

# Pacific Coastline

## Newsletter

*An affiliated Chapter to the Society of Decorative Painters*

APRIL 2010

Spring has finally arrived! Will you find time to help the Easter Bunny paint eggs?

The March paint-in with Sherry was fun and informative (very challenging for some of us). This month we will be painting with Sandy Aubuchon. I'm sure the paint-in will be a good time for those of you who can attend.

Sherry and Carol are still busy with projects for SDP and the PCA Marketplace table. There is still work to be done and they can use a hand. Look for Sherry's article in this newsletter.

I have received the wooden cards to be painted for the Paint for Freedom initiative. Five of the ten cards are to be returned to SDP by the end of April to prepare a display at convention in May. The SDP website has information on the project, samples and patterns. Check it out and contact me for a card. I'll get the piece to you in short order!

Happy Easter,  
Colleen

### 2010 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- April 10-11.....Sandy Aubuchon Seminar
- May 18-22.....SDP Conference, Wichita
- May.....PCA Dark
- June 13.....Paint-in
- July 11.....Paint-in and "Garage Sale"

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# Upcoming Programs

**REMINDER: CLASSES BEGIN 10 a.m.**

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**JUNE 13, 2010**  
**SEA SHELL PLATES**  
 Taught by **Sandi Strecker**  
 (Yvonne Thompson had to cancel)



Square 9 1/2 " plate

NOTE: I will order the plates at \$6.00 each. Sign up now and let me know. You will need two plates  
 Class Fee: \$18  
 Surfaces: \$12

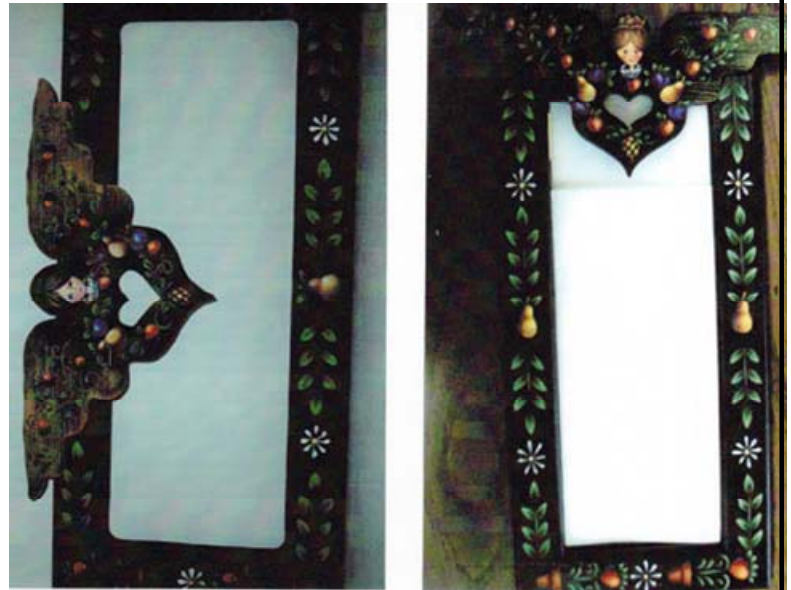
**JULY 11, 2010**  
**Hindelopen Cabinet**  
 Taught by **Onya Tolmasoff**



Class Fee: \$18.00 (Members)  
 Surface: Box is 10" H x 14" W x 10 1/2" D. Use from your personal stash or possible on-line sites: Creative Woodworks; Unique Woods; Viking Wood Crafts and Woodcrafts.  
 (Note: Still looking for a possible wood cutter)

**COMING IN AUGUST**

**Framed Mirror**  
 With **Sandy Garcia**



I have ordered the frames with angel detached so that it can be on side or top. I will let you know price when the frames come.

Members: \$18.00 Non-Members \$23.00

Send S.A.S.E. to:  
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PACIFIC COAST ARTISTS  
GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING  
MINTUES – 3/14/2010

Meeting was called to order by President, Colleen Middleton at 12:05 p.m. Corrections to the February minutes have been made by Onya. February Minutes were approved as printed in the newsletter with the corrections.

**TREASURER** – There was no treasurer's report as there have been no transactions since the balance was published in the newsletter. Robyn asked that we vote on the budget. It was printed in the newsletter and there were no questions or corrections from the membership. Carol Ganzi made the motion that we accept the budget as printed in the newsletter. Connie Rand made the second and the motion carried. Prior to the vote it was determined that a quorum was present for this vote.

**FUND RAISING** – Sherry Choquette thanked those who had been coming to her house to paint items for the Market Place at the National Convention. She also thanked those who are painting items at home. Please have those items back to here by April 24<sup>th</sup> as they must be shipped to Wichita. Sherry asked for ornaments for the Wreath to be part of the year-end raffle.

Items that you might want to donate to the silent auction can be turned in to Sherry.

Sherry also reminded the members there will be a Garage Sale at the July Paint-In. If you have items you want to sell you can buy a table for \$10. Please let Sherry know if you want a table.

**MEMBERSHIP** – Connie Rand reported that we have 66 members on the list but 11 have not renewed their membership. So the membership number stands at 55.

She has put together gift bags for "brand" new members. Sharon Drake made a donation of several items to put in those bags. It was suggested that Connie write her a thank you note from the Chapter.

**HOSPITALITY** – Sharon Hively asked those members who would be attending the April Seminar to please sign up to bring food for lunch. The sheet for sign-ups was being passed around.

**PROGRAMS** – Ruth Bradley put out the announcements for paint-ins in June and July. She said she has not heard from Yvonne Thomson about the June one but would keep trying to reach her.

There is still a problem finding a wood piece for the July meeting with Onya. Ruth said she is going to Eureka and would stop in at Jo Sonya's to see if she has anything. If so, she will find out who the wood company is and contact them. She is also going to take the box down to Kitty's for her wood-cutter, (can he do it). She also requested that anyone who had a woodcutter and thought they could do the Cabinet please let Ruth know. Otherwise we will go with each member selecting their own piece.

**SEMINARS** – Carol Ganzi announced that we have a small number doing the seminar in April. Space is still available both days. For the seminar in September, a members only "early-bird" special registration price will be offered for a two-week only period. Members will be notified in mid-April of the special price and deadline. The September seminar is on the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>.

**LIBRARY** – June O'Connell announced that she had brought several patterns for purchase.

**MYSTERY PAINT-IN** – Terri Renish had no report.

**NEWSLETTER** – Debra Clark had no report. There were several members who complimented Debra on the look of the newsletter.

**OLD NEWS** –

- Storage Unit – Robyn went to look at the unit. There is a cart to carry things from car to unit. The unit is on the second floor but there is an elevator. The size is 5' x 5' but should be ample for our needs. It is 5 minutes away from the Water District. Cost would be \$60.00 per month. We can pay for 6 months. Try it and see if it works out. It was suggested that Robyn buy a combination lock so that we do not have to worry about where the keys are.

**OLD NEWS** (Continued) –

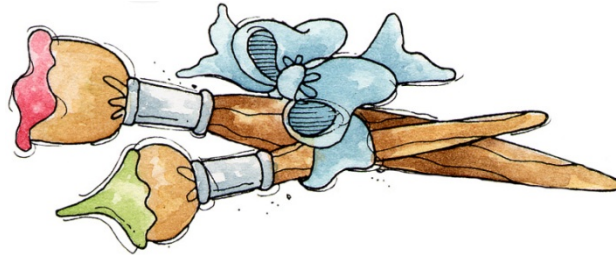
Carol Ganzi made a motion that we try the unit for 6 months and determine at that time if we want to continue. A second to the motion was made by Terri Renish and the motion carried. Robyn would like to put in some shelves and asked if anyone had shelves they could donate.

- BY-Laws – Ruth Bradley announced that she had not met with the committee as yet.

Meeting was adjourned at 12:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ruth Bradley for Onya Tolmasoff

Members present: Barbara Gagen, Neva Anderson, Terri Renish, Doris Montgomery, Jeannie Robert, June O-Connell, Robyn McComb, Connie Rand, Sharon Hively, Colleen Middleton, Debra Clark, Jennie Pascual, Carol Ganzi, Rama Shotwell, Sherry Choquette, Ruth Bradley



## Sunshine and Shadows

Please keep Chris Schlager and Anne Engle in your thoughts and prayers as Chris' father (Anne's grandfather) passed away recently.

If you know of anyone who needs cheering up or congratulations, please send me an e-mail [egmlam@cox.net](mailto:egmlam@cox.net) so I can send them a card.

Thanks,

Linda Martin  
Corresponding Secretary

## FUNDRAISING

We continue to meet at my house to finish up the items for Marketplace - the last weekend will be April 24th and 25th - we might now have much to finish - keep checking you emails - we have done very well and thank you to all who have helped paint, if you have taken any of the items home to finish, please return to me by April 25th as I will be packing everything up that weekend. If you bring items to the seminar, you can give them to Carol or myself.

We are continuing to ask for volunteers to bring raffle bags of goodies - Terri Renish will bring for the Saturday, April 10th and I will bring the raffle for the 11th. If anyone would like to bring the raffle for the June class just let me know.

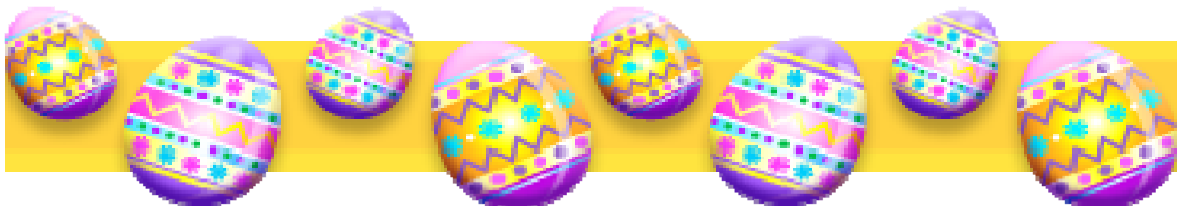
We will have a garage sale at the July paint in so if you would like to have a table they are \$10 each or if you want to bring items to place on the PCA table just bring those in and I will take them.

Once again we will be collecting ornaments for a wreath for one of the end of the year prizes and it has been suggested that if we get enough ornaments for two wreaths that we will have two this year. Join in the fun and bring your ornaments anytime!

On a different note, thank you everyone for helping to paint for the banquet table - I will take photos for Debra to put in the newsletter. Also, thank you to all who have helped with the Marketplace giveaways and the Gathering giveaways - The PCA Chapter has been a wonderful support to the Chapters Committee for SDP this year!!

Catch up with you at the seminar and thank you,

Sherry Choquette



# PACIFIC COAST ARTISTS – SEMINAR ENROLLMENT

1. To register for a seminar, please fill out the following form, **including phone # & e-mail.**
2. Early Bird Special – **both** days \$50 if paid by January 30<sup>th</sup>; \$65 beginning February 1<sup>st</sup>  
Both days – non-members is \$75
3. Single day fees are \$40 for PCA members; \$50 for non-members. (Fees include paints, mediums, and lunch each day.)

**Make check payable to PCA.**

4. Mail form to address below with your check & SASE (2 stamps), pattern will be mailed to you, **or** bring to class & place in program registration container (or give to program chairperson). Your cancelled check is your receipt.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **FAX:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

Class Dates: April 10 & 11, 2010 Teacher: SANDY AUBUCHON

Class Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Both Days

**Member: \$65**

**Non-member: \$75**

Saturday, April 10 "B'fly Shirt!" –  **Member: \$40**

**Non-member: \$50**

Sunday, April 11 "Flemish Floral"  **Member: \$40**

**Non-member: \$50**

**Send Seminar Enrollment forms to:**

Carol Ganzi

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**SATURDAY, APRIL 10**



**SUNDAY, APRIL 11**

# APRIL SEMINAR

Registered for Seminar:

Ruth Bradley  
 Sherry Choquette  
 Jill Campbell  
 Debra Clark  
 Colleen Cortez  
 Carol Ganzi  
 Patricia Gemmell  
 Christi Guymon  
 Suzy Hutton  
 Maureen Kleinman  
 Karen Lewis  
 Robyn McComb  
 Doris Montgomery  
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**POTLUCK**

	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
Appetizer:	Ruth	Robyn
Salad:	Robyn	Doris Jennie
Main Dish:	Carol	Sherry
Dessert:	Doris	Debra
Beverages/ Water:	June	June
Paper Goods:	Ruth	Ruth





**MEMBERSHIP NEWS**

**\*\* Free Goodies \*\***

If anyone joined the Society of Decorative Painters (year 2010) in order to become a member of Pacific Coast Artists, please let me know. The Society is rewarding new members with a gift package from Royal Langnickel and DecoArt.

Connie Rand  
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<b>Apr 14</b>	<b>Elaine McKinley</b>
<b>Apr 18</b>	<b>Sharon Shuster</b>
<b>Apr 21</b>	<b>Doris Montgomery</b>
<b>Apr 25</b>	<b>Connie Rand</b>
<b>Apr 26</b>	<b>Melba McMillan</b>
<b>Apr 27</b>	<b>Barbara Gagen</b>
<b>Apr 27</b>	<b>Rama Shotwell</b>
<b>Apr 28</b>	<b>Debi Stivers</b>

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**PAINT-IN LOCATION**

**Santa Margarita Water District**  
**26111 Antonio Parkway**  
**Rancho Santa Margarita, CA 92688**  
 Driving Direction  
 From the I-5  
 Go East on Oso Parkway toward Rancho Santa Margarita  
 Turn right at Antonio Parkway -  
 Turn right into Water District parking lot - driveway past the car wash  
 Enter meeting through the door on the far right face of the building.