

## Instant Piano for the Hopelessly Busy People



Forget about all those years of weekly lessons! Learn chords, not notes, in this fun beginning class in chord piano techniques, along with many insider secrets on how to embellish songs. If you can't read notes, send a SASE for a free pamphlet to Music Masters, 90 Molly Lane, Ringgold, GA, 30736. Instructor will collect \$25 in class for book & CD.

Date: Wednesday, March 18  
Instructor: David Haynes

Time: 6 - 9:30 PM  
Fee: \$59 (book and CD not included); after March 13 - \$69

## Exploring Acrylics

Don't think you can paint? Yes, you can! Join artist Dawn Miller for this introduction to acrylic painting and release the hidden artist in you. Learn how to choose a subject and colors, develop mood and create distance. Then explore the special abilities of acrylic paint. Discover how to use bold, thick colors on canvas and how to get the look of watercolors on paper. Dawn will show you how easy it is to repair mistakes and care for your brushes. Supplies not included. Supply list will be discussed on the first day of class.



Date: 5 Tuesdays, March 3 - 31  
Instructor: Dawn Miller

Time: 6:30 - 8:30 PM  
Fee: \$69 (supplies not included)

## Gardening Classes



Join VSU Horticulturalist Bobby Flowers for these gardening classes and help your spring garden come alive:

**Green Gardening:** Learn the secrets of "Green" composting and how it can provide important nutrients for your garden.

Date: Tuesday, March 3    Time: 11:30 AM - 1 PM    Fee: \$19 (includes lunch); after Feb. 26 - \$29

**Penny-Saving Perennials:** Learn what perennials grow best in our South Georgia climate and discover how to choose annuals that really compliment your perennials.

Date: Tuesday, March 10    Time: 11:30 AM - 1 PM    Fee: \$19 (includes lunch); after Mar. 5 - \$29

**Spring Into Landscaping:** Learn tips on how to bring your landscape alive and maintain it during the growing season.

Date: Tuesday, March 24    Time: 11:30 AM - 1 PM    Fee: \$19 (includes lunch); after Mar. 19 - \$29

**Take all three classes for one special price - \$50 (includes lunch).**

Skipping lunch? Attend a session without lunch for \$12.

Multiple class discount does not apply.

### Looking for More? Contact Us...

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## Lights! Camera! Action!

Grab your camcorder and learn to make great home videos your friends and family will not snooze through! Discover tips and techniques for good picture composition, lighting, audio, hand-held and focus. Find out how to use white balance for good color. Bring your camcorder and instruction book (if you have one) with you. Don't have a camcorder? Come learn what you should know before you purchase. Now take your lens cap off and get ready to shoot!

Date: Thursday, March 12  
Instructor: Bill Muntz

Time: 6 - 9 PM  
Fee: \$39; after

## 30 Minute Meals

Don't know what to make for dinner? Let Chef Todd show you how to save time and money with his "10 Ingredients in 30 Minutes or Less" meal ideas. Learn how to use common items you already have in your pantry and refrigerator to prepare healthy and delicious meals fit for a king! Come ready to sample.

Date: Thursday, March 12  
Instructor: Todd Redfern

Time: 6 - 9 PM  
Fee: \$39; after March 9 - \$49



## Online Courses

New sessions beginning every month, schedule of courses available at our website, [www.valdosta.edu/conted/online.shtml](http://www.valdosta.edu/conted/online.shtml)

### Achieving Success with Difficult People

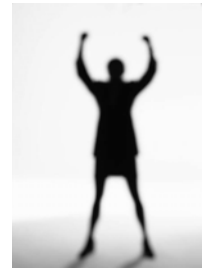
Do you know people whose behavior makes completing even the simplest tasks difficult? Would you like to learn how to have more successful relationships with difficult bosses, co-workers, students, neighbors or family members? Join this class and get helpful information for understanding yourself, solving people problems, and improving your relationships and personal and professional productivity.

**Requirements:** Internet access, E-mail, and the Microsoft Internet Explorer or Mozilla Firefox Web browser.

Dates: New sessions starting March 18 and April 15  
access 24/7.  
Location: Online

Time: At your convenience! Online

Fee: \$85



### Personal Finance

This course will prepare you for a lifetime of worthwhile personal financial planning. The tools you will learn are useful, realistic, and easy to work into your regular routine. They will help you gain control over the financial impact of the choices you make. You'll learn to create and use a budget, borrow and invest wisely, make intelligent decisions about insurance, and plan for your financial future. You'll develop a retirement savings plan, and you'll be better prepared to make large purchases and plan for taxes. You'll learn the essentials of household bookkeeping, record-keeping requirements, and much, much more.

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### Write Your Life Story

It's your story. It's time to write it so you can tell history, share your secrets and successes, and better understand yourself. Learn what it takes to write essays, a legacy letter (sometimes called an ethical will), a memoir, an autobiography or the story of a loved one's life in simple, easy steps that will get you ready for whatever you want to tell. It's fun, it's exciting and it's your truth. The step-by-step process begins with capturing ideas and ends by providing all the tools to tell the stories in your life.

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