

# Poulsbo Artist League Newsletter

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## PAL Meetings

Regular Meetings  
12:30—3:30 PM

Vinland Lutheran  
Church

2750 NW Finn Hill Rd  
Poulsbo, WA

*"When love and skill work together, expect a masterpiece."*  
- John Ruskin

## President's Message

Dear Friends,

As I reflect on the past year, I realize that this has been a time of many changes for PAL. Change doesn't come easily for some of us, but hopefully these changes have been helpful in making our organization run more efficiently and smoothly! Our own "mover and shaker," Andie Anderson, deserves the credit for many changes this year. She is always looking for a better, more efficient way of doing things. She has re-done our notebooks, revamped our labeling process for exhibits and has re-designed our newsletter. Bill Fulton, our "Webmaster," has designed and maintained our beautiful new website. You can now view all of our newsletters on the website, as well as local art workshops and profiles of PAL members. Our newsletter now has colorful photos, thanks to Bill and several others who have contributed photos. Pam Asan our Vice-President has designed and maintained our new bulletin board which posts our current newsletter, photos, and announcements of upcoming events.

Changes in leadership occurred this spring when Dick Daugherty resigned from his role as PAL President due to health issues. I suddenly became your president and Pam was appointed vice-president. Having been a PAL member for only three years and never having been president of an organization, I have been thankful for all of you who have provided me with information and suggestions. This is a learning process for me! I especially have appreciated Andie's organization and leadership skills. She really kept things running smoothly during the transition and continues to keep our board on track. I am also very thankful for Rich's faithfulness in keeping our finances in order. It's a difficult, detail-oriented task and he does an excellent job.

I also want to thank all who have served on committees this past year: Jan Lytle and Liz Haney for Scholarships; Maggie Huft and Judy Guttormsen, who organized our Christmas party; Liz Haney, for being our "Sunshine" person; Mike Clayton and Nancy Sefton for Publicity; and Mike and Diane Clayton, Nancy Sefton, and Marge Keeton for serving along with me on the Exhibits/New Venues Committee.

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## President's Message, Continued

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Last, but not least, I want to thank all of you for being part of PAL. Our current leadership is willing to continue for another year, God-willing, but we encourage you to get involved on committees and to offer your suggestions and ideas. PAL is YOUR organization, and we need YOUR help to make it the best that it can be.

Mark your calendar: the Liberty Bay Bank is hosting an evening social networking event for the Kingston Chamber of Commerce on Thursday, Oct. 14, from 5-7 p.m. They have asked if PAL artists whose work is on display in the bank could attend to mingle and discuss their work. They also would like some of the other members to attend and bring work to display. More information will be provided at our weekly meetings on Oct. 6 and Oct. 13.

Thank You for this Opportunity!

Lisa

## Happy Birthday!

**Happy October Birthdays**

Libby Sullivan

**PAL Newsletter Editor:**

Andie Anderson

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## PAL Calendar

### This Month

Regular Meetings 12:30—3:30 PM:

Wednesday, October 6 Lisa Stowers Demonstration (See Coming Events for Details)

Wednesday, October 13—Executive and Regular Meeting

Thursday, October 14—Liberty Bay Bank Social 5-7 pm

Wednesday, October 20—Regular Meeting

Wednesday, October 27—Regular Meeting

## PAL NOTABLES

### Garven Kinley

This month we recognize Garven Kinley, an experienced architectural draftsman, who started with drawing, became interested in Fine Art and dabbled with oils. He then became busy with family life and now in retirement has become a wonderful watercolorist. Be sure to check out his Link on our Website. In addition, he volunteers time designing and drafting buildings for a Christian ministry in Tanzania, East Africa, and serves as a member of the executive board for that ministry here in the United States. This keeps him and wife, Judy, very busy. We are so lucky to have him with our group. Way to Go, Garven.



## Welcome New Members

**Bonnie Seevers**, who is full of Spirit & Fun! Glad to have you aboard! [seeversl@yahoo.com](mailto:seeversl@yahoo.com)

**Editor's correction:** Sorry, I misspelled "**Dagmar**" Kneeper's name in last month's Newsletter.

## PAL News

**Picasso at the Seattle Art Museum**—A Ferry Visit to SAM is being formulated to see the Picasso Exhibit. Pricilla Preus is anxious to get this in motion and it will be fun as this is an opportunity to view the permanent collection from the Musee du Jeu de Paume in Paris, which has been closed for renovations this year. The collection will probably never be on tour again. It will be a wonderful sight to see. October 2 - January. Lunch at the Wild Ginger again?

## Annual Meeting

September 29

Photos by Bill Fulton



Treasurer Rick Crockett

## *Exhibits by PAL Members*

**Venue Committee** Lisa Stowers, Diane Clayton, Mike Clayton, Marge Keeton and Nancy Sefton

**Jak's in Poulsbo** – Art to be switched out by October 15, 2010. Maggie Huft is going to hang her exhibit and if anyone else is interested please bring them to PAL October 13 and we will take them to Jak's in the P.M. Exhibit in place now will be taken down for the new showing. Thank you to everyone that participates.

**Liberty Bay Bank in Poulsbo** – Pal Members work exhibited – Social for Kingston Chamber of Commerce on October 14 @ 5-7 PM. See Calendar and Up Coming Events.

## ***UPCOMING EVENTS***

### **October**

October 4 ~ Lisa Sowers will demonstrate Linoleum Stamping by Popular Request for any of us who wish to make Christmas/Holiday cards using this method. Need not bring anything with you unless you wish. If so, you will need a linoleum block and carver. This will be fun. She will tell us what we need if you wish to pursue this art form.

### **October 14 ~ Liberty Bay Bank & Kingston Chamber of Commerce Social Event**

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### **November**

Any Wednesday ~ November ....We would like to have some direction as to member demonstrations. It was decided to try to have a demo every 4th Wednesday of the Month but we will be celebrating Thanksgiving on November 25 so everyone may be busy that day. Please let Lisa know if you have any suggestions or wish to demonstrate a technique prior to the 25th.... Card Making Maybe? The Holidays Coming!

### **December**

There will be no meetings in December, however, we will host our Annual Christmas Luncheon on Wednesday, December 1, 2010, ~ Noonish. Place to be determined. A gift exchange of a small original art piece, {5x7 image-area & framed for hanging}, with luncheon guests who wish to participate which will be part of the fun. Guests and spouses are always warmly welcomed to join us. Maggie Huft and Judy Guttormsen are the Co-Chairs of this Event.

### **January, 2011**

PAL WILL BE SHOWING AT THE POULSBO LIBRARY DURING THIS MONTH. MORE INFO COMING – WAIT FOR IT – OR CONTACT THE VENUE COMMITTEE.

## *Annual Meeting Report*

### **Report of General Business Meeting & Luncheon – September 29**

After a delicious Pot Lunch, the yearly Business Meeting was called to order by President, Lisa Stowers, who presented a recap of the 2009-2010 year of PAL~ a year of two new of changes. (1) A new Website for the Poulsbo Artist League was established where PAL news and profiles are available monthly and (2) A revised accounting system was initiated for exhibiting art work at festival events.

We did lose one of the two major show opportunities when Central Market's decision not to conduct future non-food exhibits, left us with only the Poulsbo Art Festival in the Fall of 2011. Other destinations will be investigated by the Venue/Event Committee for the Spring/Summer.

The Treasurer's report was read, motion made for acceptance, seconded and unanimously approved. If you would like a copy of this report, please notify Rich Crockett at [r.crockett@hotmail.com](mailto:r.crockett@hotmail.com). He reminded all members to please pay their yearly dues of \$30.00 for the 2010-2011 term by October 31 or sooner as he must schedule all paid memberships for the up-coming year and a new roster sent. Also, it is necessary to sign a new Hold Harmless Agreement for the coming year for all PAL members.

Discussion ensued and a Motion, seconded and unanimously approved to increase the monthly donation for the use of the Vinland Church Community Room be raised from \$60.00 to \$70.00; an increase of \$10.00 per month, or an additional \$110.00 per year donation beginning with October, 2009.

The floor was opened to the nomination of officers for the 28th year of PAL. As the present slate of the Executive Board officers have agreed to remain in their positions; and no further nominations from the floor were forthcoming, a motion, seconded and unanimously approved was made to accept the present slate of officers for the 2010-2011 year: Lisa Stowers, President – Pam Asan, Vice President – Rich Crockett, Treasurer and Andie Anderson, Secretary.

Chairman, Jan Lytle, gave a report for the Scholarship Committee, wherein it was agreed that she and Co-Chairman, Liz Haney, would monitor the Kitsap Arts and Crafts Committee meetings to determine if we wish to participate in their decision for Scholarship Awards in the future. This past year they decided not to give new scholarship awards and use all donations for sustainability of the present four-year scholarship funding. Jan and Liz will keep the Executive Board advised as to further developments.

The Annual Christmas Luncheon will once again by co-chaired by Maggie Huft and Judy Guttormsen with a place to be determined. The date scheduled is the first Wednesday in December at Noon.

No further business coming to the floor, motion was made, seconded and unanimously approved that the 2009-2010 PAL General Business meeting be adjourned.