March, 2012



If you have a story or news item you would like to contribute to the Wy'east Newsletter, send it to Rod Stroh at:

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April 5, 6:45pm *Menagerie* reception

April 9 "Photography with Rod Stroh"

Wy'east Artisans Guild Newsletter

Regular Monthly Meeting

Monday evening March12, take part in a show-n-tell round-table discussion of arts and crafts. This is an opportunity to network with other artisans in the community, so bring an example of your work to share.

What I've Read

Our annual theme show info: Your work should pertain to a book title..!

Ann Fenwick needs the title, medium, sale price or NFS--with the "value" of the work, by April 13th.

Deliver your artwork to the Sandy Library between April 23-25.

The reception is Saturday April 28 from 3-4:45 with the artist's talk at 3:30.

The show runs from 4/27 through 6/10 Space is limited. Participation requirements and other info may be obtained by emailing Ann at: fenwicks1@frontier.com

Menagerie Art Show Info

Our next art show at the Sandy Actors Theatre will feature people, animals and collections of items...a real menagerie of a show! Please let Becky Hawley know, as soon as possible, if you are interested in entering you work into the show. The deadline for submissions (tag information) is March 27. The art should be delivered no later than April 2, by 10am for the hanging.

On April 5 at 6:45 the art show opens with an artist tour of the work. For anyone interested, the evening continues with the play, "A Barrel Full of Pennies" at 7:30....invite everyone to come to this free event. No admission is charged, all donations to benefit our Guild and its community projects.

Bio Book...!

WAG has a bio book we display at our shows. If you don't have a bio in the book, or want to update yours, please bring it to the next meetings or include it with your artworks submission.

Letter from the editor...

Your new members roster is available at the meetings. In each monthly newsletter, please refer to the "Membership News..." section, where additions or changes to the roster will appear. As we add new members, or as old members return, their information will be provided. The roster has plenty of space in back to write in the new information....let's try to fill it up!

Membership News

Welcome back Elaine Storlie

Email: estorlie50@hotmail.com Phone: 503-668-5318

New Equipment for the Guild

Thanks go to Steve Ludeman, who has donated the following item for Guild use:

- 1. Light tracing box, homemade 19" x 24".
- 2. Large cutting board (approx. 26" x 27").
- 3. Electric dry mounting press, called a Seal Commercial 210 (approx. $23" \times 23"$) with Selector Tacking Iron.

Should you want to borrow these items or any of the library books, please contact Rod Stroh. rod.stroh@yahoo.com

Something To Ponder...

One of the advantages of belonging to a group, a club or a guild, is the ability to network and exchange ideas with other like minded people.

Our Guild has a variety of artists with a wide assortment of interests and experience, from whom to draw information, inspiration and friendship.

One way to keep our guild vibrant, is to keep an eye out for potential new members; new people can bring new life to the group.

Talk to people about the activities we enjoy throughout the year. *See the Mountain through Artists Eyes*, workshops, *Art Day* gatherings and our interesting speakers may just entice them to join us! Invite folks to a meeting and to our art shows... who knows, they may be inspired to contribute their talents to our guild.

Upcoming Events.....!

May 4-6 The huge show at the Convention Center for potters, ceramics, beads, weavers-fiber, metal arts, woodworkers and glass artists.

Visit: www.oregonpotters.org/ceramicshowcase/sc-guilds-pdx.htm

Flock & Fiber Sept. 23 & 23 Canby Fairgrounds.

2012 Guest Speakers...!

Martha Reel is our program coordinator for 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. Marthareel@gmail.com

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