

"Wild World of Art" Camp at BBTCAC

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Approximately 25 children in grades 1-3 are participating this week in the Black Belt Treasures Cultural Arts Center's "Wild World of Art" Camp. The sessions are split into three classes throughout each day according to grade.

On Monday the participants had fun making clay sculptures of fish. They were shown how to form the shapes and how to attach the pieces together.

The participants will be exploring a variety of artistic medi-

ums while exploring nature, wildlife, and the wild side of art. Students will work with clay, draw, print, paint, and sculpt during the adventure filled week.

"A lot of kids from local schools attend our art programs throughout the year. We offer art programs following guidelines for local and state competitions," said Kristin Law. "We offer after school and other programs throughout the year for students."

The participants art will be on exhibition Saturday, July 18th

from 11-12 a.m. at Black Belt Treasures.

Summer Art Camp is made possible at a reduced cost due to the support from the Black Belt Community Foundation and the Alabama State Council on the Arts, and through continued support from the BBTCAC Guild.

For more information on all of Black Belt Treasures Cultural Arts Center's offerings call (334) 682-9878 or sign up at www.blackbelttreasures.com/events.



Kristin Law assists Lauren Dailey while she attaches the eyes to her fish sculpture. Marley Henderson checks the seal on her "Marley fish."