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# COMMUNITY EDUCATION

## MINI-CASSIA CENTER

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*Look Forward to  
Learning Something New!*



## Birds in Watercolor

This 5-week watercolor course is dedicated to painting birds, designed for artists of all experience and levels. Throughout this course, we'll explore techniques needed to capture vibrant colors, textures, and unique character of different bird species. From songbirds to majestic birds of prey, you'll learn how to bring these subjects to life through detailed brushwork, color layering, and washes of color.

A supply list will be sent upon registration, or a convenient supply kit will be available for purchase for \$75, making it easy for you to access quality materials without any hassle. **Th ● Jan 23 – Feb 20 ● 10am – 12pm ● CSI MC Center ● Leslie Lambert ● \$175 ● Ages 16+**

## Intermediate Firearm Shooting

This class is designed for the experienced handgun owner who wants to build on their existing skills to improve marksmanship and stance. Reduce shooter anxiety and build confidence by improving knowledge, skill, and attitude necessary for responsible and safe firearm handling. This course is taught by instructor Sgt. Tony Bernad and will be held at a local indoor range. You must furnish your own handgun that is compliant with the concealed weapon laws, 300 rounds of ammunition, holster, safety glasses, ear protection (participants will need to arrange their own transportation and sack lunch). You will be required to show proof of prior completion of a Basic Handgun Safety or Concealed Firearms course at time of registration. You will be provided with a Certificate of Completion at the end of class. Participants must be age 18 or older to participate. Space is limited to 10 participants and pre-registration is required.

**W ● Feb 12<sup>th</sup> ● 6pm – 10pm ● Minidoka Indoor Range ● Sgt. Tony Bernad ● \$120 + range fee to be paid at range site**



## Introduction to Using AI (Artificial Intelligence)

Join us as we dive into the exciting world of Artificial Intelligence! This course is designed for learners who are beginners to AI and want to better understand machine and deep learning, how to write good prompts, and how to apply it in their daily lives. We will explore AI tools, techniques, and applications for a variety of personal and professional tasks while discussing the ethical challenges of using this innovative technology. Although no AI experience is necessary, this is not a beginning computer course. **M ● Feb 24<sup>th</sup> – Mar 17<sup>th</sup> ● 6pm – 7:30pm ● CSI MC Center ● Dr. Rick Parker ● \$45 ● Ages 16+**



## Fun with Florals and Watercolors

In this playful watercolor class, we'll explore exciting techniques like pouring, spraying, and blowing paint to uncover and create beautiful floral designs through the art of negative painting. This class is perfect for artists of all levels—from beginners who want to dive into watercolors to advanced painters looking for a fresh and fun approach. Get ready to embrace spontaneity and discover unexpected blooms as we experiment with color, texture, and fluidity. All you need is an open mind and a love for creativity! A supply list will be sent upon registration, or a convenient supply kit will be available for purchase for \$45, making it easy for you to access quality materials without any hassle.

**Th ● Mar 6 – Apr 10<sup>th</sup> (no class Mar 27<sup>th</sup>) ● 10am—2pm ● CSI MC Center ● Leslie Lambert ● \$175 ● Ages 16+**

## **The Science of Pizza and French Fries!**

Learn the science behind pizza and french fries with Dr. Rick Parker. We will be rolling out fresh dough and topping our pizzas with our favorite toppings, and then we will bake our individual creations! Learn about what goes into our favorite pizza and the science it involves. We will also be making french fries to go with our pizza and learning about our famous Idaho potatoes. This class is for children ages 8 and up. Space is limited and pre-registration is mandatory so that instructor can purchase materials.

**W ● Mar 26<sup>th</sup> (Spring Break!) ● 1-3:30 p.m. ● CSI MC Center  
Dr. Rick Parker ● \$20 ● Ages 8+**



## **Emergency Preparedness**

Emergency preparedness means gaining the knowledge and skills needed to effectively respond to various types of emergencies and disasters. The course will discuss different types of emergencies and the importance of being prepared and identifying potential risks that create a need for emergency preparedness. Topics covered will include: essential items to be included in a personal emergency kit; creating an emergency kit for your car; food and other items to obtain for home preparedness; inventorying, using and rotating food items; communication during an emergency; first aid and basic medical skills; community preparedness; and resources and training for emergency preparedness.

**M ● 6pm – 8pm ● April 7<sup>th</sup> – April 28<sup>th</sup> ● CSI MCC ● Dr. Rick Parker ● \$120**



## **Enhanced Concealed Weapons**

Learn the basics of safe handgun ownership and get informed about the rights and responsibilities you have if you carry a handgun. This class will cover basic safety, ownership laws, and the requirements for an enhanced concealed weapon license in Idaho. You will be provided with a Certificate of Completion and all the forms you will need to apply for a concealed weapons permit at the sheriff's office upon completion of the class. You must furnish your own handgun that is compliant with the concealed weapon laws, 100 rounds of ammunition, safety glasses, and ear protection. Morning class instruction will take place at the Cassia County Sheriff's Office Training Room – 129 East 14th street in Burley. Afternoon range instruction will take place at the shooting range in Declo (participants will need to arrange their own transportation and sack lunch). Participants must be age 18 or older to participate. Participants who are 18 will be able to apply for the standard concealed weapons permit and then upon turning 21 will have earned the enhanced concealed permit.

**S ● April 12<sup>th</sup> ● 8 am - 5 pm ● Cassia County Sheriff's Office/Declo  
Shooting Range Sgt. T. Bernad ● \$120**



## **Watercolor Florals: A Mother's Day Gift from the Heart**

Celebrate the special bond with your mom in this delightful 3-hour watercolor class! Whether you're painting alongside her or creating a beautiful floral artwork as a gift, this class is perfect for everyone, regardless of experience. We'll guide you step-by-step through the process of painting a simple, elegant floral piece, making it fun and accessible for all skill levels. All supplies are included—just bring your creativity and love for art! Join us for a memorable and relaxing session that's perfect for spending time with or thinking of Mom.

**Th ● May 1<sup>st</sup> ● 5:30pm – 8pm ● CSI MC Center ● Leslie Lambert ● \$55 single/\$88  
couple (includes supplies and treats) ● Ages 12+**

# 3 Easy Ways to Register!



## Online

View our classes at <https://communityed.csi.edu/> and to Register and Pay click the "Mini-Cassia (Burley) Camps/Classes" button located near the top of the page The direct registration website is: <https://csi.augusoft.net/>



## By Phone

Call (208) 678-1400 and have your course info and credit or debit card ready



## In Person

Stop by the CSI Mini-Cassia Center at 1600 Parke Avenue in Burley. You can pay with check, cash, or card

**Confirmation** | Once you have registered and paid for a class, a confirmation email will be sent to you that will also include any additional information such as supply fees and notes of what you might need to bring for your class.

**Supply Fees** | Supply fees must be paid to the instructor directly during the first class Session. Please have exact cash ready for them.

**Cancellation Policy** | CSI Community Education classes are held based upon the number students that have enrolled and paid. A class may be cancelled if a minimum enrollment number is not met 48 hours prior to a class start date. If a decision is made to cancel a class, students will be notified via telephone or email 24 hours prior to the first class session

**Cancellation Refunds** | If a class is cancelled, a 100% refund of registration fees will be given. Refunds will be issued in the student's name in the form of a check from the College of Southern Idaho. Please allow 2 to 4 weeks for processing

**Dropping a Community Education Class** | If you are unable to attend, please call our center to drop the class. No refunds will be given on or after the class start date. If you need to drop your class, you can do so on our online registration site or by calling (208) 678-1400. Students will be charged for all classes they have registered for unless they drop the class 24 hours prior to the first session. No refunds or credits will be given on or after the start date of class.



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