

# Poulsbo Artist League Newsletter

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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 power of the word is real whether or not you are conscious of it. Your own words are the bricks and mortar of the dreams you want to realize. Behind every word flows energy."* *Sonia Choquette*

## President's Message



Dear Friends,

It has been a pleasure to serve as President of the PAL organization during the past eighteen months. I'd like to say a huge **thank you** to all who have served as officers, as well as those who have served on committees, coordinated exhibits, field trips and special events and stepped up in so many ways to assist in PAL'S activities.

I also want to thank all of you for sharing your creative ideas and suggestions, for that is what PAL is all about... inspiring and helping each other to grow as artists. When you think about it, what other group of people do you know gets excited about paint colors like quinacridone burnt orange or manganese blue? or sable brushes? or hide glue? I'm thankful to have a group of friends who share a love of art and come together to create incredible artwork, and I look forward to more opportunities to grow with you in the upcoming year.

I wish to congratulate all of the following as the New Slate of Officers for the 2011-2012 year ~ Mike Clayton, President; Garvin Kinley, Vice President; Jan Lytle, Treasurer; and Maggie Huft, Secretary; and to Bill Fulton, who will remain our Wise Web Master and Elizabeth Haney, our "Sunshine" Chairman.

Lisa

# PAL Calendar

## This Month

Regular Meetings 12:30—3:30 PM:

Wednesday, October 5— Regular Meeting and **Intake for Reid Real Estate and Central Market and pick up Hospice paintings**

Wednesday, October 12—Regular Meeting

Wednesday, October 19—Regular Meeting and **Intake for Hospice. Marge Keeton and Mary Saurdiff are the venue coordinators.**

Wednesday, October 26—Regular Meeting

***Celebrating 29 years!***

*Happy Birthday!*

October's Creative Artist:

*Libby Sullivan*

**PAL Newsletter Editor:**

Andie Anderson

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## *Kudo Korner*



...Two powerful "words" that enrich the spirit of both speaker and hearer

....It has been my pleasure to be the Editor of the PAL Newsletter for the past two years... Which would not have been as much fun without my wonderful WMM, Web Master Mentor, **Bill Fulton**, and other fabulous team members: Treasurer, **Rich Crockett**, the Money\$Man; Vice President & Membership Guru, **Pam Asan**; **Elizabeth Haney**, our eternal Sunshine Go-to-Gal; and of course, our Fearless Leader, Madam President **Lisa Stowers**, who kept us in line and was an inspiration always; together with the collective quintessence of

**ALL THE MEMBERS OF PAL!**

It has been a very rewarding experience.

*Andie Anderson*

## EXHIBITS

**Hospice in Silverdale** ~ Various Members

**Kenneth L Hair Salon** in Poulsbo ~ Various Member's

**Jak's Café in Poulsbo** ~ Various Member's

**Male Hair Preference** in Silverdale ~ Mike Clayton

**Liberty Bay Bank** in Poulsbo ~ Various Members'

**Anderson/Janis Financial Services** in Poulsbo ~ Nancy Seton

**Hot Shots Java** ~ **Poulsbo Parks & Recreation Exhibit** ~ Nancy Sefton

**If you are exhibiting anywhere, let us know –  
or take them out from under the bed or let them come out of the closet  
and show them off!**



## Pal News and FYI Corner

Our **Venue Committee** continues to be busy trying to keep up with public requests to exhibit PAL's work...Want to join? It's Fun! Call Lisa Stowers for Info.

**Liberty Bay Bank** was a great time with lots of good food, music and contacts made. It was a fun evening for the five of us who represented PAL at the Poulsbo Chamber of Commerce Open House. Liberty Bay Bank was a great host. A Thank You note has been sent on behalf of PAL's Invitation to participate.

## *Up and Coming Events*

### **OCTOBER**

#### **HELP NEEDED –**

**INTAKE DAYS-** EVERYONE NEEDS TO HELP WITH LOG IN, PACKING, TRANSPORTING, TAKE DOWN, ETC.

**Wednesday, October 5**

**"INTAKE" FOR REID REAL ESTATE - GENERAL**

**"INTAKE" FOR CENTRAL MARKET – 3 MONTH DISPLAY**

Bigger Paintings Preferred for Public Display –CM will not sell pictures, nor take a commission. All your information must be on the picture for the public to contact you regarding sale procedures. Pictures should be: FOOD-RELATED ART PREFERRED: DAIRY FARMS, HAY STACKS, ANIMALS AND PLACES WHERE FOOD is either grown or is raised THINGS FROM THE EARTH – FLOWERS, VEGETABLES

**Wednesday, October 19**

**"INTAKE" FOR POULSBO CITY HALL**

[Special hanging instructions to follow in email notice]

**"INTAKE" & Hanging "Art Pick Up" FOR HOSPICE \***

\*All previous hanging art will have been picked up by Marge Keeton and Mary Sardiff and returned to you this date.

## *HOT TIPS....from Member Demonstration Day*

15-30 Minute Presentation of New Ideas!

**Nancy Sefton** gave a demonstration with "Hide" Glue for adding crackling effect for a tree/lumber texture. This is a product you can buy in any Hardware Store. On a primed canvas, lay down some random dark colors and let dry using Acrylic paints. Then place the undiluted hide glue over the specified area to create a crackling effect, allowing the area to dry completely again for 12-24 hours. Brush over the glue surface with a light acrylic color, about the consistency of paint right out of the tube; using a large soft brush. Or, you may leave the area white without color added. Stroke paint in the direction you wish the cracks to be aligned. Within minutes watch the wood-grain effect show through. Lots of fun to experiment. Great Effects!

**Dick Daugherty** demonstrated his technique for fixing an unhappy accident or "color spot" in a painting that needs to be readdressed. Take masking tape and create a box around the area, scrub the offending center clean and pull off the masking tape. All the area around the correction remains untouched and the painting is ready to be repainted. Try it, you'll like it!

**Lisa Stowers** demonstrated with "Golden Crackle Paste" which can go on any hard surface that is Gessoed first. You can use hard surfaces like masonite, back of a tile, wood, etc. Apply the crackle paste like frosting-a-cake consistency (not thick) and allow to dry 4 to 5 days. Paint over it with a thin paint so as not to fill in the cracks, let dry, then stand back and watch the magic!

## *Report of General Business Meeting & Luncheon – September 28*

After a delicious Pot-Luck Lunch, the yearly Business Meeting was called to order by President, Lisa Stowers, who presented a recap of the 2010-2011 year of PAL~ a year of very busy Pal Events.

We did have numerous viewing opportunities this year and the annual Poulsbo Art Festival "Art by the Bay" was very well attended. Central Market has opted to have our League exhibit work in their Public area and Café, rather than have a separate weekend event as before. We will be exchanging the art work every three months. Many other standing venues are being monitored by the



Venue/Event Committee which will continue through the coming Winter, Spring, and Summer for next year. We have been quite busy showing member's work throughout the county. As before, we have had several Artist Workshops and Member Outings that were fun and informative.

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 2011-2012 term as he must document all paid memberships for the up-coming year which needs to be presented to the new Treasurer in a timely fashion.

The floor was opened to the nomination of officers for the "29th" year of PAL. The Nominating Committee presented a slate of offices as follows: President, Mike Clayton; Vice President, Garvin Kinley; Treasurer, Jan Lytle; and Secretary, Maggie Huft. No additional nominations from the floor were forthcoming, a motion was made, seconded and unanimously made to accept the present slate of officers for the 2011-2012 fiscal year.

Co-Chairman, Jan Lytle and Liz Haney, gave a report for the Scholarship Committee, wherein they have reviewed and determined that we should continue to provide \$500.00 Scholarship Fund monies to the Kitsap Arts and Crafts Committee as a Continuing Education Fund Collective Contributor until their (KA&C) prior four-year Scholarship Award Commitment has been met. They will continue to monitor this program and will report if there are any changes, additions or new resolutions to be made in the future. Motion made, seconded and approved.

The Annual Christmas Luncheon is scheduled for Wednesday, December 7, 2011, at Noon with the place to be determined and chairperson(s) to be named at a later date.

No further business coming to the floor, motion was made, seconded and unanimously approved that the 2010-2011 PAL General Business meeting be adjourned.