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♥ Spring For the Love of Mason Jars
♣ Summer Camp for Adults



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WORKSHOP REGISTRATION:

Register Early. Classes will be cancelled if they do not meet the minimum enrollment by 6 business days prior to the start of a new session. The Collin County Farm Museum reserves the right to cancel, combine or reschedule any class. Instructors may alter the class schedule during a session to accommodate holidays or emergencies. These changes will be announced on the Collin County Farm Museum's Facebook page. "Like" us and keep informed!



From the Museum Coordinator

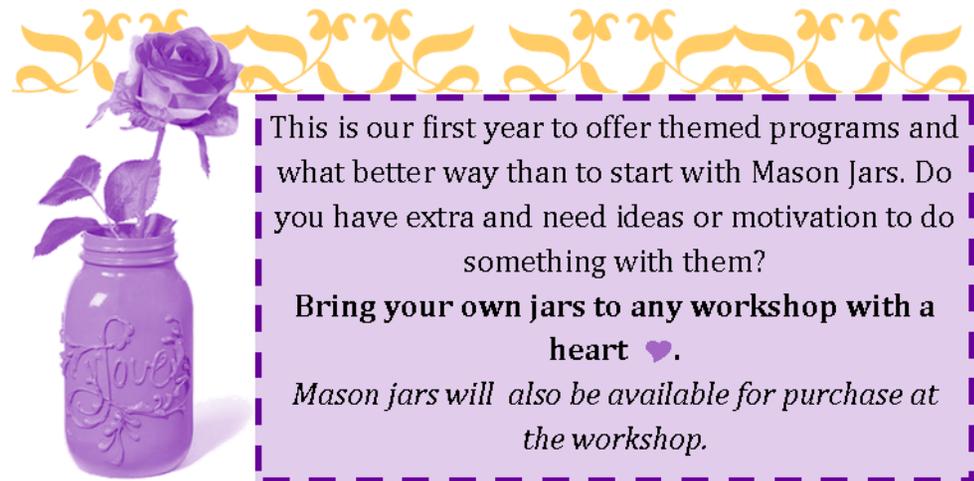
More and more people are reconnecting with historic skills of our rural past for a variety of reasons. Some want to reconnect with their grandparents and better understand how people used to live and thrived. Some have their own farms and desire a more ‘natural’ way of living. Then there are those who are survivalist who believe in being prepared for anything.

Regardless of reasons, all agree that there is much in this world that we take for granted. It is hard to imagine that basic activities, such as making butter or composting, was commonplace up until the 1960s. As commodities and commercialization changed so did the public's perception of food and goods. Those things that used to belong to the realm of the home and farm, now originate at the marketplace. This is exemplified whenever I give a tour to a school group and ask the question, “Where does your food come from?” The answer is invariably, “The store.”

Whether or not people use the skills they learn in our workshops everyday is not important. However, learning these skills ensures the survival of our rural traditions.

Thank You!

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This is our first year to offer themed programs and what better way than to start with Mason Jars. Do you have extra and need ideas or motivation to do something with them?

Bring your own jars to any workshop with a heart ♥.

Mason jars will also be available for purchase at the workshop.

♥ For the Love of Mason Jars All Ages!

	PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FEE
	♥ Let's Feed the Birds!	Mar. 26, 2016	10—11 am	\$5
	♥ Let's Hang the Jars!	Apr. 2, 2016	10—11 am	\$5
	♥ Let's Make Candles!	Apr. 9, 2016	10—11 am	\$5
	♥ Let's Make a Terrarium!	Apr. 23, 2016	10—11 am	\$5
	♥ Let's Monogram, "It's Mine"!	Apr. 30, 2016	10—11 am	\$5
	♥ Let's Make Ice Cream!	May 28, 2016	10—11 am	\$5



Spring Programs

Workshops are predominately for adults and youths older than 10 years old unless otherwise stated.

Register Early. Classes will be cancelled if they do not meet the minimum enrollment by 12 business days prior to the start of the workshop or craft activity. The Collin County Farm Museum reserves the right to cancel, combine or reschedule any class.

Age Limits. Students younger than 16 years old, who meet the minimum age requirement for the workshop, must be accompanied by an adult who is also taking the workshop.

Antique Driving Classes

PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FEE	LIMIT
1911 Ford Model T Driving: Part 1 *Must have valid drivers license	Mar. 5 2016	10-Noon 1—3 pm	\$10	6
1911 Ford Model T Driving: Part 2 *must have taken Part 1	Mar. 12, 2016	10-Noon 1—3 pm	-	6
Antique Tractor Driving Class *Must be 10 years or older & 47" tall	May 21, 2015	1—3 pm	\$10	6

Basket Weaving 13+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FEE	LIMIT
Market Basketry	Apr. 2, 2016	Noon—3 pm	\$40	6

Candle Making 10+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FEE	LIMIT
Traditional Tin Poured Candles	Apr. 9, 2016	Noon—3 pm	\$30	6

♥ Canning +13 years old & with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FEE	LIMIT
♥ Canning Asparagus: Pickling, Preserving, Pureeing	Apr. 5, 2016	3:30—5:30 pm 6:30—8:30 pm	\$20	6
♥ Canning Peas & Beans	Apr. 26, 2016	3:30—5:30 pm 6:30—8:30 pm	\$20	6

Cheese Workshops +13 years old & with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FEE	LIMIT
Hard Cheese—Colby *Prerequisite: Soft Cheese	Mar. 1, 2016	3:30—8:30 pm	\$40	4
♥ Marinated Cheeses	Apr. 6, 2016	3:30—5:30 pm 6:30—8:30 pm	\$30	8
Hard Cheese—Colby *Prerequisite: Soft Cheese	Apr. 12 2016	3:30—8:30 pm	\$40	4
Hard Cheese—Colby *Prerequisite: Soft Cheese	May 24, 2016	3:30—8:30 pm	\$40	4

Please pay attention to the **minimum age** and the request that youths must be **accompanied by an adult**.

Cooking 8+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FEE	LIMIT
♥ Baking with Mason Jars	Mar. 29, 2016	3:30—5:30 pm 6:30—8:30 pm	\$20	8
♥ Berry Butters in Jars	May 10, 2015	3:30—5:30 pm 6:30—8:30 pm	\$20	8
♥ Baking with Mason Jars	May 11, 2016	3:30—5:30 pm 6:30—8:30 pm	\$20	8
Make Your Own Recipe Book!	May 28, 2016	Noon—3 pm	\$30	6

Fiber Craft 8+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FEE	LIMIT
Intro. Rigid Heddle Loom, Weave a Scarf	Mar. 22, 2016	10 am—4 pm	\$105	4

Herbal Craft 8+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FEE	LIMIT
♥ Growing Herbs in Jars	Apr. 23, 2016	Noon—3 pm	\$30	6

Leather Craft 8+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FEE	LIMIT
♥ Leather Mason Jar Mug Holder	Apr. 30, 2015	Noon—3 pm	\$30	6

Soap Workshop 13+ years old with an adult

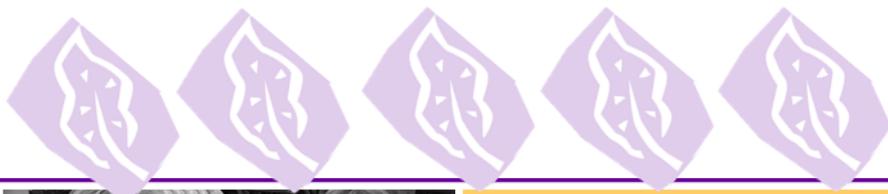
PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	FEE	LIMIT
**Soap Makers Club	Mar. 8, 2016	3:30—8:30 pm	\$10	N/A
**Soap Makers Club	Apr. 19, 2016	3:30—8:30 pm	\$10	N/A
♥ Liquid Soap & Mason Jar Soap Dispenser	Apr. 20, 2016	3:30—5:30 pm 6:30—8:30 pm	\$30	6

Model T •za Picnic and Open House

May 14, 2016 ~ 11 am to 2 pm ~ FREE Admission

The Collin County Farm Museum invites you to attend with your family for beautiful day of antique cars, rural crafts and outdoor food and games.





Summer Camps

Workshops are for
adults only.

Register Early!

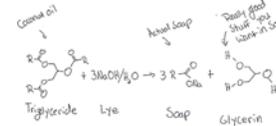
Camps will be canceled if minimum registration is not met by the June 17, 2016 deadline.

Thank you to everyone who filled out the survey regarding our Adult Summer Camp Programs. Your input and suggestions were very valuable to the development and layout of the programs. Many of you pushed for the inclusion of "Open Fire Cooking Classes" and after much discussion, the Farm Museum decided to not host this class during the summer. We are hoping to do a **Fall Adult Camp** in October that would feature open fire cooking as one of its activities. Tentative plans are for the camp to begin Friday from 6 to 9 pm. Attendees may have the option to tent camp on site. Camp would resume the following Saturday with a workshop from 1 to 4 pm and 5 to 8 pm. Final workshop to be held Sunday from 9 to Noon.

⚡ Soap Makers Camp

July 11-14, 2016

TIME	AGE	FEE	LIMIT
1 to 4 pm	18 years old and older	\$100	8
6 to 9 pm	18 years old and older	\$100	8



MONDAY

The Science of Soap & Making Your Mold

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Rebatched Soap



TUESDAY

Soap Safety & Making Hard Soaps

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Lip or Stick Balm



WEDNESDAY

Making Soft Soaps with Goats Milk & Olive Oil

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Sugar Scrub



THURSDAY

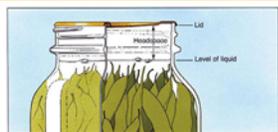
Shampoo Bars & Liquid Soaps

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Mason Jar Soap Dispenser

Homesteader's Pantry, Type A

July 18-21, 2016

TIME	AGE	FEE	LIMIT
1 to 4 pm	18 years old and older	\$100	8
6 to 9 pm	18 years old and older	\$100	8



MONDAY

Canning a Meal ~
Meat, Veggies & Sweets

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Freezer Jam



TUESDAY

Market Basketry
for Canned & Dry Goods

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Fishnet Knot Bag



WEDNESDAY

Traditional Tin Poured &
Hand Dipped Candles

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Emergency Mason Jar Candle



THURSDAY

18th Century Recipes &
Cooking

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Shrub, 18th Century Vinegar Drink

Homesteader's Pantry, Type B

July 25-28, 2016

TIME	AGE	FEE	LIMIT
1 to 4 pm	18 years old and older	\$100	8
6 to 9 pm	18 years old and older	\$100	8



MONDAY

Rag Rug Making &
Pattern Weaving

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Quick Kool Aid Dye



TUESDAY

Dehydrating Food &
Sugared Delicacies

*30 Minutes Activity ~
The Original Cup Cakes



WEDNESDAY

19th Century Recipes &
Cooking

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Shrub, 18th Century Vinegar Drink



THURSDAY

Kitchen Companion
Plants & Worm Compost

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Herb Bundles

🔪 Cheese Makers Camp August 1-4, 2016

TIME	AGE	FEE	LIMIT
1 to 4 pm	18 years old and older	\$100	8
6 to 9 pm	18 years old and older	\$100	8



MONDAY

Cream Rises ~ Butter, Sour Cream & Dessert Cheese

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Mason Jar Ice Cream



TUESDAY

2nd Stage Cheese ~
Cream Cheese & Labneh

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Battered Cheese Curds



WEDNESDAY

Feta Cheese &
Herbed Goat Chevre

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Marinated Cheese



THURSDAY

Intro. to Hard Cheese
Making & Samplers

*30 Minutes Activity ~
Pull-Apart Cheese Bread



The Farm Museum's Guinea Pigs

“Guinea pigs” has long been used as the colloquial term for test subjects. Though guinea pigs may not be the most common experimental subjects today, the term was actually coined in the 17th century when biological experimentations on guinea pigs began. This practice continued in the 19th and 20th century.

The Collin County Farm Museum has its own set of “guinea pigs.” These are the men and women who help me figure out what classes and workshops can be taught and how I can go about teaching them. While they are learning a new skill, they are also helping me fine tune my own teaching skills with positive feedback and useful criticism. Through their diligence and support of the Farm Museum’s educational programs, I am able to expand opportunities and topics to the general public.



Those attendees who come back again and again bring humor and fun problem solving to the table. They now have their own motto, “Make the mistakes here, so you can tell us how to fix it.” Gotta love their confidence in me!



REGISTRATION

If two times are listed, please circle the time you wish to sign up for!
Workshops with “heart” ♥ are part of “For the Love of Mason Jars” series. Remember to bring your mason jars to the program. If you forget your mason jars, we will have some for purchase.

3/1/16	Hard Cheese Class	3:30—8:30 pm		\$40 x _____
3/5/16	Part 1: Model T Driving Class (Part 2 takes place on 3/12/16)	10—Noon	1—3 pm	\$10x _____
3/22/16	Intro. Rigid Heddle Weaving	10 am—4 pm		\$105 x _____
3/26/16	♥ Let’s Feed the Birds!	10—11 am		\$5 x _____
3/29/16	♥ Baking with Mason Jars	3:30—5:30 pm	6:30—8:30 pm	\$20 x _____
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4/2/16	♥ Let’s Hang the Jars! Fishnet “Knotting”	10—11 am		\$5 x _____
4/2/16	Market Basket Weaving	Noon—3 pm		\$40 x _____
4/5/16	♥ Canning Asparagus	3:30—5:30 pm	6:30—8:30 pm	\$20 x _____
4/6/16	♥ Marinated Cheeses	3:30—5:30 pm	6:30—8:30 pm	\$30 x _____
4/9/16	♥ Let’s Make Candles! Mason Jar Candles	10—11 am		\$5 x _____
4/9/16	Traditional Tin Poured Candles	Noon—3 pm		\$30 x _____
4/12/16	Hard Cheese Class	3:30—8:30 pm		\$40 x _____
4/20/16	♥ Liquid Soap & Dispenser	3:30—5:30 pm	6:30—8:30 pm	\$30 x _____
4/23/16	♥ Let’s Make a Terrarium Mini Landscaping in Jars	10—11 am		\$5 x _____
4/23/16	♥ Growing Herbs in Jars	Noon—3 pm		\$30 x _____
4/26/16	♥ Canning Peas & Beans	3:30—5:30 pm	6:30—8:30 pm	\$20 x _____
4/30/16	♥ Let’s Monogram, It’s Mine! Monogrammed Mason Jars	10—11 am		\$5 x _____
4/30/16	♥ Leather Mason Jar Holder	Noon—3 pm		\$30 x _____
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5/10/16	♥ Berry Butters in Jars	3:30—5:50 pm	6:30—8:30 pm	\$20 x _____
5/11/16	♥ Baking in Mason Jars	3:30—5:30 pm	6:30—8:30 pm	\$20 x _____
5/21/16	Antique Tractor Driving Class	1—3 pm		\$10 x _____
5/24/16	Hard Cheese Class	3:30—8:30 pm		\$40 x _____
5/28/16	♥ Let’s Make Ice Cream Ice Cream in Mason Jars	10—11 am		\$5 x _____
5/28/16	Recipe Book Binding	Noon—3 pm		\$30 x _____

Adult Summer Camps—Deadline June 17, 2016 Camps start on Monday and go through Thursday!

7/11/16	Soap Makers Camp	1—4 pm	6—9 pm	\$100 x _____
	Mon: Science of Soap & Molds			
	Tue: Soap Safety & Hard Oil Soaps			
	Wed: Soft Oil Soaps & Goats Milk			
	Thu: Shampoo & Liquid Soaps			
7/18/16	Homesteader’s Pantry, Type A	1—4 pm	6—9 pm	\$100 x _____
	Mon: Canning a Meal			
	Tue: Basketry			
	Wed: Candle Making			
	Thu: 18th Century Recipes & Cooking			
7/25/16	Homesteader’s Pantry, Type B	1—4 pm	6—9 pm	\$100 x _____
	Mon: Rug Making			
	Tue: Dehydrated Foods			
	Wed: 19th Century Cooking			
	Thu: Kitchen Plants & Composting			
8/1/16	Cheese Makers Camp	1—4 pm	6—9 pm	\$100 x _____
	Mon: Cream Based Soft Cheese			
	Tue: 2nd Stage Soft Cheeses			
	Wed: Feta & Goat Cheeses			
	Thu: Intro. to Hard Cheese & Samplers			

You may register for as many programs as you would like to reserve a space. However, registration is not confirmed until payment is received at least 6 days prior to start of workshop or craft activity.

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Register by Mail: Send registration form with check payment to
 Collin County Farm Museum, 7117 CR 166, McKinney, TX 75071

Register by Phone: Call 972-548-4792 and have credit card ready

Register by Email: Send email to ccfm@collincountytx.gov with subject heading “Register” and provide registration information