Creative Connections Mat-Su is pleased to announce the Fall 2026 art classes for seniors ages 55 and older. Register by calling the library where the class will be offered. Each class meets one day a week for eight weeks. Participants are expected to commit to the entire eight-week course. Space is limited. Additional information is available from the sponsoring library. **Registration opens August 12 at Noon for all classes.** More information available at: https://mcoaging.com/

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Introduction to One Stroke Painting with teaching artist Audra Reger. Tuesdays 10:30-12:30. September 1 - October 20. Call **Big Lake Library** to register: 907.861.7635. Sponsored by the Big Lake Library Advocates.

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Still Life Painting Class with teaching artist Lynsey Dellinger Wednesdays 12:30-2:30. September 16-November 4. Classes will be held at the Palmer Senior Center. Call **Palmer Library** to register: 907.745.4690. Sponsored by the Friends of Palmer Public Library, Inc.

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Book Arts with teaching artist Erin Saunders. Tuesdays 5:00-7:00. September 8-October 27. Call **Sutton Library** to register 907.861.7640. Sponsored by Friends of Sutton Library.

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Charcoal Drawing with teaching artist Michelle Cornelius. Wednesdays 12:30-2:30. September 2 - October 21. Call **Talkeetna Library** to register 907.861.7645. Sponsored by Friends of Talkeetna Library.

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Poetry Response with teaching artists Linda Reger and Jeanne Troshynski. Wednesdays 12:30-2:30. September 16-November 4. Call **Wasilla Public Library** to register: 907.864.9187. Sponsored by the Friends of Wasilla Public Library.

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Hand Made Book Class with teaching artist Sandra Cook. Friday mornings 9:30-11:30. September 11 – October 30. Classes will be held at the **Wasilla Area Senior Center Meeting Room.** Forms to register available at the main desk of the Wasilla Area Senior Center. Preference will be given residents of the WASI Campus. Sponsored by the Friends of Wasilla Public Library.

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Watercolor Exploration with teaching artist Stephanie Richey. Mondays 1:00-3:00. September 14 – November 2. Register at **Willow Public Library.** Direct questions to 907.864.9187. Sponsored by the Willow Library Association.

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Charcoal Drawing with teaching artist Michelle Cornelius. Tuesdays 12:30-2:30. September 15-November 3. Seniors will partner with youth at **MY HOUSE** for this class. Participation by invitation only. Sponsored by the Friends of Wasilla Public Library.

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