

SHDA

Spring Hill Decorative Artists

Weeki Wachee Senior Club
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Linda Duff, President

President's Letter

Hi everyone, hope you are all doing great. I've been in Michigan since Wednesday 11/7.

Having a great time visiting my family and trying to stay warm. I knew it was going to be cold, but snow, woke up on Thursday to it yikes! Anyway having a great time, be back on Friday??

Had a great meeting in November - Carole taught 4 different styles of Christmas cards with watercolor, it was a great class and lots of fun. Well it won't be long and our Christmas luncheon will be upon us. Hope all are busy deciding and painting { if need be } what they are putting in their baskets??.

Also we decided at last meeting if your interested. in bring a gift, get a gift, (\$5.00). It's always a lot of fun and its always fun to see what everyone gets?? I know Pamela has so many special things she has planned and lovely prizes she has painted for prizes.

January will be on 1 year anniversary of being a painting club, just wanted say congratulations and I'm sure we will have another great year in 2019. Everyone read the newsletter to see what we have planned to celebrate in January.

Wanted to take a minute and wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a health happy New Year!!

Hugs

Linda



TreasurerReport

Carol Hechler, Treasurer

November 2018	
BEGINNING BALANCE	\$1,211.05
INCOME	
Program 11/3 Carole Sheftic.....	\$ 65.00
Hospitality.....	\$ 9.00
Ways & Means.....	\$ 81.00
Membership.....	\$ 60.00
	Total \$ 215.00
	Income total \$ 1,426.05
EXPENSES	
Teacher Fee Carole Sheftic	\$ 65.00
Total	\$ 65.00
ENDING BALANCE	\$1361.05



MEMBERSHIP

Dottie Ptaszynski

Birthdays

December

12/16 Judy Wilkins

12/18 Eileen Peters



New Member

Marsha Danielson

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MEETING MINUTES

October 2018

Lois Owens, Secretary

PRESIDENT: Linda Duff welcomed all the members and one guest, Hazel Benjamin.

PROGRAMS: Jeanette Seese reminded us that the program for today would be a watercolor taught by Carole Sheftic. We will be having our Christmas party in December. We will be having a project in January taught by Lois Owens. A picture and directions for priming is included in this newsletter. For those that ordered the wood tree, they will be delivered, along with the pattern, at the Christmas party.

SECRETARY: Secretary minutes were approved as written.

TREASURER: The report was published in the minutes and was accepted as written.

PAST BUSINESS:

The new Board will be:
 Linda Duff - President
 Pamela Varricchio V-President & Program Chairman
 Carol Hechler Treasurer
 Mary Banks Secretary
 Membership Dottie Ptaszynski
 Ways & Means Lynn Merritt & Lois Owens
 Photographer Ronnie Bringle & Eileen Peters
 Web Master &
 Newsletter Pamela Varricchio

Linda would like to take a picture of everyone at the Christmas party. Pamela Varricchio discussed the Christmas party and reminded everyone that they need to sign up today. She brought copies of the menu and encouraged us to pick our lunch menu ahead of time. There will be an auction and Bingo at the party. The Grand Prize will be available for \$2.00 tickets. Please bring several \$1.00 bills. There will also be surprises!! A gift exchange with a \$5.00 maximum value will be fun and if you bring one, you get one.

The pictures for the wall were discussed and it was decided that we can put a price on them. Carol Hechler and Jeanette Seese will take care of these picture displays. Just make sure it can hang.

In January we will be having an Anniversary Party. Please bring a dish to share.

The birthday raffle will be back in force in February. If your birthday is in January or December, or you are a snowbird, pick another month. This year we can only win one gift.

NEWS: Carol Hechler announced that the Craft Show was a success for the roof payoff. The total raised was \$2,341.85. That only leaves \$938.76 to finish paying off the loan. Thanks to everyone who participated.

Lois Owens will be looking into a wood frame to decorate and insert our picture to be used as a name tag.

Pamela Varricchio announced that she had received some information from Earline Padgett. Earline is a big brush and currently lives in Florida. We can have her for two days. April was the preferred month and she will be having more information on this.

SHOW & TELL: A beautiful array of work was presented for the enjoyment of everyone present.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 10:20 a.m.
 Respectfully submitted,
 Lois A. Owens, Secretary



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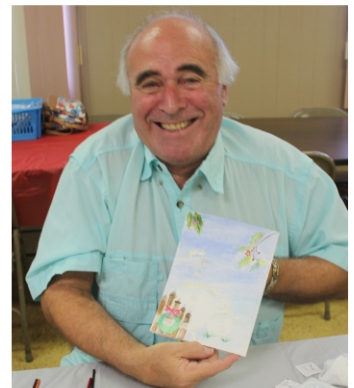
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November 2018 Show 'n Tell



November 2018 Class



Photos also on website





Jeanette Seese, 1st VP

PROGRAMS

January Project Amaryllis Design by Leslie Smith taught by Lois Owens



Priming Instructions
(colors **Americana** bottle
acrylics)

While painting this project, I found a couple of suggestions to help us complete as much of the project as possible. It would be helpful if you did the following:

1. Base coat the entire wood tree with **Light Avocado**
2. Transfer the pattern with white transfer paper.
3. Base coat all of the leaves with **Desert Cactus** using long strokes to follow the direction of the leaf. Put the pattern back on and transfer the lines for the twisted and flipped leaves.
- 4 Base coat the flower petals with **Scarlet**.

This pattern is available to download and print free from Artist Club. I will hand out the pattern at the Christmas Party because we had the tree enlarged and therefore our pattern had to be enlarged. We took orders for the trees at the November meeting. They are \$5.00 each. If you did not get your order in, please let me know as soon as possible.

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