

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

Quote of the Month

*"Even a mistake may turn out to be the one thing
necessary to a worthwhile achievement."*

- Henry Ford

President's Message

Dear Friends,

I'm still basking in the afterglow of Nina's wonderful "Faces" workshop. How fun and inspiring it was to learn a new technique and to experience some success with a subject matter that many of us avoid! Thank-you, Nina! Now I'm busy searching for interesting photos of family members and friends, and plan to do more faces (as I'm sure many of you also are doing). I'm also looking forward to Nina's "Loosen Up" workshop on April 6.



We will have another PAL member demo in early May. On Wednesday, May 4 (during our regular PAL meeting), Nancy Sefton will offer a presentation entitled, "Computer Prep Your Paintings." She will show us how to plan paintings, using the computer to determine placement of subjects, background colors, values, etc. Thank-you, Nancy, for offering to demonstrate this interesting and valuable technique!

We are fortunate to have such a variety of skills and talents in our membership. If you have a technique or skill that you can share, please don't be shy; share it! It's always uplifting to learn and try new things; that's what helps us grow and evolve as artists.

Lisa

Welcome New Members

Sharlette Du Fresne and **Joann Raines** have joined our group and we are so excited to have them. Shar has offered her "Hibiscus" painting to be shown at the Kenneth L Salon in Poulsbo; and Joann is new to the art experience looking to expand her Watercolor techniques. Welcome to both of you!

PAL Calendar

This Month

Regular Meetings 12:30—3:30 PM:

- Wednesday, March 2—Executive and Regular Meeting
- Monday, March 7—Stella All Day Workshop
- Wednesday, March 9 —Regular Meeting
- Wednesday, March 16 —Regular Meeting
- Wednesday, March 23 —Regular Meeting
- Wednesday, March 30 —Regular Meeting

Next Month

Wednesday, Feb. 6—"Loosen Up" Demo

Happy Birthday!

Happy March Birthdays

- Carolee Krock ~ Mar 6
- Mary Heffner ~ Mar 9
- Adrienne Daugherty ~ Mar 14
- Dick Daugherty ~ Mar 18
- Liz Haney ~ Mar 28

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PAL NOTABLES

Our notable this Month is the Reverend Bill Fulton of St. Antony Church in Silverdale for his dedication and continued interest in Pal's activities. He is our Web Master Extraordinaire having been the architect of our new and well-received Internet Web Page www.poulsboartist.com which he maintains and updates on a monthly basis. The PAL Web Page has been in existence since February of 2010 with accolades and favorable comments being received for its artistry and content. Bill is a self-taught accomplished artist who specializes in black and white sketches and watercolor variations of his keen artistic, visual observations of life. He believes that Art enhances your spirit as you view the world through the eyes of our creator. Thank you, Bill, for being a VIP in our organization. Go to our webpage and "link" to his artistic contribution.



PAL NEWS AND FYI CORNER

Our new roster has left some of our members names omitted as we have had to say Good Bye for various reasons. Chis Merryman & hubby Tom, and Elizabeth Goodwin & hubby Otis, have moved to new homes and are enjoying the changes that a major move entails. Lynne Kuckuck, Sara Sue Berger, Susan Cavanaugh, Cindy Heine, Beverly and Dean Nelson, Joanne Parks, Jill Ray, Gail Skavland and Gwennes Toms have all had challenges during this past year which have taken them on new adventures. We shall miss their involvement and wish them every happiness and joy. Sadly, we also mourn the passing of Paul Haines , a long-time member, who lost his battle with cancer and Leona Stewart, a Charter Member of PAL having helped perfect PAL 28 years ago.

EXHIBITS

Hospice in Silverdale ~ various Member's artwork exhibited.

Kenneth L Hair Salon in Poulsbo ~ various Member's artwork exhibited.

Jac's Caf  in Poulsbo ~ work displayed by Ed Chesvic and Laura Chesvic.

Hot Shot's in Poulsbo ~ Maggie Huft has her work displayed.

Male Hair Preference in Silverdale ~ Mike Clayton has his work exhibited.

Up and Coming Events

Monday, March 7 - All day "Watercolor Workshop with Stella Canfield"

- ◆ Time: 9:00 AM ~ 4:00 PM
- ◆ Cost: \$40.00 Co-Chairs: Jan Lytle & Judy Guttormsen
- ◆ Don't forget to bring your lunch.

Wednesday, April 6 – Demo ~ Nina Demsey ~ "Loosen Up" Your Painting

- ◆ Bring 1" brushes and larger
- ◆ One Half (1/2) sheet paper
- ◆ Regular paint supplies.

Wednesday, May 4 – Demo ~ Nancy Sefton - "Computer-Prep Your Paintings."

- ◆ Plan your paintings, using the computer to determine placement of subjects, background colors, values, etc.
- ◆ 1:00 -1:30 PM ~ 1/2 hour multi-media presentation.
- ◆ Nancy will bring a projector, screen and laptop.

OPPORTUNITIES

Art Class at Artist's Edge

Anyone interested in teaching an art class this summer at Artist's Edge please contact Jessica@artistedge. We have lots of talented people who could offer great instruction and inspiration to the public. If so inclined, here is an opportunity.

Port Ludlow Festival Association: "Festival by the Bay" Poster Contest

\$200 monetary award, overnight stay and brunch at the Inn at Port Ludlow with artwork featured at the event with a full-color poster. Theme is arts, community, crafts and music on the shores of Ludlow Bay. Submit 4x6 and 6x9 image mounted on 8.5x11 paper. See guidelines at plfest.org or mail submissions to Jeanette Best, Festival by the Bay, PO Box 65499, Port Ludlow, WA 98365, phone info 360.437.9579.

Deadline March 25.

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Winner will be announced April 1st.

Volunteers still requested for Host Mark and Martha and Mary. Let Anita or Pam know if you are interested.