



Dimensions



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"Nothing is as real as a dream. The world may change about you but your dream will not. It will always be the link with the person that you are today -- young and full of hope. If you hold on to it, you may grow old but you will never be old. And that ladies and gentlemen is the ultimate success." -- Tom Clancy

Presidents Message

"Ah June.

No offense, but I'm sick of meetings and trying to come up with a meaningful agenda every month. I could use the next few months to air out my brain and think of making art instead of making agendas make sense. Hurray for summer break!

This month, my husband and I will "celebrate" our 40th wedding anniversary. The reason I put quotation marks around "celebrate" is that I can predict what will happen:

He'll remember our anniversary only if his mother reminds him (she usually does). He will then attempt to impress me with his "excellent memory" by placing notices in prominent places - - the calendar we share, the refrigerator door, my pillow (this happens a couple of times - - it really irritates me too - - sometimes I don't notice the note until I put my head down and the straight pin pokes me in the skull). Other places he uses is a sticky note on the computer monitor. He conveniently does not notice the icky smudge the note leaves on the screen. He also sends me several emails saying what a good boy he is for remembering!

After the pseudo-remembering performances, he starts with the "what do you want to do for 'your' anniversary crap". Notice how it's 'your' anniversary and not 'our' anniversary - I think this reveals some really deep seated psychological reason for this faux pas.

Asking me what I want to do to celebrate really means which one of his favorite meals do I want to prepare and serve to him. This year, I was thinking of starting with a nice hemlock bisque followed by a leg of lamb seasoned with rosemary and arsenic. For dessert, my choice would be chocolate mousse with enough sedative in it to suppress his breathing. Ground glass sprinkles would add a festive touch don't you think? Actually, I might eat this meal myself just so that I won't have to suffer through another 40 years.

On second thought, maybe we'll just order a pizza in. But, it will have to be a large pizza in order to support 40 candles. Besides, this is part of his idea of a seven course meal - - you know, a pizza and a six pack.

What I would really, really like to do to celebrate our anniversary is to buy him a one way ticket to anywhere. Or I could go to a spa - alone - and be pampered with facials, massages, pedicures, manicures etc. all performed by a 25 year old handsome, muscle bound cabin boy with an IQ of somewhere around 85. I could handle kicking back, say in a resort in Mexico, sipping a margarita and relaxing. Sipping a Margarita?? What am I saying? How about downing one of those bad boys every 15-20 minutes until I forget What's-His-Name's name. See, just thinking about it has already made me forget. Bill who?

Have a wonderful summer." Carol

THE PROGRAM FOR THE JUNE 26TH. MEETING IS A POTLUCK LUNCHEON AND BOOK / ART SUPPLY SALE

The Sequim Arts Members Art Show will be held this fall on October 2nd thru the 5th. at Saint Luke's Episcopal Church. All you hard working artists get with it so we will have a bang-up show of your recent work. You have four full working months until the show. Let's make it a gorgeous event. We will have sign-up sheets for the various jobs available at the June 26 meeting. Viva Jones, Chair

A big **THANK YOU** to everyone who helped to make the silent auction and raffle a great success. Linda Stadtmiller

Student Art Shows/Events

The Portfolio Show continues at the Port Angeles Fine Art Center thru July 6th. This show highlights the work of High School students of Clallam County, including 7 students from Sequim High School's AP Studio Art class. Hours: Wed--Sun 11-5

Karin

"Smooth roads never make good drivers. Smooth seas never make good sailors. Clear skies never make good pilots. A problem free life never makes a strong and good person. Have a tough but winning day ahead! Be strong enough to accept the challenges of life. Do not ask life, 'Why me?' instead say, 'Try me'." -- Author Unknown

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR BUSY SEQUIM ARTS MEMBERS

COMING TO WAMU IN JUNE: SYD DUPREE, MARY FRANCHINI & VALLE NEVARIL
JULY: CAROL JANDA, FOREST FAULKNER & HIDEKO GOECKER
AUGUST: GEORGE ZIEN, SAUNDRA CUTSINGER & EVELYN WOLF
SEPTEMBER: PAT ODEN, JOANN THOMPSON & DARLA KALSBECK



TERI CROCKETT a new Sequim Arts member is having a show **JULY 18 – 20** from 12:00 to 8:00 pm at Lobo Designs new "Gallery–Studio" 865 Carlsborg Rd., Suite E Sequim (across from Carlsborg Post Office)

Quote from Teri's bio: " I am inspired by a closer look at a discarded bouquet, a trip through the desert, the light touching the forest, a snorkeling experience, and adventure in Africa ---- all stimulating the flow of creativity in me. I want my work to recall the positive emotion that inspired me initially. I continue to seek and find exciting possibilities for my subject matter."

For Info Contact Teri: tericrockett@yahoo.com 360-681-5148

Congratulations to our busy members Randy and Sallie. We are so happy for all your success.

RANDY AND SALLIE RADOCK, Sequim Arts members, have their block printing exhibit at the Fifth Avenue Retirement Center, 500 West Hendrickson Road, Sequim during the month of June.
.....AND ALSO.....

Sallie Radock will be exhibiting her block prints at the Starbucks Coffee Company, 1095 W. Washington Street, Sequim, WA. during the month of June

RANDY RADOCK is the July Artist of the Month at the Waterfront Gallery, 115 Railroad Ave., Port Angeles, WA.. Randy will be exhibiting photographs and block prints inspired by travels with Sallie to far away places. A reception will be held July 11th from 5p.m. to 8 p.m. in conjunction with the Port Angeles 2nd Saturday art walk.

RANDY AND SALLIE RADOCK have been invited to exhibit their block print art at the Jefferson Healthcare Hospital, 834 Sheridan, Port Townsend, Washington during the months of June through November - The Hospital Art Program places art in the public corridors and patients' rooms to provide a cheerful hospital experience.



Zebra's in Blue
By Randy Radock

BARBARA HOUSHMAND will have art quilts in this years **SUNBONNET SUE QUILT CLUB 22ND ANNUAL SHOW**. The show coincides with the lavender festival July 18, 19 & 20, at the Sequim middle school

Donna Standerwick and Cynthia Thomas are now being represented by the Lakeshore Gallery in Kirkland WA. For Donna's paintings and Cynthia's Sculptures. Congratulations to both or our members.

**NEWSLETTER DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 10TH,
PLEASE SEND YOUR INFO TO NEWS@SEQUIMARTS.ORG**

REMEMBER YOU, OUR MEMBERS, ARE OUR  AND WITHOUT YOU WE DO NOT EXIST.

SEND ME WHAT YOU ARE DOING, YOU ARE IMPORTANT AT SEQUIM ARTS AND WE DESIRE TO KNOW WHAT IS GOING ON WITH YOU ALL.

"You have not lived a perfect day... unless you have done something for someone who will never be able to repay you." -- Ruth Smeltzer

THE JOY CORNER

I don't know if your group has a brag time. The last four groups that I belonged to in Kansas like to tell about the joy they had in selling their work. I moved here in Dec. and worked on a commission as soon as I set up at place to paint. I have sold four paintings since I arrived in Sequim. When I visited three years ago at the Lavender Festival I thought then that this would be a great place to live and continue with my art. I have been very happy with my choice so far and glad to have met some other artists. Thank you all for your friendly welcome. Jo Laudermilk

Thanks Jo for the great suggestion, we all need to share our joy. editor

YEHESS! BY DEE GREEN

VOLUNTEERING



Here is a thought. 11% of Americans take a drug to make them happy. Why not send your self flowers, or better yet, volunteering to help can make someone else happy and take your mind off of your troubles. Thank you for all you have done to make the first half of Sequim Arts a success. The summer offers very busy times.

The studio tours brochures are out, pick up at least 5 brochures and pass them out to your friends. 100 members can easily reach 500 people. Visit the tour and the artist working in their studios. The artists will open their studio doors and share their time with you. It is enjoyable to meet the artist in person and enjoy in their environment. Learn about sculpturing metal, sculpture and foundry work, weaving a basket from bark, glo-glass. The art of fine jewelry making, the skillful way of making ceramics, and the "how to" of watercolor, oil, pastel, and mixed media, or painting on feathers. There is more information on the Sequim Arts web site.

Just a note about the Sequim Arts Booth at the Lavender Festival, the booth purpose is to promote Sequim Arts Club and the Studio Tour. We are sorry but do to space we are unable to have other materials in the booth.

[Studio Tour/Lavender Festival](#) July 18-19-20 Contact Dee Green 457-4324

Go to www.lavenderfestival.com click on Special Events and read about the 2008 Studio Tour.

The Waterfront Gallery would like to invite you all to come to SECOND Friday, June 13, at 6pm at the Landing in Port Angeles. Several Sequim Arts members show their work in the Gallery.

LAVENDER FESTIVAL - HELP WANTED AND NEEDED

We still need a lot of volunteers to be hosts for the studio tour (we have 72 time slots, so far only 19 are filled) and booth sitters (we need 18 booth sitters and 2 have signed up) we, also, would like to have demonstrators at the booth (9 are needed but only 1 slot has been filled). Please call Sandra Cutsinger at 683-1095 or send an email to scutsing@msn.com to find out what time slots or studios are still available.

The signup sheets will be available at our June potluck.

Anyone interested in working the booth at the Sequim Open Air Market on Saturday, July 12th or September 27th please give Sandra a call or email.

[Member Art Show](#) Contact Carol Eichler 582-0927

Viva Jones is heading up the Member Show in October and will be needing volunteers. Get your self working on your Art so you will have something to enter into this show, it will be here before you know it. Everybody enjoys this show, it is for you and your benefit. Make sure to do your part and volunteer, remember many hands makes light work.

For those that have already signed up, Thank you so much.

"All that we send into the lives of others comes back into our own." (Unknown)

Sequim Arts Volunteer Star Program

Don't forget to put down your hours in the Volunteer Star Box next meeting.

"Service to others is the rent you pay for your room here on Earth"

"Forget about all the reasons why something may not work. You only need to find one good reason why it will."

-- Dr. Robert Anthony

Sequim Arts Studio Tour

The 2008 Art Studio Tour, a free, self-guided tour of artist's studios, will be held during the Sequim Lavender Festival on July 18, 19, and 20. Visitors will have the opportunity to meet and talk with the artists, see their studios, view demonstrations, and purchase their latest work.

The following artists have been accepted into the 2007 Art Studio Tour:

Kim Attwooll	watercolor	www.aSmallWorkofArt.com
Cynthia Thomas	sculpture, pastel	www.mlce.net
John McBride	metal sculpture	www.ricketyranch.com
Kim McBride	mixed media	www.ricketyranch.com
Dana Hyde	metal, clay, glass	www.metalandmud.net
Viva Jones	ceramics	www.vivajones.com
Lynne Armstrong	watercolor, acrylic, clay	www.bluewholegallery.com
Donna Standerwick	watercolor, oil	www.dstanderwick.com
Gloria Magner	glass, glo-glass	
Mary Franchini	mixed media/collage	www.maryfranchini.com
Coffee & Pat Miklos	metal design & sterling jewelry	www.coffeemiklos.com
Marlien Hennen	cedar bark weaving	www.dancingcedararts.com
Cat Bennett	watercolor, oil	www.dungenessbarns.com
Pat Gordon	watercolor	
Dick O'Connor	watercolor	
Monika Livingstone	painting on feathers	www.monikalivingstone.com

Studio tour hours are from 10:00 AM to 5 PM each day of the festival. As sponsors of the tour, Sequim Arts members will have the opportunity to participate as greeters at each of the above artist's studios during the tour. Plan to sign up early for a 3 hour shift at the artist studio of your choice.

Call Sandra Cutsinger at 683-1095 for more information or check our web site www.sequimarts.org in the coming weeks.

Lavender Festival Street Fair

Sequim Arts will have a 10x10 booth at the street fair again this year. This is a great opportunity to promote interest in the arts and in our organization. Members will be needed at the booth to sell raffle tickets, hand out brochures, demonstrate their painting techniques, and inform the public about the arts in Sequim. This could be a fun way to get involved in an interesting local event.

Call Sandra Cutsinger at 683-1095 to sign up for the time that you would like to serve or for more information check our web site www.sequimarts.org in the coming weeks.

Sequim Arts Members

Please remember to save books, art supplies etc. for the sale at the June Meeting. **ALSO PLEASE PRICE THE ITEMS FOR SALE.** Proceeds from the sale will go to Sequim H.S. Art teacher Martha Rudersdorf and her AP studio art class for supplies, guest artists and field trips. Karin Anderson

WANTED TO BUY OR SELL

Monika Livingstone wants to buy a **Badger or Iwata** Double Action Air Brush with all parts and hose. Call Monika at 360-683-1009 If you have one of these hanging around your studio doing nothing but collecting dust.

For Sale: Large (24x36) older light box. Will hold a full sheet of watercolor paper. \$50.00 Linda Stadtmiller 681-4884

Sequim Arts Sponsored Workshops

Barbara Depirro, Golden products representative will present a workshop on Faux Encaustics Sept. 26-28. 10am-5pm. The process is done with Acrylic materials. Cost is \$270. All Supplies Provided. Barbara will have the Sequim Arts Demo for the Sept meeting about her own art and her process as an artist. Contact Mary Franchini 681-0895 for more info. **1/2 payment is needed by the June Sequim Arts Meeting**

ZIEN STUDIO PRESENTS WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP

Kim Johnson and George Zien are offering a Portrait / Figure & Background Workshop on August 25-28th 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Monday thru Thursday. Classes being held at the Sequim Prairie Grange, Macleay Rd./Old Olympic Hwy. \$335.00 includes catered lunch each day. 1/2 down deposit needed by July 25th. contact 360-582-9622 for more info. Info by email contact news@sequimarts.org



Kim Johnson
by Geo. Zien

"Yes, risk taking is inherently failure-prone. Otherwise, it would be called sure-thing-taking." -- Tim McMahon



JOIN US FOR FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK SEQUIM, ON JULY 4TH.

ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS EVENT OR ANY OF RENNE BROCK-RICHMOND'S CLASSES, CALL OR EMAIL RENNE AT; renne@uniqueasyou.com or 360.460.3023

2008 CLALLAM COUNTY FAIRART BARN REPORT

FAIR THEME: "REPEAT PERFORMANCE!"
FAIR DATES: August 14, 15, 16, 17, 2008

IMPORTANT DATES:

Clean Up / Set Up Day Friday, August 8th
Entry Dates: Sunday, August 10th: Noon to 6:00 PM
Monday, August 11th, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM
Hanging Day: Tuesday, August 12th 9:30 AM till finished
JUDGING DAY: Wednesday, August, 13th 9:30 AM till finished
THE FAIR OPENS: Thursday August 14th at 10:00 AM
and runs Through Sunday the 17 though

ART PICKUP/TAKEDOWN Monday, August 18th 11:00 – 4:00

Judges for 2008: Adult Show Mike McCollum
Junior Show Judy DeChantal

Volunteers are needed for the following:

Hostess/Host on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday (some will be there on Sunday from Clallam Bay, Seiku, Forks)

Volunteers are needed for cleanup and set up day, entry days, hanging day, hosting and pickup/takedown day.

We have demo openings for all days and anyone doing a demo will have a great "audience". Two people can demo at the same time. Think about it.....you will love it.

I welcome volunteers for ANY day during the fair. This assures us a full schedule of people to host/hostess for the art barn. The schedules will be available at Waterfront Art Gallery, Blue Whole Gallery and West End by July 1st and Sequim Arts Meeting today and in June.

Anyone who wants to volunteer can call Beth Taylor (457-6472) anytime. Fair passes will be available for all volunteers during the fair.

There will be a mini-table, which is open to all artists and art groups. Items for sale cannot exceed \$40. There is no commission taken on sale of items from this table. Due to space restrictions please keep number of prints to 10. We do have wall space for hanging small, framed work at this exhibit space also. \$40 price applies to these also. Paintings, prints etc., do need to be framed and securely wired for hanging. Space can be limited if we have several people who wish to sell framed work. We can keep a few at the front counter to replace sold items. The number we can actually hang will depend on the number of items received. The paintings also need to be identified with artist name, painting name and price. Can be done on the back of the painting or with a small tag.

We will also have card racks available for card sales. Make sure your name and price is on each item for the card racks. It is nearly impossible to sell magnets, jewelry and small pottery items. There is a risk of those ending up "missing" and we do not have adequate space to display them.

ALSO: Items for the mini-table area need to be marked with artist name and phone number, item description (painting title) and price.

When you demo you can have items at your demo area for sale. We do not take commission on sales made during the demos. Those of you who have done demos and worked at the fair know space is limited for a large number of items in the demo area. Keep this in mind when you are preparing for your demo. Cards and magnets work well.

Everyone who volunteers to host/hostess or demo during the 4 days of the fair receives a pass which gives you the opportunity to spend ALL DAY at the fair if you want to.

The art barn has been highly rated by the State Fair Commissioners and we have won the "Big" award three times. We won the award in 1997, 2005 and 2007. The display of work, educational material, demonstrations and friendliness of the volunteers have been rated at the top of the scale. We need to be very proud of this. We have a great Fair to look forward to this year.

Information on workshops, classes and special art events is welcome. People love handouts and this is a great opportunity for "free" advertising.

Any questions please call.....Beth Taylor, 457-6472

OPPORTUNITIES FOR LEARNING

Susan Spar, Learn Classical oil painting techniques or Pastels, brush up on color theory and improve your compositions in a small semi-private teaching environment. Susan Spar has room for two beginning or intermediate students in her studio classes. Wednesdays, 10:00 AM to 12:30 PM. \$20.00 per class. Easels Provided.

Ed. Note. I just had a series of oil painting lessons with Susan and know that I will take more from her at a later date. I learned so much from her and now have a better understanding about technique and color temperature that will help me in my artistic future. I came away with great respect for Susan's artistic ability and her ability as a teacher.

CAROL JANDA will teach watercolor: Sequim Senior Center on the first and third Wednesdays each month. At The Orchards on 14th St on the second and fourth Wednesdays
Classes are from 9 am to 12:00. \$10.00 per class- pay when you attend. Call- 352 6356 for information.

ZIEN STUDIO

LIFE DRAWING, Tuesdays from 2 to 4:30 at Zien Studio, 596 Parrish Rd in Sequim. \$9 helps pay for the model George has lots of easels so bring your pad, drawing tools & talent! 582-9622 or 461-5725

KIM ATTWOOLL "Watercolor Wednesdays" will be held again at the Tree House Studio
Seven Wednesday sessions focusing on sharing the "Simple Spontaneous" paintings, shortcuts and clever effects
that I have developed while painting full time for over 70 galleries and fine stores since 1996.
Bring your paints, paper, brushes and watch me demonstrate, then you play.
Each session is for two hours and costs \$20. Space is limited.....please call soon to hold your place.

Pick a subject that you would like to learn more about, or try them all!

June 25	2 to 4pm	Skies (includes landscapes. seascapes)
July 2	"	Trees (quick and easy)
July 9	"	Rocks (including coffee and credit card rocks)
Skip a week.....		
July 23	"	Flowers (no drawing necessary)
July 30	"	Fruits and Vegetables (a bountiful lesson)
Aug 6	"	Color (a watercolor rule breaker)
Aug 13	"	Special Effects (lots of innovative ideas)

I have 140 lb watercolor paper, brushes, and some paint at the studio for you to purchase.
We can group order other supplies if needed. There are 2 spare palettes for those of you who haven't got one
yet....please mention that you will need one when you call.
Suggested supplies

140 lb rough watercolor paper....(we will be painting small so several exercises will fit on a single sheet)
pencil. if you have one bring a mechanical pencil with an eraser. Palette, it should have individual wells, plus area
for mixing. A white plate will substitute if needed. Brushes, bring what you have. You can try my favorites, the
miracle wedge and the rake to determine if you like them.
Paints, bring what you have, however the basics are red, yellow, blue, sienna, green, and violet
Other stuff...a hair dryer, a water container, paper towels and your enthusiasm

Kim Attwooll 863 Gehrke Road, Port Angeles (off Old Olympic) 360 504 0205

Visit www.ASmallWorkofArt.com to see many of the images that we will paint together.

COMPETITION FROM THE PASTEL JOURNAL For 10 years, the Pastel 100 Competition has rewarded artists just like you
for your finest work. And this year, we are celebrating our 10th Anniversary by giving away even more great prizes!

Sponsored by *The Pastel Journal*, America's leading magazine devoted to pastel artists, and sister publication of *The
Artist's Magazine*, this annual competition offers cash, prizes and publicity to its lucky winners.

All entries must be postmarked by September 1, 2008, so don't wait to start creating! Enter now and your work could
win huge cash prizes, like the \$5,000 Jack Richeson/Unison Pastels Best of Show Award!

Other top awards include:

- The Ruth Richeson/Unison Pastels Award, featuring a 402-piece set of Unison Pastels— worth
\$2,067, plus 750 worth of Richeson Co. products!
- *The Pastel Journal* Grand Prize—\$2,500 CASH!
- The Art Spirit Foundation/Dianne B. Bernhard Silver and Gold Medal Awards for Excellence—\$1,000 to
\$1,500 CASH!

You can also compete to win more cash prizes in any of these 5 categories:

- Landscape & Interior—juried by Lorenzo Chavez
- Portrait & Figure—juried by Desmond O'Hagan
- Still Life & Floral—juried by Christina Debarry
- Animal & Wildlife—juried by Dustin Van Wechel
- Abstract & Non-Objective—juried by Frank Federico

PLUS, all top prize winners will be featured in our April 2009 issue of *The Pastel Journal*. Don't miss this opportunity to
publicize your work!

To learn more about the competition, for complete information, additional entry forms, or to enter online please visit
www.artistsnetwork.com/pasteljournalcompetition For any questions, you can contact us at pjcompetitions@fwpubs.com

WATERCOLOR PORTRAIT WORKSHOP with Myrna Wacknov in Ocean Shores, WA, October 2008

Ms. Myrna Wacknov, NWS/CWS, featured in "Watercolor Magic" October, 2007 and in Artists' Magazine, March 2008 will be
doing a 5 day watercolor portrait workshop October 20 - 25, 2008 in Ocean Shores, WA. Workshop tuition is \$360. For more
registration info, please contact Patti Sells

at Sells2@oceanshoreswa.com or 360-289-9006. For more about Myrna and to see her work, please visit her website,
www.myrnawacknov.com.

About her workshop, students say the following: "Myrna, LOVED the workshop! You helped me leave my comfort
zone"; "The discussion on how to use reference material to help with design was invaluable", "I'll be sharing your quotes with
my friends and colleagues--my favorite: There's no right or wrong--just cause and effect.". Com and enjoy a special week with
Myrna while painting at the beach.

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ART CALENDAR DATES TO REMEMBER:

JUNE 26 9:30 AM COFFEE, 10:00 AM GENERAL MEETING "LUNCHEON"
AND "BOOK AND ART SUPPLY SALE"

JULY/AUGUST

OFF FOR THE SUMMER

SEPTEMBER 05 5:00 TO 7:00 PM FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK
18 9:30 AM BOARD MEETING*
25 9:30 AM COFFEE, 10:00 AM GENERAL MEETING

OCTOBER 03 5:00 TO 7:00 PM FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK
01-05 MEMBERS' ART EXHIBIT
07 5:00 TO 7:00 PM FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK
16 9:30 AM BOARD MEETING*
23 9:30 AM COFFEE, 10:00 AM GENERAL MEETING

NOVEMBER 20 9:30 AM BOARD MEETING*
No Meeting Have a wonderful Thanksgiving

DECEMBER 04 9:30 AM COFFEE, 10:00 AM GENERAL MEETING*
AND POTLUCK MEAL

Sequim Arts Partner

