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Registration open for children’s art classes with Cocoa Beach artist, Kole Trent

MELBOURNE, Fla., May 12, 2023 — Harness your artistic talent and learn to paint from the best with Cocoa Beach artist, Kole Trent. He will be hosting art classes for children ages 5 to 15 in Brevard Zoo’s Nyami Nyami River Lodge this June. This is a guided step by step class that will allow students to follow along learning different applications and techniques to accomplish a painting of their own.

Each class will feature a theme:

- June 6 and 7, Under the Sea – This class will have an under the sea theme including a sea turtle and coral reef to help bring awareness to our coastline.
- June 13, Manatee Landing – This class will be a lagoon theme including manatees and mangroves to help bring awareness to our rivers.
- June 21, Jelly Friends – This class will be an underwater theme with two colorful jellyfish to celebrate friendship and community with guest artist, Lyssa Wyn. Kole Trent is not available to teach on this date.
- June 27, Flying Florida – This class will be a lagoon theme including flamingo and other flying birds of Florida.

Registration is open at <https://bit.ly/3Mhc25t> to children ages 5 to 15. The 60-minute classes are available from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. or 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. on June 6, 7, 13, 21 and 27. Space is limited per class and cost is \$50 per person per class. This includes the one-hour painting class as well as all art supplies like paint, canvas, brushes, etc. Zoo admission is not included.

Children 10 and under must be accompanied by a parent. There is no cost to the parent to be present. There will be a water dispenser and students should plan to bring their own reusable water bottle. No snacks or other beverages will be provided.

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About Brevard Zoo

Brevard Zoo is home to more than 900 animals representing 195 species from all over the world. As a not-for-profit organization, it is a leader in the fields of animal wellness, education, and conservation. More information is available at www.brevardzoo.org.

Treetop Trek features five aerial obstacle courses that whisk guests above parts of the Zoo and through lush Florida landscapes. More information is available at www.treetoptrek.com.