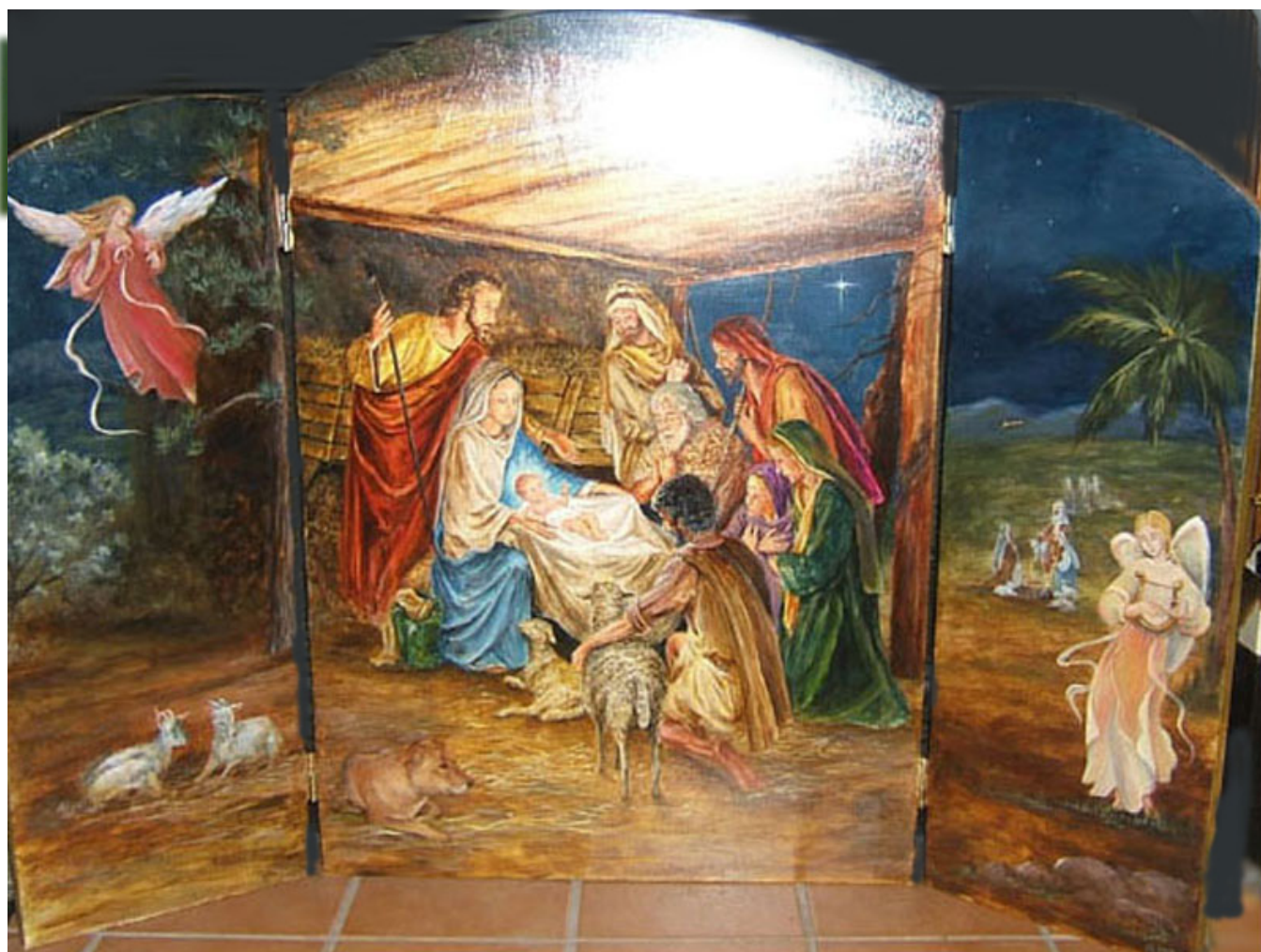




Nature Coast News

January 2016 Nature Coast Decorative Artists Volume 19 Issue 01

**Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year
to all our chapter members and their families and loved ones.**



32 x 42 Triptych painted by member Carole Sheftic

A Letter from our President,

Well all I can say is Wow, what a wonderful Christmas party!

First I want to say a big thank you to Carol Kuszik and all the gals who worked on the party to make it such a success! It was awesome and I so enjoyed it. Thanks to Carole Sheftic and Ellen for taking all the wonderful pictures and getting them up on the Internet so fast. Thanks to all the ladies who came, donated basket raffles and also for the \$5.00 gift exchange. It was all so fun.

A big thank you to Bev for doing the installation of the new officers, you did a wonderful job and it is much appreciated, and yes to Carole Sheftic for the lighting of the candles, that was awesome. Touch and go, but by George they finally got lit lol.

The picture frame was a lot of fun. Food was good, conversation was good, and the cookies were awesome.

The secret sister came to a close and it was fun to try and guess who we had. I hope I didn't forget anyone in thanking them, if I did please forgive me, I didn't do it on purpose.

My heart is so full of love and gratitude I can't begin to tell you. I am looking forward to next year and think we have a lot of fun, and painting in store for the year to come.

My wish for each and everyone, have a Merry Christmas and a Healthy And blessed New Year. God's blessings to each and everyone. See you all next year.

Hugs
Linda

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NATURE COAST DECORATIVE ARTISTS

Monthly Minutes

No Meeting December 2015

Instead we all enjoyed our annual Christmas Party at Kally K's

Please visit our website www.naturecoastdecorativeartists.com to view our Photo Album and see what fun we had.





Meet your NCDCA 2016
board members....

President: Linda Duff, 1st
VP (Programs
Chairperson): Jeanette
Seese, 2nd VP
(Membership Chairperson)
: Rhonda Norton,
Secretary: Pat Otto,
Treasurer: Carol Heckler



Ways and Means

Ellen Annibali

There will be a "Birthday Raffle" sign-up list that will be passed around at our January NCDCA chapter meeting, in case some of our members need to choose a different month this year. If you will not be in attendance, please email Ellen

your preference.

***Please note that our December Birthday Gals will need to choose a "different" month due to our Christmas Party at that time.

Please also consider signing up for Hospitality at this time .

We will be having our Soup...Salad and White Elephant Sale on January 2nd.

Time to start the new year by selling off the stuff you no longer want and buying stuff you just can't pass up!!!! The sales \$\$\$ is all yours. No table fee!!!!

We would love for everyone to bring either a salad or soup to share while we welcome in the New Year.

Our regular calendar of workshops will resume in February. Please check out Jeanette's article for more information.



Programs

submitted by Jeanette Seese



February Workshop --- This beautiful Project will be taught by Hazel Dickson. It will be on a 16 x 20 canvas; the medium will be acrylic. The project will be emphasizing the BACKGROUND.

Hazel suggests people come to the January meeting to see the unique canvas prep demonstration that involves applying paint and spraying the canvas with water for unusual effects.

Members **do not** need to bring the canvas to the January meeting, but it will be informative to watch the demo. However, the canvas (16x20) will need to be prepped before the February class. Details on prep and the material list will be published in the February Newsletter and will be on our website as soon as available.

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CALL FOR TEACHERS.....

Anyone wishing to teach a workshop March through November, please let Jeanette know at the January meeting. If you have a completed project or a picture of it, bring it to the January meeting. Please have an idea on which month you would like to teach.

All teachers will be responsible for submitting

- (1) a supplies list
- (2) JPG photo
- (3) the medium used
- (4) and a line drawing if needed before class (a DOC or jpg format)
- (5) The above items must be submitted to Jeanette Seese at least 3 months in advance of your teaching month so that they can be placed in our newsletter and website in a timely manner.



Membership....

Rhonda Norton

If you have not joined NCDA yet please pick up a form at the January meeting or print out a form from our December newsletter (obtainable on the web.) Bring to the January meeting or mail to:

Rhonda Norton
2026 Godfrey Ave.
Spring Hill, Florida 34609.

Please have one \$10.00 check made out to NCDA and one \$10.00 check made out to WWCC. If paying in cash two ten dollar bills would be a great help.

**** If you joined last year but aren't planning on renewing for this year PLEASE drop me a quick email (Rnorton7@tampabay.rr.com) so that I can take you off the list.



Treasurer.....

Carole Hechler

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Coast Decorative Artists Treasurer Report for December 2015

Beginning Balance \$	4,896.62
INCOME	
Ways & Means Christmas Raffle	\$ 230.00
Membership	\$ 20.00
Total	\$ 250.00
	\$ 5,146.62
Expenses	
Kally K's Christmas meal	\$ 270.15
SDP Liability Insurance	\$ 38.30
Christmas Party Supplies(Carol Kuszik)	\$ 59.63
Total	\$ 368.08
EndingBalance.....	\$4778.54

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