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**THOMPSON PARK CREATIVE ARTS CENTER
OFFERS KIDS CLASSES**

LINCROFT— Start off the new year by signing up your child for a class at the Thompson Park Creative Arts Center, Newman Springs Road, Lincroft. Parents can choose from an array of art, crafts and ceramics classes. Upcoming offerings include:

Great Impressions™© for 4 & 5 Years Old

Thursdays, January 3-24 from 10:30-11:30am

Thursdays, January 3-24 from 1-2pm

Fridays, January 4-25 from 1-2pm

Young artists will study and paint a small excerpt of a famous masterpiece while learning some techniques of Impressionism. Please wear clothes that can get stained. The cost is \$52 per session, per child. Pre-registration required.

Art Around the World

Thursdays, January 3-February 7 from 4-5:15pm

Explore different countries and cultures through art. Students will experiment with watercolors, pastels, collage and much more. Open to ages 7-11. The cost is \$82 per child. Pre-registration required.

Children's Ceramics

Saturdays, January 5-February 16 from 9:30-11:30am

Youngsters age 6-14 will learn about greenware, bisque and underglaze as they

decorate a pre-cast ceramic item (purchased separately). The cost is \$79 per child and includes instruction, tools, firing, underglaze and glaze. Pre-registration included.

For more information or to register for any of these classes, visit www.monmouthcountyparks.com or call (732) 842-4000. For persons with hearing impairment, the TDD/TTY number is 711. The Monmouth County Park System, created in 1960 by the Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders, is Monmouth County's Open Space, Parks and Recreation agency.

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