

## New Art Classes at the Burnaby Art Gallery

**BURNABY, BC**—From printmaking to watercolour workshops, the Burnaby Art Gallery (BAG) is offering a wide array of new art programs this winter for children, families and adults. Cultivate your creativity in a supportive, professional environment suitable for all levels. Public programs at the BAG are designed to encourage interaction with works in the exhibitions and the City of Burnaby Permanent Art Collection. With an emphasis on printmaking and related media, BAG’s experienced instructors help students balance skill development with personal expression and creative thinking.



“Inspired by the new exhibitions at the gallery—[Molly Lamb Bobak: Talk of the Town](#) and [Julie McIntyre: Travel Stories](#)—our programs for every age explore ideas of architecture, cityscapes and storytelling and will encourage participants to use their creativity in the cozy atmosphere of the Fireside studio. All materials are included with each class,” says Sara Graham, Fine Arts Programmer (Acting).

For adults, starting January 19, *Scenes of Ceperley House* is a workshop inspired by architectural views and cityscapes found in artist Molly Lamb Bobak’s work exhibited in the Gallery. Participants use watercolours while drawing interior and exterior scenes of the Burnaby Art Gallery.

*Charitable Donations* is a workshop taking place on Sunday, January 28, presented by CARFAC BC, where participants learn how to make informed decisions before donating art to a museum.

On Sunday, February 25, explore Julie McIntyre's exhibition *Travel Stories* and learn visual storytelling techniques and printmaking methods directly from the artist in the *Printed Stories Workshop*.

Starting Saturday, January 27, children ages 4-6 years and 6-9 years can participate in *Super Cities*, a series of classes where young creative designers explore what makes a city, creating their very own city of the future.



In *Adventure Passports*, starting February 24, children create their own adventure passport using photographs, printmaking and stories to document their adventures.

Get creative with the whole family on Sunday afternoons with BAG's popular *In the BAG Family Sundays* series, a free monthly drop-in program sponsored by ABC Recycling. Get your mind humming with a tour of the gallery and then into the studio for family-friendly art projects. The theme on Sunday, January 21 is City Structures and on Sunday, February 18, the theme will be Epic Escapades.

To register for programs, call 604-297-4422 or register online at [burnaby.ca/webreg](http://burnaby.ca/webreg).

### **Full Listing of Programs**

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#### **January**

#### **Super Cities**

**Saturdays, January 27-February 17**

**[\\$35.00, 4-6 years, 10-11am; 11:30-12:30pm](#)**

**[\\$45.30, 6-9 years, 1-2:30pm](#)**

Young creative designers explore what makes a city and delve into the unknown, creating their very own city of the future.

### [Scenes of Ceperley House](#)

**Fridays, January 19-February 9**

**\$83.40, 16 years & up**

Inspired by the architectural views and cityscapes found in artist Molly Lamb Bobak's work, participants use watercolours while drawing scenes of the Burnaby Art Gallery.

### [Tea & Tour](#)

**Tuesday, January 23, 2-3:30pm**

**\$7.50, 55 years & up**

Join gallery staff for a guided tour of *Molly Lamb Bobak: Talk of the Town* and *Julie McIntyre: Travel Stories*. Finish the tour with tea and treats.

### [Charitable Donations](#)

**Sunday, January 28, 10am-1pm**

**\$32 (\$20 for CARFAC members), Adults**

Learn how to make informed decisions before donating art to a museum or charitable organization.

## February

### [Artful Duo: Parent & Me Studio Time](#)

**Fridays, February 16-March 9**

**\$25.40, 2-5 years**

**9:30-10:30am; 11:15-12:15pm**

Parents and preschoolers tap into their imagination while exploring and experimenting together.

### **Adventure Passports**

**Saturdays, February 24-March 17**

**[\\$35.00, 4-6 years, 10-11am; 11:30-12:30pm](#)**

**[\\$45.30, 6-9 years, 1-2:30pm](#)**

Children create their own adventure passport using photographs, printmaking and stories to document their adventures.

### [Printed Stories Workshop](#)

**Sunday, February 25, 10am-1pm**

**\$45.00, 16 years & up**

Explore Julie McIntyre's exhibition *Travel Stories* and learn visual storytelling techniques and printmaking methods directly from the artist.

## March

### Spring Art Days

[4-5 years](#); [6-9 years](#)

March 19-23; March 26-29

\$65-\$105, 9:30-11:30am; 12:30-3:00pm

Budding artists are introduced to painting, drawing, sculpture and storytelling during spring break.

## Family Programs

[In the BAG: Family Sundays](#)

Sponsored by ABC Recycling

Sundays, 1-4pm, drop in, all ages

Get your mind humming with a tour of the gallery and then into the studio for family-friendly art projects. A different project is featured each month.

January 21: City Structures

February 18: Epic Escapades

## Gallery Talks & Tours

### Curator's Tour

*Molly Lamb Bobak: Talk of the Town & Artist Talk with Julie McIntyre*

Sunday, January 28, 2pm | Free, no registration required

### Lecture

*Molly Lamb Bobak and her Artistic Influences*

Sunday, February 25, 2pm | Free, no registration required

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## ABOUT THE BURNABY ART GALLERY

Since 1967, the Burnaby Art Gallery (BAG) has been dedicated to collecting, preserving and presenting a contemporary and historical visual art program by local, national and internationally recognized artists. The BAG acts as a leader in the collection, preservation and exhibition of artists who choose to work on paper—the only public art museum in Canada dedicated to works of art on paper. Through our collection and exhibition practices the BAG endeavours to represent the best and most promising Canadian artists. The BAG cares for and manages over 5,000 works of art in the City of Burnaby's Permanent Art Collection.

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