

Poulsbo Artist League Newsletter

Poulsbo Artist League
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Wednesdays

August 6, 13, 20, 27

12:30 to 3:30 PM

Vinland Lutheran Church 2750 Finn Hill Road, Poulsbo, WA 98370



Birthdays

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President's Message:



Dear PAL Members,

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In this newsletter you will find our revised By-laws for your review. The executive board welcomes your input. We will be voting on this in September at our annual meeting. Also, but not in the newsletter, the executive has rewritten the PAL Officers Duties and Responsibilities.

This revision has simplified and corrected the job descriptions to reflect the way we are actually operating.

Russell Freeman is our 2014 Nomination Committee Chairman and will be talking to some of you, if he hasn't already. All you have to do is say YES (very enthusiastically!). It is always nice to see some newer members share the responsibilities and rewards of leadership.

I find this organization a joy to work with and look forward to our times together. See you next time.

Garven

Current Exhibits, Sales, and Announcements

Cheap Joes Order- Laura Zetterberg is taking Cheap Joes art supplies orders. She wants to send the order in by July 16. Cheap Joes is a great place to order supplies from and saves sales tax. If the order is big enough shipping is free.

Poulsbo City Hall ~ various members Contact: Nancy Sefton contact for an inventory list of what's hanging there. This list itself has already appeared in a previous newsletter

Central Market in Poulsbo ~ various members Contact: Richard Daugherty

Reid Realty ~ various members. Contact: Elizabeth Haney

Hospice in Silverdale ~ various members Contact: Marge Keeton

Male Hair Preference in Silverdale ~ Mike Clayton.

Edward Jones Building~ various members

Laura Dicus has paintings at the Blue Water Gallery in Poulsbo during August.

Kathy Pipo-Jeffers has a showing of her paintings at Club Auto of Kirkland.

Nancy Sefton has sold more work at her show at the Poulsbo Athletic Club

Ildiko Deaky -has paintings on exhibit at John L. Scott Realty in Poulsbo and at Liberty Bay Gallery.

Freckles-various members—Contact Mike Clayton

If you are exhibiting anywhere and would like to have it listed here, you need to let the secretary know at least by the last week of the month. Also – if you have a show that closes, please let me know so I can remove it from the newsletter.

Venue	Collect Art	Hang Art	Return Art
Central Market			
	October 15	October 18	October 22
Art by the Bay	August 13	Show	
Reid Realty paintings total			
	August 27	August 28	September 3
Hospice	September 17	September 18	September 24
Edward Jones BLDG	August TBA	August TBA	August TBA
Freckles	tba		

Poulsbo Arts by the Bay Show

IMPORTANT - Poulsbo Art Festival (August 15, 16 & 17):

Mike Clayton is still taking names of artists that will be displaying at the Festival on the above dates. There are still 8 or more shifts that have to be filled so everyone will only get one shift. There is only 2 more weeks to sign up. Call the number below or show up next week, August 13th, at Pal. Festival times are:

Wed 13th: Check in paintings at PAL 1:00 – 3:00 PM

Friday 15th: 9 AM to 12 - Setup & Hang Paintings

Friday 15th: 12 PM to 6 PM, Shifts start

Sat. 16th: 10 AM to 6 PM, Shifts

Sun 17th: 11 AM to 5 PM, Shifts

Sun 17th: 5 PM Pickup paintings and teardown

Start setting aside work you'd like to show. The number of paintings per person has been as follows:

- > one full sheet (22" X 30")
- > two half sheets (15" X 22")
- > four quarter sheets (11" X 15") or smaller
- > and each person may bring one extra that may not be hung immediately, but used to fill in space available.
- > each person can bring 30 cards packaged in sleeves or multiple cards in sleeves, priced and with the artists name and ID#. If you don,t know your number it is beside your name on the roster, or call Judy Guttormsen at 779-6457 Cards are checked in like paintings in the Red Book.

This is artwork size only - it does NOT include the matt and frame.

Remember, if you display work you will need to sign up for a shift in the booth.

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BY-LAWS

POULSBO ARTIST LEAGUE (a Non-Profit Organization)

ARTICLE I. Name

1. The name of this organization shall be Poulsbo Artist League.

ARTICLE II. Purpose

1. The purpose of this organization is to stimulate each member to an advancing standard of artistic achievement; to foster art appreciation in the community; and to bring the work of the members before the public through public exhibitions.

ARTICLE III. Objective

1. The objectives of the organization are:
 - a. Provide a work place for members.
 - b. Sponsor public exhibitions for members' work.
 - c. Provide members with information concerning classes, workshops, exhibitions, lecture, etc.

ARTICLE IV Non-profit status

1. The Poulsbo Artist League will operate on a strict non-profit basis, and will be supported from members' dues and donations.
2. In the event the Poulsbo Artist League disbands or terminates its organization; any monies remaining in the treasury after obligations are paid will be donated to a charitable organization. Choice of the organization will be made at time of disbanding by majority vote of League members.

ARTICLE V Membership

1. Membership in this organization shall be open to any serious adult worker in fine arts.
3. Poulsbo Artist League is non-sectarian, non-partisan, and tolerates no racial prejudices.
4. A member in good standing is one who has paid his dues and abides by the Bylaws.
5. Only a member in good standing may vote and enjoy the privileges of holding office.
6. Prospective members may attend three painting sessions before declaring a desire for membership.

ARTICLE VI Dues

- I. Dues in this organization shall be \$30.00 per year, and are payable each September. New member's dues shall be \$30.00 per year if joining date is prior to March 1 of any given year. Thereafter, new membership dues will be \$15.00 for the remainder (or one-half) of the year. (By Laws Amended , Approved & Passed 9/2009)

ARTICLE VII Meetings

1. The Poulsbo Artist League will normally meet weekly for the Purpose of sketching and painting.
2. The League shall have a minimum of one general business meeting each year; that meeting will be in September. The president may call other meetings as necessary.
3. One third of the active membership shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE VIII Officers

1. The election of officers shall commence in September. New officers shall assume office in October. The term is for one year.
2. The elected officers shall consist of the following:
 - a. President
 - b. Vice-president
 - c. Treasurer
 - d. Secretary
3. Together, these four officers will constitute the Executive board.
4. In case a vacancy occurs, the President shall appoint a successor to complete the term. The vice president shall assume the position in the event the president resigns.
5. Each officer shall deliver to his/her successor all official records of his/her office within ten days after relinquishing the office.

ARTICLE IX Duties of Officers

1. The duties of the officers of this League shall be as follows:
 - a. The president shall preside at all meetings of both the executive board and the general membership, and shall appoint chairmen of all committees. This officer shall be responsible for planning field trips and outings.
 - b. The vice-president shall preside in the absence of the president performing the president's duties during that officer's absence

and as a collateral duty, act a publicity chairman.

(1) As publicity chairman, he/she will prepare **advise and coordinate** all news releases, be responsible for advertising the League's public exhibits, and prepare **preparation of any required posters, newspaper articles, etc.** **media.**

~~(2) This officer shall also act as League historian and maintain an accurate scrapbook/photo album, **and move to secretary duty**~~

~~(3) This officer shall be responsible for organizing all art shows and public exhibits.~~

c. The treasurer shall collect all dues and fees, maintain accurate accounts of all receipts and disbursements, disburse funds as authorized by the executive board, and provide written itemized reports of all financial transactions as requested. The financial records shall be audited when requested by the executive board **annally by an auditor selected by the executive board audit committee.**

d. The secretary shall keep records of all meetings, and have charge of all correspondence, maintain an updated list of all members, and produce and distribute the monthly newsletter. ***The secretary shall also act as League historian and maintain an accurate scrapbook/photo album which may be the club newsletter.***

ARTICLE X Executive Board

1. The executive board shall consist of the elected officers.
2. The executive board shall guide the Poulsbo Artist League the purposes and objectives as set forth In the BI-laws.
3. The executive board will hold meetings as deemed necessary To conduct business and plan activities.
4. The executive board will ensure the solvency of the Poulsbo Artist League and shall exercise prudence in expenditures of League funds, but will explore all suitable possibilities to meet the purposes and objectives of the organization. ***The board will see to an annual audit by an audit team selected by the board. The audit shall be performed in September.***
5. Three members of the executive board constitute a quorum.
6. All executive board business shall be published in the newsletter.

ARTICLE XI Special Committees

1. Special committees shall be set up as needed by the executive board. Chairmen will be appointed by president and approved by the executive board.
2. These committees will automatically dissolve upon the completion of their assignments, and
3. By-laws shall be reviewed annually and revised when necessary.

Amendments Resolved, Approved and Passed

Article VII Dues (9/2005 - Raised dues from \$27.00 to \$30.00)

Article VIII Officers (9/2006 - Assumption of Office changed from January to previous year in October).

Article VII Dues (9/2009 - New Member dues changed from monthly prorated to flat \$30.00 per year for October 1 to September 30 and \$15.00 from March 1 to September 30 for one half of a year Membership Fee.)

ARTICLE XII Amendments to Bylaws

1. The Bylaws of the league may be amended by a quorum of one half of the membership at a general meeting with three officers present.
2. Proposed amendments must be presented to the entire membership either by mail, or at a meeting, at least one month prior to voting.

ARTICLE XIII Rules of Order

The parliamentary authority governing the Poulsbo Artist League meetings will be Robert's Rules of Order. These Bylaws effective as of September 1, 1998. Amended as follows on October 1, 2009 and amended as October 1, 2009.