

OSCEOLA DECORATIVE ARTISTS

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2016

It's going to be a great year!

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2016 Project Calendar

January 16 Sandy Aubuchon design
using a fine line writer

Judi Arntz

February 20 Koi watercolor

Stephanie Pooler

March 19 Zentangle on a domino

Deanna Spence

September 17 DecoArt Multi Surface Paints
And Luster Wax

Jill Terrell &
Jean Zawicki



January Project:

Sandy Aubuchon design
with Judi Arntz

Attention!!

If you plan on attending
this workshop send Judi an
email so she knows how
many will be coming.

Prep instructions are on the
next page.

January Workshop Information

Paint:

DecoArt

Antique Maroon
Back Plum
Cranberry Wine (transparent)
Deep Teal
Green Mint
Ice Blue
Lamp (Ebony) Black
Light Buttermilk
Wedgwood Blue

Dazzling Metallics

Glorious Gold

Supplies:

Normal paint supplies and the brushes you would use to basecoat the design. These will depend on the size of your design.

Fine Line Writer



Prep for class:

Have surface base-coated with Black Plum. The pattern can be adjusted but the sample is done on a 6" round. You may enlarge the design if you wish, but I wouldn't recommend reducing it.

The pattern will be transferred and the rest of the painting will be done at the workshop.



February Project:

Laura McKenzie Koi Watercolor design with Stephanie Pooler

There will be a \$35. Supply fee for this workshop which includes everything you will need for the project, including the Laura McKenzie pattern and painting instructions. You will only need to bring standard watercolor painting supplies and a large bath towel.

Attention!!

Stephanie needs to order supplies and patterns, so if you plan to attend this workshop, please register and pay for the workshop this month. If you will not be at the January meeting you can print the workshop sign up form from the newsletter and mail it to Lynn Ingersoll.

Membership Update

By Carol Brown

Membership

We are a chapter of SDP and as such we each have to be a member of SDP. The board is responsible for confirming the fact that all our chapter members are first SDP members. I understand that this may seem to be an annoyance but please help me verify everyone's status. You should receive your SDP Membership Card with your February issue of the *Decorative Painter*. Those who remember to bring your card to the March ODA meeting for me to see and "check you off the list" or email me a photocopy during the month of March will have their name put into Jean's famous or infamous drawing box. The winner of the drawing will receive a SURPRISE! Revelation of this SURPRISE will be at a later date. Later because right now it is a surprise to me also—I am still contemplating all the serendipitous things it could be!

Carol

January Birthdays

<i>Marsha Lamb</i>	<i>January 3rd</i>
<i>Lynn Ingersoll</i>	<i>January 5th</i>
<i>Bertie Porter</i>	<i>January 15th</i>
<i>Jill Terrell</i>	<i>January 18th</i>



Who Am I?

By Carol Brown

Some of us are longtime friends and some are new acquaintances. Over the next few months I am going to share pictures of members and give some facts about them that maybe even those close friends might not know. Enjoy the pictures, guess who belongs to the facts and I will identify the person in subsequent newsletters.



- I grew up on a mink ranch.
- I went to a one-room school house that had all eight grades taught by one teacher, all in the same room. Bathrooms were "out back". No running water; only from a pump. There was a big coal/wood burning furnace in the back of the room to keep us warm.
- I was a carhop at an A&W and was a skier during my high school years.
- It was not until I was married that I ate a McDonald's hamburger, broccoli, spinach, and Brussel sprouts.
- I was married in a stone church in a small mountain town.
- During my career, I purchased satellite photos of downtown Baghdad to aid in the bombing missions by USAF during the First Gulf War.

Osceola Decorative Artists General Meeting Information

ODA meetings are the 3rd Saturday of each month at the Osceola Center for the Arts, 2411 E. Irlo Bronson Memorial Highway (St. Rd. 192), Kissimmee, FL 34744.

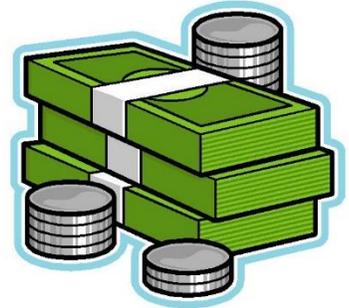
The business meeting starts at 10:00 am and is followed by a painting program/workshop. We generally "brown bag" our lunch with drinks and a dessert provided by different members.

Guests are welcome to attend a meeting to see what we are all about before deciding on membership. Chapter membership is open to all members of Society of Decorative Painters. You can find more information on SDP at decorativepainters.org. ODA chapter dues for 2015 are \$25/year.

ODA Board meetings for 2015 will be held immediately before the general meetings, beginning at 9:00 AM. All Board members are asked to make every effort to attend these meetings. Any other chapter members interested in attending the board meetings are welcome to sit in.

Treasurers Report

By Deanna Spence



TREASURER'S REPORT - DECEMBER 2015

Check Book Balance 11/30/15: **\$4,696.90**

	<u>DECEMBER</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>BUDGET BALANCE</u>
INCOME:			
Membership Dues	\$150.00	\$850.00	(\$100.00)
Workshops	\$0.00	\$1,393.50	\$226.50
Seminars	\$0.00	\$2,129.45	(\$329.45)
Ways & Means	\$0.00	\$517.50	(\$317.50)
Miscellaneous	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total Income	\$150.00	\$4,890.45	
EXPENSES:			
Administration			
Checks & Bank Fees	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$20.00
Meeting Room Rent	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$500.00
SDP Annual Fee	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$40.00
SDP Insurance	\$66.00	\$66.00	\$0.00
State of Florida Fee	\$0.00	\$43.75	\$18.25
Pins/Charms	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$60.00
Decorative Dollars	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Hospitality	\$0.00	\$24.09	(\$4.09)
Membership	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$50.00
Miscellaneous	\$0.00	\$305.56	(\$253.56)
Philanthropic	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Publicity	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
SDP Conference/SDP Dona	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$200.00
Seminars	\$0.00	\$1,851.30	(\$51.30)
Sunshine	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$20.00
Ways & Means	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100.00
Website	\$75.00	\$300.00	\$0.00
Workshops	\$0.00	\$1,321.50	(\$241.50)
Total Expenses	\$141.00	\$3,912.20	

Check Book Balance 12/31/15: **\$4,705.90**

Show and Tell / Member News

Mary Francis shares recent projects



The little square and oval are my own idea with tips borrowed from Diane. Left over gold leafing crumbs dropped into a bezel. Colored with alcohol inks and filled with Ranger Glossy Accents.

The little angel necklace and round necklace are kits I purchased during a Diane Bunker seminar at CRDA over the Thanksgiving weekend



"Wintery Barns" is a 10 inch acrylic painting from a Debby Forshey-Choma pattern. I bought the pattern and surface from Bear With Us.



Bertie Porter

I painted this using the On-Line Oil Painting club. It is a Jeanne Downing design

I won't be able to attend the January meeting (having knee replacement surgery on both knees on January 5th.)

Hope to see you in February.

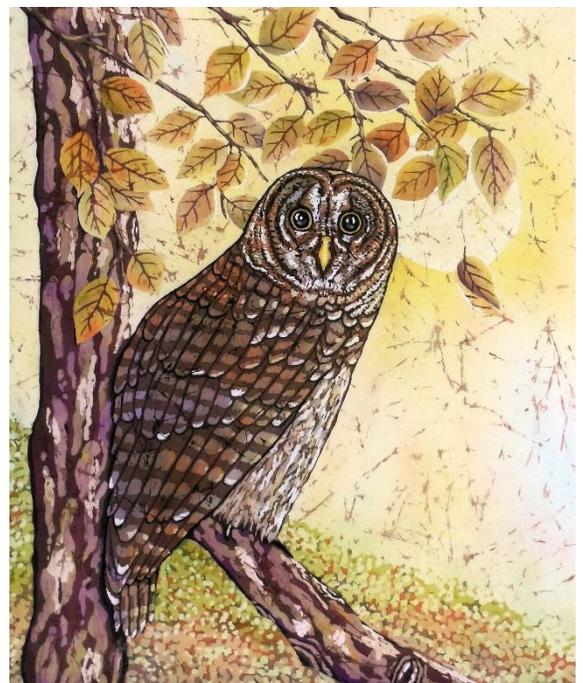
*Happy painting,
Bertie*

Kathy Murphy-Childs

I had an owl visit my back yard a few months ago. It stayed for a day and night so I got to take many photos as it watched me right outside my painting studio.



Morning and evening pictures taken from my studio window



I painted the owl as a soy wax batik on silk.

Jean Zawicki shares more of her recent gourd projects

In the late nineties, my youngest son gave me some horns...then a classmate gave me more...and a neighbor gave me even more. TIME TO QUIT PROCRASTINATING

The more I do, the more I'm inspired to create other projects. The first bowl went to my son, the 2nd vase with deer to Bill my classmate and a covered box to my neighbor.

Many subjects can be used, but with horns, Native Americans and deer seem to suit best. You can have a horn and you can have a gourd...but they won't necessarily fit together. That's part of the intrigue.

Fortunately I've saved much miscellaneous "stuff" which is now coming in very handy! It's a lot of work prepping, but am working also on a number of small squatty gourds for 5-7" bowls and boxes. Designing and cutting after sketching on designs is really a lot of fun for me, especially since it's a little off from my usual pursuits.



Family first, so the doe and fawn with the white rabbit fur will be for my oldest granddaughter, as this doesn't interest her brothers. I used DecoArt Paper Effects for the interior of the bowl.

This bowl with the horn handle over the top was done with DA Metallics colors and the hunting Indians were done with Multi-





... Jean Zawicki continued



This vase with the Indian on a horse was stained with Fiebing's shoe dye and painted with DA Multi-Surface & turquoise DA Metallics.

We want to know what's new with you!

Whether it's an honor you've received, an upcoming workshop or just a note to the group, we want to hear from you.

Just send Kathy your news, article or photos and share in the next issue.



***ODA Chapter Cloisonne'
Pins are still available. Get yours today!***

Charity Update

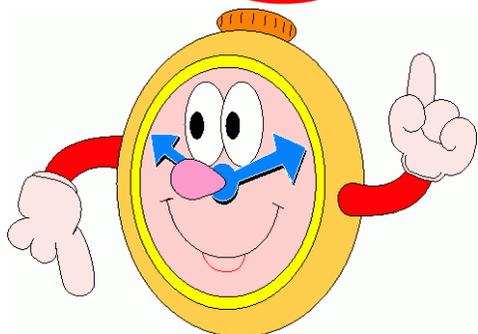
Remember to paint your Hope Boxes, Hope Boxes, Hope Boxes. We deliver them to the shelter every few months, and the time is coming up soon!

Five Minutes of Education

By Kathy Murphy-Childs

Mary Frances used them for a couple of her necklaces and Jean Zawicki is wanting to make some for use on her gourds, so I decided to jump in and try at warp speed. This month I will show you how to make your own alcohol inks for painting, card making and craft projects.

If you have a trick, technique or timesaver you would like to share with the group in a coming month, contact Kathy.



Basic Supply List – Acrylic Painting

- Transfer Paper (light and dark)
- Tracing Paper
- Stylus
- Blue Tape
- Paper Towels
- Containers for Water
- Palette Paper
- Palette Knife
- Brushes in Various Sizes
- Photo Holder
- Note Paper
- Pencil & Eraser
- Palette
- Small Containers for Storing Paint to Take Home

PROGRAM SIGN UP

Name _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Project _____

Date of Workshop _____ fee \$15.00

Materials fee (varies by workshop) _____

Guests who wish to attend are to include an additional \$5.00.

Class limited to 25 students.

Please bring a bag lunch. Dessert and drinks are provided.

Make Checks Payable to ODA

Complete Registration form and give to Debbie or Mail to :

Lynn Ingersoll, 1508 Emmett Street, Kissimmee, FL 34741

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2411 E. Irlo Bronson Memorial
Highway (St. Rd. 192)
Kissimmee, Fl. 34744



MEMBER'S REGISTRATION and PROFILE--2016

Please print

Last name _____ First name _____ Nick name (if used) _____

Spouse's first name (if applicable) _____

Address _____

Secondary address _____

Home phone # _____ Cell phone # _____

E-mail address _____

Birth Date: Month _____ Day _____ SDP # (Required to be a Chapter Member) _____

How many years have you been painting? _____

Favorite medium (if you have one) _____

Favorite thing(s) to paint (Santa Claus, flowers, still life, etc) _____

Usual surface(s) to paint on (canvas, wood, glass, etc) _____

Occupation/vocation _____

Special interests: Tell us if you have any special interests, hobbies, collections, associations, etc.

Please make check payable to the Osceola Decorative Artists. The chapter dues are on a calendar year, from January through December. Dues are twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per year for active members. Dues are payable September 1st and delinquent January 1st. A delinquent fee of five dollars (\$5.00) will be due after December 31st.

Please return this form with your check at the meeting or mail to: Carol Brown, 5420 Houston Drive, Lakeland, Florida 33809