

# The Big Draw: Middletown

DRAWING WORKSHOPS AND ACTIVITIES

Saturday, April 16, 2016, 1–4pm

Drop by and participate in different activities throughout the afternoon, any time between 1pm and 4pm.

## Onsite registration (two locations):

**Davison Art Center**, Wesleyan University  
301 High Street (See #10 ★ on map)

**Beckham Hall**, upstairs at Fayerweather  
45 Wyllys Avenue (See #16 ★ on map)

### 1. Model Marathon

Drawing the nude model.  
(Parental permission required for those under 18.)

Location: Drawing Studio (Center for the Arts, Art Workshops Room 105) (See #4 on map)

### 2. Fragments from the Davison Art Center

Make your own masterpiece inspired by the Davison Art Center collection. Paper will be distributed with a fragment of an image sampled from a DAC print—then you “fill in the print” with drawing.

Location: Davison Art Center Alsop House rooms (See #10 on map)

### 3. Giant Spirograph

Play with giant spirograph forms to draw exciting geometric shapes and patterns.

Location: Davison Art Center, Room 100 (See #10 on map)

### 4. Koinobori Project with Japanese Carp Flags

Join visiting Japanese artist Taichiro Takamatsu to create a traditional Japanese carp flag, the symbol of perseverance and accomplishment. This is the United States premier of the Koinobori Project, which has been held in more than eight different countries.

Location: Beckham Hall, upstairs at Fayerweather (See #16 on map)

### 5. Still Life and the Natural World

Study the natural world with an exciting array of objects including shells, taxidermied animals, skulls, etc. in an elaborate still life.

Location: Beckham Hall, upstairs at Fayerweather (See #16 on map)

### 6. Telling Drawn Stories

Try your hand at comics, illustration, zines, and the art of telling stories in sequence.

Location: Beckham Hall, upstairs at Fayerweather (See #16 on map)

### 7. Face Painting

Participants will design drawings that will then be painted onto their faces by Wesleyan art students.

Location: Beckham Hall, upstairs at Fayerweather (See #16 on map)

### 8. Movement and Drawing: Feet in Motion

Kick up your heels! Put on socks and use your feet to draw with water-based paint.

Location: Usdan Center Multipurpose Room (basement level)  
(See #15 on map)

## ALSO SEE EXHIBITIONS:

### Davison Art Center Gallery:

*Philip Trager: Photographing Ina* (See #10 on map)

### College of East Asian Studies Gallery at Mansfield Freeman Center:

*Light of the East: The Beauty of Movement in Silence*  
(See #1 on map)

**Ezra and Cecile Zilkha Gallery:** Closed for installation.

Organized by the Friends of the Davison Art Center. To find out more about the FDAC, visit the Friends of the Davison Art Center website at <http://fdac.wesleyan.edu> or call 860-685-2500.

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Additional funding for the Koinobori Project provided by the Community Foundation of Middlesex County, in conjunction with *Feet to the Fire: Riverfront Encounter* (May 7), organized by the Center for the Arts.



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## CENTER FOR THE ARTS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY MAP LEGEND

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| <p><b>1 Mansfield Freeman Center for East Asian Studies</b></p> <p>2 Goldsmith Family Cinema Center for Film Studies</p> <p><b>3 Ezra and Cecile Zilkha Gallery</b></p> <p><b>4 Art Workshop</b><br/>Drawing Studio<br/>Printshop</p> <p>5 Theater and Dance Studios<br/>East Room<br/>Edmond Jones Room</p> <p>6 CFA Theater</p> <p>7 The Russell House</p> | <p>8 Ring Family Performing Arts Hall</p> <p>9 CFA Courtyard</p> <p><b>10 Davison Art Center (DAC)</b><br/>★ Big Draw Onsite Registration</p> <p>11 Music Studios</p> <p>12 World Music Hall</p> <p>13 Crowell Concert Hall</p> <p>14 Rehearsal Hall<br/>Daltry Room (Rehearsal Hall 003)</p> <p><b>15 Usdan University Center</b><br/>University Box Office<br/>Dining</p> | <p><b>16 Fayerweather Beckham Hall</b><br/>★ Big Draw Onsite Registration</p> <p>17 Memorial Chapel</p> <p>18 Zelnick Pavilion</p> <p>19 Patricelli '92 Theater</p> <p><b>P</b> Parking Lots</p> <p>(Parking is also available on area streets, including High Street and Washington Terrace.)</p> |
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