

# Bowen Heritage Circle



## Welcome to the Circle!

Bowen Heritage Circle is your source for quality adult educational and craft programs plus special historical programs for the entire family. Circle instructors usually own an art, craft, or other business and bring you the latest and finest instruction available. Bowen Heritage Circle classes are designed for beginners to advanced students. Whether your interest is in crafts, lectures or historic programming, give the Circle a try, you won't be disappointed.

Would you like to become involved in any of our special events at the Circle? Do you have a craft or class that you think would be of interest to the community? Do you know someone who might offer a great class? The Circle is always looking for volunteers and for people interested in sharing a new craft or lecture to the community.

## Waukegan History Museum **FREE**

The Waukegan History Museum in Bowen Park is the home of the Waukegan Historical Society. The museum is the repository for all of Waukegan's rich history. The museum portrays life in 1870s Waukegan. Temporary exhibits rotate annually. Visit us during open hours or contact us for group tours. The Waukegan History Museum is located at 1917 N. Sheridan Road in beautiful Bowen Park. Visit Waukegan History Museum on Facebook!

### Tour Hours

Tuesday and Thursday 10am-4pm

Saturday 1-4pm

You may call 847-360-4749 or 847-336-1859 to set up group tours.

### Large Tour Groups

Please call to schedule your free guided tour of the museum for your group.

## Volunteering

Are you interested in becoming involved in the Waukegan History Museum? Volunteers are essential and the Waukegan History Museum needs your help. Membership is only a phone call away. If you are interested in any aspect of our museum don't hesitate to contact Museum Supervisor, Ty Rohrer, at 847-336-1859.

## J. L. Raymond Research Library

The Waukegan Historical Society research collections are located in Lilac Cottage in the Bowen Heritage Circle, 1911 N. Sheridan Road, Bowen Park. This extensive collection of maps, documents, photographs, books and vertical files may be accessed during open hours. Copy services are available for a slight fee, and volunteers are on hand to assist with genealogical or other research topics. Call librarian, Beverly Millard, at 847-360-4772 to learn more.

### Library Hours

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 10am-2:30pm and also by appointment.



The Waukegan History Museum in beautiful Bowen Park.

## Lilac Cottage Rentals

1911 N. Sheridan Road- Bowen Park

Are you looking for a bride's room prior to your wedding in the Bowen Park Formal Garden? Are you interested in renting a space for a group of 24 for a bridal or baby shower? Are you tired of having your company "team" meeting at the office? Tables and chairs are available for small parties and meetings of 24. Amenities include coffee makers, punch bowl and ladle, stove, refrigerator and microwave. The main room at Lilac has a wonderful sun porch that overlooks beautiful Bowen Park. The "Blue Room" is perfect for family portraits. Rentals require a minimum of two hours and a \$75 deposit is required to hold the date. Contact the Jack Benny Center for the Arts at 847-360-4740 to inquire about room rentals at Lilac Cottage. This building is not suitable for children's events.





## BASKET MAKING

### Twill Curls Basket #30603304

Adult 12+

This market basket has natural spokes and a "D" style handle. Woven with natural and dyed reed. The middle section of the basket is woven in a twill pattern. The basket is finished with a curl X'ing pattern accent. Students will have a choice of dyed reed to weave with. Basket measures 6" X 8" X 6-1/2" tall. Material fee \$20.00 due to instructor Sandy Bulgrin at the first class.

LC TU 5/10 & 5/17 6-8:30pm Reg by 5/3 \$30/\$35 -1A

### Judy's Braided Counter Basket #30603304

Adult 12+

This unique basket is woven with a 6-1/2" square hoop. Woven with natural spokes and weavers, the basket is finished off with a scalloped braided rim in dyed Reed. Students will have their choice of colors. Basket measures 6-1/2" X 5" X 3-1/2" tall not including handle. Material fee \$18.00 due to instructor Sandy Bulgrin at the first class.

LC TU 7/12 & 7/19 6-8pm Reg by 7/5 \$30/\$35 -2A

## HAT MAKING

### Hat Making - Straw #30603306

Adult

Now you can learn the secrets and millinery techniques that hat makers never wanted to share. This two day hat making workshop will provide beginners and advance students with professional techniques to make and refine your millinery skills. You will experience hands on construction techniques with high quality material on wooden hat blocks. Learn how straw is manipulated to create professional hats with very little sewing. It will be fun, self-rewarding and can be profitable. Workshop fee includes materials for making one straw hat. Embellishments are not included and can be bought from the instructor Linda Crawford. Saturday 10-5pm and Sunday 2-6pm.

LC SA&SU 6/25&26 Varies Reg by 6/18 \$285/\$315 -1A

## WEAVING

All weaving classes may be taken with a partner and you share the cost and the loom. Ages 12-15 may take the class with an adult. Materials fee of \$25 due to instructor Carol Kapheim Want to learn to weave but these times don't work? Call 847-360-4746 or email dcarl@waukeganparks.org

### Learn to Weave (No Warp)

#30603302

Age 16+ (12-15 w/Adult)

Experience the relaxation of weaving. The only prep work for this class is picking your colors. Join instructor Carol Kapheim and work on the "Rose Path" pattern. Materials fee \$25. Time Saturday 9am-3pm and Sunday 2-6.

VAC SA&SU 7/30 & 7/31 Varies Reg by 7/23 \$200/\$225 -1A

### Learn to Weave #30603302

Age 16+ (12-15 w/Adult)

Have some fun weaving on a four-shaft loom. You will learn how to use the loom: from planning a project, preparing the loom, to finishing. This class is suitable for beginning/first time to intermediate students. In the class you will make either a scarf or a sampler. Supply list is available online and at the Jack Benny Center. The class times for the July Class are Saturdays 9am-3pm and Sunday is 2-5pm.

VAC SA/SU 7/16, 23&24 Varies Reg by 7/16 \$200/\$225 -2A

VAC SA/SU 8/13, 14&20 10am-3pm Reg by 8/6 \$200/\$225 -3A

### Intermediate Weaving

#30603302

Age 16+ (12-15 w/Adult)

Already know how to warp a loom. Take this class and receive assistance in planning your next project.

VAC SA/SU 8/20, 21&27 10am-3pm Reg by 8/13 \$200/\$225 -4A

# ARTIST DEMONSTRATIONS

Come to Bowen Park on  
June 4 from 11am-6pm  
to see artist demonstrations at  
Dandelion Wine Fine Arts Festival



## Dance Studio

Dance is a skill and students should expect to take the same class multiple times to master the skills needed to improve. Students may be moved to different class based on dance skills. For all dance studio classes please wear shoes with non-marking soles.

**Family Discount (FD):** First pays the fee listed and the second and all following pay \$10 less than the listed price. This discount works between classes taught by the same instructor. This discount is noted at the end of the description – FDinstructor's last name.

**Ballet Uniform:** Students enrolled in pre-ballet and ballet are expected to wear the following uniform to every class. Female uniform is black leotard, black or pink tights and ballet shoes. Male uniform is tight black pants, black t-shirt and ballet shoes.

**Pre-Ballet #30604101** Age 3-4  
Pre-Ballet helps students' progress through the various stages in preparation for ballet. Students are introduced to the basic positions and steps. FDMiller  
JBC WE 6/8-7/27 4:45-5:30pm Reg by 6/1 \$77/\$85 -1A

**Ballet #30604201** Age 5-8  
Ballet serves to foster and maintain both strength and flexibility, and develop an extension in range of motion in the body. Along with learning the technique of ballet, students learn discipline and grace. FDMiller  
JBC WE 6/8-7/27 5:30-6:30pm Reg by 6/1 \$77/\$85 -1A

**Hip Hop #30604403** Age 5-12  
Students will learn moves that include break dancing, pop-locking, and combination steps. Body rolls, slides, turns, and footwork are incorporated into this style of dance. Join instructor Lydia Miller in a fun-filled dance experience. FDMiller  
JBC WE 6/8-7/27 6:30-7:30pm Reg by 6/1 \$77/\$85 -1A

**Ballet for Fitness #30604316** Adult  
Ballet for Fitness uses classic ballet poses and postures to help you stay fit while improving your balance and co-ordination. Students should wear yoga pants or similar, a plain t-shirt and ballet shoes. FDMiller  
JBC WE 6/8-7/27 7:30-8:30pm Reg by 6/1 \$77/\$85 -1A

**Dance Madness #30604311** Adult  
High energy dancing and stretching going from low to high intensity, as your body allows. Different styles each week. Bring gym shoes, water, and a towel. FDMcAllister  
JBC TU 6/7-7/26 5-5:50pm Reg by 5/31 \$77/\$85 -1A

**Dance Improvisation #30604312** Adult  
Develop performance and compositional skill through the exploration and analysis of basic dance elements including time, shape, space, motion and dynamics. FDMcAllister  
JBC TU 6/7-7/26 6-6:50pm Reg by 5/31 \$69/\$75 -1A

**Lyrical Hip Hop #30604313** Adult  
Dance the feelings of the songs and work on finding your inner improvisation performance abilities while learning dance and getting a workout. FDMcAllister  
JBC TU 6/7-7/26 7-7:50pm Reg by 5/31 \$69/\$75 -1A



**Tai Chi Chuan #30309301** Adult  
An introduction to Tai Chi Chuan, a Chinese martial art, and ancient system of movement and meditation. Slow stretching and gentle exercises will bring increased strength, flexibility, deep sense of serenity and helps relieve stress and promotes a sense of physical and mental well-being. Instructor: Bob Schwartz.  
JBC MO 6/13-8/8\* 7-8:30pm Reg by 6/6 \$64/\$75 -1A  
\*No class 7/4

**Yoga #30604310** Adult  
Jacquelyn Cotey is a certified yoga instructor who will guide students in a program that is a combination of Eastern tradition-Hatha Yoga and contemporary western exercise physiology. It is designed to offer a relaxing environment and instruction will help you meet the demands of your busy lifestyle and your changing needs. Please wear loose, comfortable clothing and bring along a yoga mat and a pillow to each class.  
JBC TH 7/14-9/1\* 7-8:15pm Reg by 7/7 \$80/\$90 -1A  
\*No class 8/11

**Private Dance Classes**  
Private Dance lessons are available. Call 847-360-4740 for more details and to set up private or semi-private classes. Typically 8 one hour long classes for \$200.

For more information on Dance Studio classes, please call the Jack Benny Center for the Arts at 847-360-4740.

