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Celebrate Spring in the Ceramics Studio at the Kimball Art Center

Park City, UT, April 7, 2008--Under the management of Lauren Vitulli, participation in the Ceramics Studio has grown. Lauren's talent and patience is encouraging to artists of all ability levels. Everyone from doctors to Reiki therapists to musicians to electricians to snowboarders can be found working at the eight wheels. You'd be surprised at the quality of work your friends and neighbors produce in the studio.

Artists and aspiring artists create and Lauren fires every piece in the Kimball kilns. Members of the Kimball Art Center have complimentary use of the ceramics studio. It's amazing to see the creativity, energy and enthusiasm in the room.

Vitulli notes, "currently, we have two kids classes with 18 children between the ages of 5 and 14." In addition, there is an intergenerational class with five adults (mothers, fathers, and aunts) working with their sons, daughters and nieces who range in age from 5 to 16. Lauren can inspire ceramicists from age six to sixty.

These classes are exploring hand building techniques and building teapots and birdhouses. Students are encouraged to visit the current exhibit at the Kimball Art Center, *Teapots: Object to Subject* for inspiration.

Each class builds on the one before and students continue to learn more advanced techniques. After mastering hand building, students begin to practice making pots on the wheel. Each student leaves class with an assortment of unique pieces.

Interviews and photos available upon request.

The Kimball Art Center is your nonprofit community art center featuring regional, national, and international exhibitions. The Kimball Art Center is free and open to the public year round. The Kimball Art Center is committed to remaining the leading visual arts resource for the entire community.