



The Palette Paper

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Charleston Chapter of Decorative Painters

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Our meetings are the 4th Sat. of the month

Meeting at a glance Date: **Sept. 24, 2011**

Time: Meeting 9 am Silent Auction 10 am

Place: St Thomas Episcopal Church; **Location:** 1150 E. Montague Ave, N Charleston, St

Officers

President: *Liz Smith*

1st Vice pres: *Pat Simpson*

2nd. Vice Pres: *Bonnie Seymour*

3rd Vice Pres.: *Jane Burroughs*

Secretary: : *Mary Lou Blackwell*

Treasurer: *Cheryl Stringer*

Appointed Officers

Membership *Susan Pleasant*

Publicity: *Jean Littlejohn*

Hospitality: *Betty McMichaels*

Special Events *Gretchen Hunter*

Newsletter & Web site: *Brenda Sawyer*

Historian: *Janice Guest*

Community Service: – *Betty Snead*

Corresponding Secretary *Betty Snead*

President Message

We are so fortunate as to have the hurricane miss us once again. I am so sorry that anyone was in the path of the storm. Thank you to Bonnie for the work she put into our "Silent Auction and Luncheon". Also thank you to everyone that helped to make it a great success. The lovely artist quilt Bonnie donated went to a good home and I know Betty will enjoy having it. The food prepared by all, was as usual, very good and plentiful. I hope that we can make this an annual event. I would like to see the public attend so that they can see all of the great work by our members. Hope to see you this month, keep on painting, Liz

Seminars

I talked with Andy after the meeting and he said he would send the prep work and supply list. I will email it to you as soon as I get it. I talked with Valerie Stewart and she moved our seminar to the next weekend Jan. 20, 21, 22. Remember to paint for the fair. if you have any questions let me know. Thanks, Jane



Program

This month's program will be a colored pencil project. We will be doing a Dark Eyed Junco

Supplies: Prismacolor pencils: Black Cherry, Black, Colourless blender, Cool Grey 70%, French Grey 20%, French Grey 50%, French Grey 90%, Henna, Moss Green, Pale Sage, Raspberry, Rosy Beige, Sienna Brown, Slate Grey, Verithin White Pencil, Warm Grey 90%, and White. Paper: 6" x 6" white paper of your choice (I am using Bristol smooth), pencil sharpener, grey saral, workable fixative. You will also need a clipboard, brush(to wipe away the excess wax), kneaded eraser or battery operated eraser, low tack tape, tracing paper, I will have the instructions and patterns at the meeting. There are 5 birds in total but we will only be doing one. I will give you the other 4 patterns so you might do them all if you so desire.

The Junco is fairly easy to do. Light handed coloring is needed and to do layers for the contrast. I will be looking forward to sharing this piece with you. I will have some of the Bristol with me and I will sell you a sheet for 20 cents. Liz

Ways & Means

Thanks to everyone for making our auction and luncheon a great success. I think everyone had a lot of fun; the food was out of this world. The painted pieces were a great example our all the wonderful talent our chapter has to offer . Maybe this could be something we could do every year as an in house fundraiser.

Congratulations to Betty Snead, she was the winner of the Artist quilt. Enjoy Betty!!!

The income from the quilt was \$223 and the auction income was \$267. Great work ladies.

Now down to serious business "THE FAIR" yes it's that time again (where did the year go).

I hope everyone will have lots of items to enter I would like our displays to be as stunning as the pass years.

The turn in dates are on Saturday, Oct. 22, from 9:30m to 4:00pm and Sunday, Oct.23 from 12:00 NOON to 4:00pm.

I'll be passing around the demo sign up book, just a reminder anyone doing a demos will receive a free gate and parking pass.

I'll be starting a new \$1 raffle at this meeting, which will run 2 months; we'll draw for it at the Oct. meeting.

I would like to thank Mary Lou Blackwell, for donating two rolls of raffle tickets to the chapter.

See you at the meeting,
Bonnie

Hospitality

Sweets—Carol Spiller

Susan Pleasant

Salty—Meg Grimball

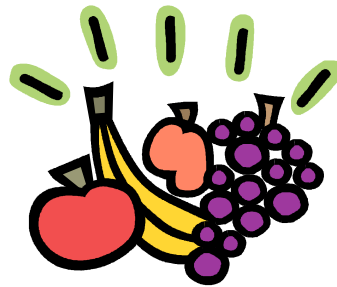
Kim Kiser

Beverage—Kits Jones

Mary Lou Blackwell

Sandwiches—Joan D

Fruit—Jean Spearin



Grape Recipe

Grapes with cream sauce: 4 oz. cream cheese, softened (I use fat free or light); 1/4 cup sugar (I use Splenda); 1/2 tsp. vanilla; 1/2 cup sour cream (I use light or fat free); 3 cups seedless green grapes; and 3 cups seedless red grapes. In a small mixing bowl, beat the cream cheese, sugar and vanilla. Add the sour cream; mix well. Pour over grapes and toss until covered. Enjoy! Liz

Charleston Chapter of Decorative Painters

August 20, 2011

President: Liz Smith. Liz welcomed all and thanked everyone for coming.

Secretary's Minutes: Mary Lou Blackwell. Motion to accept the minutes were made by Kits Jones, 2nd. by Bonnie Seymour. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Cheryl Stringer. _____ in bank.

Membership: Susan Pleasant. 29 people signed in. Guests were Julie Summer, Norma Able, and Jeannie Cary. Julie Summer became a new member. Mary Lou Blackwell won the door prize.

Program: Pat Simpson. None due to the Silent Auction.

Ways and Means: Bonnie Seymour. We are having the raffle and Silent Auction. The Raffle made \$ 267.00 and the Quilt make \$ 223.00. Betty Snead won the quilt.

Seminar: Jane Burroughs. Andy Jones will be here Oct. 1 and 2. Valerie Stewart will be back Jan. 13, 14, and 15th, 2012. Jane has not heard anything about the colored pencil seminar.

Special Events: Gretchen Hunter, no report.

Fair: Bonnie Seymour. Fair will soon be here, please paint.

Community Service: Betty Snead. No cards sent, Bonnie is doing great.

Newsletter/Historian: Brenda Sawyer. Thank you for all who emailed pictures. Please get info. In by 1st. of the month.

Publicity: Jean Littlejohn. Nothing this month.

Hospitality: Betty McMichael. She read the list for Sept.

Old Business: none

New Business: none

Meeting Adjourned,
Respectfully Submitted,
Mary Lou Blackwell, Sec.

TREASURER'S REPORT SEPTEMBER, 2011

EXPENSES

BANK SERVICE CHARGE

#1408--BRENDA SAWYER--NEWSLETTER

#1409--SHERRYL TURNER--SEMINAR REFUND

#1410--BONNIE SEYMOUR--WAYS & MEANS

REIMBURSEMENT

TOTAL EXPENSES

CHECKBOOK BALANCE

Submitted by Cheryl Stringer

DEPOSITS

WAYS & MEANS

TOTAL DEPOSITS



Happy Birthday

Sheryl Miner	09-08
Jane Burroughs	09-12
Gretchen Hunter	09-15
Kim Kiser	09-16
Pamela McClellan	09-30
Susan Pleasant	09-09

Happy Anniversary

Lillian & Stanley Mros 09-22

Community Service & Corresponding secretary

We need hats painted for MUSC. If you need hats or know someone that needs a card, please call Betty.

Newsletter

Please have your info to me by the first weekend of the month.

Thanks, Brenda

Our seminars for 2012 are:

Valerie Stewart, Jan. 13,14,15
Janice Miller, March 30,31, and April 1
Brenda Harris, Sept. 28, 29, 30

Seminars for 2013 are:

Maureen McNaughton, May 4,5,6
Kathie George, Oct. 18, 19, 20

SDP Membership

It's time to renew your SDP membership for 2012!

(If you have already renewed, THANK YOU SO MUCH! Please disregard this notice.)

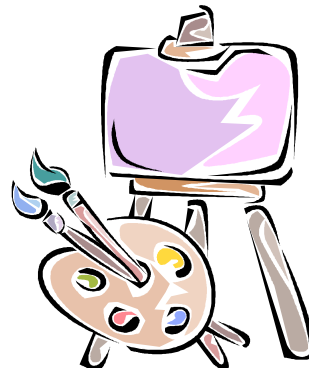
The easiest way to renew is online.

[Just click on this link to go to decorativepainters.org and follow the simple instructions to renew with a credit or debit card or with PayPal.](http://decorativepainters.org) Be sure to have your membership number at hand.

We cherish our members and look forward to sharing another year of painting fun and friendship with you. And we know you'll want to continue to receive all the great benefits of SDP membership, including *The Decorative Painter* magazine, SDP Conference, discounts from SDP Business members including your Joann's Discount Card, your chapter involvement, and so much more.

Thank you so much for being a member of our painting family!

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Summerville, SC 29483

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A Newsletter for:

CCDP Membership Application

Date: _____

SDP # (if renewal): _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Area code & phone #: _____

Email: _____

Birth month & date: _____

Anniv. Month & date: _____

Spouse's name:

Year you joined CCDP: _____

All CCDP members must be "in good standing" with SDP and will receive a newsletter and seminar information.

___ GENERAL MEMBER must attend 1 business meeting per quarter per year, participate in community service project or fund-raiser to qualify for CCDP "in good standing" seminar fee, allowed to vote and run for an office. New members must attend one business meeting before a seminar to qualify for MIGS fee.

___ ASSOCIATE MEMBER persons who are unable to attend business meetings due to distance or time. They are exempt from running for an office and having a vote and will therefore not be included in the membership count upon which a quorum is based.

___ HONORARY MEMBER is appointed & approved by CCDP Board and Membership. No dues required.

GUESTS are welcome to visit the Chapter not more than two regular meetings annually. Seminars and Paint-ins are not considered as regular meetings.

DUES are \$15 per year. Payable September 1st and will be delinquent as of December 1st. As of December 1st a \$5.00 late charge will be assessed to all renewals. A copy of your SDP membership card must be submitted to the membership chairman.

Make your check payable to CCDP and send this completed application with money to:

Membership Chairman: (2010)
Susan Pleasant
104 Riley Drive
Summerville, SC 29483

√ Membership type