#### November, 2011



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#### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov. 14: Monday-Annual Meeting

Nov. 17 "Gifts" Art show and play, opens at Sandy Actors Theatre 6:45pm

December 4th:

Holiday Party 1-4pm

## Wy'east Artisans Guild Newsletter

## Meet Lee Lauritzen

Monday evening November 14, Wy'east Artisans Guild invites the public to attend a free program featuring artist, Lee Lauritzen, a painter who loves to capture the great outdoors on canvas. Lauritzen will discuss his artwork and lead a visualization exercise to expand the creative thinking process. The doors open at 6:30, program at 7pm

## Vote Board Positions for 2012

The Annual Members Meeting will be held at 38963 Proctor Blvd Sandy. Members present will vote on Board positions 1-3. Running for these positions are, Becky Hawley, Shirley Nelson and Cheryl Hooley.

### It's a party.....

The WAG holiday party will be held on December 4, 1:00 to 4:00pm at the Sandy Community Center located at 38348 Pioneer Blvd. in the 'gym' space upstairs. It's a wonderful space for a party. We will have an opportunity to get to know one another better.

We'll have a potluck, so bring your favorite dish to share!

Following the meal we will have gift exchange of **hand-crafted**, **homemade items** or **art supplies**. Each person participating should bring a wrapped or bagged gift, marked male or female when appropriate. The gift exchange is always fun!

Please email how many in your party to Shirley Nelson.

shirleynelson1@hotmail.com If you don't have email, call her at (503) 668-5944.

#### What I read....

"What I Read..." is the theme selected for the spring theme show at the Sandy Public Library. The library is under construction, so the actual dates have not been set for the show, but the target is sometime in April or May.

The artwork will be tied to a book title, which will be on the accompanying tag or by other means. Further information about the show will be presented by the Theme Show head, Ann Fenwick at future meetings and in future newsletters.

## "Gifts" Art Submission Deadline !

## Sandy Actors Theatre Art Show Themes & Dates

#### These shows are a good way to exhibit your work....Please participate!

Email or mail submissions go to Becky Hawley. Include: Title, medium, price and approx. size.

#### Coming soon....

**"Gifts"** This is an open show without a 'theme'... we will put a big bow on each piece to make it look like a gift. **Submissions by Nov. 7.** The reception is Thursday Nov.17 at 6:45. Show runs through Dec. 18. Play: A Tuna Christmas

**"Playing Around"** Theme: Playful, a play (theatrical), playing a game or game related, clowning around, messing around, teasing, golfing.....or round? Let your imagination go! Abstracts! Submissions by Jan. 30. Reception Thursday Feb. 9 at 6:45. Runs through Mar. 4. The play: Marvin's Room.

**"Menagerie"** Theme: A collection, groups of animals or strange people or artwork that is strange or different that we could hang to make our show 'a menagerie of art'...Submissions by March 25. Reception Thursday April 5 at 6:45. Runs through April 29. The play: A Barrel Full Of Pennies.

**"Real Life"** Theme: Still life, landscapes, portraits of real life. Submissions by May 15. Reception on Thursday May 31 at 6:45. Runs through June 24. The play: Rabbit Hole.

We have the opportunity to show our artwork and host receptions at Sandy Actors Theatre this season. Everyone in attendance will see the play for free, with donations going to the Guild. **The Guild depends on** *you* **to spread the word to your contacts...**whether you are in the show or not, please talk it up. Mention it everywhere you go! Becky Hawley will be sending invitations, for you to forward to your friends and neighbors.

The Guild is not taking a commission, but we are suggesting a 20% donation to the Guild. The work will be sold by the artist, not the Guild or theater. If you have questions contact Becky at: bek.hawley@yahoo.com or 503-668-5590.

## New Member information correction..!

The phone number and email address are now correct.....!

Please update your roster....! carolpj37@gmail.com 541-404-6244

## 2012 Guest Speakers...!

Martha Reel, will be the contact person for suggestions on next years guest speakers. If there is someone you think might be an interesting speaker, contact Martha to arrange an invitation for them.

Perhaps you would like to be the guest speaker and discuss your art techniques with the group....? Email Martha, and let her know.

# Invite your friends to join the Guild....!

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