



Palm Coast Decorative Artists

Volume 2 Issue 5

May 2024

Letter from the President

Dear Members,

The Raymond's big news is that our younger son, Randy, and his fiancée, Monica, eloped on April 4th and got married in Savanna, Georgia. We are overjoyed with their news. They are happy and we are happy to have our new daughter-in-law.

Several of our members went to the TEAM art convention on Saint Simon Island, Georgia. We had a wonderful time. There were different art class alternatives. I tried cut glass mosaics. It was so much fun! I hope more of you can come next year!

At our May 4th meeting we will be discussing choices for additional community projects and fundraisers. It's important that all our members help make decisions and participate in our group projects. I hope you get your input on options to be considered by our club.

Thanks!

Lana Raymond

Important Notice

Palm Coast Mini class will be comma strokes. Please bring a round brush, water bucket, paper towel and a plastic sleeve or a surface of your choice to practice on. Kathy Lamb

Letter from the 1st Vice President

Hi Ladies –

It feels as though it's been a long time since we've gotten together at the Flagler Women's Club for a Workshop. Let's just call it our Spring Break! Although we took a Spring Break, I know you've been busy with the Alcohol Ink Seminar in March, and Fashion Show and TEAM in April. I hope you have all enjoyed these other activities (I've heard lots of good reports.) but now it's time to get back to our regular Workshop schedule.

On May 4th, we will be painting a watercolor project 'Three is Perfect' taught by Paula Tormey. This project features 3 perfect tomatoes and will present many new techniques to help advance your painting skills. Paula will be supplying a watercolor palette for you. Don't miss this workshop!!

The May mini-workshop will cover the use of a round brush and one of the essentials of stroke work and painting in general – comma strokes. This workshop will be taught by Kathy Lamb.

Noreen will be serving lunch featuring 'Roasted Vegetable Medley, Pasta Salad and Italian Bread. Your \$5 donation should be given to Noreen at the meeting. If you've paid in advance, I will be giving that money to Noreen.

On June 1st, Cheri Bergquist will be teaching a beautiful 'Zentangle Butterfly' that can be left plain or have coloring added. Cheri will prepare your design on Bristol paper for a \$3 supply fee. If you choose, you can do this bit of prep yourself with the pattern design she has supplied.

On July 6th, Cindy Makowski will be back teaching us to paint a 'Florida Swamp'. This is an acrylic project that will focus on glazing colors to create sun rays and fog. These techniques will be reusable in many of your painting projects and is a class that no one should miss.

Sign-ups for the May, June and July Workshops are now being taken.

Don't forget, you can always join the Wednesday painting sessions at the Palm Coast Community Center from 9am to 11:30am. They are free and open to all. No advance preparation or reservations are needed – just come!

If you have any questions or need something, you can always contact me by email (rcm0335@gmail.com) or phone (386-338-3137).

See you all at the May 4th Workshop, if not before.

Ruth McDonald, 1st Vice President

Board of 2024

President

Lana Raymond
386-503-0778
kray9106@aol.com

1st Vice President

Ruth McDonald
386-338-3137 as of 3/25/23
rcm0335@gmail.com

2nd Vice President

Lynn Rankin
858-354-9666
My.veryown@live.com

Secretary

Noreen Walker
386-263-2627
fwuscg1@gmail.com

Treasurer

Paula Tormey
315-369-8679
ptormey27@gmail.com

Newsletter Editor

Georgia Strein
386-439-1875
painterpal@earthlink.net

Ways & Means

Kathy Lamb
860-460-8344
kmlamb56@hotmail.com

2024 Committee Chairpersons

Hospitality

Noreen Walker
386-263-2627
fwuscg1@gmail.com

Sunshine

Maria Pereira
201-259-4637
emeraldinomaria@bell.south.net

Webmaster

Jim Nichols
jim.beach@charter.net

Compassion Fund The Board

Kids R First

Noreen Walker
386-263-2627
fwuscg1@gmail.com

Website

www.pcdartists.com

Supply List for Workshops for Beginners or a Check List for all:

Paper towels
Container for water
Scissors
Blue tape
Ruler
Different types of erasers (black, white, kneaded, etc. depending on your project)
Pencil
Pen
Stylus
Hand Wipes
Graphite paper (white or black, depending on the project)
The background paint you used to basecoat
Multi-pastel Chalk Pencil - gray and white
Palette Paper or wet palette
Brushes as suggested by the teacher or/plus brushes that work best for you (better to have too many than not the one you need) + cleaner
Your instructions for the project/ prep work and the picture of the project
Lunch or a snack/water
Palette knife

Optional, depending on project:
Small plastic containers with lids for paint
Sandpaper
Q-tips
Toothpicks
Reading glasses, if you need 'em
Permanent black marker

WORKSHOP SIGN UP

Name _____

Phone _____

Address _____

City&St&Zip _____

Sign me up for the following workshop (s)..

April 6, 2024

UFO's

Let Ruth know if you are attending.

June 1, 2024

Zentangle Butterfly Pen & Ink

Taught by Cheri Bergquist

\$15.00 + \$3.00 Supply Fee = \$18.00

Checks Made Out To Cash

Name _____

Phone _____

Address _____



MEMBERSHIP

PALM COAST DECORATIVE ARTISTS
\$15.00 Donation

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone # _____

Email _____

Birthday (Month/Day) _____

Spouse/Partners Name _____

Make Check Payable to "Cash"

Mail to: Lynn Rankin

12 Kasbah Place

Palm Coast, FL 32164

Phone 858-354-9666

WORKSHOP SIGN UP

May 4, 2024

Three is Perfect Watercolor

Taught by Paula Tormey

\$15.00 Guests \$20.00

Checks Made Out to Cash

Name _____

Phone _____

Address _____

Mail to Ruth McDonald
36 Whitefeather Ln
Flagler Beach, FL
32136



Fashion Show at Chez Jacqueline



Our Models at the Fashion Show



Workshops Coming in Year 2024

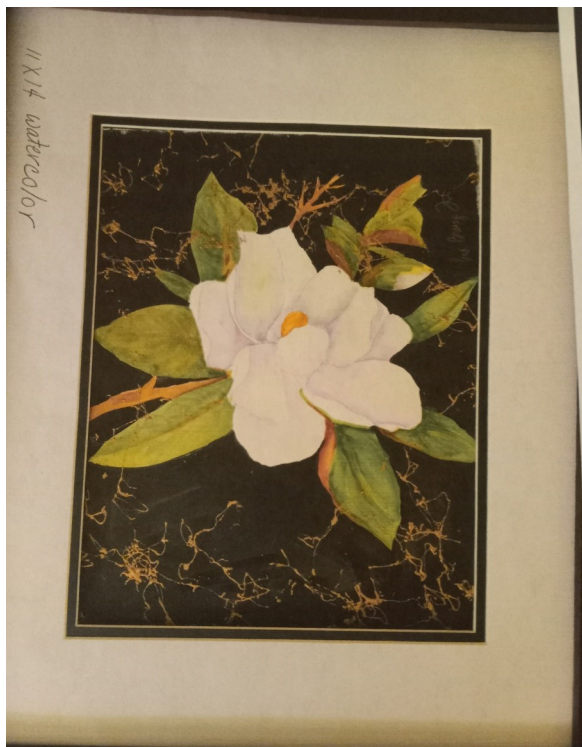


Florida Swamp
Acrylic July 6

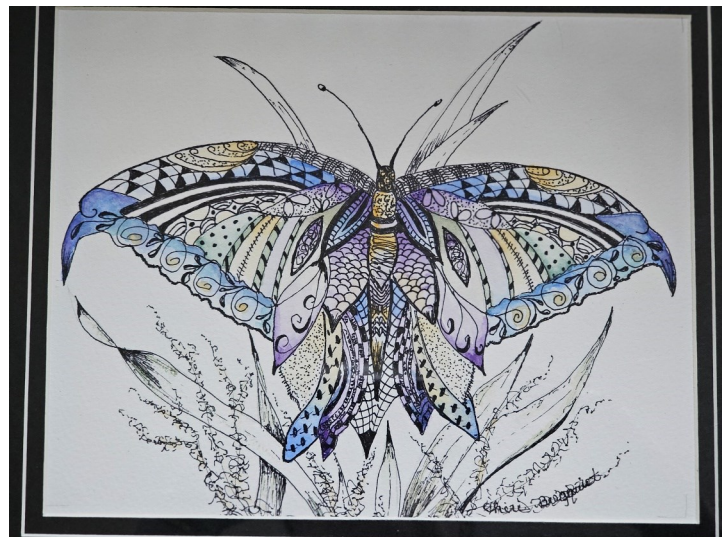


Cindy Makowski -

Koi Pond
Oil Over Acrylic September 7

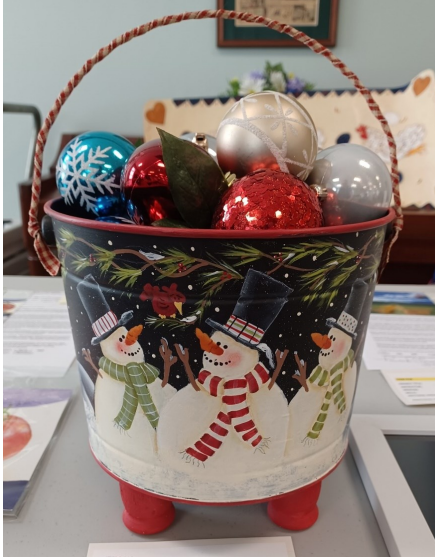


Magnolia Lisa Breeze Fox
Water Color & Acrylic
August 3



Zentangle Butterfly
Pen & Ink + Color
Taught by Cheri Bergquist
June 1

Workshops Coming in Year 2024



Snowman Pail Claire LaRue
Acrylics November 9



Give Thanks - Kathy Lamb
Acrylics October 9

FASHION SHOW AT CHEZ JACQUELINE

Hi Ladies,

Our Fashion Show was a great success! We made \$950.00 from the ticket sales, raffle of three baskets, a painting, and a beautiful bowl that was made and donated by Sue Forbes. Thank you Sue!

We also want to thank our models, Nancy Daly, Heather Henry, Maria Pereira, Debbi Linn and Lana Raymond. It was so much fun to put on "dressy" outfits and laugh with our members and guests at the Fashion Show.

We appreciate everyone who supported our event by buying tickets and donating items for our baskets and door prizes.

We will be extending a special thank you to the ladies at Chez Jacqueline for hosting our Fashion Show.

Kathy Lamb and Lana Raymond

Kids R First

On April 11, I delivered 20 painted boxes to Kids R First at the Court House. Thanks to all of our members who took the interest and time to create these beautiful items. Sharing the response email that I received the next day:

"On behalf of the Guardian Ad Litem Office and our dependent children, I want you to know how much we appreciate your beautiful painted boxes that you have made for our children in out of home care. Our GAL volunteers enjoy coming into the office where we display the boxes. They take the ones they like and fill them with donated items to bring to our children during their initial visit or when there is a special occasion. The children love them and continue to use them for their personal items.

Your talents live on to provide some comfort for our kiddos and for all ages.

Again, thank you so much for all you do in the community that goes a long way to support our mission. We really appreciate you all!!!

Warm regards,
Morgan Currie, Child Advocate Manager and
Peg Arsenault, Assistant Child Advocate Manager

Noreen



UPCOMING WORKSHOPS AT SEASIDE DECORATIVE ARTISTS

May 18
Blue Heron Acrylic
Taught by Cindy Makowski







June 15
Cards Watercolor
Taught by Paula Tormey



Contact Georgia Strein (painterpal@earthlink.net) or
Diane Foreman (diane.foreman@gmail.com) for
details.

Palm Coast Decorative Artists (PCDA) is a non-profit. A monthly meeting, followed by a painting workshop, is held usually the first Saturday of each month at the Flagler Women's club, 1524 S. Central Avenue, Flagler Beach. Business meetings start at 9:00 a.m. followed by the scheduled workshop/seminar. All levels of painters are welcome to any of the meetings. Check out our website (updated at the end of each month):

www.palmcoastdecorativepainters.com

January 6 2024	February 3	March 16 & 17	April 6	May 4	June 1
Sunflower Taught by Lisa Fox  15 min. demo On shading & Highlighting by Kathy Lamb	Assorted Greeting Cards Taught by Paula Tormey Watercolor 	Alcohol Ink Free Seminar For Members Of Seaside & PCDA At ARC 	UFO's Cancelled	Three Is Perfect Watercolor Taught by Paula Tormey	Zentdoodle Butterfly Pen & Ink + Color Taught by Cheri Bergquist
July 6	August 3	September 7	October 5	November 9	December 7
Florida Swamp Taught by Cindy Makowski Acrylic	Magnolia Taught by Lisa Fox Watercolor & Acrylic	Koi Farm Taught by Cindy Makowski Acrylic With Oil Glaze	Give Thanks Taught by Kathy Lamb Acrylic	Snowman Pail Taught by Claire LaRue Acrylic	CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON 11 AM 

May Breakfast Snacks

Kandis Hills
 Kathy Lamb
 FaithKaskisto
 Noreen Walker

Lunch

Roasted Vegetable Medley, Pasta Salad
 Italian Bread

**Give your \$5 donation to Noreen at
the meeting.**

May Birthdays

No Birthdays in May

