

Pocatello Art Center

Gallery and School

Portneuf Valley Photographic Society

Porcelain Artists of Southeast Idaho

and

Pocatello Idaho Watercolor Society



Hours: Mon.-Fri. 10 am-4:30 pm
Closed: Saturday and Sunday
& Holidays

444 North Main, Pocatello, Idaho 83204
208-232-0970

E-mail: pocartctr@ida.net

Web: www.PocatelloArtCtr.org

May, 2011
Joan Wilson,
Editor, Publisher

Board Members 2010-2011

Officers

President—Carolyn Purnell
Vice President—Dorothy Chatterton
Treasurer—Sallee Gasser
Secretary—Audrey Cole
Corresponding Secretary—Peggy Anderson

Board of Directors

Peggy Anderson
Bob Beason
Roger Boe
Dorothy Brzek
Becky Petersen
Jane Guidinger
Marlene Keller
Anne Merkley
Bertie North
Jan Roche
Robert Rush
Barbara Santos
Jan Stanek
Joan Wilson

Advisory Board

All Past Presidents

President Porcelain Artists of Southeast Idaho

Rikki Spinner

President Portneuf Valley Photographic Society

John Bunker

Co-Presidents Pocatello Idaho Watercolor Society Chapter

Onita Asbury and Neila Loebis



Our thanks for the support of
Individual and Corporate Donors who help
us keep the Art Center Gallery and School a
vital part of our community.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Carolyn Purnell

ANNUAL JUDGED SHOW entries are due at the Art Center on April 28th. The show will be hung either Friday or Saturday, and the judging will take place after it is hung...the day TBA.

May will bring many spring flowers and activity too at the Art Center. We have some very good news and exciting news to share.

Our new furnace/boiler is now in and operating! Thanks to B&G we have come a little under what we originally thought the cost would be. They have generously given us four months same as cash to pay and payments don't begin until May. We thank them for a great job.

"This Ole Bag II" is coming to town! Yes, that is right....Vicky Mainzer is again going to coordinate another fundraiser, "This Ole Bag II" for the Pocatello Art Center! It is going to be a wonderful time for everyone of the Art Center and the Community and surrounding area. It's been a long time since the first one, and now everyone is looking forward to another.

SAVE THE DATE...THIS OLE BAG II

October 15th, 2011
Red Lion Hotel, Pocatello
Time and Activities: TBA

Classes, Classes, Classes....check out the articles inside the newsletter for the upcoming classes...we need you to support them to make these classes a go...so come in and sign up. You won't be sorry, as this is an opportunity not offered anywhere else!

Nominating Committee...A big thank you to your Nominating Committee consisting of Dorothy Chatterton, Chair; Peggy Anderson; Dorothy Brzek; Barbara Santos; and Joan Wilson who have been busy bees during March/April and done a very good job. They presented the enclosed (page 4) slate of officers and directors to the Board of Directors at the April Board Meeting. Per the By-laws, the officers - President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Corresponding Secretary - were voted on by the Board. The new Board of Directors were presented and are published here for all membership. The new Board of Directors will be voted on and approved at the Membership Annual Meeting on Thursday, June 2nd, 2011, 11am - 1:30pm. All membership is invited. There will be a short meeting at 11:00 am when we will vote for the new board, with a potluck lunch at 12 Noon.

The Sagebrush Arts Fest has a new chairman. Welcome Barbara North as your new chair and volunteer your services and support to her, as this is a big undertaking for the Art Center and the Community. There is much to be done and a place for you! Call the Art Center at 232-0970.

Sagebrush Arts Fest applications are now on-line on our WEB or you can pick one up at the Art Center. Mailings will be going out to those on our mailing list for the past two years.

Camp Perkins - We are going to delay our trip to Camp Perkins this year to another scheduled time in 2012. This is due to a decline in interest in going this year. Hopefully, the economy will turn around next year, and with a little break in going to the Sawtooth Mts., there will be a renewed interest in 2012.

Welcome to the Pocatello IWS Chapter who are now under the "umbrella" of the Art Center as voted on at our April Board Meeting.

Carolyn Purnell

CHILDREN'S MOTHER'S DAY TILES

Saturday, April 30th; 3-5 pm at the Art Center
Registration is required; call 232-9070
Ages: 7-12 years
Taught by porcelain artists Rikki Spinner and Carolyn Purnell. Cost of this class is \$7.00 (a small donation has been received to augment the cost to the children). All profit for this class will be donated to the Art Center. Each child will have a pretty tile to give to their loved one prior to Mother's Day. The tiles will be kiln-fired and ready for pickup at the Art

ANIMALS in oil with Pennie Wolf

Thursdays, May 5, 12, 19 and 26; 9AM - 12 Noon
Pocatello Art Center, 444 N Main
Cost: \$60 members and \$65 non-members
Registration is required; call 232-9070
(note: the day and time has changed from the previous classes)

NOTE:

Bob Beason's classes during May will not be held due to his being out of town during the month of May after the 1st Friday Art Walk. His Tuesday morning class will resume in June, 2011.

Photo Elements-Follow-on with Basic Concepts

Wednesdays, May 18, 25, & June 1st, from 7:00-9:00PM at the Pocatello Art Center. Larry Petersen and John Bunker are the instructors. This is a follow-up class to the Basic Elements classes held in February and April. This class assumes you are familiar with the basics in Photoshop Elements: like layers, the basic tools, and how to select things. This class will go into more depth on the basic things you may want to do with your photos. Laptops with the program loaded will be helpful.

BOOKMAKING BEGINNING TO END

May 11, 12 and 13; 6-9 pm at the Art Center
Registration is required; call 232-9070
Cost: \$50 members; \$55 non-members
Ages: 17 and older

This class is taught by Camille Elmer, an ISU grad student, who is multi-talented in art. She will teach you bookmaking from the beginning to end so that you have a nice book/journal that you may use or give as a gift. It will provide you with another art form that you can use for years.

WILDLIFE/WATERFOWL WATERCOLOR

May 27 and 28; two full days from 9 am-5 pm.
Location: Pocatello Art Center
Cost: \$55 members and \$60 non-members
Registration is required; call 232-9070
Ages: 15 and older

The instructor for this workshop is nationally known professional watercolor artist, Gene Sherman, who is well known for his wildlife and waterfowl in watercolor. He will demo, instruct, and share with you the art of watercolor, with his tips and techniques, that are too numerous to mention here. You will go away with a wealth of information to use within your own artistic watercolor talents. New to watercolor...it does not matter...come and learn...it is for all levels.



TECHNIQUES FOR OIL PAINTING

June 3 and 4 Workshop; 9am-4pm
Location: Pocatello Art Center
Cost: \$80 members and \$85 non-members
A deposit is required with registration; call 232-9070
Ages: 15 and older

A perennial favorite, Elesa Shuman, will be teaching her latest tips and techniques for oil painting. She is well-known for her ability to bring color and contrast and texture to her paintings and will teach you how to do so.

ANIMAL PORTRAITS IN PASTELS,

a new children's class
June 7, 14, 21, and 28; 2-4 pm each day
Location: Pocatello Art Center, 444 N Main
Cost: \$40 members and \$45 non-members
Registration is required; call 232-9070
Ages: 9-14 years

This class is to learn about pastels at the same time, children will learn to draw and paint animals with instructor Annalise Covert. They will have a fun time learning the blending of the pastels to shade and make colors the animals they love to draw.

CANADIAN ARTIST COMING TO THE ART CENTER

August 26 and 27, 2011
Innovative Canadian watercolor artist Leslie Redhead is scheduled to teach a 2-day Watercolor Workshop at the Pocatello Art Center, August 26 and 27. This workshop is open to anyone who is at the intermediate and advanced levels of painting. Her work is unique and beautiful and you won't want to miss this one!! Google the web to see much of her beautiful work...you will learn how to do it in this workshop. The fee for this full 2-day workshop is \$200 for members, and \$210 non-members, a bargain in that it would cost much more for us to go to her. A deposit is required with registration.

LOAN AGREEMENT FORMS

Just a couple of things....

CAPITAL ART EXHIBIT from Carolyn Purnell, Coordinator

Please send me your Loan Agreement Form immediately. You may leave it in the box in the Office. Make any corrections or additions right on the form. The Capital Curator has called for them!!! I am missing a few of them and do not want to not be able to exhibit your art during our time at the Capital because I do not have your form. I must mail them ASAP to the Capital.

Your art must be in the Center May 9-13th! The Art will be transported during the week of May 23rd. The Capital Exhibit will open June 6 and run through September 28th, 2011.

Make sure your art is wrapped and/or protected for transport to Boise. We are not shipping the art, but are driving it to Boise, so it is safer against damage. But it must be wrapped and protected by you prior to leaving it at the Art Center. Each piece of art must permanently have 1. your name 2. address 3. contact information 4. Title of the art and 5. medium on the back of the art. This information is a requirement by the Capital Curator and Committee.

Thanks to all of you who are participating.

Carolyn Purnell



Photographers are welcome to enter the Annual Judged Show, if they are members of the Pocatello Art Center. We have a category just for photography and we would love for our photographers to participate....entries are due on 4/28



The Photo Club will be doing portrait pictures for the "Wall of Fame" on May 6 at the First Friday Art Walk. If you missed getting your portrait taken at the meeting in March, come that night and have your portrait taken! Please bring a short biography for the finished card. It will be fun!

A single print for the "Wall" is 50 cents. If you would like the Photo Club to make a CD for your personal use the cost will be \$10. This is a fund raising opportunity for the Photo Club.

MAY ANNUAL JUDGE SHOW

Art due into the Art Center on April 28th

The Gallery will be hung and judging will take place over the weekend and prior to 1st Friday

This show is a tradition to the Art Center and gives everyone the opportunity to exhibit their best and most beautiful. It will be judged by professionals and ribbons will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places for each Category in each Level, with

Honorable Mentions awarded at the discretion of the judges.

There are three levels, Beginner, Intermediate and Professional.

SAGEBRUSH ARTS FEST, 2011

September 10th & 11, 2011
5th and Carter Streets
Pocatello, ID

Applications for the SAGEBRUSH will be coming out very soon. Plan to get your spaces at this FEST. We will again have entertainment, so if you or someone wishes to be considered have them call Carolyn Purnell at the Art Center 232-0970

"Painter's Camp-out"



PAC member and artist Pennie Wolf, along with her husband, John, will be hosting a 3 day, 2 night "Painter's Camp-out" on their 235 acre ranch in Malad, Idaho June 24, 25 & 26. A complete description of the event will be in the June newsletter, but you might want to make an early reservation as participation will be limited to 14 people. The cost is \$55 per person, or \$90 per couple (buddy up with a friend and save money). Participation will be limited to 14 people, so make your reservation early. For more information and to make your reservation call Pennie Wolf at 208-766-3121. A non-refundable deposit of \$15 per person is required. (Returned if rained-out) Visa and MasterCard are accepted.

Pennie's cell phone is 208-788-3121.

ART IN THE GARDEN Saturday, June 4th, 9am-4pm PINEHURST NURSERY

Come spend a few hours or bring a lunch and stay all day painting and enjoying the beautiful ambience in the Pinehurst Nursery. During this time you can sketch, watercolor, oil paint, take photographs and spend time with fellow artists. Pinehurst advertises that there is Art in the Garden on this date, with a generous donation to the Art Center from them for your participation. We would love to have a nice showing of artists from the Art Center, so come join us. You may bring some of your finished art to exhibit also, along with your business cards.

Officers

President: Carolyn Purnell
Vice President: Joan Wilson
Treasurer: Sallee Gasser
Secretary: Dorothy Chatterton
Corresponding Secretary: Peggy Anderson

3 YEAR DIRECTORS

2 YEAR DIRECTORS

1 YEAR DIRECTORS

Bertie North
Bob Rush
Jan Stanek
Jane Guidinger

Bob Beason
Barbara Santos
Roger Boe
Becky Peterson

Marlene Keller
Barbara North
Dorothy Brzek
Ann Merkley

Presented by the Nominating Committee: Dorothy Chatterton, Chair; Peggy Anderson, Dorothy Brzek, Barbara Santos and Joan Wilson

According to the by-laws, the present "sitting" Board of Directors voted on the Officers for 2011-2012 at our recent April Board Meeting, and unanimously approved them. Your proposed Board of Directors for 2011-2012 is printed here for your review and will be approved at our Annual Membership Luncheon. This luncheon/meeting will be at the Pocatello Art Center on Thursday, June 2nd at 10:30 am-1:30 pm and will be a pot-luck gathering. Feel free to bring your favorite dish for all to share.

This coming fiscal year our Board of Directors will be a working board, meaning that each has volunteered to chair, co-chair or coordinate a committee and/or event for the Center. We thank each of them for their service to the Center.

We will miss Audrey Cole, Secretary, who has needed to step down in order to fulfill another obligation for the next four years and Sharon Hilts, Corresponding Secretary, who has some health issues to be addressed in the near future. We also appreciate Dorothy Chatterton for accepting Secretary and Joan Wilson accepting the office of Vice President. Peggy Anderson has accepted Corresponding Secretary, as Sharon Hilts has stepped down. Sallee Gasser, Treasurer, comes to us with extensive experience in treasury matters for 501(c3) organizations and Carolyn Purnell has agreed to continue as President for one more year. Barbara North has accepted Chair of the Sagebrush Arts Fest and a place on the Board. She will fill the Board vacancy opened by Peggy Anderson becoming Corresponding Secretary.

Many of our functions are serviced by committees that need your help. Please call the Pocatello Art Center at 232-9070 to let us know you are interested in volunteering.

The following are committees and/or functions that need volunteers:

Sagebrush Art Center
Desk Volunteers and Subs
High School Show

Gallery Committee
Education Committee

Hospitality
Annual Judged Show

THANK YOU

Many thanks go out to all of our members who have so generously donated to the Pocatello Art Center within the last month. All monetary donations have been deposited into the areas requested by the donors and any and all physical donations have been handled in the way requested.

A big thank you goes to George Hand, husband of Jeanne Hand, who is transferring our videos (VHS) to CDs. He is donating the CDs and giving of his time and use of the equipment in order for us to be up-to-date with the "current technology." We will soon have those ready for check-out by our members. This is going to allow all members who no longer have VHS players, to view and study the many educational art videos in our library. We are also, at a suggestion of one of our artists, going to list all of our tapes/CDs on our WEB site once we are ready with the CDs. This will allow you to search the site for what is available before coming into the Art Center to check them out.

In this regard, many kudos go out to Barbara Santos, our WEB master, who so generously gives of her time to keep our WEB site up to date. If you have suggestions and/or want something on our site, please let her know, or one of the Board Members. Remember that all of our newsletters are available on-line on the WEB site and the calendar and classes and monthly themes of the Gallery. It is all current.

CONGRATULATIONS!!

The Pocatello Art Center wishes to extend congratulations to our very talented and distinguished members, Vicky Mainzer and Bob Beason, who on Saturday evening, April 16th, received the 2011 Distinguished Alumnus Award and Teacher of the Year, respectively. Vicky celebrates her 55th Poky High Class Reunion this Fall and Bob, who graduated in 1976 from PHS, is now enjoying his retirement from teaching, but continues in that role through his studio and the Pocatello Art Supply and the Pocatello Art Center.

We are so fortunate to have them both amongst us.

Photo Club Show and Tell

Photo Club Meeting May 26 at 7:30 pm. Bring your 3-5 favorite photos from the winter for Show and Tell!

Volunteers

The Pocatello Art Center is always in need of volunteers to help out in a variety of areas. We need several volunteers to train as subs for the front desk. If you can donate your time, please contact the Art Center at 232-0970.

Good News!

The Art Supply of Pocatello at 312 W. Center is pleased to offer PAC members a 10% discount.

City Hall Paintings

It's time again to change the art work at City Hall. Since May is such a busy month with the judged show and the paintings going to the Capitol in Boise we would like to have the City Hall art ready to exchange in early June. You may want to consider leaving some of your art work from the May show to hang at City Hall, especially the art that has received ribbons. Other art is welcome also, including photography.

THIS OLD BAG II

SAVE THE DATE - OCTOBER 15TH, 2011

Location: Red Lion Hotel

We are officially announcing this month that the Pocatello Art Center will be having a Fall fundraiser this year, 2011, coordinated by Vicky Mainzer. The very popular "This Old Bag" fundraiser that was held three years ago, is coming back to town!...and oh, are people excited!

Yes, they are ... We will have a delicious lunch and there will be many, many totes and purses of all types on silent auction, along with entertainment and raffles galore! And oh yes, the atrium will be filled with artists and their exhibits of beautiful art work. SO SAVE THE DATE ON YOUR CALENDARS - you won't want to miss this one!

Pocatello Art Center
Board Meeting Minutes
4/7/2011

Present: Bertie North, Bea Cowger, Dorothy Brzek, Sallee Gasser, Barbara Santos, Dorothy Chatterton, Carolyn Purnell, Audrey Cole, Bob Rush, Barbara North, Peggy Anderson, Jeanne Hand, Georgia Orwick, Becky Petersen, Marlene Keller, Joan Wilson, Roger Boe

Call To Order: Carolyn Purnell, President, called the meeting to order at 10:10 a.m. Carolyn thanked the nominating committee for their work.

Minutes of Previous Meeting: Peggy Anderson moved and Dorothy Chatterton seconded, to accept the minutes as printed in the newsletter. Motion approved.

Treasurer's Report: Sallee Gasser, Interim Treasurer – Balance in checking and savings is \$11,974.29. Barbara Santos moved that the treasurer's report be accepted for audit. Seconded by Peggy Anderson. Motion approved.

OLD BUSINESS

Facility Management: Carolyn Purnell – The new furnace and boiler has been installed by B&G Plumbing. A leak in the backflow preventer has been inspected by B&G and will be tested and repaired soon.

Nominating Committee: Dorothy Chatterton handed out a list of proposed officers. Carolyn Purnell explained that the bylaws state that the Board elects the officers and membership elects the board members. Proposed officers are: President – Carolyn Purnell; V. President – Joan Wilson; Treasurer – Sallee Gasser; Secretary – Dorothy Chatterton; Corresponding Secretary – Peggy Anderson. Barbara Santos moved to accept the proposed officers for 2011-2012 as listed in the slate of officers. Dorothy Brzek seconded the motion. Discussion followed. Marlene Keller moved that nominations cease. Motion approved unanimously by show of hands.

The nominations for the Board of Directors will be listed in the May newsletter and voted upon at the annual meeting that will be June 2, 2011. Carolyn Purnell is recommending a potluck lunch at the Art Center.

Desk Volunteers: Carolyn Purnell – We could use a few more substitutes for the desk volunteers.

Capital Exhibit: Carolyn Purnell for Roger Boe – Will be sending a description of the Pocatello Art Center to the curator of the exhibit. Carolyn will transport the art pieces to the Capital the week of May 23.

Membership: Barbara Santos – Paid membership to date is 169. The total membership list is 236, which includes institutions. Sixteen new members have been added since January 1, 2011. Discussion followed regarding corporate memberships.

Photography Club: Becky Petersen – The current gallery show is by members of the Photography Club. In April, a beginning Photoshop Elements class will be taught again. In May, an intermediate Photoshop Elements class will be taught. April's meeting speaker will be Carolyn Purnell. The artist photos and biographies for the "Wall of Fame" board have been started. Artists who have had their photos taken will be able to purchase a disk for \$10.

Porcelain Artists of SE Idaho: Carolyn Purnell – There will be a seminar in July.

Gallery: Bea Cowger and Carolyn Purnell hung the photography show.

Website: Barbara Santos – April newsletter and calendar are on the website. An entry form for the Sagebrush Arts Festival is also on the website. There are keywords in the website to link artist websites on Google. Discussed listing art instruction videos from the in-house library on the website. Discussed transferring videos to DVD format. Carolyn asked for a volunteer to research transferring and the cost of doing so.

Education: Pennie Wolf will teach a morning class on Thursdays in May. Rikki Spinner will teach a Mother's Day class for children for \$10.

Hospitality: Dorothy Brzek – March Art Walk participation was excellent. The show was hosted by the Photography Club and included a bluegrass band to entertain the visitors.

Newsletter: No report.

Camp Perkins: May not hold a retreat at Camp Perkins this year. Carolyn has received a recommendation to hold a plein air workshop near Blackfoot.

NEW BUSINESS

The Pocatello chapter of the Idaho Watercolor Society has requested to come under the umbrella of the Art Center like the PASI and Photo Clubs. Carolyn has sent the guidelines to the chapter. They meet the second Tuesday of each month from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. A majority are members of the Art Center and would continue to pay their membership dues to the IWS. Peggy Anderson moved "to allow IWS to become an entity with the Art Center by the same rules that the PASI and Photo Clubs have". Seconded by Georgia Orwick. Discussion followed regarding membership in the Art Center, donations to help with operating costs, a meeting place, and art gallery. Motion approved. One opposed.

Vicky Mainzer has offered to hold a fundraiser for the Art Center in fall 2011. Title of the fundraiser will be "This Ole Bag II". The Art Center is a 501.c3 charitable organization. As a charitable entity the Art Center can and should accept fundraising activities and donations to operate the entity and provide services to the community. The Art Center is facing current expenses to pay for the new furnace and boiler. Future expenditures will be needed to replace the roof, and to bring the bathroom and the back exit into ADA compliance. Further, the electrical system is at capacity and will need to be improved before we can install more lighting in the gallery and classroom. Roger Boe moved that we support and go forth with the fundraiser. Dorothy Chatterton seconded. Motion approved unanimously.

Motion to adjourn at 12:20 p.m. by Dorothy Brzek, seconded by Barb Santos.

Respectfully submitted,
Audrey Cole, Secretary

May 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Open Painting 1-4 PM	3 <u>Adults</u> <u>Bob Beason</u> Drawing and other mixed media. 9:00-12:00	4 <u>Adults</u> <u>Karen Wardle</u> Paint and Pay as you go 9AM – 12PM	5 Board Meeting @ 10:00 AM Animals in oil with Pennie Wolf 9AM-12PM	6 1st Friday Art Walk	7
8	9 Open Painting 1-4 PM	10  Idaho Watercolor Society 7PM-9PM	11 <u>Adults</u> <u>Karen Wardle</u> Paint and Pay as you go 9AM – 12PM Bookmak- ing Begin-	12 Animals in oil with Pennie Wolf 9AM-12PM Bookmaking	13 Open Painting 1-4 PM Bookmaking Beginning	14
15	16 Open Painting 1-4 PM	17	18 <u>Adults</u> <u>Karen Wardle</u> Paint and Pay as you go 9AM – 12PM Basic Elements- Follow-up class 7PM-9PM	19 Animals in oil with Pennie Wolf 9AM-12PM	20 PASI Meeting @ PAC 10AM-3:30PM	21 Armed Forces  Day
22	23 Open Painting 1-4 PM	24	25 <u>Adults</u> <u>Karen Wardle</u> Paint and Pay as you go 9AM – 12PM Basic Elements- Follow-up class 7PM-9PM	26 Animals in oil with Pennie Wolf 9AM-12PM Photo Society Meeting 7:30	27 Gene Sherman Wildlife in Watercolor 9AM-5PM	28 Gene Sherman Wildlife in Watercolor 9AM-5PM
29	30 Closed  Memorial Day	31	1 <u>Adults</u> <u>Karen Wardle</u> Paint and Pay as you go 9AM – 12PM Basic Elements- Follow-up class 7PM-9PM	2 Annual Membership Meeting, Art Center	3 Open Painting 1-4 PM	4

Cherry Workshops - 2011

Painting Animals & Wildlife - July 15 ~ 17

New student \$300.00

Returning Student: \$250.00

Location: Artist's home studio area - 760 W.
Riverview Dr., Idaho Falls, Idaho

Phone 208-524-1284 for info

MONTHLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

"Time Out for You" 1 - 4 p.m. Open Painting on Mondays & Fridays
(call for availability)

Pay As You Go Classes

May 3rd 9AM-12PM "Mixed Mediums" with Bob Beason
Wednesdays 9:00AM- 12:00PM, "Painting" with Karen Wardle