

Pocatello Art Center
Gallery and School
Portneuf Valley Photographic Society
Porcelain Artists of Southeast Idaho
and
Pocatello Idaho Watercolor Society



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Closed: Saturday and Sunday
& Holidays

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our community.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Carolyn Purnell

SAVE THE DATE

June 2nd, 2011 Time: 11:00am-1:30pm

**Pocatello Art Center Annual Membership Meeting
A Potluck Luncheon and Meeting**

This meeting is open to ALL PAC MEMBERS!!! Please join us!

Bring your favorite dish to our potluck luncheon and meeting on the above date, and join in voting in your new Board of Directors and starting off the new fiscal year. Your incoming officers are President, Carolyn Purnell; Vice President, Joan Wilson; Secretary, Dorothy Chatterton; Treasurer, Sallee Gasser; and Corresponding Secretary, Peggy Anderson.

We have some awesome adult classes during the summer months and children classes are now being scheduled. The classes that we have had so far have been a great success and hope you will continue to support the upcoming classes. If you have friends who would love to attend, please encourage them to sign up! They do not have to be a member to do so.

ATTENTION: One new and big thing that the Board of Directors are offering to the member artists of the Art Center, is renting a room in the upstairs apartments. We now have one apartment empty and another that will soon be vacated. As I have stated in the past, once the mortgage is paid off, and the apartments become available, we will consider renting them to our artists members instead of outside renters. Well, the mortgage is going to be complete after July and we are now asking for the interest you may have in renting and sharing space upstairs. Contact the front desk at 232-0970 to put your name on the list ASAP and indicate that you are wanting to rent a room or share a space with another artist. Leave your contact information and we will be getting back to you very soon. We are hoping that this will be a positive future for the Art Center as it was many years ago when so many artists did the same thing.

Don't forget to come and Paint in the Garden at the Pinehurst Nursery. See the article inside.

By the time you receive this newsletter, all of the art for the Capitol Exhibit will have been transported over to the Capitol in Boise. Thanks to all of you for taking care of getting it ready for transport. Everyone should try and visit the Capitol Building in Boise sometime in June, July, August or September to see the exhibit hanging in the Garden Wing of the Capitol. It opens on June 6 and closes September 28th, 2011.

All of the themes for the Gallery are listed in the Directory and are still active. All art should be at the Art Center by the 28th of each month or a few days before, as the hanging will take place before the 1st of each month if possible...at least before 1st Friday. So check the listings and paint toward each theme...we look forward to seeing your work in the Gallery.

We are now planning the Sagebrush Arts Fest and Barbara North, the new chair, is seeking volunteers for different functions. Call her, or come by the Art Center to sign up for anything that you can do. Carolyn Purnell is seeking volunteers for the Children's Art Yard and for the Information Booth. Thanks for your help with this big event.

Classes

Animals in Pastels for Children

by Annalise Covert, Instructor

June 7, 14, 21 and 28; 2-4 pm; fee - \$40 Members & \$45 non-members

Ages: 7-13

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.

Beginning Watercolor for Children

by Pat McNamara, Instructor

July 11, 12, 13, and 14; 10am - 12Noon; fee - \$35.00

Ages: 7-13

Techniques for Oils (this class moved from June to August)

by Elesha Shuman, Instructor

August 12 and 13; 9am - 5 pm each day; fee - \$80

members; \$85 non-members. Adults

A perennial favorite, Elesha 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.

Drawing and Pencil Art for Children

by Joy Fox, Instructor

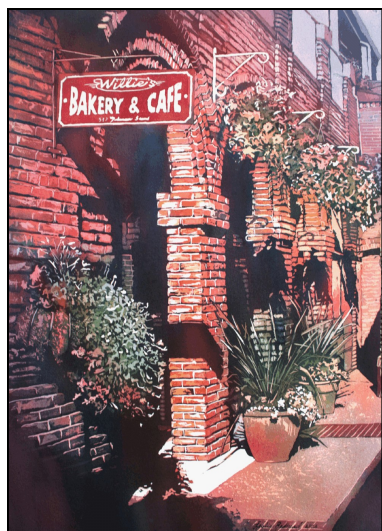
August 15, 16, 17, and 18; 10am-12 Noon; fee - \$35.00

Ages: 7- 13

LESLIE REDHEAD COMES TO POCATELLO

Leslie Redhead is an internationally known watercolorist who comes to us from Vancouver, BC. She is known for combination of detail and layered pours that are luminous and unique. She is a signature member of the Federal of Canadian Artists and is featured in the book Splash 10. She conducts workshops in Canada, the US and Spain.

Her workshop will be August 26 and 27, 2011 at the Pocatello Art Center. Time: 9 am - 5 pm; Fee: Members \$200; \$225 non-members. The class is already half full, so we encourage you to sign-up for this opportunity to learn an unique watercolor technique. A supply list is available at the front desk.



Pastel Artists:

Fridays from 1-4 PM is open painting and we encourage you to come in and paint with your peers. Many of you suggested getting together to help each other out and this is a great opportunity for gathering. Maybe if we get a regular pastel group together then other members will feel more comfortable in taking advantage of the time frame also. Call the Art Center and/or check the calendar for availability. This is a great opportunity! Let's make use of the time and support each other!

Upcoming Gallery Schedule

July:

Vacations Vistas

August:

Painting from photographs. Use your own photos, contact members of the Photographic Society, or look through Bea Cowger's "Paint My Photos" book.

September:

Experimental Painting. (mixed medium, new techniques, abstracts, etc).

October:

Idaho Watercolor Society. IWS traveling show hangs in the gallery all month.

November and December:

Annual Pocatello Art Center Holiday Show and Sale. Purchase your space early. We will keep you updated as to when the spaces go on sale.

Check in for artwork is no later than the 28th. If you can't make the deadline please call and see if other arrangements can be made. Hanging takes place before the 1st of the month if possible or before 1st Friday.

Number of paintings are limited to 3 per member except during the Portneuf Valley Photo Society judged show and Holiday Show and Sale

Themes are merely suggestions. We do accept other subject matter for the shows.



City Hall

It's time to change the art work at City Hall. We delayed the transition because the month of May was extremely busy with the annual Judged show and the art going to Boise. Please bring your paintings in to the Art Center ASAP. Thanks!

Idaho Watercolor Society News

Our May meeting included plans for the upcoming IWS sponsored Sterling Edwards Workshop in Pocatello June 6-9 at the Charter School. Eleven artists are registered. Late registrations will be accepted. Please contact Onita Asbury @ 233-3464 for details. The Boise Workshop is full with 25 artists.

An educational feature of our meetings is a "Critique" of paintings. Barb Swanson also showed a DVD focusing on design and development of a painting.

The Idaho Watercolor Society offers opportunities for our members to show their work at various shows and galleries. Congratulations to Barb Swanson for selling a painting at the 2011 Rotunda Show.

Seventeen state watercolor societies submit entries for the Annual Exhibition of the Western Federation Watercolor Society. Their 36th Annual Exhibition was hosted by New Mexico. Three of the five Idaho entries selected are from our region. Congratulations to Anne Merkley, Torgesen Murdock, and Jeriann Sabin. Images of this year's award winning paintings can be seen @ www.id-ws.org.

Anyone interested in learning more about the IWS is always welcome at our meetings. Bring a friend.

Donations

The Art Center regularly receives donations of art related items. We appreciate the generosity of our members, and their families. As a non-profit organization these donations go a long way toward helping us achieve our goals. When these contributions arrive at the Art Center please place them in the office area and contact the appropriate people to handle the personal correspondence, indexing, distribution, and/or storage of the items for upcoming events and classes.

*Corresponding Secretary, Peggy Anderson
Books, DVD's, tapes, and magazines, Sarah Faye Carney
Misc. items (paper, paints, mat board, pencils, etc.), Carolyn Purnell*

Items that are not immediately needed at the Art Center or ones specifically designated to give to the membership and visitors will then be available for distribution.

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.



SAGEBRUSH ARTS FEST, 2011

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

Applications are available at the Art Center or on-line on our Website. Anyone who is interested in a mini booth, please send in your application soon, as they are going quickly and we do not want you to be disappointed if they all fill up.

We are also looking for some easy listening type musicians. If you know of anyone who would be interested in playing the guitar, etc (or their own piano as we do not rent a piano anymore) please let us know.

Check out our website for up-to-date information:
www.PocatelloArtCtr.org



"Painter's Camp-out" June 24, 25 and 26

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 June 24, 25 and 26 (the last weekend in June). You may come anytime on Friday to pick a campsite. RV's are welcome, but there are no hook-ups. There is good drinking water available at the main gathering area and an old fashioned out-house across the creek. The creek, which runs the length of the ranch, presents hundreds of "photo-ops" that include several small muskrat and beaver dams. Also, cattle and horses are on the property for those who like to paint animals into their landscapes. You are welcome to bring 4 wheelers to carry your art supplies to distant sites. Malad has miles of low-traffic paved roads for bicycling. Horses are welcome if you want to ride on the ranch or in the nearby mountains, but you must be set up to care for them at your camp site. All meals will be supplied by Pennie, beginning with spaghetti dinner on Friday night, breakfast on Sat and Sun mornings, lunch on Saturday and a chicken and hamburger Bar-B-Q Sat night. Also, a horse-drawn wagon ride around the ranch is planned for Saturday afternoon. 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 to be sure you don't miss out on this fun filled weekend. 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.

Pocatello Art Center
Board Meeting Minutes
5/5/2011

Present: Carolyn Purnell, Barbara Santos, Dorothy Brzek, Bea Cowger, Bob Rush, Becky Petersen, Jan Stanek, Peggy Anderson, Jeannie Hand, Sallee Gasser, Audrey Cole, Barbara North, Georgia Orwick, Joan Wilson, Bertie North

Call To Order: Carolyn Purnell, President, called the meeting to order at 10:12 a.m. Carolyn announced the annual meeting will start at 11:00 a.m. on June 2 and will be a potluck luncheon (please bring potluck dishes in by 10:30a.m.). Georgia suggested that new members should be invited to the luncheon. She also suggested adding new member names to each newsletter as they join the Art Center.

Carolyn complimented the judges for the May gallery show, Lisa Schultz from the Idaho Falls Willow Tree Gallery and Linda Wolfe from Pocatello, for their excellent work. She also thanked the nominating committee for their work.

Minutes of Previous Meeting: Bob Rush moved and Sallee Gasser seconded, to accept the minutes. Motion approved. Becky Petersen requested that the spelling of her last name be corrected from Peterson to Petersen on the nominating ballot that was included in the April newsletter.

Treasurer's Report: Sallee Gasser, Interim Treasurer – Sallee reported that the final facility mortgage payment will be made in July. Bob Rush moved, Barb Santos seconded, to accept the report for audit. Motion approved.

Discussion followed regarding possible studio rentals to artists. Bea Cowger will develop a list of artists that may be interested; an announcement requesting names of interested artists will be put in the newsletter.

OLD BUSINESS

Nominating Committee: Carolyn Purnell - Nominations for the Board of Directors will be discussed and voted upon at the annual meeting.

Desk Volunteers: Jan Stanek – Jan asked to resign as the desk volunteer coordinator at the end of May. Carolyn will seek a new coordinator for the desk volunteers.

Capital Exhibit: Carolyn Purnell – Art submittals are due at the Art Center from May 9th – 13th for transport to Boise the week of May 23rd. All art must be wrapped for transport.

Membership: Barbara Santos – Paid membership to date is 162. The total membership list is 225. Ten new members were added in April making a total of 24 new members since January 1, 2011.

The Sagebrush Art Festival has six applications to date.

Photography Club: Becky Petersen – Artist photos and biographies for the “Wall of Fame” board will be taken again at the First Friday Art Walk. Cost is \$0.50 per photo. A disk with the information is also available for \$10. Carolyn suggested that Becky contact Onita Asbury or Neila Loeb about having the IWS artist photos taken.

Intermediate Photoshop Elements will be taught on a Wednesday later in the month.

Porcelain Artists of SE Idaho: Carolyn Purnell – Regular meeting is held on the third Friday of each month except for July, which will be a weeklong seminar starting on the 19th instead of the regular meeting.

Gallery: Carolyn Purnell – Georgia Orwick announced that Neila Loeb and Onita Asbury have requested that Georgia represent the Southeast Idaho Chapter of the Idaho Watercolor Society on the Art Center board of directors. The Sterling Edwards workshop, one of the annual workshops sponsored by the IWS, has eleven participants and is being held in Pocatello this year. The workshop will be at the Pocatello Charter School; the potluck dinner will be held at the Art Center.

Georgia explained that the IWS is part of the Western Federation Water Color Society, which has a juried show. Five Idaho watercolor artists entered the show, three of which are Jeriann Sabin, Torgeson Murdock, and Anne Merkle.

Carolyn asked for the IWS newsletter to be sent to the Art Center or for selected information to be emailed to the Art Center by Neila or Onita.

Website: Barbara Santos – April newsletter is on the website.

Education: Carolyn Purnell - Book making class is scheduled on the 11th, 12th, and 13th of May. Mother's Day tile class went well. Gene Sherman's watercolor class is the end of May.

Georgia Orwick announced that the pastel painters would like to start meeting on 'open' Fridays from 1p.m. – 4 p.m. whenever there is open time that could be used for a pastel club and/or other open painting day.

Hospitality: Dorothy Brzek – Brent Gordon will be playing music for the First Friday Art Walk.

Newsletter: Joan Wilson – Becky Petersen suggested using e-mail to send out the newsletter instead of bulk mail. Discussion followed regarding the pros and cons of each.

Camp Perkins: Carolyn Purnell - Camp Perkins will not be held this year due to lack of interest and expense. Carolyn has asked Camp Perkins to take us off the 2011 reservation list; the retreat will be reconsidered for 2012. The Art Center will try to plan some plein air painting workshops instead.

NEW BUSINESS:

Fundraiser: Vicky Mainzer is planning “This Ole Bag II” for October 18. At Vicky's request, Carolyn will put together a committee to help decide on the exhibitors. Carolyn is asking for volunteers to help with the committee. Reservations have been made at the Red Lion for the ballroom, banquet rooms, and atrium for the fundraiser.

Sagebrush Art Festival: Barbara North requested names of musical groups to entertain at the festival. Discussions about the size and number of participants per booth followed.

Motion to adjourn at 11:44 a.m. by Peggy Anderson, seconded by Georgia Orwick.

Respectfully submitted,
Audrey Cole, Secretary

June 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 <u>Adults</u> <u>Karen Wardle</u> Paint and Pay as you go 9AM – 12PM	2 Annual Membership Meeting, Art Center 10:30am-12 N <i>Potluck lunch!</i>	3 1st Friday Art Walk Open Painting 1-4 PM	4 ART IN THE GARDEN 9am-4-pm PINEHURST NURSERY
5	6 Open Painting 1-4 PM	7 <u>Adults</u> <u>Bob Beason</u> Drawing and other mixed media. 9:00-12:00 <i>Animals in Pastels for Children</i> Ages 7-13 2PM-4PM	8 <u>Adults</u> <u>Karen Wardle</u> Paint and Pay as you go 9AM – 12PM <i>Idaho Watercolor Society</i> <i>Potluck-</i>	8	10 Open Painting 1-4 PM	11 <i>Artrageous Lunch 11:30 AM</i> <i>Dinner 6:30 PM</i>
12	13 Open Painting 1-4 PM	14 <u>Adults</u> <u>Bob Beason</u> Drawing and other mixed media. 9:00-12:00 <i>Flag Day!</i> <i>Animals in Pastels for Children</i> Ages 7-13	15 <u>Adults</u> <u>Karen Wardle</u> Paint and Pay as you go 9AM – 12PM	16	17 Open Painting 1-4 PM	18 <i>PASI Potluck @ PAC</i> <i>10AM-3:30PM</i>
19 <i>Happy Father's Day</i>	20 Open Painting 1-4 PM	21 <u>Adults</u> <u>Bob Beason</u> Drawing and other mixed media. 9:00-12:00 <i>Animals in Pastels for Children</i> Ages 7-13 2PM-4PM	22 <u>Adults</u> <u>Karen Wardle</u> Paint and Pay as you go 9AM – 12PM	23 Photo Society Meeting 7:30	24 Open Painting 1-4 PM	25
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Cherry Workshops - 2011
*Painting Animals & Wildlife in
Pastel- 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

**Please check the date above your
name and address for membership
expiration. This may be your last
newsletter!**

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

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