

Pacific Coastline

Newsletter for members of Pacific Coast Artists

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President's Message

I hope you all had a wonderful Thanksgiving! I know I had to break out the stretchy pants and they will stay out until after the holidays.

We had our last paint-in for 2023 on November 18th with Onya Tolmasoff. We painted Lisbeth Stull's Santa on an Oyster Shell. Onya brought lots of shells for us to paint on and several of the ladies painted two or three, it was a really fun day.

Speaking of fun, I hope you all join us for our luau-themed Holiday Day Party on December 10th. Lorean Weng has a fun day planned for us, so be sure to sign up. I want to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays as we move into December and the last month of the year.

It has been a wonderful journey and I have personally enjoyed being your president and programs chair these past two years. You are a great group of painting friends.

This past week of November I sent out an "Emergency General Meeting notice" and at the time of writing this newsletter, I have no idea what the outcome will be. It will be up to you all whether we should continue as a painting group or disband. We desperately need volunteers to help with programs, whether it be contacting potential teachers or preparing the yearly calendar. We need help with fundraising, we have tons of surfaces and books and these items need to be put together for raffles, etc.

Also, if you know your way around "Word" you can help us create nifty flyers to post on Facebook to promote our upcoming programs.

We have three classes left of this last season January, February, and March. If we continue, I will need to send out teacher invitations and begin the selection process. I will keep you posted. If anyone is willing to help me with creating a teacher list and updating our contracts, it would be greatly appreciated. Wishing you all a wonderful December.

Happy Painting,

Linda Martin



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Addendum to the President's Letter

We had our Emergency General Meeting on the evening of November 29th at 6:15 pm. Out of the 25 members that we invited and gently reminded only 14 joined the ZOOM meeting. I did have two people reach out to me, who would be traveling and give their input.

After much discussion and voting the group decided to dissolve the painting group.

It breaks my heart and I know it does others as well.

The last three scheduled paint-ins will be ZOOM Only. Please consider joining us for these classes.

We have a wonderful Holiday Party and all the raffle items will be free. Onya has a plan in place to make it go smoothly.

We will not have a membership drive and any monies that have been received for membership will be refunded to you.

The board will plan a fun and all-expenses-paid event for the 25 people who are current 2023 members. This will take place sometime in March – April 2024 time when our club comes to an official end.

We will offer the folding tables, paper goods, and other assets to the current 25 members. If you are interested in seeing or obtaining any of these items, please contact me.

It has been my pleasure to be your president these past two years.

Linda

Upcoming Programs

January 20, 2024 @ 10 a.m.



Sparkie McFreeze



Designer: Lisbeth Stull

Teacher: Rose Melgoza

Zoom Only

Class Fee: Free for members \$18 for non-members

Medium: Americana Acrylics

Design/Surface: 9 3/4" x 10" wooden hanging plaque, Hobby

Lobby \$5.99

Wooden beads and twine kit (optional) \$2.00 from teacher Snowflake stencil (optional) from Lizbeth Stull \$7.75 or use

what you have.

Sign-ups:

Linda Martin Christine Schlager Jennie Pascual

Regina Taylor

February 17, 2024 @ 10 a.m.



Floral Glass Block



Designer: Tami Carmody **Teacher: Tami Carmody**

Zoom Only

Class Fee: Free for members \$18 for non-members

Medium: Folk Art Enamels

Design/Surface: 6" x 6" Glass Block – Hobby Lobby \$8.00

Sign-ups:

Linda Martin Katy Taylor

March 16, 2024



Blue Plate Rogaland Style



Designer: Vi Thode

Teacher: Onya Tolmasoff

Zoom Only

Class Fee: Free for members \$18 for non-members

Medium Used: JoSonja

Surface: 12" Scalloped Square Plate (8" center)

Source: MONTZKA WOODWORKING, INC. - was \$16.40 may

have gone up.

Sign-ups:

Linda Martin

COAST ARTISTS	Sign me UP!
Class	Date
Name	
	Home
Class is ☐ ZOOM ONLY <u>Class Fee Payment Methods:</u>	
Cash:	(do not mail)
Check #:	payable to Pacific Coast Artist
Zelle®:	send to treasurer@pacificcoastartists.com
Class Fees: FREE for member You can enroll at any Paint-In or mail this	·

Questions? Contact Linda.

I understand that it is my responsibility to make arrangements to pick up and pay for any optional surfaces separately.

No refunds are given for Paint-ins or Seminars. Class materials will be collected and given to you.



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2024 Project Calendar

January 20th, 2024Sparkle McFreeze/Rose Melgoza



February 17th, 2024
Floral Glass Block/Tami Carmody









December Birthday

Onya Tolmasoff23

Volunteers are needed to help pick up the food and clean up for the holiday party...

email loreanwdesigns@gmail.com



OKC Painting Palooza

Looks like the OKC Painting Palooza is coming along. They announced that you can pre-order your 2024 catalog today, they are \$8.00 and they will be shipped after the 1st of the year in January. They plan to open registration in February.

The 2024 OKC Painting Palooza dates are August 10-17 which falls on our paint-in weekend. We may need to move our paint-in date to another weekend.

To visit their website go to www.okcpaintingpalooza.com

They also have a list of over 60 teachers, I can't wait to see the projects they will be teaching.

Happy Painting Linda New Painting Convention in Chattanooga, TN Signups are open now.

Visit https://apcexpo.net/ for details

READY FOR A NEW CONVENTION?

It's a great new annual event in the heart of the Smokies! More than just a painting show, there will be vendors with crafts, art, supplies, demonstrations and all your favorite teachers with great classes! Giveaways, swag bags, inexpensive hotel rooms, and a great city to go shopping, all in a really convenient location in Chattanooga!

FOLLOW US to keep up on news & details!







NOVEMBER PAINT-IN WITH ONYA...

















EVENTS AROUND THE NEIGHBORHOOD...



Round Glass Bottle and Lights available at Hobby Lobby Round Glass Bottle SKU# 409094 16oz.

Bottle Twinkle Lights SKU# 1673367 10 count

Southern California Decorative Painters (SCDP)

Cordially invites you to Zoom with us on

Monday, Jan 8, 2024 9:30—3:00 Pacific Time

As we paint

Dragonfly Garden

Design & Instruction by

Tami Carmody

Zoom Log In will be emailed a few days before class. Questions?

Please contact Avis by email or phone.

The class will be recorded.

Southern California Decorative Painters Zoom Class Enrollment Form

Enclose your check, made payable to SCDP and completed form in an envelope and mail to:

Avis Randall – 5331 E. Juaneno Ave, Orange, CA 92867- (714) 637-0779 ardr1@dslextreme.com

Name		4 × 4 × 10 × 10	Phone
Address			
City:		State:	Zip:
Email Address: _	003.0.3.7.7.7.7.7.7.7.7.4.7.7.7.7.7.7.7.7.7.7		
	Class Info	rmation:	
	Class Name: Dragonfly Garden	Month of Class	s: Jan 8, 2024
	SCDP Member \$20 1	Non SCDP Memb	er \$25
	Total Paid:	Check #	

No refunds will be issued.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DECORATIVE PAINTERS 2024 PROGRAMS CALENDAR

Jan 8
Dragonfly Garden
Designer & Teacher:
Tami Carmody



Feb 12
Merry Christmas Globe
Designer: Karen Brouwer

Designer: Karen Brouwer Teacher: Christine Taylor-Leonard **General Meeting**



Mar 11 Pittie Patty Posey

Designer: Erika Joanne Teacher: Sephanie Robinson



Apr 8 The Boo Crew

Designer: Lizbeth Stull Teacher: Irene Patrias **General Meeting**



<u>Jul 8</u> Kringle

Designer: Maxine Thomas
Teacher: Christine Taylor-Leonard
General Meeting



Aug 12 Pumpkins for Sale

Designer: Nancy Scott Teacher: Janet Mitchell



Sep 9 Rose

Designer: Sandra Malone Teacher: Rose Melgoza **General Meeting**



Oct 14 Sweet Treat Express

Designer: Lizbeth Stull Teacher: Cookie Perry



Nov 11 Snow Flake Friend

Designer: Lizbeth Stull Teacher: Rose Melgoza

General Meeting



All SCDP Paint In Programs are held via Zoom. May, Seminar TBA $^{\sim}$ June 49th Anniversary, Member Appreciation Day TBA