



Cultural Arts Council of Douglasville/Douglas County

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Spring Break means it's time for Spring Break ARTS Camp!

Douglasville, Georgia –The Cultural Arts Council of Douglasville/ Douglas County and the Douglas County Department of Parks and Recreation join forces once again to offer the thirteenth annual intensive arts camp at Deer Lick Park, during spring break, Monday, April 4th, through Friday, April 8th. Children, 7 – 11 years old, will spend a productive spring break exploring a wide variety of art disciplines with five expert and experienced teaching artists – Joi Jamison (dance), Nicole Hale (2D&3D design) and new to the line-up, Meagan Mayne (voice), Cristhtian Perez-Molina (visual) and Andrew Crigler from TellTale Theatre (drama).

The goal of the Spring Break Arts Camp, is to encourage and reveal the talents of every student in attendance and also to highlight the impact the arts have on young children in developing their creative skills, social interactions, and cultural awareness.

Fees for the week are \$125 for the first child (\$115 for CAC members) with a \$5 dollar discount for siblings. Camp runs from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. with a late pick up option for an additional fee. Space is limited, Registration can be done in person or by visiting the Arts Council website – www.artsdouglas.org – (the registration form is under the Arts Education tab).

During the Spring Break Arts Camp, artists will work with each student on specific projects within their discipline that reflect and expand on a common theme addressed by all the teachers. The camp concludes with a Celebration of Success – a small reception to take place on Friday, April 8th, from 5 until 6 p.m., to which the public is invited. Attendees at the Celebration of Success will have the opportunity to see the student's artwork in a temporary exhibit put together by the visual arts teachers as well as a performance featuring the music, dance and drama skills learned during the week.

The 2016 Spring Break Arts Camp is made possible with the support from the GreyStone Power Foundation. The Cultural Arts Council of Douglasville/ Douglas County, located at 8652 Campbellton Street Douglasville, Georgia, is open Mondays through Fridays, 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. For directions and more information, visit www.artsdouglas.org or contact the Cultural Arts Council at 770.949.2787.

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The mission of the Cultural Arts Council of Douglasville/ Douglas County is to nurture, guide and stimulate the enjoyment of and participation in the arts among Douglas County residents by providing an atmosphere conducive to the arts, broadening the spectrum of quality exhibits and performances available to the community, and fostering individual interactions with the arts through a wide range of satellite groups.

The Cultural Arts Council is supported in part by the City of Douglasville and the Douglas County Board of Commissioners.



Campers from Spring Break Arts Camp 2015 perform an Egyptian inspired dance at "Celebration of Success."