



Fall 2025 see us on Facebook at **Poulsbo Artist League Facebook**

A Message from our President



I am off on a Road Scholar trip to Greece. There is a lot on the calendar for the rest of the year to keep us all busy producing art for Treehouse and Kingston Village Green and small paintings for the Christmas party. Be thinking about volunteering for one of the committees or running for office at the annual meeting October 22 at noon, and bring your own lunch-no potluck this year. I will be back for the Third Wednesday in October. We are tentatively planning the Christmas party for December 10. Happy painting."

Kay



PAL THIRD WEDNESDAY CALENDAR

September – December 2025

Do you have photos of Local Scenes in Kitsap County to share with PAL members? If so, please bring multiple copies of your photos to any PAL meeting in October. PAL members interested can take the photos home to work on their artwork creation for the November challenge.

At the PAL Annual Meeting on October 22nd please complete the survey Janie is creating. Would you share your artistic talents by leading a demo and giving input for the 2026 calendar? We need help! Would you consider helping to serve on the Third Wednesday Committee? If so contact Janie.

September 17-

Kristi Harris of S4ltibusiness.com

presented “The Language of Brushes” to a very receptive group. Check out the art and services she offers at her studio on the www.S4ltibusiness.com



October 15th

– Encaustic ‘Custom Beeswax Art’

Theresa Stirling, a local artist works with fire and wax creating art using thousands of brushstrokes and patience. She has found fluency within this ancient-yet- modern medium creating some of the largest-scale pieces out there. Her art work is collected around the country. Theresa Stirling, a local encaustic artist, will demonstrate Encaustic ‘Custom Beeswax Art’. theresastirling.com



November 19th – Show & Tell Challenge to create a ‘Local Scene in Kitsap County’

Ideas - <https://www.shothotspot.com/browse/united-states/washington/kitsap/hotspots/>

Challenge to ‘Create a Local Scene in Kitsap County’ issued last month. Bring your challenge artwork and be prepared to Show & Tell. You have an opportunity to exhibit your artwork in the new Treehouse Café Show ‘Local Scenes’ which runs November 29, 2025 – March 28, 2026 (contact Kay Boyce for more information).

December –

Tree House Calendar 2025-2026

Structures: Aug 30 to November 29, 2025 (3 months) - end/pick up art Dec 3

Local scene: November 29 to March 28, 2026 Bill Fulton (4 months) - begin/bring art Nov 26; end/pick up art April 1; reception Nov 30th.

Unnamed: March 28 to August 1st 2026 (4 months) - begin/bring art March 25; end/pick up art Aug 5, reception March 29

Unnamed: August 1st to November 29th, 2026 28th?? (4 months) - begin/bring art July 29; end/pick up art Dec 2; reception Aug 2

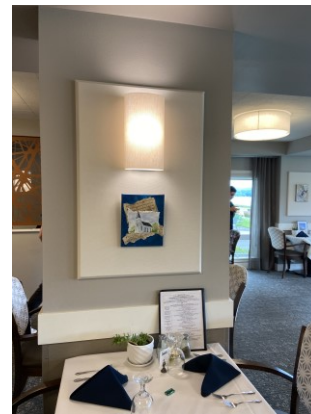
Village Green Show November to December 2025

Art will be collected on October 29th and hung directly after the meeting. Volunteers are needed for hanging art. Reception is scheduled for November 7, Friday evening from 6:30 to 7:00 pm. The show comes down Dec.27 or 28.

The take down after Christmas could be either Saturday or Sunday.

Crista Shores Venue

Liz Haney and Judy Guttormsen hung paintings in the Crista Shores dining room. Paintings will be changed out every three to four months. Bring paintings to the meeting on November 19 featuring Winter and or holiday scenes. Call Liz Haney if you have questions.



Poulsbo Arts Festival recap



Poulsbo Arts Festival recap,continued

Sheri Comfort and Becky Calder organized PAL's successful participation in this year's festival. Even though Friday was canceled due severe weather the festival was a success. Eighteen members participated and there were \$1,712.24 in sales. PAL bought two sturdy canopies and sand bags so we now have those for future events. Thank you to Kay Boyce and Judy Guttormsen who donated paintings for the raffle which made \$470 for PAL and was used for the canopies along with the ten percent PAL received from sales of the art from our Artists. Thank you again to all participants.

Cash Receipts:

Income

Art Sales \$ 1,113.00

Sales Tax 103.50

3.% Square Surcharge on Credit Cards 14.96

Raffle (2 Paintings value \$300. each) 470.00

Cash Box Overage 0.00

Donations 10.78

Total Cash Receipts 1,712.24

Cash Disbursements:

Expenses:

Consignments Paid to Artist 1,001.69

Square Fees (.15 + 2.9%) 32.11

Art Festival Expense

2 Canopies \$ 519.16

Sand for Sand Bags 15.59

Phone Card (30 Day) for PAL Phone 39.50 574.25

Total Cash Disbursements 1,608.05

Excess Cash Receipts over Cash Disbursements 104.19

Less: Additional to be paid

WA State Sales Tax (103.50)

Net Income 0.69

Venue and Activities Calendar

PAL meeting dates	Tree House Art in	Tree House Pick up Art at PAL	Village Green Art in	Village Green Pick up Art at PAL	Crista Shores Art in	Crista Shores Pick up Art at PAL
Oct.5						
Oct.15						
Oct.22 Annual meeting						
Oct.29			Bring art			
Nov.5						
Nov.12						
Nov.19					Bring Art	
Nov.26	Bring art					
Dec.3		Pick up Art				
Dec.10 XMAS Party						
Dec.27 or 28 tbd				Pick up Art from		
Jan.7						
Jan.14						

Artist Opportunities

Art in the Woods Studio Tour - Sponsored by CAFNW (Cultural Arts Foundation NorthWest)

10am to 5pm each day - Nov 7th Friday; Nov 8th Saturday ; Nov 9th Sunday

Click on the link for a copy of the 'Studio Map'

Click on 'download brochure' for a list of the studios and their media

[Art in the Woods | Cultural Arts Foundation Northwest](#)

Note: #9 S4lti Business Studio - Kristi Harris and Ingrid Amirault

The Bainbridge Island Museum of Art (BIMA) is interested in selling art cards by local artists. You can call Jordan Reijen at 303-601-8577 or email her at jordan@biartmuseum with images of your cards.

Check out the classes at Black Barn Studio

<https://www.blackbarnfineartstudio.com/workshopsandclasses>

<https://www.blackbarnfineartstudio.com/figuredrawing>

Check out the classes and activities at Poulsbo Parks and Recreation

<https://cityofpoulsbo.com/parks-recreation-class-activity-brochure/>