



Creative Juices

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Our Mission Statement

"Visual artists and supporters encouraging and promoting the arts in the community"

Notes from your President



February already! Wow - it's true what they say, the older you get the faster time flies. I don't know how it works but it sure does.

We had a great meeting in January; thanks Cynthia for your inspiration. We received \$119 from the book sale to help students learn about the wonderful world of art.

Please take note of the Student Art Show coming up in March because the artwork has to be submitted Feb. 26th. Bob Lee has put out a call for student artists in this newsletter but maybe you can help get the word out, too.

We have a fundraising opportunity coming up during the Irrigation Festival, besides the Sequim Arts Juried Art Show. The downtown merchants have asked us to be apart of their fair by having a booth downtown where we could sell our art. Because we are a non-profit organization it would have to be art donated and all sales would go toward helping student arts. This is another way to make our presence known in the community. I hope you will help with this endeavor. It can just be small items such as: magnets, cards, prints, etc. I need some volunteers to help in organizing and/or heading up the opportunity so if you are interested please contact myself or any other board member.

Don't miss February's presentation from Sooze Bloom deLeon Grossman, "Cyanotype printing on fabric and paper", sounds really interesting. See you on the 25th.

Sandra Outsinger

Sooze Bloom deLeon Grossman will be our presenter at the February 25th Meeting



Sooze's topic is: Cyanotype printing on fabric and paper. This process is ideal for quilters and other textile artists. She will bring materials for attendees to do a small practice piece.

Sequim Arts Student March 5 - 27

The Sequim Arts Sponsored Student Show is coming March 5-27.

The 16th annual Sequim Arts Student Show is coming to the Museum & Arts Center, March 5-27. Help is needed with intake, hanging, reception, take down, & more. This is our chance to inspire & encourage student artists in grades 6-12 from throughout Clallam County. Please consider volunteering to help with this show. You can sign up at our February meeting. Thanks! Karin Anderson 681-8481 or karindesigns54@yahoo.com

Calling all Clallam County Student Artists, public, private or home schooled - grades 6 -12 for the 16th Annual Student Art Show sponsored by Sequim Arts, Sequim WA. All media including 3-D accepted. Two entries per student at \$1 per entry. Bring your artwork to the Museum and Arts Center, 175 W. Cedar, Sequim, Friday Feb. 26th 3-5pm or Saturday, Feb. 27th 10am-12pm along with a completed entry form which may be downloaded at sequimarts.org or picked up at the Museum. Artists Reception Friday, March 5th, 5-8pm with awards presentation at 6pm.

The Deadline for the March Newsletter is March 10th. Please contact Sharon Scairpon with any news for the newsletter - please send it to any of the email addresses listed here: news@sequimarts.org scarp07@pobox.com sequimartsnewsletter@yahoo.com

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Clallam County Fair
Art Barn Supervisor
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GREAT REWARDS
Call Sandra at 683-1095 or
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Dates to Remember

February 18	10 a.m.	Sequim Arts Monthly Board Meeting at MaryAnn Proctor's studio
February 25	9:30 a.m.	Sequim Arts Monthly Meeting at St Luke's Parish Hall
March 5	5 p.m.	Sequim First Friday Art Walk
March 18	10 a.m.	Sequim Arts Monthly Board Meeting at MaryAnn Proctor's studio

Call to Artists Sequim Arts is seeking Artists in the Greater Sequim/Dungeness area to join the "Art Studio Tour" on July 16, 17 and 18th as part of the 2010 Sequim Lavender Festival celebration. Studio hours will be from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday & Saturday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday. Application/participation fee is \$85. Application forms are available online at www.sequimarts.org and entry deadline is March 1st. For further information contact Tour Director Cynthia Thomas at (360)681-4240 or cynthia@MLCE.net.

CLASSES TO HELP YOU GROW IN YOUR ART

A NEW KIND OF WORKSHOP WITH SALLY CAYS sally@caysart.com

Where: In my home studio, I can take 3 students giving intensive, semi-private classes in the same format as I've used for my workshops.

When: The first and third week of any month on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Also, I'll be able to do weekend classes, Saturday and Sunday, and then the following Saturday. So each workshop will be 3 days, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. We'll have much more flexibility with this format.

Who: For beginners, those of you who may have painted in school or never painted at all and want to try something new, stimulating, and fun, I can teach you skills and techniques which will be useful regardless of the style you ultimately choose for your own work.

If you want an advanced workshop and have someone else to do it with you, schedule it. At first I'm going to repeat old workshops, but if you've already taken those and want something new, I'm willing to start with you and go through the process.

We can also set up a time for you to come in and work on something you have going on your own, and I'll be there with help, support, and demonstrations if you're having problems you need to work out. A kind of an open studio approach is what I visualize for that.

Cost: Since I won't be renting another place to teach or sending out increasingly expensive mass mailings, I can lower the cost of the workshops to the original price that I charged years ago, \$180.00.

HOW DO YOU REGISTER? **(Continuation of New Kind of Workshop with Sally Cays)**

Since I've never done a workshop this way before, I'm not too sure about how this part is going to work. I'm setting up a tentative schedule here (not carved in stone) and you tell me what you want beyond that. Remember, I can only take 3 people at a time, so call me to register for one of these, or let me know what you want to do for the future. Please be patient, this is as new for me as it is for you - but I'm sure we can make it work even better than the old format workshops.

Intermediate workshops will work the same as the advanced workshops; I'll send you the line drawing and you'll have your image traced and the paper stretched ahead of time. These classes are for the people who have already taken one of my workshops, and have the basics under their belts. The image will be the same size as the beginning classes paint, but will be more complex or difficult, so on average will take more time which is why you'll come to class ready to start painting.

Please call me as soon as you can to register for one of these or to tell me what you'd rather do. If you want an advanced workshop you might have to wait awhile for me to paint a new 11 X 15" advanced painting. I've only done two advanced workshops and most of my advanced students have taken both of those.

March 3, 4, & 5: Silver and Lace - BEGINNING WORKSHOP (still life)

March 16, 17, & 18: Tiger Lilies - BEGINNING WORKSHOP (floral)

April 6, 7, & 8: Petunias - INTERMEDIATE WORKSHOP (floral)

April 20, 21, & 22: Zac - INTERMEDIATE WORKSHOP (portrait)

CALL ME: 360-683-5387 OR 360-460-4728 (cell) We'll talk about it.

CLASSES WITH ROXANNE GRINSTAD revised 2/3/10

Certified Chinese Brush Painting Instructor through Ning Yeh Studios. Contact me at rcgrinstad@hotmail.com or by calling 452-6334 for more information (including supply lists) or to sign up for any of these classes.

Intermediate Watercolor resumes Feb 17. Wednesdays, 9:15-11:30 at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Port Angeles. Topics include painting flower petals, glass and rich darks, glazes, controlled wash, charging and textural techniques while painting Northwest, landscapes, flora and fauna. On going classes \$40 per month.

Chinese Brush Painting: Flowers. There is interest in having a flower painting class right after the watercolor class on Wednesdays above. Students would bring a lunch in and we would start with a video at 12:00. Let me know if you are interested!!!

Chinese Brush Painting Topic: Landscapes Tuesdays 1:00-3:00 Feb 23, March 2, 9, 16 \$44.00 Per 4 week session. Another session will follow if desired.

Class will be held at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, 301 E. Lopez, Port Angeles. Supplies are purchased from me. If you have no supplies please let me know and I will have them ready for you. Do not purchase any supplies before the first class. You may bring any supplies you currently own to the first class and I will determine their suitability.

If you have taken Chinese or Sumi-e from a qualified instructor, you will have some supplies that are suitable. If you have a kit from Asia, it may not have some of the necessary supplies. I charge the same price that Ning Yeh does at his studio, and split the shipping cost between those who ordered.

WATERCOLOR CLASSES WITH CAROL JANDA Call 360 452 6356 to sign up or have questions.

1st Wednesday of each month from 9- 12:00, Class with demonstration watercolor at the Sequim Senior Center.
2nd and 4th Wednesday Watercolor Class at The Orchards Art Building on 14th Street, Port Angeles.

NUTS & BOLTS: A BEGINNING DRAWING WORKSHOP WITH PRISCILLA MESSNER-PATTERSON

Saturday, March 6- 10 A.M.-3:30 P.M.

Bring a brown bag lunch, some drawing supplies and delve into some drawing basics with Priscilla Messner-Patterson. You'll need a sketchbook or drawing pad, a ruler, and a set of drawing pencils ranging from 2H-6B. The class will be held at the Museum & Arts Center, DeWitt building. Cost for the day is \$35 for Sequim Arts and Museum members, \$45 for non members. Class is limited to 15, so please RSVP to Priscilla at 477-4195. Class co-sponsored by Sequim Arts and the Museum & Arts Center. *Priscilla is splitting the class fees 3 ways so she gets 1/3 and Sequim Arts and the MAC also get 1/3 each.*

LESSONS IN ACRYLIC, OIL, OR PASTEL WITH SUSAN MARTIN SPAR. Learn to paint in your desired medium and create paintings with exciting balanced compositions that glow with color harmony. Cost is \$20 per 2 1/2 hr. class or pay for six classes and receives a 10% discount. Wednesdays, 10:00 AM to 12:30 PM. Susan Spar's newly enlarged studio.
http://www.susanspar.com
http://www.susanmartinspar.blogspot.com http://www.musensbysusan.blogspot.com

LIFE DRAWING at ZIEN STUDIO 461-2725 for more information
Life Drawing in Sequim every Tuesday 2-4:30 with male & female models. New artists are welcome.
Cost is \$10.00 a session. Come & sharpen your drawing & painting skills.

ADDITIONAL ART CLASSES

Port Townsend artist Don Tiller will present a two-day “Contemporary Landscape Paintings with Fluid Acrylics” workshop on Friday, Feb 26, and Saturday, Feb 27. The workshop will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day at the Northwind Arts Center, 2409 Jefferson St., in Port Townsend.

Tiller will show participants his “25-step” approach to layering and glazing techniques with an emphasis on composition using bold colors and simplified shapes. The workshop is open to all levels and the cost is \$140.

More details, including a supply list and registration, are available at www.dontiller.com or by phoning Kismet Design Studio at 360-379-5450.

CURRENT EXHIBITS IN SEQUIM

Sequim Arts announces the following First Friday arts events and ongoing art displays for the month of MARCH 2010:

At The *Blue Whole Gallery*, 129 W Washington Street, Sequim; Sequim Arts Member Julie Lawrence and Ron Carlson will be the Featured Artists for the month of March. Meet the Artists from 5-8pm for First Friday Art Walk, March 5th.

At The *Gallery at the Fifth Avenue*, 500 W Hendrickson, Sequim; Sequim Arts Member Jim Gift will have his Photographic and Watermedia Art on display for the month of March. Artist's reception from 1-3pm on Sunday, March 7th.

At the *Museum and Arts Center*, 175 W Cedar Street, Sequim Arts and the Museum proudly present the 16th Annual Student Art Show sponsored by Sequim Arts. All media will be on display. A Reception for the young artists will be held Friday, March 5th, 5-8pm with Awards presentation at 6pm. The Show is free and runs through March 27th 2010.

At *Key Bank*, 120 N Dunlap Ave., Sequim; Sequim Arts Member Pam Kauffman will display her Eclectic Artwork during the month of March normal business hours. Meet the artist from 5-6pm for First Friday Art Walk, March 5th.

At *Strait Financial Advice*, 193 W Cedar Street, Sequim; Sequim Arts Member Judy Priest's watercolors and art photography of Seasonal Landscapes will be on display during the month of March. Meet the Artist during First Friday Art Walk from 5-7pm.

At *The Doves Nest*, 139 W Washington Street, Sequim; Look for Sequim Arts Member Grace Shepard's artwork near the front of the business during the month of March. Open until 8pm for First Friday Art Walk .

An online map of the various First Friday Art Walk Venues and information is available at www.sequimartwalk.com courtesy of Renne Brock-Richmond

Submitted by Robert Lee, Sequim Arts Publicity, (683-6894)

SEQUIM ART JURIED SHOW

Sequim Arts, located in Sequim Washington is seeking entries for its 34th Annual Juried Visual Arts Exhibit May 6th to May 9th 2010. Entry deadline is March 14th 2010. Details including a prospectus at www.sequimarts.org <http://www.sequimarts.org> or call Carol Eichler at (360) 582-0927. Email contacts are juriedshow@sequimarts.org or caroleichler@yahoo.com .

SEQUIM ARTS PHOTO GROUP

For information, contact Maryann Proctor - maryann59@olypen.com or 681-5320.

2010 Sequim Arts Membership

It is time for your dues for the year of 2010 to be paid. Our new year has begun and we have great plans for our group and want you all to come along for the fun. Your dues must be paid by March 1st for you to be included in our Membership Booklet which will be available at our March 25th Meeting.

Please fill out an application and submit it with your payment so we can be sure of important information.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY, STATE, ZIP _____
PHONE _____
E-MAIL _____
WEB SITE _____

Dues per year are: Single Member \$30.00 _____ Couple \$40.00 _____

Please send this completed form along with your dues to Sequim Arts, PO Box 1842, Sequim, WA 98382 or bring it to the next meeting.

Occasionally Sequim Arts will give our member list to art supply companies who help sponsor our events.

Please help by filling out the following:

I am interested in the following media, such as, oil, acrylics, ceramics, etc: (List below)

Here is a partial list of our committees and projects. (Circle those of interest)

County Fair Equipment Ways & Means Historian Hospitality Studio Tour
Juried Exhibit Member Exhibit Membership Newsletter Programs Publicity
Scholarship

Spring Luncheon Holiday Luncheon Student Show Summer Picnic Workshops Website

Other skills or talents (such as writer, computers, fund raising, etc) you would like to share: (List below)

Sequim Arts is a 501(c)3 non profit organization

PASTEL WORKSHOP

DATE: Saturday, Feb 20th TIME: 11:00am - 1:00pm
LOCATION: Art Supplies Unlimited
FEE: \$20.00 (cash or check only) *All Ages Welcome*
Call or email to register.

WATERCOLOR & COLORED PENCIL WORKSHOP

DATE: Saturday, Feb 27th TIME: 11:00am - 1:00pm
LOCATION: Art Supplies Unlimited
FEE: \$20.00 (cash or check only) *All Ages Welcome*

Art Supplies Unlimited
124B West First Street, Port Angeles, Washington 98362
(360) 457-2759 artsuppliesunlimited@gmail.com Call or email to register



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