March 2020 Workshops

WS-0300 Flute-Private lessons
With Lynn Wilford, 4 forty min. lessons by appt only, Room 15 or 34 TBD, M$112 NM$118
4 forty minute private lessons in a month to help students learn the flute. Potential students need inquire at The Learning Place and the Instructor will call student to set up a time before the student pays and registers for the lessons.

WS-0305 Paint Pouring Adventure:
Swiping Using Everyday Objects
With Pam Schmidt, Fri. 3/6/20, 1-3:30pm, Room 16/17, M $25 NM $28
This advanced-level workshop is for those who have taken the pre-requisite Paint Pouring Adventures: The Basics. Students will learn the beautiful swiping technique in this hands-on workshop by using some everyday objects provided by the instructor. Come on the adventure known as Acrylic Paint Pouring, the techniques that are taking the world by storm. You will quickly become addicted to this art form and amazed at the beautiful patterns that you will create. This is the ultimate in controlled chaos, and you never have to pick up a brush. Your hands and the paint will do all the work. You will learn the different techniques and also learn how to manipulate the canvas to alter the flow and shape of your artwork. Join in on the fun and adventure! There is a supply list and $25 fee to Instructor for supplies she will provide. Max 12

WS-0320 Staghorn Ferns
With Kate Preston, Weds, 3/11/20, 9-10:30am Gazebo M$15 NM$18
Join us for a hands-on demonstration of how to divide and propagate Staghorn ferns. During this class, you will learn what Staghorns are, how to grow them and many creative ways that they can be displayed. Starter Staghorn ferns will be available for purchase. These make great gifts for the holidays for friends and loved ones. Kate will demonstrate how to add an orchid, rhipsalis or Hoya to your work of Art. Kate is a Botanist and former curator of Ferns, cycads and economic Plant collections at the US Botanic Garden in DC. Kate also started the staghorn collection at the Peace River Botanical and Sculpture Gardens in Punta Gorda. Email her at staghornfernart@gmail.com for additional information.

(C) WS-0325 Intro to Cloud Computing
With John Pappa, Saturday, 3/14/20, 12:30-3pm, Con L, $25 (Non-members $28)
What is the Cloud? Where is the Cloud? Are we in the Cloud now? These are all questions you’ve probably heard or even asked yourself. The term “Cloud computing” is everywhere. Cloud computing can be done anywhere, anytime. Come to this workshop to get a better understanding of what “The Cloud” is, why it matters and whether it is useful to you. All three flavors of Cloud Computing; including Windows, Google, and Apple. Students may want to bring pen and paper to take notes. Max 15

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**WS-0330 Identity Protection**
With Kathy Shepard, Weds. 3/18/20, Room 20, M $10 NM $13
What would you do if you woke up tomorrow and your identity was stolen?! Become educated regarding your personal identity and protecting yourself. Discussion can be geared toward personal interest of the attendees. Optional: Bring pen and paper to take notes. Max 12

**WS-0335 Transform Yourself, Transform your Life**
With Tnia Garcia, Fri. 3/20/20, 10-11am, Room 20, M $10 NM $13
You can transform yourself and your life by freeing the true you, that natural energy within you. We choose how to think about ourselves, other people, other species the world and the planet. Our thoughts which are transformed into words have power to influence what we believe, how we feel and what we do. You don’t have to be a victim of the same thought patterns resulting in higher levels of stress, anxiety and feelings of powerlessness, which affect your relationships. You can enjoy mental clarity, emotional balance, personal power, and generosity in relationships. See and feel the ripple effects of your transformation in your life, with your partner, family, friends, and the workplace. Tania Garcia is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker and a Certified Integrative Mental Health and Medicine Provider and is the founder of the Back2Nature Center in Port Charlotte. Max 10

**WS-0365 Intro to Alcohol Ink Art**
With Rosana Halprine, Weds. 3/25/20, 9am-12pm, Room 18, M $30 NM $33
In this workshop, students will learn about the materials and supplies used in alcohol ink art. The instructor will demonstrate various techniques and the students will practice on scrap, photograph or yupo paper. The students will produce three alcohol ink masterpieces: one on yupo paper, one on photograph paper and the last piece on tile. $22 cash to Instructor for supplies. Max 20

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