COMMUNICATIONS & MARKETING

VIRGINIA MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS 200 N. Boulevard I Richmond, Virginia 23220-4007 www.vmfa.museum/pressroom I T 804.204.2704



Hollywood Costume Programs

Hollywood Costume

November 9, 2013 - February 17, 2014

60 Films/60 Days

Enjoy this near movie-a-day extravaganza, November 29, 2013 – January 31, 2014, showcasing more than 60 movie titles. The movies will feature costumes in the exhibition.

Friday Family Art Nights

Recommended for children ages 5-12, accompanied by an adult Select Fridays, 5 – 7 p.m. \$10 per child/adult pair (VMFA members \$8) MWV Art Education Center Enrollment limit: 16 child/adult pairs

Every Saturday during exhibition

Children's Program: Kids Discover... Ages 6-9 Saturdays, 1 – 4 p.m. \$25 per workshop (VMFA members \$20) MWV Art Education Center

OCTOBER

Studio Class: Embellished Mask Workshop

Saturday, October 5: 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Sunday, October 6: Noon – 4 p.m. \$150 (VMFA members \$135) Studio School, 1st floor

Learn to fabricate creative and glamorous masks in this introductory workshop. After learning embellishment methods—and with examples of decorated masks as inspiration—students customize half- and full-faced forms to create their own Halloween or masquerade masks. Most materials are included.

Enrollment limit: 10

Children's Program: Costume Jewelry & Mask Making

Saturday, October 5

In celebration of *Hollywood Costume*, create wearable art including sculptural jewelry and marvelous masks inspired by characters on the big screen – from monsters to superheroes – along with fashionable objects throughout the museum.

3 in 30: Costumes Make the Character

Tuesday, October 8: 11 a.m.

Thursday, October 10: 6:30 p.m.

Free

Wearable Art

Friday, October 11

Inspired by *Hollywood Costume*, create wearable works of art from feathered hair clips to bottle-cap belt buckles.

Studio Class: The Inventor: Scrap Floats, Characters, & Creatures

Saturday, October 12

1 - 4 p.m.

\$65 (VMFA members \$50)

Studio School, lower level

Join visiting artist Aggie Zed as she discusses and demonstrates techniques for creating her extraordinary mixed- media ceramic work. Aggie describes the tiny creatures that inhabit her work as "companions, sages, sources of amusement, means of transportation, and foils to daily tasks." This is a wonderful opportunity for collectors and artists who work in all media to take a peek at the creative process.

Enrollment limit: 14

Studio Class: Drawing with Charcoal: The Figure in Costume

Saturday, October 26

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

\$85 (VMFA members \$70)

Studio School, 2nd floor

Explore a variety of other artists' drawings of the human form in costume. Then with guidance from the instructor and working from the costumed model, learn to create expressive portraits using charcoal.

Note Basic drawing skills are a prerequisite. Enrollment limit: 10

Studio Class: Dolls, Fetishes, & Figures

Saturday, October 26 & Sunday, October 27

\$155 (VMFA members \$140)

Studio School, 2nd floor

Explore the mixed-media processes used to create dolls, fetishes, and figures in this intensive two-day workshop. The instructor demonstrates the use of armatures, sewing, sculpting, and painting, and invites students to try their hand at the various processes. She also gives a brief history of the doll and shows examples of her own beautiful creations. Some materials are included.

Enrollment limit: 10

Family Day: Celebrate Hollywood! Costume Party

Saturday, October 26

Free

Come in costume (from monsters to princesses) and explore the art of cinema, participating in storyboarding, script writing, setting up props, and role play activities. Connecting literary, performing, and visual arts, this event includes puppet shows by the Barefoot Puppet Theater,

puppet-making and costume-making activities, expressive pumpkin carving, and face painting! Prizes for the best costumes will be distributed throughout the event.

Celebrate Hollywood! Costume Party is generously supported in part by the CarMax Foundation.

NOVEMBER

Open Studio Sunday

All ages (children must be accompanied by an adult) Sunday, November 3

Noon - 4 p.m.

Free

MWV Art Education Center

3 in 30: Hollywood, The Dark Side

Tuesday, November 5: 11 a.m.

Thursday, November 7: 6:30 p.m.

Free

Foundations in Art: Costume Creation

Ages 9-12

Thursdays, November 7, 14, 21

3 sessions per class, 4:15 - 6 p.m.

\$65 per class (VMFA members \$58)

With unexpected materials and found objects, use sculptural and experimental methods to construct crazy costumes based on your own imagination and illustrations.

Enrollment limit: 12

Teacher Workshop: The Art of the Dramatic Play

Thursday, November 21

DECEMBER

Open Studio Sunday

All ages (children must be accompanied by an adult)

Sunday, December 1

Noon - 4 p.m.

Free

MWV Art Education Center

3 in 30: Hollywood, Ancient Accessories

Tuesday, December 3: 11 a.m.

Thursday, December 5: 6:30 p.m.

Free

Teen Drawing Club: Costume Illustration

Grades 6-8: Friday, December 6, 5 - 6:30 p.m.

Grades 9-12: Friday, December 13, 5 - 6:30 p.m.

\$10 per class (VMFA members \$8)

MVW Art Education Center

Focus: Chiaroscuro figures and dramatic designs inspired by Hollywood Costume.

Teen Stylin': Costume Couture

Metro Richmond area students: Friday, December 6, 6 - 9 p.m.

Satellite and Statewide Students: Saturday, December 7, 3 – 5:30 p.m.

\$8 (VMFA members \$5) Teens ages 12-19 are free

Designed for students with a passion for clothing design, studio arts, installation art, and/or sculpture, Teen Stylin' provides aspiring designers with the guidance and assistance to create their own one-of-a-kind, wearable works of art. With this year's theme Costume Couture, more than 80 Virginia student designers in grades 6–12 will work over the course of eight weeks to create wearable works of art inspired by *Hollywood Costume*, and works of art in the VMFA permanent collection. *Note: reserved tickets are required*

JANUARY

Open Studio Sunday

All ages (children must be accompanied by an adult)

Sunday, January 5

Noon - 4 p.m.

Free

MWV Art Education Center

3 in 30: TBD

Tuesday, January 7: 11 a.m. Thursday, January 9: 6:30 p.m.

FEBRUARY

Open Studio Sunday

All ages (children must be accompanied by an adult)

Sunday, February 2

Noon - 4 p.m.

Free

MWV Art Education Center

###

Press Contact:

Suzanne Hall, <u>suzanne.hall@vmfa.museum</u>, 804.204.2704 Pryor Green, <u>pryor.green@vmfa.museum</u>, 804.204.2701

Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, 200 N. Boulevard, Richmond VA 23220-4007