



2019 WINTER SCHEDULE OF CLASSES, WORKSHOPS & EVENTS

For the maker and curious creative looking for new artistic expressions, Paper Seahorse classes are modern and fun. All materials always included. Bring an open heart and mind. Learn something new and make with your hands, give from the heart. Register online and visit www.paperseahorse.com for updates. Please make sure to read our class policies.
ASK TO BOOK A PRIVATE CLASS PARTY OR EVENT.

EVENTS

SPECIAL EVENT: Florida Origami Group Meet-up, FREE and open to the public

Have you always wanted to try this ancient art of paper folding? Have you been folding in solitude? Have you tried to watch a video or read a pattern only to be frustrated? Or maybe you already fold and want to learn new models with fun and interesting people? Then we have the group for you! The Tampa Bay/Florida Origami Group invites you to its inaugural meeting. Our mission is to spread the joys of folding to all ages. No experience necessary. All supplies and refreshments provided, feel free to bring anything that you would like to share (paper, books, snacks, donations, etc.) Please be warned, folding paper is addictive, meditative and highly enjoyable. **Please RSVP** so we know how many to prepare for!

January 19th Saturday 10am to 12pm, FREE

February 16th Saturday 10am to 12pm, FREE

SPECIAL EVENT: Tampa Bay Letter Writer's Social, FREE and open to the public

Calling anyone who loves writing and keeping in touch. This group is dedicated to anyone who is interested in letter writing, snail mail and mail art. Our goal is to keep putting pen to paper, typing and the written word alive. This includes all forms of correspondence. We look forward to meeting everyone and bringing the joys of letter writing to as many folks as possible. Everybody brings something to share: either a snack or extra letter writing supplies—cards, paper, stamps, envelopes, labels. Our January activity will be writing letters to our future selves. Will you join us?

January 25th Friday 6:30pm to 8:30pm, FREE

February 23rd Saturday 10:00am to 12:00pm, FREE

PAPERCRAFT CLASSES

Handmade Valentines

Nothing says I Love You more than a handmade Valentine's card. We will use vintage and modern materials to create as many love notes as you wish. Make it a lovely craft morning with your friends; we provide materials, tea, cookies and savories. P.S. I love you.
Teacher — Amanda Doyle

February 2nd Saturday 11:00am to 1:00pm, \$30

WRITING & JOURNALING CLASSES

Gratitude Journaling

“When you are grateful fear disappears and abundance appears.”

This quote by Anthony Robbins reminds us that we can be happy, we just need to recognize what we do have. Did you know that it is a scientific fact when you are appreciative, you cannot be down or sad? It is impossible for the brain to be both at the same time! Starting a regular gratitude journaling practice is a game changer. It will help you be more mindful and allow you to receive.

In this class, your kit will have everything to start and design your very own journal. You will also learn techniques to begin the positive habit of journaling. Gratefulness starts here. Teacher – Tona Bell

January 5th Saturday 10am to 12pm, \$55

Improve Your Handwriting

Do you avoid writing because you don't like your handwriting? Do you want to write more but your hand gets tired? Could your cursive use a refresh? This could be the class for you. We will cover the basics of handwriting: print, cursive, and anything in between. You will learn hints and tips to help you fall in love with your writing. Your penmanship and signature are as personal as your fingerprint. It is unique to you and only you. Learn to love your handwritten self. Includes all kit materials: practice sheets, pencil and pen. Suitable for everyone, ages 10 and up. Teacher — Tona Bell and Risha Roa

Please note: This class does not teach cursive to beginners. It is designed to help improve students' existing cursive handwriting.

January 12th Saturday 10:00am to 12:00pm, \$45

Typewriter 101

Welcome to the Typosphere. In this interactive, hands-on class you will learn about the typewriter renaissance, type-ins, zines, street poets, typewriter rodeos, typewriter art and typewriter symphonies. All participants will experience typing on restored, vintage machines from the 1920s to the 1970s. Each one is different and some have unusual fonts like cursive and techno. Ever think about buying a typewriter? Learn how to use a typewriter, how to maintain one, and what to look for in buying a typewriter. Each participant will receive a copy of the Typewriter 101 'zine filled with resources, references and inspiration. Teacher — Randy Rosenthal

February 16th — Saturday 2:00pm to 4:00pm, \$25

CREATE CHANGE NOW® SELF-DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

Goal Setting: Manifest Your Dreams

Make this your best year yet! It all starts with asking for what you want. You can create your own reality! Setting goals and intentions through words and images can create profound personal change. Creative visualization helps manifest your dreams and make them real. Visual affirmations are so powerful you will be inspired immediately. Make time for yourself and your new truth. #selfdiscovery #bestyearyet #ikigai Teacher — Tona Bell

January 9th Wednesday 6:30pm to 9:00pm, \$45

Finding Your Ikigai Workshop

What truly moves you? What do you love so much that you would do it even if you did not get paid? How would you describe what makes you get out of bed in the morning? The answer to these questions is your Ikigai. Finding the core of who you are and what moves your soul can change your outlook on life. It can give you more satisfaction personally and professionally. Wouldn't that be wonderful? In this day-long workshop we will explore and discover what really makes you tick. Your ikigai will help you live a more authentic rewarding life. Start living out loud now. All materials included. Bring a bag lunch or visit a nearby restaurant during the lunch break. Teachers: Tona Bell and Randy Rosenthal

February 17th — Sunday 10am to 5pm, \$175

CALLIGRAPHY & LETTERING CLASSES

Creative Lettering

News Flash! Great hand lettering does NOT require good handwriting - lettering is for everyone! What a fun, easy way to bring a creative flair to your letters, gifts, journals, home, and more. The spirit of this class is all about relaxing and enjoying yourself creatively - no pressure, no perfection! It's the perfect after-work class - a chance to unplug and give your brain some playtime. We'll talk about what defines hand lettering, different lettering styles, and some of the ways we can use our newfound skills. Then we'll practice different styles, and learn how to create our very own! Hand lettering has endless applications and you'll leave this class thinking, "I could write on that!" Teacher – Emily Wagner

January 19th Saturday 2pm to 4:30pm, \$55

Intro to Brush Pen Calligraphy

Brush pen calligraphy is a great way for beginners to learn the foundations of pointed pen calligraphy without being intimidated by traditional pens, nibs, or inks. This class is a great complement to Just A Dip - which features ink and nib. In this class you will learn the fundamental technique to pointed pen calligraphy but use a brush pen to achieve the distinct thin and thick strokes characteristic of modern calligraphy. Brush pens are a great tool to use for on-the-go creativity. In this class you will learn how to hold a brush pen along with the basic strokes to create letterforms, and we'll work towards combining those letterforms to make words and sentences. The versatility of this type of calligraphy is endless! At the end of class you'll leave with two beginner-friendly brush pens, take-home guide sheets, and the know-how to continue your calligraphy journey. Teacher — Risha Roa
January 20th Sunday 1:30pm-5:00pm, \$70

Tombow Brush Pen Lettering 101

Are you interested in hand lettering but not sure where to begin? Have you seen the pretty lettering all over social media and in the stores and want to try to do it yourself? Do you have bad handwriting and are afraid to try to learn hand lettering? Then this class is for you! In this basics class, you will learn how to hold a Tombow brush pen along with the basic strokes needed to create letters. You will also learn how to letter the alphabet and then connect those letters to make words. This is a great introduction to get your feet wet with the Tombow brush markers. At the end of the class, you'll leave with your own brush pens, practice sheets and the confidence to continue lettering! Note: this is different than the Brush Pen Calligraphy technique class. Teacher: Amanda Kammarada

February 9th Saturday 10am to 12:30pm, \$60

Hand Lettering 101

Learn the basics of hand lettering. Whether you're just getting started or looking for tips to take your typographic work to the next level, this class is for you. In this class, you'll learn lettering fundamentals, including basic terminology and how to use basic lettering tools. Getting inspiration from typefaces, you'll learn how to draw several different lettering styles and use specimen sheets to help you reproduce the details and characteristics of different typefaces. We'll look at how to intentionally combine different lettering styles and create solid compositions as well as discover how to sketch lettering guides. You'll walk away with your very own hand lettered piece and the understanding of how to apply your new skills to keep creating. Teacher — Leo Gomez

February 9th Saturday 1:30pm to 4:30pm, \$65

Just a Dip: Introduction to Modern Calligraphy (Beginners)

If you're interested in learning pointed pen calligraphy with a modern twist, or just want to try something new - this class is for you! This class is geared toward beginners. Even if you have never picked up a calligraphy pen before don't be intimidated — we'll cover the basics, including prepping your pen to take its first dip, understanding ink flow and pressure essential to pointed pen calligraphy, and the creation of basic script letterforms. Infused in this class will be the basic foundation to this centuries-old form of art, which will provide you with a solid starting place in creating modern calligraphy with your own style. You will walk away with the ability to replicate or produce your own lowercase alphabet, and the encouragement to practice and develop your own lettering style — all without having to have perfect handwriting! Basic supplies for this class will be provided and kits will be available for purchase if you'd like to practice your calligraphy at home (which is totally encouraged!). Teacher — Risha Roa

February 10th Sunday 9:30am to 12:30pm, \$65

Let's Write on Stuff: Learn Faux Calligraphy

Disclaimer: faux calligraphy or hand-lettered calligraphy can be very addicting! Learn the basic concept of pressure application to mimic the "look" essential to calligraphy. Once you've grasped the fundamentals of hand-lettered calligraphy you can apply it to a multitude of surfaces, not just paper. Each class will apply their new faux calligraphy skills to different surfaces such as mirrors, glass, or wood — you'll see that you can hand-letter on just about anything! You will get to take home a few projects so be sure to think of a short quote or mantra to hand-letter. Teacher: Risha Roa

February 10th Sunday 1:30pm to 3:30pm, \$65

Watercolor Lettering

Take your lettering up a notch by using watercolors! In this class, you will learn how to letter with a water brush and watercolors. You'll learn the basic strokes and get comfortable lettering the alphabet. We will connect letters to form words and learn color blending techniques. At the end of the class, you'll leave with a waterbrush, watercolors, practice sheets and a colorful piece to display.

*** THE FINE PRINT/OUR POLICIES:**

Registration required for all classes. Please register for all classes either on the phone, in the studio, or online – space is limited and some classes fill up quickly. We need a minimum number of students to hold any class. Payment is due in full when registering.

We have a 48-hour cancellation period prior to the start of the class. Proper notice helps teachers plan and allows others to take the class. A full refund will be given with proper notice. However, if you do not give notice, there will be no refund. There are no make-up classes. Paper Seahorse reserves the right to cancel a class at any time. If this happens you will be refunded or can sign up for the next class available.

Classes start promptly on time. Please arrive a few minutes early to get settled. If you arrive 15+ minutes after the class starts, you will have to reschedule and there will be no refund. Classes are appropriate for ages 13 and up, unless otherwise noted.

Private, Group Lessons And Parties Available

If you are unavailable to attend a scheduled class, we can hold any class on the schedule with a minimum of five students. Private party classes have a minimum of six students and a maximum of 12. Want to have a girls' night out? A friends' crafternoon? We offer birthday parties (adults/kids) wedding and baby showers, too. Contact us today to set up your next class via phone: 813.251.8096, email: hello@paperseahorse.com or better yet, stop in the studio, we'd love to meet you!

ABOUT THE PAPER SEAHORSE

The Paper Seahorse is a paperie + a makerie. Creativity and mindfulness is our specialty. Curating handwritten and handmade experiences, we are dedicated to celebrating the creative spirit and the makers. From stationery finds, creative classes and special events, we have the tools to help you digitally detox. Mindfulness starts here with us.

Paperie: Specialty Stationery

We offer a carefully curated collection of modern and nostalgic goods for the art of writing, paper and presentation. These include: stationery, letterpress, custom and handmade invitations, gift wrap, writing instruments and accessories.

Makerie: Creative Classes

For the maker and curious creative looking for new creative expressions, Paper Seahorse classes are modern and fun. These classes are also perfect for girls' night out, date night, parties and special events. All materials and refreshments are included. Bring an open heart and mind. Learn something new, make with your hands, give from the heart. We also offers pop-up events, wedding and baby showers as well as birthday parties for kids little and big.

Tampa Type: Typewriter Experiences

Our signature "writing bar" consists of a curated selection of typewriters from the 20's to the 70's ready for creating. We also specialize in customizing typewriter rentals for photo shoots props/display and parties. Tampa Type has the largest inventory of restored vintage typewriters for sale in Florida. Tampa Type's permanent home is The Paper Seahorse.

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