



PPAG Monthly Canvas August 2023

Letter from the President

Well as they say, *“If you build it they will come”* and the crowds came. What a fantastic turn out for the first PPAG Fine Art Show. There is already a buzz about next year’s event. And a million thank yous to all the Artists for my lovely flower bouquet!!

Lots still for this year with Demos and workshops in Aug, Sept, and Oct. And of course, our annual Gallery Night in Sept. and Silent Auction of art supplies in Nov. Then a BIG Christmas event planned for artists and spouses.

And Big news, we have a new Board Member, Betsey Ferguson has agreed to join us and fill one of the empty slots. MANY MANY MANY thanks and Welcome!!

If you haven’t seen the announcement about the new PPAG Mobile App read about it here and be sure to download it.

And there has been a change suggested and adopted to move the “Punkers Lunch” to the 3rd Wed. to not conflict with the Woman’s club luncheons.

And if you are new or just haven’t had the time, don’t forget that all PPAG members get a free portfolio page of their work on the web site (to use as your own personal web page).

July Art Crash a Great Success

What a fun event- we have already planned on doing it again next year.



LOOK WHATS HERE !!

A NEW PPAG Mobile App.- THE NEW APP is a fast way to do 4 things: (as we become familiar with it- I can add all sorts of other features) – But lets not get overwhelmed to start !!

- Pay membership dues
- Pay for and sign up for workshops
- See & Download photos you take at our events (so everyone has access to them)
- Chat within committees

The app is called “SPACES by WIX”

To download it on your mobile phone

Use this link <http://wix.to/RzhFuTz?ref=mam>

Or scan this QR Code



August Meeting Scoop

Cheryl Moore talks about Chiaroscuro

Brush up your Italian. It really means LIGHT (*chiaro*) and DARK (*oscuro*). It describes some of the best techniques ever used in art, through the ages. We are going to see the effects of chiaroscuro in cartooning, classical cartooning where many artists got their starts and where a genre was created that lasted decades and provided entertainment before television took over. And it still does today. We'll see some real storyboards from the times and enjoy the artistry that told a story, one frame at a time. Come and enjoy a trip back in time and enjoy the drama that chiaroscuro offers.



September Demo and Workshop

With Beth Eschbach

The Value of Color

We will mix a harmonious full color palette using three colors and white.

Then will learn to assign a value to a color and paint nine values of that color.

We will paint a simple still life using what we’ve learned about seeing and mixing color as well as discuss the many properties of color.

All levels are welcome. Cost is \$55, including canvas, grey scale, and value viewer. A full list of supplies on the web site at registration.

Who's Who Your New 2023 Board

- President- Linda Parks 682-272-1083
- Vice President- Pam Carriker 682-240-6260
- Recording Sec.- Susan Thillen 817-657-3937
- Treasurer- Linda Barron 210-845-3506
- New Member- Betsy Ferguson

Page XXParliamentarian- Beth Eschbach 214-476-6277

Care Corner

Know someone who's halo is a little off and needs some TLC. Contact Deanna Thibault and she will get just the right card out on behalf of the guild 520-907-6108 deanna@thibault4art.com

Welcome New Members In July 2023

Darla Lyon- *Puzzle Maker Extraordinaire*



And welcome Back

Wayne Delyea- master craftsman



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FINE ART SHOW AWARD WINNERS

The three sponsor awards given by Granbury Pest, Double M Garage Doors, and H & H Specialties were won by-

Barbara Brown



Sarah Clawson



Linda Barron



Our Best of Show ribbon went to Wayne Delyea for his stunning Marquetry work.



DUES NEWS

The November meeting will hold an election on raising the 2024 Membership dues to \$40. If you want to be a part of this decision, Plan to attend the November Guild Meeting as you must be present to vote.

WELCOME Betsy Ferguson to the PPAG Board

One of our New Members has agreed to join the board and will be our 2nd Vice President with the title of "Art Curator".

She will be working to get the PPAG Art seen throughout the community

Stay tuned for information on exciting new opportunities to show off (and Sell) your art.

BOARD AND CORK

Come Take a look at the Pieces this month at the Board and Cork. And sign-up to display your works next.



Silent Auction- November Guild Meeting

Each November the Guild members bring in no-longer-needed or unused art supplies they have, and we hold an Auction. So, Start gathering those supplies to bring in November. More information will be coming as we get closer. All Auction Proceeds go to the Guild.

9-Square Painting Raffle

Ticket sales were over \$600- FANTASTIC. So many thanks to the artists who participated and to Barbara for planning this project.

The winner was drawn at the Fine Art event on Saturday and our own Pam Carriker took the prize- BUT knowing how much Barbara Brown had wanted the piece she graciously handed the winning ticket to her.



Shout Out to All the New (and Returning) PPAG Members in 2023

- Robert Hollis - Painter
- Darla Lyon - Paluxy Puzzles
- Betsey Ferguson- Painter & Digital Artists
- Gina White
- Carl Stidston- Painter
- Shannon Stidston- Painter
- Barbara Johnson
- Leslie Annen - Fiber Artists
- Cindy Prunty - Photographer
- Zola Bales
- Wayne Delyea - Woodworker
- Sue Bagwell - Mixed Media

Punkers Luncheon

now on **3rd Wed**
of each month

Who are the Punkers? You ask. We are a group of PPAG friends who meet up for lunch the third Wednesday of each month.

The group began with the 4 who taught the Rock Art Camp in 2022. We decided to go to lunch to celebrate a great art class. And, it has Grown from there. Anyone and everyone from the PPAG is invited.

On Odd months we meet at the 19th Hole and on even months at the Bistro. 11:30am

See you there!!

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Makers Open Studio 4th Tue of the month 1 -4 pm

The Makers open Studio is Open to all of Pecan Makers the 4th Tue of each month We meet at the EMS/AUX building. No Fee, just bring your project and supplies to work on, come have fun and camaraderie.

ROCK SNAKE

The summer camp children started a Rock snake at the PAC. 94 rocks and counting!!



ART at the PAC

We need to keep those walls at the PAC filled with new art each month.

So please bring your works to hang each month. No need to sign up- just bring a piece (large is great) and we will help you hang it. And FYI- several pieces have actually been sold off the PAC walls- so lets showcase our work.

Gallery Night 2023- Sept 29th

Gallery night is a 12-year honored tradition for the Art Guild. Each year homes within Pecan Plantation host artists for a traveling Cocktail Party/Art Show.

This year's Gallery Night tour of our local artists will be Sept 29th. This year we will have 5 homes with 23 artists showcasing their work where you can enjoy wine, food and meet and greet friends. To make this event a success lots of volunteers are needed so Please Contact Barbara Brown if you are interested in helping in any way.

Tell your friends and neighbors to come join you at this year's gallery Night tour of fun and art.

If you are an artists or home owner signed up and need more information please contact Barbara Brown.

July 2023 Artists of the Month

Let's recognize Lana Robinson as Artist of the Month in July. Here piece is on display in the Brazos dining room wall at the Clubhouse. And look for each Months Artist of the Month in the Hoopla Magazine.



2023 ART CAMP (by Pam McLean)

In June, the PPAG artists hosted a four day Art Rocks Camp at the PAC in for 10 kiddos aged 5-11.

We all had tons of fun creating steampunk rocks, a painted rock village, pebble art on canvas, and mosaics on rocks. Capping it off we started a "Rock Snake" and invited Pecan to add their own painted rocks to see how long it will grow -now 44 rocks and counting!!

Led by Pam McLean, a huge thank you goes to Pecan Plantation Art Guild artists Margaret Gulinson, Jimmie Borum, Margo Gary, Kathy Yoders, Barbara Brown and Deanna Thibault who joined in the fun and made this a successful fund raiser for our Guild bringing in \$396.



Want to see all the photos taken during the Fine Art Show?

Download the new Mobile App and see them all as well as add yours to the Photo Gallery Tab.

