

Short course description

Diorama Nativity Building in Wenns with Peter Riml



General course data

- Course date: 10.-15.8.2026
 Location: Krippenschule Peter Riml , Oberdorf 223/1, 6473 Wenns, A
 Duration: 6 days, 48 hours
 Days: Monday to Saturday from 09:00 - 18:00 hrs
 Start: 10.08.2026 - 09:00
 Instructor: Peter Riml - Tel: +43 664 2521 676 / e-mail: peter-riml@aon.at
 Objective: Construction of a diorama nativity in the Tuscan style taking into account perspective principles
 Requirements: If you own a styrofoam cutting device, please bring it along
 Box: lightweight box/balsa wood H=40 cm /W=40 cm /D=40 cm, lighting and background included in course price
 Included: Course includes materials, teaching documents, box, lighting, background and lunch
 Fee: € 930,- / for Tyrolean association members € 900,-
 Lodging: Upon request we are happy to recommend / Guesthouse:www.pitztalerhof.at / Boarding houses:www.haus-florian-wenns.at / www.landhaus-gasser.at

Special features and options

In the "Diorama Nativity Building" course, we build nativities in the style of great Italian nativity builders like Antonio Pigozzi, Nicolo Celegato, etc. The nativities are built according to perspective principles and are completely executed in Styrodur. The diorama nativities are installed into prefabricated boxes made of balsa wood (W 40cm / D 40cm / H 40 cm). Walls are scored with a pencil or small burning sticks and dry-pointed. Terrain parts and rocks are plastered over and painted accordingly, A thoughtfully positioned lighting in the adjustable 12 V LED technology is also of great importance and lends the representations a sun-drenched flair. The distant mountains and hills are built here as well and only the sky is executed as a painted surface. Appropriate botany and painting of the nativities complete the landscape and thus convey an immense spatial depth. With the right figures made of clay or wood, these "Italian peep-box nativities" become particularly attractive unique pieces. Depending on the representation, figures in a size of 6 - 9 cm can be used in this course. Much joy with the "Diorama Building".

Your instructor
Peter Riml

