

# Poulsbo Artist League Newsletter

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**Poulsbo Artist League**  
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## PAL Meetings

**Regular Meetings**  
**Wednesdays**

**12:30—3:30 PM**

**Vinland Lutheran Church**

**2750 NW Finn Hill Rd**  
**Poulsbo, WA 98370**

## Quote of the Month

*"The creation of something new is not accomplished by the intellect but by the play instinct acting from inner necessity. The creative mind plays with the objects it loves."* C.G. Jung

## President's Message

Dear Friends,

Do you enjoy getting to know our new members? Get excited about planning artist workshops and demos? Have an affinity for numbers or being creative on the computer? If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, please consider serving on PAL's leadership team for the upcoming year.

July is the month that we start thinking about new PAL officers as the new calendar year begins October 1, 2011, for our 29th year. New Officers are elected at our Annual Meeting on Wednesday, September 28th. All of the current officers have served more than a year and are planning to step down (with the exception of our wonderful "Webmaster," Bill Fulton).

Positions to be filled include:

**President:** Conducts meetings of the board and general membership, appoints committee chairpersons, and takes leadership in planning field trips, workshops, and demos.

**Vice-President:** Presides over the group in the absence of the president and takes an active role in publicity, exhibits/venues, and maintains scrapbooks, photos, bulletin boards, etc.

**Treasurer:** Handles all monetary/bookkeeping transactions, i.e., membership dues, writes checks for various expenditures, determines the amount owed to each artist after show completion, distributes checks/cash to them, and maintains the cashbox for shows.

**Secretary:** Edits newsletter, sends e-mails to members such as announcements, reminders, etc., updates membership roster, creates business cards, forms, and labels, as well as keeping Pal's general informational books timely.

Leadership is a chance to work with a great group of people and to have a voice in future decisions for PAL. It's an opportunity to share your unique abilities, opinions, ideas and to help PAL continue to be a vital, exciting organization. Just say "YES!"



# PAL Calendar

## This Month

Regular Meetings 12:30—3:30 PM:

Wednesday, July 6— No Meeting Vinland\*

**\*Plein Aire Outing at Roger Bacon's Home**

Wednesday, July 13—Regular Meeting and Executive Meeting

Wednesday, July 20—Regular Meeting

Wednesday, July 27—Regular Meeting

# Happy Birthday!

## July's Creative Artists

Mary Jane Ohl	July 18
Lisa Stowers	July 19
Pam Asan	July 29
Mike Clayton	July 31
Alberta Cramsey	July

## PAL NOTABLE



Our notable this Month is none other than our resident "genius" Dick Daugherty.

Another of our go-to guys that help out with everything PAL needs. He has served PAL in many leadership roles for which we are grateful. He and wife, Adrienne, are long-time members who enjoy sharing their expertise as to their various art experiences. Dick, an engineer, has that keen eye for detail and perception that is remarkable.

Dick's 35 years experience in watercolor serves him well and is compelled to first "construct" his art before painting in order to have a directional "road map" before applying color. He has taken classes with more than a dozen well-known artists and has shown his work in Edmonds, Port Orchard, North Kitsap, Silverdale for which he has won several awards. As well as a PAL member, he also belongs to the Northwest Watercolor Society. Thanks for being YOU, Dick!

## PAL Newsletter Editor:

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## New Member

We have a new member in June - Kathy Pipo-Jeffers...Welcome! She is a working girl but clearly loves to do beautiful watercolors and makes her own framing in her free time. She is a great addition to Pal and will join us on Wednesdays when her work schedule allows. Please introduce yourself when you see her and view her work.

Email is [pipo-jeffers@comcast.net](mailto:pipo-jeffers@comcast.net)

## EXHIBITS

Hospice in Silverdale ~ various Members' artwork exhibited.

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

\*Jac's Café in Poulsbo ~ Pam Asan, Rich Crockett, Laura Dicus

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

Liberty Bay Bank in Poulsbo ~ various Members' art work exhibited.

Note \*Jac's Café is due to have **new paintings hung** on July 15 for next three months.

Please make your wishes known to Lisa if you wish to exhibit ASAP.

## Pal News and FYI Corner

### WANT TO HELP WITH A MURAL?

**Nancy Sefton** is doing a long (40') but narrow (2') mural on the back wall of the **Poulsbo Marine Science Center (Poulsbo Aquarium) auditorium**, mostly during July with some preparatory work being done between now and June 15. We're using interior latex, (water) paint. Anyone want to help? **Warning:** this is "paint by numbers" stuff, from templates of marine critters, all against a long blue wave background...not too challenging for an artist... but fun. Contact Nancy at

[nrsefton@comcast.net](mailto:nrsefton@comcast.net)

### HOT TIPS....



New Feature column suggested by Nancy Sefton where Members can share an experience, stumbled upon a new idea, or have tried a new concept that worked including happy accidents, techniques, etc. Have you been to a great workshop? Tell us about your learning experience. The sky's the limit! For instance, Nancy discovered using "Hide Glue" (yes, for gluing animal hides), by putting it where you want it on your paper, wait until completely dry, then paint over and watch the remarkable result. Great for making bark on trees, beautiful textures, etc. More later....

Be sure to check the Kitsap Sun's Friday Pull-out Section, "Arts & Entertainment" for ART Events around the area. Notices provide information on "Call to Artists Opportunities", etc.

## Opportunities

### Laura Dicus will be Teaching at Fingers Duke Studio in Bremerton

Saturdays July 16 - August 20

Introductory watercolor class is from 2 pm - 5 pm.

This is a structured 6-week course, some materials included: \$295.00

Beginner/Intermediate watercolor class is from 6 pm - 9 pm.

This is a more informal class: \$35.00 per or \$140.00/month

[laura-art.com](http://laura-art.com) and/or a new Web Site: [lauradicus.com](http://lauradicus.com) for more details

### 2011 Betty Bowen Award CALL TO ARTISTS – Grant Application

Visual Artists are invited to apply for the Seattle Art Museum's 33rd Annual Betty Bowen Cash Award. Grant Applications available on [callforentry.org](http://callforentry.org). Deadline for submission is August 1, 2011. For more info please visit [seattleartmuseum.org/bettybowen](http://seattleartmuseum.org/bettybowen).

## *Up and Coming Events*

### **JULY**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 6  
NO SESSION AT VINLAND**

**So.....**We have been invited to **ROGER BACON's House** for a **Plein Aire event starting at 12:00 noon~4:30pm**

Bring **Pot Luck ~ Dessert** items to share.

Beverages will be provided. Sign-up Sheet Available.

**Lisa Stowers** is the Event Chairman

**During July**

Nominating Committee will be meeting to SELECT the PAL's Executive Board Members for Our 29th year!

### **AUGUST**

**Monday, August 8**

**9:00 am to 4:30 pm**

**Knoll Studio with Robin Weiss** with a

9-10 Demo; 10-11 Paint, 12-1 BYO Lunch/Drinks;

1-3 Paint; 3-4:30 Critique.

Robin is a celebrated artist in both oil and watercolor techniques and a very knowledgeable Teacher.

**Cost: \$30.00 payable to PAL ~ RSVP**

Class is limited to 15 participants. **Mike Clayton** is the Event Coordinator so call him in order to be put on the list. Limited space is due to the unpredictability of the weather when the class may have to be moved undercover. If more people are interested, a second session could be scheduled for a future date. Call Mike ASAP

**August 19, 20, 21 POULSBO FESTIVAL BY THE BAY**

All instructions to prepare your exhibits will be emailed as to how to identify your art work for display and Volunteer booth responsibilities.

### **SEPTEMBER**

**Wednesday, September 28<sup>th</sup>**

**PAL Annual Meeting**

Election ~ New Slate of Officers 2011-2012

for PAL's 29<sup>th</sup> Year

12:00-3:00

Please Bring a Dish to Pass!