



ARTISANS GUILD

May 2014

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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**See articles for details...**

- May 22- 10am SAT theme meeting
- 29- *Time to Remember* art show opening at SAT 6:45pm
- 31- Camera Secretes Workshop
- June 7-- Artists Walk in the Gorge
- 22- Take down art at SAT
- July 26- Art Day at Strohaven

Sept 8— Second Monday Member’s Meeting at Clackamas County Bank  
 “Summertime Show & Tell”

**Art Day with Claudia Nice**



Thank you Claudia, for hosting Art Day in your warm, inviting studio. It was a perfect way to spend a rainy day. In addition to painting and enjoying good company, we roasted marshmallows over the coals in the wood stove.

**SAT Art Show Schedule...May 22 & 29**

Join us at the Sandy Actors Theatre, for a discussion of next season’s art show themes, at **10:00 on Thursday May 22...and then remember this:**

**Thursday, May 29 at 6:45pm**  
**Time to Remember...art show opening!**

Artists talk about their work at 7:00pm, followed by a preview performance of **THE FANTASTICKS**. This play is the world's longest-running musical! “It's lively, squeaky-clean and not too long, and anyone old enough to watch a love story is old enough to enjoy it”. - Terry Teachout, Arts Journal

**NO Charge...Evening of entertainment for the whole community. Pass it on!**

Remember fresh cut flowers in Mason Jars and paraffin on the top of the homemade jam?  
 Watercolor by Earlean Marsh



## *Welcome Our New Members!*



Meet our new Guild members, who joined us at the May meeting:

Top photo, from left to right:  
Richard Keys, a painter and block printer, who recently moved to Sandy from NY.

Sura Yakowitz, a multi-media painter, and a Gresham gal.

Kathy State, a painting student of Cheryl Butterfield—another new member, who was unable to attend the meeting.



Bottom left photo:  
Eileen Massover, a painter, living in Damascus with her husband Brian Leviel, photo enthusiast.

Bottom right photo:  
Pam Smithsted,

Their information is in the updated roster, which is attached as a PDF.

## *Your Camera's Secrets Revealed!*

**May 31 RSVP required...** Unlock your camera's secrets at a workshop for members and invited guests only. Rod Stroh is offering to help you take the camera off AUTO and unleash it's potential. This is for both DSLR and small pocket point & shoot cameras.

We will meet at 10:15am at the Sandy Library for a discussion and spend the afternoon shooting outdoors. More information will be provided after you sign up...

**RSVP to Becky Hawley at: [bek.hawley@yahoo.com](mailto:bek.hawley@yahoo.com) or 503-668-5590**

## *Walk to Latourell*

**June 7...See The World With An Artist's Eye...**

Artists and photographers meet to explore Guy W. Talbot State Park and Latourell Falls, on the Scenic Columbia River Hwy. The public is invited to see the world with an artist's eye and through the camera's lens, enjoy nature and meet new people.

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## *Walk continues...*

The walk and talk begins in the park at 11:00am, with a break at noon for lunch. The then walk continues along a path, under the old highway, with an interesting view of the bridge and on to the base of the falls.

This is a slow paced walk where the artists in the group talk about composition, value and even sculptural qualities in their surroundings. We advertise in the papers and anyone is welcome to join us. Invite anyone you know who may enjoy this kind of activity.

When you arrive at the park, look for the Wy'east Artisans Guild banner. Bring your own lunch and beverages and be prepared for a day outdoors.

Heavy rain will cancel this event, but we will plan to have great weather...positive thinking!

*Is anyone interested in carpooling? Call or email Becky Hawley ...she will keep a list of interested carpoolers.*

## *This and That*

### **Future Guild Activities**

#### ***July 26...Save the date! ...Art Day at Strohaven***

Rod Stroh & Becky Hawley host a plein aire art day at their home. This may include bringing your own project, or doing something as a group. The day is still in the planning phase, details will be announced in June.

**Dawnna Pearson is showing her artwork in the Sandy Chamber of Commerce gallery, during the month of June.**

**Her reception is on Friday, June 6 from 5 to 8pm.**

**Support our Guild, by sharing invitations to our functions with friends and neighbors....the best advertising is word of mouth!**

**Do you have anything to contribute to our next THIS AND THAT column?  
Email Rod Stroh at: [rod.stroh@yahoo.com](mailto:rod.stroh@yahoo.com)**

## *Who Does What in the Guild????*

**The Guild Team or Committee Heads for 2014....** (See the Guild roster for contact info.)  
If you are interested in any of the following activities, please contact them directly. **Volunteer!**

**We are always looking for people who want to get involved.**

Art Shows-Exhibits Venues:

- \* Sandy Actors Theatre gallery & Sandy Public Library; Becky Hawley & Vern Groff
- \* Sandy Area Chamber of Commerce; JoAnne Rohweder

Website & Social Media: Debi Vann

Newsletter & Membership Roster: Rod Stroh

Kids Outreach Art Education: Becky Hawley

Meeting Programs: Jennifer Bliesner

Hospitality: Lea Topliff & Gabi Novak

Field Trips: Claudia Nice

## *Board & Officers for 2014*

Board Members: Debi Vann JoAnne Rohweder  
Claire Harrison—President Becky Hawley— Secretary Cheryl Hooley— Treasurer

***WAG PO Box 682 Sandy, OR. 97055***

**FYI:** Our dues have always been \$15 individual and \$20 family—living together, for the calendar year. Dues should either be paid at the November or December meetings, or mailed to our PO Box.

We have kept our dues low in order to encourage participation and thank all the members who have made contributions to our programs.

### **Annual Business:**

Each October, we nominate our Board and at our Annual Meeting, the second Monday of November, we vote.

WAG's mission is to be an educational, networking Guild of artisans supporting art in the Mt. Hood Corridor.

***Wy'east is the Native American name for our mountain, Mt. Hood!***