



ISLAND MOUNTAIN ARTS
Annual School of the Arts 2009
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SONGWRITING & SPOKEN WORD POETRY DAY CAMP (AGES 6 – 18)

Instructors: Corwin Fox and Kia Kadiri

Tuesday, July 28 – Friday, July 31, 2009

9 am - 3:30 pm (with a 1 hour lunch break 12 – 1pm)

Location: the Wells / Barkerville School

Max. Enrollment: 15

Early Bird Fee: \$189 (if paid by June 1)

Regular Fee: \$210

Deposit Fee: \$52.50 (25% of course fee - required to register; must pay in full by June 1st for Early Bird)

*Accommodations not included. There are numerous options including motels, hotels, bed & breakfasts, RV and camping. Ask IMA about discounts offered to IMA students.

*A basic Breakfast & Lunch is available at the school.

*Parents or guardians are responsible for child or youth supervision during lunch and before and after class hours.

*IMA is not liable for any personal injuries occurring on property rented (or owned) by IMA, and IMA is not responsible for lost or stolen personal property.

*At the discretion of the teacher or IMA staff, children or youth who consistently disrupt the class may be removed from the course without a course refund.

Registration deadline is two weeks before class starts. Registrations will be taken after that date, space permitting. Payment by cash, cheque, money order, Visa, MasterCard, or Debit Card accepted.

Events Included:

- Monday, July 27, 7pm: Student Welcome Reception, IMA Gallery (2323 Pooley Street)
-Meet your instructor and pick up your student information packages.
- Tuesday, July 28, 5:30pm: Student BBQ - IMA Gallery, free for students, \$5 for guests
- Tuesday, July 28, 7pm: Concert - History of the Blues with Ken Hamm - IMA Gallery, \$15, free for students of Ken Hamm's workshop.
- Wednesday, July 29, 7:30pm: Concert - David Francey & Craig Werth, Sunset Theatre, \$20
(Note: only free for students of the Songwriting with David Francey and Craig Werth).
- Friday, July 31, 6pm: ArtsWells Festival Opening - Sunset Theatre, \$10, free for students

IMA students also receive free admission to **Barkerville Historic Town** and many discounts to local businesses.

The ArtsWells Festival Of All Things Art runs from Friday, July 31 – August 3, 2009 and features over 50 musical acts on 7 stages throughout Wells and Barkerville, plus workshops, an ArtWalk, the One Minute Play Festival and fun stuff for kids. See www.artswells.com for tickets and details. Early Bird tickets are \$60 (Adult), \$25 (Youth 13 – 18) and are available until June 15th. A Regular price weekend

pass is \$80 (Adult) and \$35 (Youth), 12 and under are free. Day passes available at the gate. Consider sticking around after your workshop!

Course Description:

The course focuses on both writing and performance and will teach students how to self-express and get comfortable in the rhythm of song and spoken word. It will combine elements of musical theory, improvisation techniques, writing lyrics and collaboration with their peers. Corwin brings along his mobile recording studio to give students an opportunity to record their new tunes. Students will perform their new songs, rhymes and spoken word poems during the final evening concert.

Instructor Bios:

Corwin Fox

Victoria's Corwin Fox is well-known for his masterful lyric and melody writing and his unique style of highly contagious personal and political folk songs will have you singing along before you even realize it. In addition to his own musical career that has spanned four albums, Corwin is a sought after music producer, spending much of his time over the last few years recording and producing independent musicians such as Shane Philip, Sarah Metzner, Mamaguroove and Glenna Garramone. Father of two girls, Corwin has a knack for inspiring young people to express themselves through song. In addition to teaching songwriting for young people at Island Mountain Arts last summer, he has also taught at the Washington and Victoria based youth organization, the Power of Hope.

Kia Kadiri

In the last 5 years, Kia Kadiri has become a west coast phenomenon. Drawing on hip hop, jazz, funk and soul to create a sound that is truly universal, she has emerged as a stand out artist from a scene that has produced some of this country's most exciting urban artists. In 2001 Kadiri relocated to Vancouver where she was instantly in demand as a live performer, recording artist and conscious member of the urban community performing regularly at benefits like Sistahood and Rock for Choice. Kia has taught spoken word and hip hop in schools around the province, as well as at Island Mountain Arts for the last three years.

Island Mountain Arts School Policies

- Registration: A (non refundable) deposit is payable upon registration. Final payment is due no later than seven days before a course begins. Please add 5% GST to adult courses.
- The registration deadline is two weeks before class start. Registrations will be taken after that date, space permitting.
- Refund: There are no refunds on course deposits. If full payment has been made, and a student withdraws from a course, 75% of the workshop fee will be refunded. Note - there are no refunds the final week before classes begin.
- Cancellation Policy: If Island Mountain Arts cancels a course due to insufficient registration, the entire fee will be refunded. Cancellation decisions are made two weeks before course start.

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