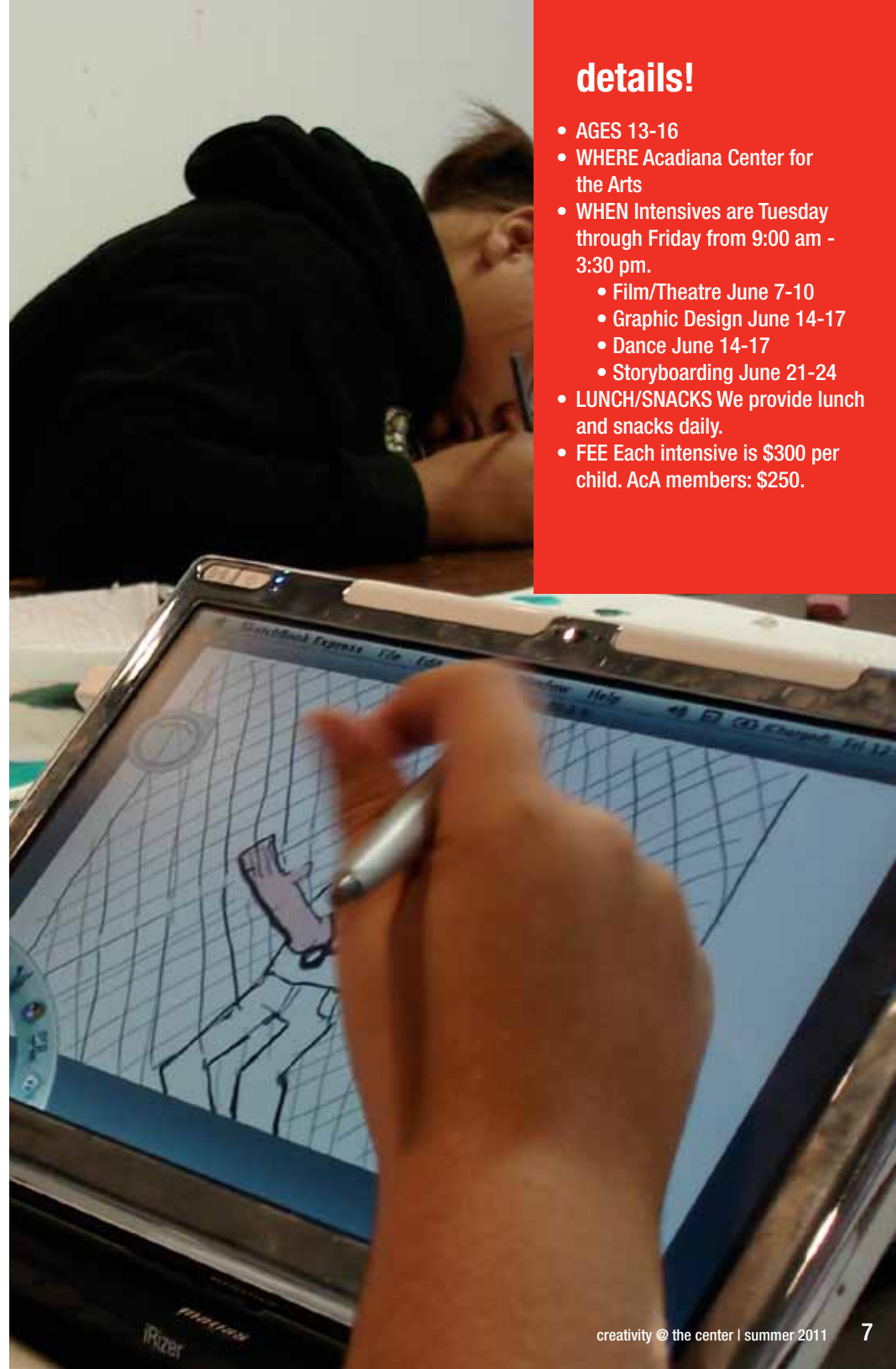
### storyboarding

June 21 – 24

Join us for a peek behind the scenes of a major motion picture and learn to create professional storyboards by working with an actual screenplay. Storyboards are used by directors to help guide the filmmaking process. Lessons will include drawing, sequential storytelling, linear perspective, and even a bit of acting.

## details!

- AGES 13-16
- WHERE Acadiana Center for the Arts
- WHEN Intensives are Tuesday through Friday from 9:00 am - 3:30 pm.
  - Film/Theatre June 7-10
  - Graphic Design June 14-17
  - Dance June 14-17
  - Storyboarding June 21-24
- LUNCH/SNACKS We provide lunch and snacks daily.
- FEE Each intensive is \$300 per child. ACA members: \$250.





## Summer Art Studios

These week-long art camps are for kids ages 6 – 12 and teach beginning basic skills in the arts.

### art in nature: drawing

June 13–17 9:00 am – 12 noon  
Students will learn a variety of drawing techniques, to expand their understanding of the principles of 2-D art. Students will learn about native plants and animals and develop skills in observation and drawing in a range of materials such as charcoal, pencils, pen and ink, or oil pastels.

### art in nature: painting

June 13–17 1:00 – 4:00 pm  
This beginning painting class will teach the basic skills for students to create their own masterpiece using nature as inspiration. Students will learn about the color wheel, the use and care of painting tools, some basic techniques and still have plenty of opportunity for their personal touch.

## passport to the arts

Explore world cultures through art making. This multicultural art camp encourages children to explore the vitality of other world cultures through the visual and performing arts. Sign up for one day, or spend the week with us!

### Tuesday, July 5: Mexico

Mexico is all about color, from the beautifully detailed folk art found in textiles, paintings and pottery to the colorful celebration of the Day of the Dead. Add a little color to your summer with a trip south of the border.

### Wednesday, July 6: Japan

Japan has thousands of years of cultural tradition from the art of the Samurai to contemporary anime! Join us as we create work inspired by a country with an endless supply of inspiration!

### Thursday, July 7: Italy

Michelangelo and Leonardo da Vinci, mosaic and architectural marvels, pasta and pizza! Italy is filled with treasures from the past, and today they're still on the cutting edge in the arts. Join us for a tour to one of the most artistically rich areas of the world.

### Friday, July 8: Island Cultures

How do all these islands stay connected to one another? Through art, we'll explore the similarities and traditions that unify the islands. Come explore the beauty of the South Pacific as we journey from island to island and create our own Polynesian-inspired art works.

## the music in you

August 2–4

There is a musician in everyone ready to be discovered! Learn how to express your ideas and emotions through music and create your own songs. We will be recording our music and designing artwork for CD covers and T-shirts... with a final performance to top it all off.

## details!

### (ART IN NATURE)

- AGE 6–12
- WHERE Acadiana Center for the Arts
- WHEN June 13–17 (Drawing 9:00 am – 12 noon; Painting 1:00 – 4:00 pm)
- LUNCH/SNACKS Snacks are provided daily. Snacks are provided daily. If you register for both classes, bag lunches must be sent with campers each day.
- FEE Cost for each class is \$100 for the week. AcA members: \$90. For both classes, the cost is \$180. AcA members: \$160.

### (PASSPORT TO THE ARTS)

- AGE 6–12
- WHERE Acadiana Center for the Arts
- WHEN July 5–8, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm.
- LUNCH/SNACKS Snacks are provided. Bag lunches must be sent each day.
- FEE \$40 per day. AcA members: \$35 per day. For all four days, total cost is \$140. AcA members: \$125.

### (THE MUSIC IN YOU)

- AGE 6–10
- WHERE Acadiana Center for the Arts
- WHEN August 2–4, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
- LUNCH/SNACKS Snacks are provided. Bag lunches must be sent each day.
- FEE \$120. AcA members: \$110.



## Other Summer Camps @ the Aca

### acting up (in acadiana) summer youth shakespeare ensemble

July 11 – 24 & 28 – 30  
9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Students ages ten to senior in high school study all aspects of the performing arts with professional faculty members and an extensive support staff. Each day begins with an hour long company class followed by small group workshops where students study in age and experience based groups. Afternoons are spent applying what they have learned in their workshops to their full production of Shakespeare's *As You Like It*. For details, visit [www.actingu-pinacadiana.com](http://www.actingu-pinacadiana.com).



### louisiana folk roots cajun & creole summer camp for kids

June 20 – 24  
9:00 am – 5:00 pm

There's nothing like Louisiana Folk Roots' Cajun & Creole Summer Camp for Kids. Our week-long day camp focuses on music instruction in a culturally immersive environment.

Learn accordion, fiddle, guitar, Cajun and Creole vocals and more at a relaxed pace in and around the Acadiana Center for the Arts in downtown Lafayette. Our top-notch instructors coordinate an exciting array of culture-based activities. From band lab to cuisine to dance and other great activities, we'll share a great and memorable week together!



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### REGISTRATION FORM (ONE FORM PER CHILD)

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade next fall \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

### SESSIONS (please check all sessions you want to register for)

#### CITYSMARTS ART & SCIENCE CAMP

- Team Sports June 27–July 1
- Individual Sports July 11–15
- Backyard Sports July 25–29

#### SUMMER ARTS INTENSIVES

- Film/Theater June 7–10
- Dance June 14–17
- Graphic design June 14–17
- Storyboarding June 21–24

#### ACA SUMMER ART STUDIOS

- Art in Nature: Drawing June 13–17
- Art in Nature: Painting June 13–17

#### Passport To The Arts

- Mexico July 5
- Japan July 6
- Italy July 7
- Polynesia July 8

- The Music in You August 2–4

#### EXTENDED DAY

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| June 21–24     | <input type="checkbox"/> morning | <input type="checkbox"/> afternoon |
| June 27–July 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> morning | <input type="checkbox"/> afternoon |
| July 5–8       | <input type="checkbox"/> morning | <input type="checkbox"/> afternoon |
| July 11–15     | <input type="checkbox"/> morning | <input type="checkbox"/> afternoon |
| July 25–29     | <input type="checkbox"/> morning | <input type="checkbox"/> afternoon |
| August 2–4     | <input type="checkbox"/> morning | <input type="checkbox"/> afternoon |

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# become part of the creation

Consider what arts and culture means to you and become part of the creation. By becoming a member of the AcA you are able to help support a first class exhibition series, education, arts and culture as well as receive all the benefits of being a member.

We have various membership levels for everyone ranging from **Student/Artist Memberships at \$25, Individual Memberships, at \$50 a year, Family Memberships for \$100 that includes up to 5 family members.** We also have a more permanent **Lifetime Membership at \$2,000.**

Our **Family Membership** also offers discounts on our Family Performance Series, Louisiana Crossroads performances, Summer Camps, Workshops and much more.

Already a member? We appreciate your support of the AcA and its programming. We ask that you help us please spread the word about the great things the AcA is doing. It's very simple, if you see something on our website that someone you know may find interesting simply click the Tell A Friend link at the bottom of each page.

Whatever your donation, be it large, small, donating your time or sharing AcA events and programs with a friend, you can help the AcA maintain the high caliber programs we offer to the community.

**Stay with us! We've got  
more Creativity @ the Center  
classes coming in the fall!**

