

MAY 2026

SILVER STATE ARTISTS

WHERE SOUTHERN NEVADANS GET TOGETHER TO SHARE THEIR LOVE OF ART

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FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT

Artists and Friends,

May's Industrial Sculpture class will be taught by both Sandy Baklajian and Jewelene Johnson. Both of these ladies have dedicated both time, money and supplies to make this a great success and a lot of fun. Both artists will be in charge of this class. They have the keys to the Community Center as I will be on a long planned cruise. Thank you all for your many courtesies and cooperation in making this a success.

As a group we have a few things we need to get done. The first is we need to firm up the various committees by having a meeting, so we all feel better about the upcoming events that are planned, who is in charge and who is going to help. I know I can count on you all for this. Let me know if you need to have the community center, for this and I will reserve it so we can all get together.

The second matter up for discussion is the cost of the Christmas party, how much we have, how much the tickets will cost. I hate to be the bearer of bad news, but the price is going up, considerably. It is an understatement to think that last year's whole production only cost us \$25.00 each. We got a bargain, but we need to keep in mind that everything has gone up and act accordingly.

Finally, we need help with storage, by that I mean hospitality has supplies that are brought to each gathering must be stored, after our classes. If anyone has a little extra storage, and is willing to share, and take responsibility for bringing the necessary supplies to each class it would be greatly appreciated. Also, any ideas for our group making any more money to cover expenses is valuable. Any and all ideas will be seriously considered, remember there are no bad ideas.

I know I said finally, but there have been many requests made for Linda Sharp to conduct a class on "muddy painting." No pressure Linda, but if you want to put this on next year's calendar I'm sure lots of your fellow artists would be grateful for your expertise.

Kindest regards,
Mary Ann



Just a reminder that our new location is:
Lamplight Estates Community Center
7467 Grassy Field Court
Las Vegas, NV 89131
Gate Code: #7641



UPCOMING EVENTS

PROGRAMS: PAULA SCRIVNER



We had a wonderful class with Linda painting the Sea of Flowers Trunk! Thank you Linda, as always a great class.

May 9, 2026 Workshop

"Industrial Sculpture" - taught by Sandy Bakajian and Jewlene Johnson

Fee: FREE

All materials and surfaces will be provided for project free of charge or you can bring your own surface.

- Please bring some old brushes as they will get ruined.
- If you want a different colored background you can bring your own color.
- If you want to use glue to put pieces together, make sure glue does not bubble. Alden's Tacky Glue is good per Kaye.
- Those who won the "Steampunk Industrial Art" Kits at the April class, the brushes included are meant to be part of your project.
- Those signed up are: Patty Clark, Judy Gibson, Eeve Squillar, Tonia Tracy, Debbie Okiee, Monica Juarez, Jeanne Harris, Terry Boyd, Barbara Thorton, Maureen Barry, Linda Sharp and Paula Scrivner.
- If you still want to sign up let me know ASAP for kits need to be made available to you.



June 13, 2026 - Business Meeting/ Paint-In

"Drawing Class"
Taught by Patty Peters

Fee: \$15



Those signed up are: Jewelene Johnson, Pat Gettemyer, Mary Ann Flick, Monica Juarez, and Paula Scrivner.

July 11, 2026 - Workshop

"American Apple"

Designed by Maxine Thomas
Taught by Judy Gibson

Fee: \$20

Those signed up are:
Beth Buchwald



SEMINARS: PAT GETTEMEYER

Lynne Andrews Zoom Seminar

August 8, 2026

9:00 to 4:00 pm

\$50 Members

\$60 Non-members

The seminar will be on Zoom. The clubhouse has been reserved for those who want to do the Zoom there, OR you can Zoom from home.



Bring a sack lunch and there will be snacks and drinks available at the clubhouse.

The piece we are painting is the side view of Santa with a blue coat. It is 15" x 11". You can use a piece of wood out of your stash or order wood from Lynne. Her piece is made of pine and heavy to ship.

Payment may be made in installments or in full by putting your money in an envelope in the box at the meetings.

The last day to sign- up is July 1, 2026.



Sue Crump 5/14
Shayron Monaghan 5/29
Terry Boyd 5/29

Wishing you all a wonderful Mother's Day



WAYS AND MEANS: TONIA TRACY

April was a great gathering and meeting with Linda Sharp's beautiful Sea of Flowers trunk.

The chapter received donations from Jewelene Johnson and Tonia Tracy, we made \$67 for this month.

As reminder, ticket sales directly benefit the growth of our chapter and we will happily except anything you would like to share/donate.



MEMBERSHIP: MARTHALENE ROBERTS

Spring is here! Everyone is busy busy. Thank you to everyone who paid their 2026 dues. If you haven't, please do as your dues help keep our group active. Please let me know if you have any questions about your dues.



Silver State Artists Membership Application (Please Print)

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell _____













Birthday (month/day) _____

Please circle one: Beginner Intermediate Advanced

Would you like to teach? No Yes

Please send a check for \$15 to our Treasurer or bring it with you to a meeting.
You are welcome to attend one meeting as a visitor, before you decide to join.

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February 14th	March 14th	April 11th	May 9th
			
<p>Workshop Sea of Flowers by Linda Sharp Taught by Linda Sharp Fee \$20</p>	<p>Workshop Fall Gatherings by Rosemary West Taught by Sharon Shuster Fee \$20</p>	<p>Workshop Sea of Flowers Trunk by Linda Sharp Taught by Linda Sharp Fee \$20</p>	<p>Workshop Winter Wonderland by Rosemary West Taught by Sharon Shuster Fee \$20</p>
June 13th	July 11th	August 8th	September 12th
			
<p>Business meeting Paint-In Drawing Class Taught by Patty Peters Fee \$15</p>	<p>Workshop American Apple by Maxine Thomas Taught by Judy Gibson Fee \$20</p>	<p>Zoom Class Class TBD Taught by Lynne Andrews Fee \$180</p>	<p>Business Meeting/ Paint In Fall Picnic Class TBD Taught by TBD Fee \$15</p>
October 10th	November 14th	December 12th	January 10th, 2027
			
<p>Workshop Kingfisher Color Pencil Design & Taught by Jeanne Harris Fee \$20</p>	<p>Workshop Cardinal Color Pencil Design & Taught by Jeanne Harris Fee \$20</p>	<p>Holiday Party TBD Location Fee \$180</p>	<p>Business Meeting/Paint In Design by Maxine Thomas Taught by Marthalene Roberts Fee \$15</p>

2026 Conventions

Pacific Decorative Painters Expo
Portland, Oregon
April 29 - May 2



New England Traditions
invites you to join us
for
"PAINT YOUR WORLD"
October 6-11, 2026
Best Western Royal Plaza Hotel
Marlborough, MA



This is a Virtual Convention. All classes will be online.