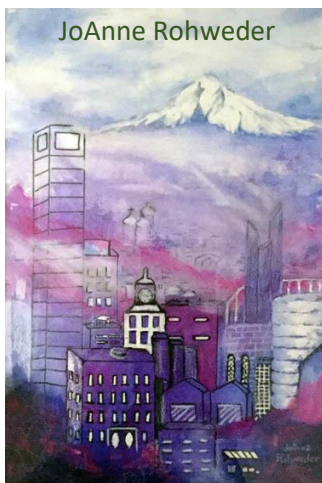


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ARTISANS GUILD  
CELEBRATING THE CREATIVE ACT.

## December 2017 Newsletter

### Winter Show Reception Dec 14, 6—8 pm



Members of the Guild will be displaying an open-themed art show at AntFarm Café and Bakery (39140 Proctor Blvd, Sandy, OR) through the month of December.

The public is invited to our open-house reception: December 14, 6-8 pm. There will be a Christmas ornament raffle and refreshments provided by Guild members, and live music provided by *The Mount Hood Dulcimers*. Art for sale by artists.



*The reception is taking the place of our usual Christmas party this year.*

### Member News

The Big 500 Art Show to benefit the Oregon Food Bank is being held at the Pioneer Place Mall on the third floor featuring 600 artists. The show will open Dec. 9th with a reception on Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> and everyone is invited. **Eileen Holzman** will have 10 pieces of art in this exhibit. She has also been invited to show in the gallery at Providence Hospital in Portland. Dates are Jan. 15 - March 15, 2018.



**Kathy and Vern Groff** have been selling their handmade ceramics at “America’s Largest Christmas Bazaar” at the Portland Exposition Center for the 3 days of the Thanksgiving weekend and the first 3 days of December. This is their 22<sup>nd</sup> year at Expo. They missed last year and were thinking of quitting ceramics but were back this year to reduce inventory. However, the enthusiasm and warm welcome from previous purchasers combined with very good sales have changed their minds. They also have many requests for new products. They will focus on

smaller, lighter weight products that will be easier to carry.

# WAG Annual Members Meeting November 16, 2017

*Notes by Dawna Pearson, Secretary*

**In Attendance:** Dawna Pearson, Jennifer Bliesner, JoAnne Rohweder, Cheryl Hooley, Helen von Struense, Wayne Kuechler, Micaiah Meyer, Vern Groff, Pam Smithsted, Marcia and Steve Morrow, Sharon Sandgren, Earlean Marsh

Wayne Kuechler joined the Guild. Add his contact info to your rosters:

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**Show & Tell/Critique:** Wayne showed an oil painting done with extremely saturated colors straight from the tube. For this technique he advises not using transparent colors.

**Winter Show:** Jennifer announced we have AntFarm for December. We agreed to turn our scheduled December 14 Christmas party into an open-house reception for the show.

**Board Election:** JoAnne Rohweder motioned for Jennifer Bliesner and Earlean Marsh to be reelected to their board positions. Marcia Morrow seconded it. Members present voted YES unanimously.

We collected cards to be displayed at the Chamber of Commerce in December.

A note for future newsletters: Include times of events in the body of the newsletter and not just on the calendar. Also, add art class schedule to calendar.

We discussed art sales: what sells for what price? The general consensus was that you need to know your buyers.

Pam suggested we do a charity event at AntFarm in the future, donating a portion of sales to their organization.

**January Members Meeting:** Wayne will be giving a presentation on forensic art.



*Snow Buddies*

by Dawna Jean Pearson

## Art Events and Resources



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#### ***Frames!***

Lea Topliff has lots of frames, both new and used, and some canvases both large and small for sale.

**The month of March 2018 is available at the Chamber of Commerce! Contact JoAnne Rohweder if interested in displaying a show. (Cost: \$10)**

#### **Oregon Society of Artists**

OSA website:

<https://www.oregonsocietyofartists.com/>

OSA November Demos:

<https://www.oregonsocietyofartists.com/classes-and-workshops/demonstrations>

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### **Wy'east Artisans Guild Officers, Board, and Committee Heads**

Contact information available in your Guild roster. Email Rod Stroh, [rstroh2@frontier.com](mailto:rstroh2@frontier.com), if you can't find yours.

**President:** Jennifer Bliesner

**Vice President:** Marcia Morrow

**Secretary:** Dawna Pearson

**Treasurer:** Cheryl Hooley

**Board Members:** Jennifer Bliesner, Loisann Young, Marcia Morrow, Earlean Marsh, Cheryl Hooley

**Meeting Programs:** Jennifer Bliesner

**Hospitality:** Helen von Struense

**Website & Social Media:** Debi Vann

**Art Education & Kids Outreach:** Dawna Pearson

**Newsletter:** Dawna Pearson

**Membership (Roster):** Rod Stroh

**Library Theme Show:** Jennifer Bliesner

**Chamber Shows:** JoAnne Rohweder

**Sandy Actor's Theatre Shows:** Vern Groff

**Other Shows:** Jennifer Bliesner

## WAG 2017—2018 Calendar

To add or revise items on the calendar, please contact Dawnna Pearson

DATE	WHAT	WHERE	WHEN	DETAILS	CONTACT
<b>Dec 5</b>	Hanging Christmas Card show	Sandy Area Chamber of Commerce			JoAnne Rohweder
	<b>WAG Board Meeting</b>	<b>Bliesner house</b>	<b>1 pm</b>		
Dec 7	Youth Art Class	Sandy Public Library	4-5:30 pm	Collage Christmas cards	Dawnna Pearson
<b>Dec 14</b>	Youth Art Class	Sandy Public Library	4-5:30 pm	Christmas party	Dawnna Pearson
	<b>Winter Show reception</b>	<b>AntFarm</b>	<b>6-8 pm</b>	<b>Open to the public. Guild members bring fingerfood and an ornament (handmade or store-bought) to raffle off.</b>	<b>Jennifer Bliesner</b>
<b>Jan 25</b>	“Different Strokes” Reception	Sandy Actors Theatre	6:45 pm	Play: “Rose Colored Glasses” 1/26/2018 - 2/18/2018 Featured Artist: Vern Souders Jr	*Marcia Morrow *Earlean Marsh
	<b>WAG Members Meeting</b>	<b>AntFarm</b>	<b>6:15-8:30 pm</b>	<b>New officers’ terms begin. Program: Wayne Kuechler on forensic art</b>	
<b>Feb 22</b>	<b>WAG Members Meeting</b>	<b>AntFarm</b>	<b>6:15-8:30 pm</b>		
Mar 1	Hanging Spring Theme Show	Sandy Public Library			Jennifer Bliesner
<b>Mar 22</b>	<b>WAG Members Meeting</b>	<b>AntFarm</b>	<b>6:15-8:30 pm</b>		
Apr 5	“That’s Life” Reception	Sandy Actors Theatre	6:45 pm	Play: “And a Nightingale Sang” 4/6/2018 - 4/29/2018 Featured Artist: Marcia Morrow	*Marcia Morrow *Earlean Marsh
Apr 6	Spring Theme Show Reception	Sandy Public Library		All members (especially participating artists) are encouraged to attend and bring fingerfood.	Jennifer Bliesner
<b>Apr 26</b>	<b>WAG Members Meeting</b>	<b>AntFarm</b>	<b>6:15-8:30 pm</b>		
<b>May 24</b>	<b>WAG Members Meeting</b>	<b>AntFarm</b>	<b>6:15-8:30 pm</b>		
May 31	“A New Day” Reception	Sandy Actors Theatre	6:45 pm	Play: “The Cemetery Club” 6/1/2018 - 6/24/2018 Featured Artist: Loisann Young	*Marcia Morrow *Earlean Marsh
July 3	Takedown Spring Theme Show	Sandy Public Library			Jennifer Bliesner

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