

Osceola Decorative Artists



An affiliated chapter of the Society of Decorative Painters

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It is with regret and sadness that the ODA Board is publishing this message. We send to Dawn best wishes and many hours of happy painting.

Effective immediately please accept my resignation as president of Osceola Decorative Artists. I have truly enjoyed painting and growing with you as a chapter. I wish each of you all the best in your painting future, it has been a pleasure to serve you these last two years.

Dawn

Show and Tell

No Show and Tell for November and December meetings. In January bring pieces to share and start 2012 with new pattern ideas and techniques to challenge all of us.

November Birthdays

<i>Ann Card</i>	<i>21</i>
<i>Barbara Layton</i>	<i>27</i>
<i>Joan Ferre</i>	<i>28</i>



From the ODA Board

We will be having a short business meeting on November 19 to vote on the following issues: **1-election of officers, 2-2012 budget, 3-whether or not to pursue purchasing logo pins for our chapter members and 4-whether or not to have the Art Tea in 2012.** Our program will be presented by our guest teacher, Pat Lentine, and we hope to devote as much time as possible to her presentation. Please take the time to review each issue and as always the floor will be open to questions. However, it is hoped that the members will have familiarized themselves with each issue and the meeting can be expedited.

Please Note: the position of 1st vice president is currently unlisted. The nominating committee is working diligently to fill that position. This position is responsible for procuring teachers for the monthly programs. Much, if not most, of the 2012 programming is in place and would just need someone to facilitate them. Please consider assuming this position and contact Jill Terrell or Debbie Smith. The chapter needs you!

1-Election of Officers

The following persons are presented as the slate of officers for the year 2012:

President:	Debbie Smith
First Vice President (programs):	TBA
Second Vice President (membership):	Barbara Layton
Secretary:	Debi Crook
Treasurer:	Grace Pattison

Elections will take place at the November chapter meeting. At that time there will be an opportunity for nominations from the floor.

3-Chapter Logo Pins

The question: Do you wish Judi Arntz to pursue obtaining 1” cloisonné pins for chapter members to purchase at \$10.00 each. This would be a money maker for the chapter if most of the members will commit to participate by purchasing the pins. If there is not a majority wishing to purchase the pins the issue needs to be dismissed or tabled so as not to incur unnecessary expenditure of funds for the chapter.

4-2012 Art Tea

The Ways and Means Committee is tasked with creating revenue opportunities. As you can see from the proposed budget that line item provides over 50% of our chapter revenue. Last year the Art T was a great success but as with any project it is a lot of work. The Ways and Means Committee is proposing an Art Tea for 2012 but before they proceed the committee wants to know if the membership is willing to support it and give of both time and talents to the effort.

2-Proposed 2012 Budget

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES:

Non-Profit Registration	62.00
Liability Ins	33.00
SDP fees	33.00
Rent	500.00
Ways and Means	100.00
Workshop Teacher Fees	440.00
Christmas Party	100.00
Publicity	100.00
Website	300.00
Decorative Dollars	100.00
Chapter Recognition	100.00
Education (convention)	<u>35.00</u>
Total	1,903.00

PROPOSED REVENUES:

Dues	435.00
Workshops	468.00
Ways and Means	<u>1,000.00</u>
Total	1,903.00



November Program

Santa—Designed and Taught by

Pat Lentine

This is a terrific opportunity to take a class from Pat.

Class fee is \$30.

Supplies:

Sanford Prismacolor Pencils:

914 - Cream

943 – Burnt Ochre

923 - Scarlet Lake

946 – Dark Brown

924 - Crimson Red

1021 – Jade Green

927 - Light Peach

928 - Blush

1060 - Cool Grey 20%

1063 - Cool Grey 50%

1065 - Cool Grey 70%

935 - Black

937 - Tuscan Red

938 - White

939 - Peach

1077 - Colorless Blender

Krylon Workable Fixatif 1306 (This will be needed but will not be used in class.)

Pastel -White (hard pastel)

Canson Mi-Teintes paper: Color - Sand – 8 x 10 (supplied in class)

8 x 10 drawing board

Pencil Sharpener, Stylus, Eraser

Grey or old Black Graphite

White acrylic paint, Liner brush

Pencil Sharpener-Everyone needs to have access to a battery operated or electric pencil sharpener. If using electric, the cords need to be out of the way of traffic. (Boston battery sharpeners are NOT good). The electric Boston is ok. Panasonic or Foray (available at Staples) battery operated sharpeners are good. You are looking for a sharpener with gears not one that has a hand held sharpener with a motor.



ODA Christmas Party

Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells

Yes, Christmas is just around the corner, so pack your holiday spirit and get ready for a great time.

When: December 17

Where: Osceola Center for the Arts, Community Room

Time: 11:00 am – until

Food: Potluck – sign up at the October or November meeting

Fun: We will have an ornament exchange. Bring a painted ornament, it does **Not** have to be painted by you, and place it in a gift bag or box.

We will also have a creative time following lunch, you will need to bring:

3 brushes (a liner, a medium flat and a medium round)

Painting palette

Water container

Double sided tape

Remember to bring your Decorative Dollars!

Just mark your calendar and plan on having a good time!

Jingle All The Way...

Dawn has sent out raffle tickets for the wonderful three piece tin train. This is a Ways and Means project so convince your friends, neighbors, co-workers and family that this would be a fantastic addition to their holiday decorations. The tickets are only a \$1.00 each.

Deanna Spence painted the candy cane design and the train was donated by Dawn Wurst and Fran Berry. Please let someone know if you have not received your tickets to sell.



Drink and Dessert Signup

If you can't attend, please make arrangements for someone to bring your item or perhaps trade with you.

November

Desserts

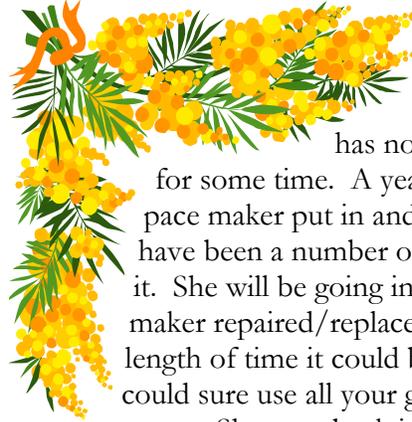
Grace Pattison

Drinks

Fran Berry

ODA General Meetings

Meetings are the 3rd Saturday of the month. We meet at the Osceola Center for the Arts, 2411 E. Irlo Bronson Memorial Highway (St. Rd. 192), Kissimmee, FL 34744. The business meeting starts at 10:00 am and is followed by a painting program/workshop. We generally “brown bag” our lunch with drinks and a dessert provided by different members.



I talked to Joan Ferre today and was saddened to hear she has not been feeling well for some time. A year or so ago she had a pace maker put in and unfortunately there have been a number of set-backs with it. She will be going in to have the pace-maker repaired/replaced and after such a length of time it could be difficult. She could sure use all your good thoughts and prayers. She goes back in the day before the BBS luncheon and I think that's the second Saturday in November. Please pray for her! Thanks.

Jean

2011 Calendar

November

19: Short Chapter Meeting, **Art Room**

December

17: Christmas Party, **Community Room**



2011 Programs

November

19—Pat Lentine: colored pencils, Santa face

December

17—Christmas Party

Treasurer's Report October, 2011

Beginning Balance	\$4,329.52
Membership fees	195.00
Sub total	4,524.52
Teacher's Fee - October	95.00
Current Balance	4,429.52

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS DUE BY DECEMBER 1st for 2012

How fast the year has flown! A number of renewals were received in September, but unfortunately, I was unable to attend the October meeting. Heard several comments that people really thought it was a very enjoyable workshop. A few of the members did send renewals in the mail. I'm planning to attend the November meeting and will have membership forms available and will be accepting renewals at that time. If you don't plan to be at the November meeting, perhaps you could slip a check in the amount of \$15.00 in the mail prior to December 1st. You are all important to our club and we hope you all will be with us for another year of painting fun and friendship.

Jean

ODA MEMBERSHIP: Please fill out the form below and bring it to a meeting and hand it to our Membership Chairman, Jean Zawicki. If you can't come to the meeting then mail it to Jean at the address below. Thank you all.

NAME _____ DUES \$15.00
ADDRESS _____ CASH _____ CHECK _____ DATE _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

HOME PHONE _____ - _____ - _____ CELL PHONE _____ - _____ - _____ (optional)

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

NATIONAL SDP# _____ (Required to be a member)

BIRTHDATE – MONTH _____ DAY _____

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO “OCEOLA DECORATIVE ARTISTS”.

TURN FORMS IN AT MEETING or MAIL TO:

Jean Zawicki

430 Louisiana Ave.

St. Cloud, FL. 34769

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phone: 407-892-6383

EXCHANGE DECORATIVE DOLLARS FOR HOLIDAY TREASURES

The Christmas Party is just around the corner and Jill and I (the Decorative Dollars Committee) have come up with a fun way to spend the DD's you've earned through the year. We will be working on some holiday items for a Decorative Dollar Teacup Raffle at the party, so don't forget to bring your dollars along and exchange them for raffle tickets. If any of the membership has a special little holiday treasure, donations will be gratefully accepted. Items can be brought to the party, but please let either Jean or Jill know if you plan to donate something so we will have some idea of space needed.

Jean

*No Business Meeting in October
No Minutes
Decorative Dollars Fun Day*



***YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED to an OPEN HOUSE at Jean Zawicki's home
on Sunday, November 20th from 1-4 p.m.***

In the past, a number of BBS (Brevard Brush Strokes) friends have requested that I have a time to come to view and/or purchase my hand painted china pieces. There will be special close out prices on Jean's books and packets as well as a *Painter's Rummage*. We made the 11/20 date and then I decided to also invite any of our ODA members who would like to stop by as well. There will be refreshments and I will also have a drawing for a nice piece of china to say "thanks for coming".

430 Louisiana Ave

St. Cloud

Call 407.892.6383 if you need directions.

*From the Yellow Rose Chapter
Dallas, Texas*

SAVE THE DATE

DECORATIVE PAINTING CRUISE – SEPTEMBER 9, 2012

THE YELLOW ROSE CHAPTER, DALLAS, TX IS IN THE PLANNING STAGES FOR HOSTING A 7 DAY PAINTING CRUISE ON THE STAR PRINCESS, PRINCESS CRUISELINE DEPARTING FROM SEATTLE, WASHINGTON ON SEPTEMBER 9TH, 2012. PORTS OF CALL: KETCHIKAN, JUNEAU, AND SKAGWAY, ALASKA AND VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA. MORE INFORMATION TO COME – WATCH OUR WEBSITE: WWW.YELLOWROSECHAPTER.COM FOR UPDATES ON CRUISE AND CLASSES.

CONTACT – RORY MORGAN, CRUISE COMMITTEE CHAIR,

address: 20 A Rhea Mills Cr, Prosper, TX 75078 or email yrucruise2012@yahoo.com

PS – The Seattle Painting Convention starts on September 19th, 2012 – what a great way to add on some more painting and shopping time.



Florida State Retreat

March 29 – 31, 2012

Hi Painting Friends,

Now that the chapter's activities are winding down and before the Christmas business overwhelms us, **take some time to look at the State Retreat site and get your registration in.** Remember last year some classes were cancelled because we were slow registering. It is easy to put it off, but please **go now and print out your registration forms and class selection forms.** You can see the class booklet by clicking on the booklet cover with the tiger. The forms tell you where to send the checks.

Remember how much fun we all had? It is definitely worth the money and time set aside. It is a wonderful time to get away and relax, paint, enjoy each other eat and play together. There are prizes and raffles and so much more. It will lift you out of the doldrums, that is for sure. Do this for yourself - or ask your family to send you as a Christmas gift.

It is not to early - now is the time to REGISTER! The website is www.ssdaretreat.com

I just sent mine off this morning. See you there!

Pat Otto

visit my website

www.patotto.com

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