PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello!

This month in September we are excited to present the long-awaited class "Sleigh Rides" taught by Jane Banks. All of you who have signed up previously are good to go, just bring your prepped piece to class. She will be contacting you regarding prep. If you would like to sign up still, please contact me, Judy Gibson. Class fee is \$15, and patterns and kits are still available.

Our Fall Picnic is going to be so much fun. There will be several things happening that day, including our business meeting and voting. There will be a mini art show, so bring your centerpiece size Halloween or fall painted pieces to display. We are having a "two for one" class, cost \$15, taught by Tonia and Judy. See Programs below for more information. Ways and Means will be presenting a silent auction, powered by your donations. Thanks in advance for your participation!

For our class project voting for 2026, we are requesting all of you who have ever taught or would like to teach, to please prepare at least one project you're passionate about to contribute to our class roster next year. We need a sample or picture of your class idea and a few details. A prepped piece showing what would be needed before class, with a picture of the finished piece, would be ideal. I will have the teacher class submission forms at the next meeting, or please contact me and I will email you one. If you aren't comfortable teaching, you could present a club party idea, or invite and set up an outside teacher to come or teach us online, etc. Thank you so much for helping to keep our club a place of fun and learning.

We also have board nominations for next year coming up at the September business meeting. If you would like to serve on the board in 2026, please contact a board member with your nomination. Service to others fuels our club and we NEED you!

PROGRAMS

September 13, 2025, Business Meeting and Paint-in "Sleigh Ride" Designed by Chris Haughey Taught by Jane Banks

Fee 15.00

There are still patterns with complete kits (\$16.69) available, or pattern, stencils and wood available separately from Judy. (See Note at the end of the Newsletter about this class).

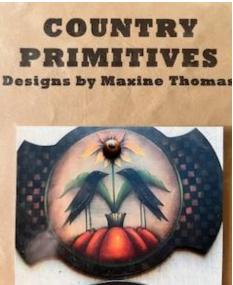
October 11, 2025, Business Meeting and Paint-in

Fall Picnic, Class Voting and Board Elections located at Lamplight Estates Clubhouse, 7467 Grassy Field Ct 89131

Fee: \$15 Two for One

"Frankie Mini" designed by Cheryl Jones, taught by Tonia Tracy. Bring your brushes, all other supplies provided. "Fall Cheeseboard" designed by Maxine Thomas, taught by Judy Gibson. Prep available in September. Round plate or cheeseboard (7.5" --9" center area, cheeseboard available from Pinecraft Inc or Smooth Cut Wood Products) reduce or enlarge line drawing to fit your surface.







November 8, 2025, Workshop Fee: \$20

Details will be determined by participating teachers. If you have an ornament or holiday "small" you would like to present, please let me know! This was a lot of fun last year and could be a recurring class if interest is there.

Just a reminder to please use the envelopes we've provided to sign up for classes, and to fill out the information on the front completely. Please let Paula know you have signed up by the end of lunch on meeting day (one month ahead of class when possible) so she has time to give you your pattern, and please let her know if you are leaving early. You can also sign up for a class by calling her (see roster for contact information) and mailing or delivering her the fee. She will then email or mail the prep once she has received payment. Thank you.

Any questions please feel free to contact Judy Gibson or Paula. Hope to see you all soon!

Judy Gibson for Paula Scrivner, Programs

Judy Gibson Silver State Artists SSA President

HOSPITALITY

Thank you to everyone who has brought something to share this year. September 13th Reminder----Sign Ups anyone?????

Big News! ------ Upcoming------ Fall Picnic---- October 11, 2025

Where -------Lamplight Estates Clubhouse, 7467 Grassy Field Court, 89131

Time -------10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

What's going on----Please refer to articles from the President and Programs.

<u>Picnic includes a Potato Bar</u> with all the trimmings, salads, and desserts. Baked potatoes provided by SSA. If you intend to come, please call or text Patty Clark to sign up and tell her what you are willing to bring to the picnic. This will be a fun way to celebrate the coming new season and more painting classes. Opportunities to enjoy what we love to do together.

Sign-ups ------salads, grated cheese, sour cream, chopped onions, chili, jalapenos, chopped tomatoes, mild salsa, broccoli florets, chilled beverages, ice, and desserts. Utensils and paper goods are provided. We have a new Keurig coffee machine too! Yay!

<u>Please R.S.V.P.</u> to sign up for refreshments.

Thank you, again.
Patty Clark/ <u>blucrowart@gmail.com</u> / 702-280-2062 and Catherine Sanchez

WAYS AND MEANS

Silent Auction coming in October! Marthalene, Ways and Means

SUNSHINE and MEMBERSHIP:

Happy September, that means Summer is near the end (Woo-Hoo) and Fall is peaking its head around the corner, YES! YES! YES!

September is another month with no chapter birthdays.

Keeping Monica Juarez and Terry Boyd in happy healing vibes

Wrapping Sharon Shuster in love and friendship.

We are currently at 40 SSA Members

Tonia-Sunshine & Membership

TOLE MONTH:

The Rainbow Library display will be put into the library on Wednesday, September 24th at about 12:30. Before that, at about 11 am, we will meet at the Cracked Egg at 7660 W Cheyenne for lunch or brunch. We will remove the display on Thursday, December 4th at 12:30. Please put these dates on your calendar so you don't book other activities!

We definitely need VOLUNTEERS to help Judy and me!

I will send a list around at our September meeting so I know how many will help. Also bring your finished projects to display to the meeting or the day of put in. They should be no bigger than 12".

I will have the insurance forms needed to be completed for the library.

If you have questions, please call or text me. Have a fun Labor Day weekend and I'll see you at the September



Pat Gettemeyer, Chair / Library DisplayPat Gettemeyer, Tole Month Chair

NOTE:

Gnome Sleigh Rides participants please have your piece prepped and ready to move forward. Please have your pattern drawn on. Mine seems a bit dark but it was probably my mood at the time. It should look something like the picture below: Thanks, Jane

