

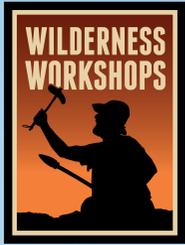


A SENSE OF
ACCOMPLISHMENT
MAKES A WONDERFUL KEEPSAKE.



2019 WILDERNESS WORKSHOPS AT THE RESORT AT PAWS UP—ART, MUSIC AND OUTDOOR SKILLS

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It's no secret that The Resort at Paws Up is known for Rocky Mountain vistas, abundant wildlife and towering trees. But it's also known for creativity—the kind that springs to life each summer during our Wilderness Workshops. In them, you can brush up on skills you haven't used in a while, push yourself to achieve something beyond what you thought possible and even explore new passions you didn't realize you had. Whether you want to up the “wow” factor in your photos, paint like a pro (or just have fun) or learn to bust out a steady drumbeat, there's no better place under the sun to try it than here at Paws Up.



GETTIN' PRIMITIVE

JUNE 3-9, JUNE 14-15, JULY 2-8,
AUGUST 13-18 AND SEPTEMBER 3-9

Travel back in time to learn the outdoor skills that were second nature to your great, great granddad. Your family will get expert instruction on some pretty fascinating primitive skills. Have you mastered edible plant identification, axe throwing, longbow archery, shelter building and tracking? You will at this unique workshop that also supercharges your kids' imaginations.



GARY STEELE
Outdoorsman in Residency

Gary Steele has had a long career as a backcountry guide, blacksmith, outfitter and woodsman and has been leading traditional outdoor skills workshops for years with the help of the nonprofit Inspire Foundation. Yes, he's the real deal: a true mountain man.



SUNSET PHOTOGRAPHY

JUNE 26, JULY 22 AND AUGUST 7

As the sun sets on another adventure-packed day at Paws Up, learn to capture the gorgeous light it casts upon the wilderness. Get personalized instruction in portraiture and landscapes during daytime's waning moments. Your adventure begins with a brief tutorial, then you'll embark on a photographic journey out into the scenery. Bring your camera, or use the one on your phone.



STUART THURLKILL
Photographer in Residency

Resort Photographer and Filmmaker Stuart Thurlkill excels at providing a visual window into the hearts and minds of his subjects while creating a sense of place from their surroundings. He is well recognized for his exceptional documentary photographs.



RUSTIC RINGS

JUNE 27, JULY 15 AND AUGUST 16

The ring that makes the biggest statement about you is the one you craft yourself. Follow the lead of seasoned jewelry designer Peggy Wen for this fun-filled workshop where you'll choose from a wide variety of intriguing beads and eye-catching gems to create your version of wire-wrapped art. Leave with a statement piece that fits—and flaunts—your style. All ages welcome.



PEGGY WEN
Artist in Residency

Originally from Brooklyn, New York, painter and jewelry maker Peggy Wen was trained by renowned Japanese jewelry designer Ayaka Nishi. She incorporates dried paint chips from her canvases, blends them with crystals and beads and then wraps them to create wearable works of art.



DRUM CIRCLE MADNESS

JULY 2-7 AND AUGUST 25-28

Hear the drumbeat of family excitement calling? That's Scott Besaw doing what he does best. This popular, hands-on drumming course teaches kids and grown-ups alike the basic principles of music and rhythm. Besaw injects his infectious passion for all things musical into every session. Come join a lively group of future percussionists and learn how to get in a groove and stay there.



SCOTT BESAW
Musician in Residency

Scott Besaw has been performing around the country, teaching at the Old Town School of Folk Music in Chicago and entertaining music lovers for almost 30 years. He's performed with the likes of the Blue Man Group and the acclaimed Denver Blue Knights Drum and Bugle Corps.



PAINT 'N' POUR

JULY 7, SEPTEMBER 15 AND SEPTEMBER 29

Relax. Let us pour you a glass of your favorite red wine. Then discover your artistic brilliance under the tutelage of uber-talented local artist Linds Sanders. Every time Sanders returns to Paws Up to teach this incredibly popular Wilderness Workshop, good times abound. Get step-by-step guidance in a fun and friendly atmosphere. Canvases, paint, wine and a little zaniness included.



LINDS SANDERS
Artist in Residency

Pick up your paintbrush with confidence with local artist Linds Sanders. A Montana native, Sanders works with Living Art of Montana and Missoula's Flagship Program and owns Ramble Journals, hand-bound journals sold to benefit local arts scholarships.



BRUSHES WITH GREATNESS

JULY 10-16

From shimmering peaks to foam-flecked rapids, the natural beauty surrounding Paws Up inspires awe. So will learning to capture it with guest artist George Van Hook. He'll conduct this popular "plein air" watercolor workshop in a variety of eye-popping settings. It's an unforgettable way to learn from a true pro and preserve a segment of Montana's stunning scenery for your mantle.



GEORGE VAN HOOK
Artist in Residency

As a young man, renowned American painter George Van Hook visited the Louvre and traveled through France, Italy and Holland to study and be inspired by the masters. For more than 35 years, this celebrated artist has painted and exhibited on three continents.



CHASING LIGHT

JULY 18 AND AUGUST 22

The finer points of landscape photography come to light through the brilliant eye of Missoula photographer Brian Christianson. In this Wilderness Workshop, you'll set out to learn techniques and strategies that translate the beauty of the scenery into a dynamic landscape photograph. Come chase light with us and capture one of the richest landscapes on earth.



BRIAN CHRISTIANSON
Photographer in Residency

Award-winning photographer Brian Christianson is known for creating moving landscapes that celebrate Montana's natural splendor. His work has graced publications throughout the Rocky Mountain West, and his classes draw in kids and adults throughout the Missoula area.



NATURE, ABSTRACTED

JULY 25 AND AUGUST 9, 20 AND 29
SEPTEMBER 21 AND OCTOBER 16

What are your impressions of Montana's pristine landscape? Express them on canvas as you develop your own artistic interpretation. Tap into your inner artist with various techniques using palette knives, brushes and more unconventional tools. You'll leave with a Montana masterpiece straight out of your own imagination and vision. All artistic skill levels will be welcomed and fulfilled.



DANIELLE LAGOY
Artist in Residency

Hailing from the Adirondack region of New York, Danielle LaGoy describes herself as a painter interested in the suspension and abstraction of the natural environment. She has exhibited work in New York, Arizona and Chicago and learned to "plein air" paint in Ireland.



WILDLIFE PAINTING

JULY 30 AND AUGUST 13

Much as there's no reason to fear the many wild creatures that roam The Resort, there's no need to stress over painting them. Wildlife artist James Corwin will take you on an approachable journey in this all-new workshop. You'll learn how to balance gestural technique with detailed precision, and you'll leave with a renewed respect for all creatures great and small.



JAMES CORWIN
Artist in Residency

Hawaii native and Montana resident James Corwin is an award-winning contemporary artist who creates breathtaking, lifelike wildlife oil paintings. This young artist's attention to detail, coupled with his deep appreciation for his awe-inspiring subjects, results in stirring, lifelike canvases.



LEARN. EXPLORE. DISCOVER.

ALL SUMMER LONG.

To get started, plan your trip to The Resort at Paws Up during one of our Wilderness Workshops. For reservations and more information, call 866-815-7129 or visit pawsup.com/wilderness-workshops.

All Wilderness Workshops are complimentary and are included in your stay.



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