# SILVER STATE ARTISTS

## **NEWSLETTER**

November 2024

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hey all

What a great couple of days we've had so far. I hope it stays this way a while. I"m sure everyone is enjoying it.

We had a fabulous meeting this month. Sharon Shuster had a fabulous class and taught this cutie of a monster jar ornament. Everyone's turned out so beautiful. Thank you Sharon.

Jeanne Harris had her colored pencil class. Wow that was awesome for first time teacher, Jeanne. I imagine some of these ladies didn't think they could do it. Check out the photos on the Facebook group. If you're not on, please consider it. A lot of cool info and photos come on there. Hopefully we'll do this type of stuff again.

### WE ELECTED A BOARD! Congratulations to:

President Judy Gibson - she will be all over it. Vice president and programs Paula Scrivner – she'll do a great job. Kaye Singer Treasurer - she's a glutton for punishment.

We do need a secretary. If any one is willing to write minutes for board and business meetings please let us know. Thank you!

Make sure you read all articles in this newsletter carefully as there is important information in all of them.

If you haven't registered for the next class please call Judy as you have to pick a class to take.

Can't wait to see you all there!

Cheers! @ @ Marthalene

#### **PROGRAMS** (Judy Gibson)

Those who attended our October meeting will gladly join the SSA Board in thanking our two wonderful teachers, Sharon Shuster and Jeanne Harris for teaching a friendly little monster and an elegant butterfly, using new techniques and mediums. Without our teachers, we would not have the wonderful opportunity to continually learn and enjoy in the presence of fellow artists and friends. Thanks again from all of us!

**November Program** - The Ornament Extravaganza is coming November 9. We have four wonderful teachers scheduled to instruct us in an ornament of their choosing with groups of four or five per teacher & table.

If you would like to join us, please see pictures below, *choose one ornament only*, and then send your choice and the \$10 fee to Paula Scrivner. When you sign up, please contact the teacher for more information:

Rocky Teal - Debbie Mitchell's Pajama Bear Sharon Shuster -Donna Hobson's Holiday Floral Patty Clark- Diann Bunker's Santa Bear Pat Gettemeyer- Donna Carpenter's Winter Scene.

Thanks to these ladies for stepping up to help create another fun day of painting for us!

<u>Important:</u> Voting for 2025 classes will also occur at the next meeting after announcements. We still need more submissions. Please email Judy Gibson to present up to three class ideas for next year that you are willing to teach or chair. Please attach a picture, have permission from the designer, and include details such as medium, surface availability, and length of class. Thank you to everyone for your consideration to be part of our teaching team!

### **CHRISTMAS PARTY** (Rocky Teel)

*It's coming! It's coming, It's practically here! The Christmas party is practically here.* 

First of all, grab your checkbook or cash. We are accepting the \$26.00 (members) or \$46.00 (guests) for the dinner. If it is in an envelope (inside your purse), you will not forget it. So please, take this step right now.

I hope you are working on your project for the gift exchange game. This is always a highlight of the party. Wrap your gift for the holiday, as we will not be hiding them in the brown paper sacks.

Check-in time is 10:00 a.m. We will have tickets available for the quilt right up to and including the party. We really hope to see you there.

This is a great time for us to socialize with those we don't get to see on a regular basis.

If you have ANY QUESTIONS, do not hesitate to call me at (702) 822-0101. Hope to see you there.

#### **LIBRARY DISPLAY** (Pat Gettemeyer)

Our library displays are up! They look awesome. Thanks to everyone who brought their pieces to be shown and to those who helped to do the setup.

Take a moment to visit one or both of the libraries to see the display windows. Summerlin Library – 1771 Inner Circle Dr. Las Vegas NV 89134 Rainbow Library - 3150 North Buffalo Dr, Las Vegas, NV 89128

#### **SEMINARS** (Pat Gettemeyer)

#### THE PROJECTS HAVE BEEN SELECTED!!!

The Marco Aguilar Seminar is fast approaching on January 24 and 25, 2025. The cost for members will be \$50 for one day or \$100 for two days. The cost for non-members will be \$65 for one day or \$125 for both days.

Your \$50 deposit (\$65.00 for non-members) will sign you up. You may put check or cash in the payment box (mark the envelope "SEMINAR") at our meeting or send a check made payable to Silver State Artists to Pat Gettemeyer. The remaining payment is due by <u>December 31, 2024</u>. All payments will be held until the week prior to the seminar.

Here is what you get for your money:

- 1) A talented, enthusiastic teacher, and fun teacher, Marco Aquilar. Just ask anyone who has taken one of his classes!
  - 2) The opportunity to take one or both of the projects selected your choice.
- 3) All supplies and paint are included. You must bring your own brushes and normal supplies (e.g. tracing paper, palette paper, water bin, paper towel, etc.) but no paints. THERE IS NO PREP WORK.
  - 4) A light breakfast treat each day will be available.
  - 5) A catered lunch each day

Checkout the projects and additional information in the seminar flyer which is being sent separately.

The club will be supplementing the costs of this weekend from all your hard-earned ways and means programs of the past! DON'T MISS OUT!

#### **WEBSITE** (Jeanne Harris)

**Pictures of upcoming programs and club activities will only be shown on the website** as they frequently cannot be sent by an email because of size. Go to the website at <a href="https://www.silverstateartists.org">www.silverstateartists.org</a>) where the newsletter AND PICTURES are posted under the "Newsletters" tab. There will be a link that you click on taking you to the web page.

## **SUNSHINE** (Tonia Tracy



It's Turkey Time...

Let me know if anyone is in the need of a little sunshine \*

Happy November Birthday to...

Monica Juarez Rocky Teal Sandy Kilgour Laurie Gesh Jane Banks

Sharon Shuster – Teaching Donna Hobson's Holiday Floral



## Patty Clark – Teaching Diane Bunker's Santa Bear

Palette: Americana – Winter Blue (base), Black, Buttermilk, Cocoa, Country Red, Charcoal, Dark Chocolate, Deep Burgundy, Lemon yellow, Light Cinnamon, Midnight Green, Mistletoe Green, Olive Green, Pumpkin, Spice Pink, Titanium White, True Blue

Brushes, regular assorted including small rounded tip dry brushes, #6 Scumbler or 1/8 stipple, #1 liner & #10 flat shader Old terry face cloth, paper towels, palette paper, black graphite Questions: Call 702-280-2062





