

Desert Zuail Tolers

An affiliated Chapter of the Society of Decorative Painters

http://www.desertquailtolers

Chapter #99204 Established 1991



Hello,

I hope this letter finds you all safe and well! This is a crazy time we are in.

We had our Board meeting via Zoom—an on-line platform—and it worked out great; basically was great to see our members!! We have cancelled our April and most likely May general painting meetings with hopes that everything will be back to normal in June.

Unfortunately, our seminar teacher, Chris Haughey, has cancelled the seminar. It is our hope to reschedule later in the year or next year! The County Fair has also been cancelled, but that doesn't mean you should stop painting as we still have our October Boutique scheduled or you can save them for next year's Fair.

Please keep safe and hope to see you in the coming months...remember—KEEP PAINTING!





Dates to Remember

April Birthdays

Linda Howard 1

Kelly Costello 13

Linda Miller 22

Donna Nelson 24



Education

Marthalene Roberts

Marthalene here—stuck In the house. I'm sure everyone is going stir crazy. I know I am.

So this article is about really finishing your piece. I have a friend who is the worlds worst at painting the back of her piece. She calls me the slave driver. Ha Ha. A finished back really makes your piece stand out. I base-coated the whole thing at once. Stamps and stencils are they way to go. Background stencils. Snowflakes on Christmas scenes. Flowers on spring pieces. Maybe take part of the design and put it on the back. I painted a chicken box from Artists Club and it had eggs and I put a couple of the eggs on the back. Also always sign your piece.

Thanks and please stay home. I for one want each and everyone of you in my life. Peace.



Treasurer Report—2020 Marilyn Hinman

Beginning Balance Income 2020	9239.77 JAN	5570.53 FEB		5309.93 APR		2020 Budget
Boutique	27.00	I LD	IVIAIX	ALIX	27.00	
Charity	27.00				0.00	
Christmas Party					0.00	
Christmas Party Raffles					0.00	
Holiday Raffle					0.00	1500.0
Membership	40.00	40.00			80.00	
Quail Eggs					0.00	
Programs	250.00	200.00			450.00	3500.0
Special Raffles					0.00	1200.0
Summer Seminar					0.00	3500.0
Ways & Means	84.00	111.00			195.00	1000.0
Income TOTAL	401.00	351.00	0.00	0.00	752.00	42200.0
Expenses 2020	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	Year to date	2020 Budget
Bank Fees					0.00	100.0
Boutique	1976.00	25.00			2001.00	26510.0
Charity-Faith Luthern Church					0.00	500.0
Charity-Comm Church Jess Ranch		200.00			200.00	500.0
Christmas Party					0.00	3000.0
Community Service					0.00	350.0
Egg Exchange	18.42				18.42	125.0
Fair					0.00	150.0
Holiday Raffle	32.97				32.97	400.0
Hospitality		25.00			25.00	425.0
Installation/Pres Awards					0.00	150.0
Membership		80.60			80.60	175.0
Newsletter					0.00	175.0
October Paint Month					0.00	50.0
President Gift					0.00	125.0
Programs	50.00	175.00			225.00	3500.0
Rent	1800.00				1800.00	1800.0
SDP Convention					0.00	
SDP Liability Insurance		66.00			66.00	100.0
SDP Service Fee		40.00			40.00	65.0
Special Raffles					0.00	800.0
Summer Seminar					0.00	4000.0
Sunshine					0.00	150.0
Supplies, Misc.					0.00	100.0
Ways & Means					0.00	1000.0
Website	192.85				192.85	200.0
Welcome					0.00	50.0
Expense TOTAL	4070.24	611.60	0.00	0.00	4681.84	44500.0

Community Outreach

Diana Van Riel & Janet Mitchell



Easter represents a season of HOPE, and a perfect time to acknowledge and appreciate your support of the BUNDLES OF HOPE project that supports women in treatment for cancer. On behalf of all women who have received a BUNDLE, as well as those who will receive one in the coming months, THANK YOU!

You have given your precious time, a labor of love, to create stunning boxes to encourage women who are going through a frightening time. You add beautiful color to the lives of others...THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO TO MAKE OUR COMMUNITY A BETTER PLACE!!

Sincerely, Margaret, Shannon, Cindy, Margherita, Mona, Melanie, Monica, Jessica, Renee, Candace, Aisha, Edda, and Millie.

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April 2020

Secretary

Carol Whitton

Desert Quail Tolers
Board Meeting
April 7, 2020 9:30 am
Online Zoom Meeting



1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Beth Murena, President, at 9:30 am. Other members present were Jeannetta Cimo, Marilyn Hinman, Terri Mullin, Nancy Schatz, Diana Van Riel, and Carol Whitton.

2. BOARD OF DIRECTORS' REPORTS

- **a. President.** Beth let everyone know that we need to move teachers, Heidi Allison and Terri Mullin, who are currently scheduled for the April and May chapter meetings to different months. Heidi is able to teach in July or September. Rosanne said she will contact the teachers to reschedule. Beth also said we need to possibly move our Community Charity event from July to August.
- b. 1st Vice President (Programs). No report at this time.
- c. 2nd Vice President (Membership). Not present.
- d. Secretary. Carol Whitton read the February 4, 2020 minutes. A motion was made by Marilyn Hinman and seconded by Nancy Schatz to approve the minutes as read. The motion carried.
- e. Treasurer. Marilyn Hinman presented the Treasurer's reports. The Beginning Balance for February 2020 was \$5,570.53. Income for the month totaled \$351.00. Expenses were \$611.60 leaving an ending balance of \$5,309.93. For March there were no expenses or income. The ending balance remained at \$5,309.93. Under discussion, Nancy Schatz asked if we would count the months we did not use for a Chapter meeting as a "donation" rather than as rent. This will be determined further once we are able to meet as a Chapter again at the church. A motion was made by Carol Whitton and seconded by Rosanne Scholey to approve the report as presented; motion carried.
- f. Newsletter Editor. Nancy Schatz reported that articles are due to her by April 10, 2020.
- g. Ways and Means. No report.
- 3. COMMITTEE REPORTS
- a. Charities. Not present.

- b. Christmas Party. Terri reported she only has two tables spoken for. Beth volunteered to do a table.
- Terri said she was thinking about having people only do a centerpiece.
- c. Community Service. No report.
- d. Easter Egg Exchange. Not present. Beth suggested that we do the Easter Egg exchange when we come back.
- e. Education. Not present.
- f. Fair. Carol Whitton reported that the SBC Fair has been canceled for 2020. Save the projects you intended to enter this year for next year.
- g. Holiday Boutique. Jeannetta Cimo reported
- h. Holiday Raffle. Carol Whitton reported that she has painters for all projects
- i. Hospitality. Not present.
- j. Nominations.
- k. October Painting Month.
- I. Special Raffles. Rosanne Scholey reported that she's spoken with Helga Mycroft. She's on board to provide raffle prizes for our Community Service meeting, 2 days of the Summer Seminar, and the Christmas Party.
- m. Summer Seminar. Rosanne Scholey stated she'd sent a message off to Chris Haughey to see if she's still on board for the seminar. The flyer is ready to go out. Money for seminar will not be collected until July.
- **n. Sunshine.** Not present.
- o. Website. No report.
- p. Welcome. No report.
- 4. OLD BUSINESS

There was no Old Business to discuss.

5. NEW BUSINESS

There was no New Business to discuss.

6. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- a. Rent vs Donation to Faith Lutheran Church.
- **b.** Reschedule Community Service event.

7. NEXT MEETING

The next Board meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 5, 2020 at 9:30 am.

8. MEETING ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Marilyn Hinman and seconded by Nancy Schatz to adjourn the meeting at 10:04 am. The motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Whitton, Secretary



Desert Quail Tolers

Board Meeting

February 4, 2020 9:30 am

Molly's Kountry Kitchen, Apple Valley

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the Co-1_{st} Vice President, Rosanne Scholey, at 9:37 am. Beth Murena, President, will be arriving later. Other members present were Jeannetta Cimo, Sue Clark, Shirley Golding, Marilyn Hinman, Paula Maldonado, Janet Mitchell, Terri Mullin, Debbie Ragains, Diana Van Riel, and Carol Whitton.

2. BOARD OF DIRECTORS' REPORTS

- a. President. No report.
- **b.** 1_{st} Vice President (Programs). Jeannetta Cimo reported she just received projects from Heidi Allison and Terri Mullin. Heidi will be teaching in April while Terri will teach her project in May. These projects will be on display at the Chapter meeting for members to sign-up.
- **c. 2**_{nd} **Vice President (Membership).** Janet Mitchell distributed the 2020 Chapter Directories to those present.
- d. Secretary. Carol Whitton read the January 7, 2020 minutes. Item 2.a. second paragraph, 4th line corrected "Molly Brown;s" to "Molly's Kountry Kitchen". A motion was made by Jeannetta Cimo and seconded by Marlyn Hinman to approve the minutes as corrected; motion carried.
- e. Treasurer. Marilyn Hinman presented the Treasurer's reports. The Beginning Balance in was \$9,239.77. Income for the month totaled \$401.00. Expenses were \$4,070.24. Marilyn explained the expenses were so high this past month due to our paying rent to the church for a full year and taxes from the Holiday Boutique. This left us with an ending balance of \$5,570.53. A motion was made by Carol Whitton and seconded by Jeannetta Cimo to approve the report as presented; motion carried.
- f. Newsletter Editor. Not present. Beth stated all newsletter articles are due to Nancy by February 8th.
- **g. Ways and Means.** Diana Van Riel reported that Carol Whitton and Rosanne Scholey will provide baskets for the February Chapter meeting. We do not have a Featured Artist.
- 3. COMMITTEE REPORTS
- a. Charities. Not present. Beth will contact Pat Spencer to speak with her.
- **b. Christmas Party.** Terri Mullin will do an article for the upcoming newsletter. Volunteers have already spoken up to do two tables.
- c. Community Service. No report.

- **d. Easter Egg Exchange.** Debbie Ragains reported that canvases were handed out at the January meeting. They will be due in March.
- e. Education. Not present.
- **f. Fair.** No report.
- g. Holiday Boutique. Jeannetta Cimo reported that Jess Ranch Community Church where we hold the boutique is upgrading to a new security system. She said that Becky Bolding suggested the Chapter may wish to consider contributing funds to the church to help with this expense since they have been so good to us. It was moved by Carol Whitton and seconded by Jeannetta Cimo that we contribute \$200.00 to Jess Ranch Community Church to help defray the cost of their new security system. The motion carried.
- **h. Holiday Raffle.** No report.
- i. Hospitality. See "New Business."
- **j. Nominations.** To be appointed in July.
- k. October Painting Month. No report.
- **I. Special Raffles.** Rosanne Scholey reported that Helga Mycroft received information from Diana Van Riel regarding Special Raffles.
- m. Summer Seminar. The Summer Seminar will be held August 28-29, 2020. Rosanne Scholey stated they'd sent Chris Haughey a message after going through her website and send suggestions for potential projects. Rosanne stated they will meet with Chris during the Las Vegas Convention. Discussion followed about bringing potential projects back to the Board for their input.
- n. Sunshine. Not present.
- o. Website. No report.
- **p. Welcome.** Beth announced this was an open position. Paula Maldonado and Shirley Golding volunteered to share this commitment.

4. OLD BUSINESS

There was no Old Business to discuss.

5. NEW BUSINESS

a. Emergency Contacts for Members. Rosanne Scholey shared that at a neighboring Chapter one of their members fell ill during their meeting. The Chapter had no emergency contacts for this member.

Rosanne suggested that a list be passed around at our next meeting to obtain Emergency Contacts (name and phone number) for each of our members. Discussion followed. Rosanne will contact

Catherine Schinhofen to check on terminology. Peggy Jones, from San Gabriel, is also checking with SDP regarding their policies. Rosanne Scholey will be in charge of making the form.

b. Hospitality. Discussion followed regarding how we wish to handle Hospitality at future Chapter meetings. Annette Lamarre has volunteered to organize sign-ups for Monthly Hospitality Volunteers. It was moved by Rosanne Scholey and seconded by Jeannetta Cimo to reimburse members up to \$25 per meeting for food provided for hospitality. The motion carried.

6. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

No Future Agenda items were noted.

7. NEXT MEETING

The next Board meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 7, 2020.

8. MEETING ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Rosanne Scholey and seconded by Jeannetta Cimo to adjourn the meeting at 10:47 am. The motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Carol Whitton

Secretary



April 2020 San Bernardino County Fair Report

Thank you to our members who've been working hard on submissions for the 2020 San Bernardino County Fair. We are sad to report that the Fair board has made the decision to cancel this year's event in the interest of safety and in following the COVID19 guidelines.

As we learn details of how they will handle submissions that have already been entered and paid for, we will let you know. Please hang on to those projects you planned to submit for this year AND enter them in the 2021 fair.

Continue to stay safe and healthy!

Annette Lamarre and Carol Whitton

2020 Fair Co-Chairs



Programs

Jeannetta Cimo & Rosanne Scholey

Reset of the DQT Programs

No one is surprised that we are resetting the programs for 2020. Heidi has graciously agreed to postpone her April class to August. She will do a similar project but with an Autumn theme. Stay tuned to see that project.

We hope to be back in May with the project by Terri Mullins. Should this change we will certainly let you know. Terri is ready and I am sure we are looking forward to seeing and painting with our friends.

As mentioned in this newsletter our Summer Seminar with Chris Haughey is on hold. We hope to schedule it later in the year, which will mean the possibility of moving some programs. Stay tuned as plans change daily, as you all know.

We your Program VPs, Jeannetta Cimo and Rosanne Scholey hope that this newsletters finds you in good health and good spirits. Please stay that way as we look forward to seeing you all at the next program.



Summer Seminar

Rosanne Scholey & Becky Bolding

...is Officially on Hold. We will update as the situation resolves itself.

After communicating with Chris Haughey, it has been determined that we will hold the seminar later in the year, if possible.



Egg Exchange

Debbie Ragains

REMINDER—3 Awards To Be given Out!!

Hi Ladies:

When next we meet we will do our Easter exchange. Not sure when that will be, but it will happen. Too many things have been totally cancelled so I want to make sure this happens. Three (3) gift certificates are going to be awarded to the top three entries that everyone votes on. Being home gives people the chance to really step up and do this!! I am at my shop to ship orders and answer phone calls so if you need a canvas just call and drive by and I will deliver curbside to you. Trying to keep my shop alive. Get ahold of me shop #760-244-1929 or cell 760-559-6027.

Thanks, Debbie

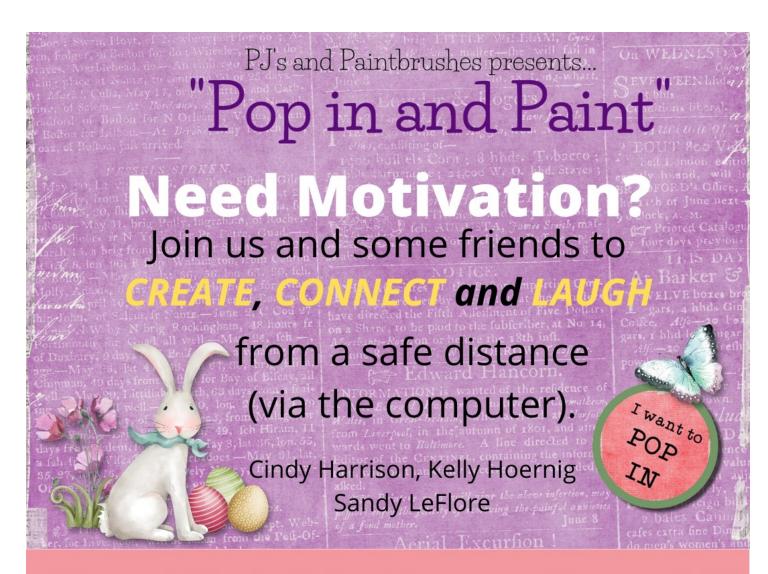


2020 Christmas Party

Terri Mullin

Still in the planning process..., but Terri could really use some help with awesome event...please contact her!!





Mon, Wed, Fri 10 am - 10 pm PST

https://zoom.us/j/743715320 password 721062





Gypsy Toler Summer Sleepover Market Night Vendor Submission

Would you like to be a vendor at the Gypsy Toler Summer Sleepover 'Market Night'? We would definitely love to have you participate!!!

There are a couple of things you should know prior to arrival:

- Market Night is the evening of July 11, 2020.
- The hotel no longer allows us to use the stage for storage...as such your goods for sale must be stored in your room or elsewhere. I will definitely be available to help get your things into the ball room and hope that this does not inconvenience you too much!
- Set-up cannot be done until after the last class for the day has completed. This should be around 5:30 or so and again my hope is this isn't too much of a problem, but ask that you understand and respect the students' precious class time.
 - We are asking that no pre-sale of merchandise be done before the beginning of Market Night. In the past there have been disappointed shoppers because items they hoped to purchase were already sold out prior to the start of the evening.
- The rental of space is \$25.00. This is due and payable prior to the start of the evening.
- Should you need assistance in setting up, please do not hesitate to let me know as we will have volunteers available to assist.
- We would love to have a 'make-it and take-it' piece available for our attendees...are you willing to have one at your booth?
 Yes No (circle one)

Vendor Name:
Vendor Address/Phone/Email Address:
Type of Product to be Sold:
Signature & Date:

Should you need anything more, please do not hesitate to contact me...!!!

Nancy Schatz (760) 221-0549 Mtnnan2@msn.com



San Diego Brush Whackers

36th Annual Autumn Get Away

Wednesday-Friday
September 16-18, 2020
Pala Casino Resort & Spa
Pala, California

We are pleased to announce our

36th annual Autumn Get-Away, "CELEBRATE AMERICA"!

This event is always full of fantastic classes, food, fun, friendship, a great raffle and lots of laughter! We would like to invite you to submit projects to teach at the Get-Away. Classes will be held Wednesday through Friday and are for all levels of painters. Submissions using various painting mediums (acrylics, oils, watercolors, pencils, mixed media, etc.) are welcome. Here are the details:

- Submissions are due April 10, 2020
- To submit: Email a high-resolution image (jpeg format) and project description information sheet (see next page) for each submission to ceceliapaints@aol.com with AGA Teacher Submission in the subject line of the email. We recommend your project photo be taken with proper lighting, contrasting background and full-frame (as close-up as possible with minimal background showing). Up to 3 photos per project may be submitted to show all project sides.
- If you are unable to submit your project by email, please mail a 4" x 6" quality photo and project description information sheet (see next page) to: Cecelia Denton

548 Brauer Pt. Alpine, CA 91901

- **Project selection**: Projects are voted on by the Brush Whacker members and the projects that receive the most votes are offered at the Get-Away.
- **Project fee**: For all classes that are selected, teachers are required to provide students with prepped surfaces, patterns, instructions, photos, class paint and any materials needed to complete the project (i.e., glue, DecoPage, screws, hanging wire, material for bows, etc.). Teachers should include the cost of these items in their project fee. Project fees are paid directly to teachers by their students at the Get-Away.
- **Specialty items**: Teachers should list any specialty items students need to bring to class on the project description information sheet. Teachers may sell specialty items (stencils, stamps, brushes, etc.) to their students at the Get-Away. Teachers will be provided with the email addresses of their students so they may contact the students and take pre-orders of specialty items prior to the get-away if they wish.
- Class size: Maximum number of students per class is 15. If you have a minimum of 8 students enrolled in your class at the registration deadline, you are under contract to teach that class. If there are less than 8 students enrolled, it will be your choice whether to teach the class or not.

- Class fee: Teachers will receive \$15.00 per student for a 3-hour class and \$25.00 per student for a 6-hour class. Teachers receive class fees for all registered students including any "no shows".
- Classroom: Teachers will need to bring any equipment they wish to use to teach (i.e., camera, projector, screen, extension cords, power strips, etc.). Tables will be provided by the resort. Three classes will be held in a large ballroom and two classes will be held in a smaller ballroom during each class session. Students will be seated two to a table. A staging room will be available to store your class materials. Please label your boxes clearly.
- Registration: We would love for our teachers to not only teach at our event, but attend classes as well.
 Teachers that choose to stay at the resort for the entire event and pay the full food and lodging fees will have the \$25 registration fee waived. However, if you choose to teach only, you will need to pay the \$25 registration fee. We would encourage you to join us for meals as the painting rooms are paid for by meeting our food expense guarantee. Please email me with any questions about individual meal or room costs.
- A mileage reimbursement is **not** provided.
- Teachers may submit projects for up to 15 hours of class time...3-hour & 6-hour blocks.

Submissions are voted on by the San Diego Brush Whacker membership, using your photo and description alone, so please be detailed about size, surface, medium and include a high-resolution image or quality photograph for each submission. Voting takes place online and at our April paint-in (April 25, 2020). You will be notified about the results by April 30, 2020.

I hope you will consider sharing your talent with us! This event averages 60 painters that include some of our members, along with painters from other chapters. Feel free to email me with any questions or concerns. I am looking forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,

CECELIA DENTON

Cecelia Denton

AGA 2020 Co-Chairperson Email: ceceliapaints@aol.com Call or Text: 619-972-6052

Photo Submission Information for

CELEBRATE AMERICA Get-Away

2020

Please include this information in your submission email or print legibly if submitting this form with photos.

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Artist/	Design	ner of Project	:						
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If mailing hardcopy submissions, send to: Cecelia Denton, 548 Brauer Pt., Alpine CA 91901.

Questions??? Email me (ceceliapaints@aol.com) or text/call me (619-972-6052)

Tentative CELEBRATE AMERICA Get-Away Schedule

Wednesday, September 16

8:00am Teacher Set up begins

9:00am Check in begins

9:30am – 12:45pm Class Session 1 (5 classrooms)

12:45pm – 2:30pm Lunch (on your own)

2:30pm - 5:45pm Class Session 2 (5 classrooms)

6:15pm – 7:15pm Buffet Dinner

Thursday, September 17

7:30 – 8:30 am Breakfast

9am – 12:15pm Class Session 3 (5 classrooms)

12:30pm – 1:30pm Lunch & General Meeting

2:30pm – 5:45pm Class Session 4 (5 classrooms)

6:15pm – 7:15pm Plated Dinner

7:00pm – 9:30 pm Raffle

Friday, September 18

7:30am – 8:30am Breakfast

9:00am – 12:00pm Class Session 5 (5 classrooms)