

# Creative Wellness Opportunities Mental Health Association of Rochester

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## Monday

#### **Open Studio:**

• In-person 11-3

### **Knifty Knitters for beginners**

• in-person 11-12

### Pet and Sketch with RocDog:

• In-person 11:45-12:45

#### **Fun with Paint Markers:**

• In-person 1:30-2:30

## Tuesday

### **Open Studio:**

• In-person 11-3

## **Mutual Support Group:**

• Hybrid 11-1

#### **Community Circle:**

- Hybrid 2-3
- Except for November 21st

## Wednesday

### **Beginning Guitar:**

• In-person 11-1

#### Splash of color:

• In-person 11-12

### **Open Studio:**

- In-person 11-3
  - Ends at 1 pm on Nov 22

# Women's Depression Support Group:

- Hybrid 12-1
- Except November 22nd

## <u>LGBTQIA+ Mutual Support</u> <u>Group:</u>

- Hybrid 1:30-2:30
- Except November 22nd

All workshops will end at 1
PM on November 22.

## Thursday

## **Open Studio:**

• In-person 11-3

## **Meditation and Mindfulness**

• In-person 11:30-12

## **Art Journaling:**

• In-person 1-2

## Friday

## **Gentle Stretching:**

• Hybrid 11-12

## Open Studio:

• In-person 12-3

#### **Meditative Mandalas:**

• In-person 12-1

#### **Fun with Music:**

• In-person 1-1:30

### **Mutual Support Group:**

• Hybrid 1-2

#### **KnitWits:**

• In-person 1:30-2:00

## Special Events

## **Creative Canvas!**

September 1-December7th Monday- Thursday 11-3 Friday 12-3

in-person

## **Open Community Forum**

November 10th, 5:00-5:30

Hybrid

## <u>Social night:</u>

November 10th, 5:30-7:30

## First Friday

Will return in 2024.

CWO will be closed November 23rd and 24th.



## Workshops

320 N. Goodman Street, Rochester, NY 14607



#### Hybrid

Mutual Support Group | room E:A safe place for individuals to share thoughts and feelings in a judgment-free environment.

<u>Community Circle | room E: A guided discussion on weekly topics based on mental and physical wellbeing.</u>

**Gentle Stretching** *CWO:* This is an easy, simple form of stretching geared as a gentle exercise for your mental and physical health. Connect with your inner peace. Equipment Provided.

<u>Women's Depression Support Group | room E:</u> An intimate space where women who deal with depression come together to share and support each other.

<u>LGBTQIA+ Mutual Support Group | room E:</u> A safe space for members of the LGBTQIA+ community including those are questioning. Provides affirming community support for peers of all genders.

**Open Community Forum** | *CWO:* This gathering will be a safe and accepting space for individuals to voice their thoughts about the CWO community.

#### In-person

**<u>Art Journaling | room E:</u>** Art Journaling provides a meditative place of color and texture, providing a way to sink deeply into your personal emotional world.

**Meditative Mandalas** | room D: In this workshop, we slow down our thoughts as we use mandalas and other easy drawing practices as a tool for mindfulness and meditation.

**Fun with Music** | **CWO**: Listen to upbeat music. Feel free to dance and stretch.

**Open Studio** | CWO: This is a space/time when we gather to continue working on current creative projects that are in progress or to start new ones with a variety of materials.

**Pet and Sketch | CWO:** CWO teams up with RocDog to bring therapy dogs for a restorative creative experience. Join us by bringing a sketchbook & create art while interacting with dogs.

<u>KnitWits | CWO:</u> Talk about interesting topics and deep thoughts. Feel free to bring knitting and crochet projects.

**Beginning Guitar | CWO:** This workshop is for those that are new to guitar. We have guitars, sheet music, and two facilitators to help everyone get started. If you have a guitar, feel free to bring it.

<u>Fun with Paint Markers | CWO:</u> Explore paint makers on different surfaces; this month will be wood panel.

<u>Meditation and Mindfulness | room D:</u> Try out simple meditation and mindfulness techniques to relax. <u>Creative Canvas | CWO:</u> Join us in an open studio to create a work of art. Canvas will be supplied. <u>Knifty Knitters for Beginners | CWO:</u> Learn the Knifty Kitter Loom while making a hat.

<u>Splash of Color | CWO:</u> Learn about deferent artist and their techniques. Then create your own masterpiece based on what you learned.

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