



Let It Be Told

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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

What a great April meeting and Paint-In. We accomplished so much. Thank you to everyone who is painting for the boutique, the pieces are beautiful. Marcia, thank you for teaching Holly's piece, it looked like everyone was having an enjoyable time and learning new techniques and paints. We are moving along.

Just a couple of reminders: I know we all want to visit and catch up with friends when we come to a meeting but we need to remember that the instructor has the floor when she is speaking. The other thing is to be sure to turn off your cell phones or put them on vibrate when in class. If you do get a call, please step outside to talk to that person, if you have to. I need to remember to mention this before we have our meetings and I forgot. Last but not least remember this is a short month for us before we have our next meeting, because we postponed our April meeting by a week. So, our May meeting will be upon us before we know it.

Thank you to those that have brought in food for SVdP's pantry and painting the "Memory and Treasure Boxes". Our charities greatly appreciate what we do.

A couple of highlights from our meeting: We will not have any meetings during the month of June, July and August. Do not forget to paint something for our big fund raiser in

September, no longer called "Lunch Box Auction" but called "Fund Raiser Auction". It is a surface of your choice but nothing small or ornament size. Remembering this is our biggest fund raiser within our club.

So much is happening in May with May Day, Mother's Day, Cinco de Mio, graduation, people on the move for the summer, and Memorial Day and the beginning of our seminar at the end of the month. We are in our count down as the board ties up the loose ends for the seminar. Have a great rest of April and hope to see you in May.

Sincerely,

Pat Kaminsky

Your President

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Next LIBT Meeting Saturday MAY 4TH

9:30 am Meeting

Paint-ins begin right after the meeting and cost only \$5.00. This month we will be doing a Geranium with Hummingbird Watercolor with Judy Lopez

The projects can be viewed on our website
www.libt.org

Contact Marcia Mallicoat for more information and to sign up at.

Regular meetings begin at 9:30 am and are on the first Saturday of each month with a number of exceptions. They are held at Trinity Lutheran Church, 3950 N. Valorie Drive, Prescott Valley AZ

CALENDAR AT A GLANCE 2024

Meetings will be zoomed upon request

Meeting Dates

May 4	Geranium with Hummingbird Watercolor with Judy Lopez
May 31 & June 1	Seminar with Linda Sharp
July 13 (Second Saturday)	Christmas in July Candle with Pat Kaminsky
August 3	Elegant Flowers with Judy Mitchell
September 7	Fundraiser Auction and TBD with Jenise Jackson
October 5	TBD with Susan Phillips
October 26	Ornaments with Gail Cummins and Marcia Mallicoat
November	Space not available so no paint-in
December	Christmas Party and Ornament Exchange



Happy Birthday to Our May Gals

Sherry Cooke-Hurm	May 2
Gail Cummins	May 4
Reggie Oswald	May 8
Barbara Cowley	May 27
Michelle Clifton	May 29
Pat Kaminsky	May 31

Wishing you a day that's perfect from the start, filled with happy moments and shared with those close to your heart.

Birthday Raffle: This is a monthly fundraising raffle so please paint something to auction. Refreshments are provided by birthday girls and all who wish to contribute goodies.

THE APRIL PAINT-IN WAS GREAT!

The April Paint-In was a fantastic spring project taught by Marcia. This design by Holly Hanley got us to try some new paints by Folkart; Colorshift and Dragonfly. This project had a unique background that created a blurred, out of focus atmosphere. We used a few painting techniques that pushed some flowers deeper into the background and different techniques to pull the main flower closer to the viewer. We played with the Colorshift paint to make the dragonflies glimmer. It was a fun project that I am sure we will paint again at home. Thank you, Marcia, for bringing your paint sampler board so we could see how the colors play out on both light and dark backgrounds AND you had giveaway items!



PAINT-INS

MAY

The May paint-in is a *Geranium with Hummingbird Watercolor* taught by Judy Lopez. Cost pattern \$3, paper \$2, palette \$5.



MAY 31 AND JUNE 1

Seminar with Linda Sharp.

JULY

The July paint-in is a candle and ornaments on a rocklon banner taught by Pat Kaminsky. Cost is \$5 and includes the rocklon banner, banner holder, Merry Christmas that is on top, color photo and instructions. Pat will have them at the May meeting.



SEMINAR

**LIBT will be hosting a seminar with Linda Sharp on
Friday and Saturday, May 31 & June 1, 2024**

9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Doors open at 8:30 am

At Trinity Lutheran Church

3950 N. Valorie Drive, Prescott Valley, AZ

Linda has been painting and teaching for over 40 years and has taught classes all over the country, including the SDP National Convention, Portland and Seattle Mini-Conventions, Las Vegas Creative painting Convention, HOOT, New England Traditions Convention as well as for chapters and retreats, both in person and n Zoom.

Cost for each day will be \$40.00 with no additional cost for non-members. Linda Sharp teaches with Traditions Paint. Therefore, there is an additional palette fee of \$5.00 each day. Students will receive their own paint in cubbies which are labeled and contain all mixtures and colors listed in the instructions.

The Friday project is a Give Thanks Pumpkin Plate on a pumpkin shaped surface. We will be ordering the surfaces for those who want them for \$7.00 each.

The Saturday project is called Enchanted Christmas on a 12" double beaded plate. We will be ordering the surfaces for those who want them for \$22.00 each. Of course, you may use a surface of your choice.

All class and surface fees are due in March. Prep instructions and line drawing will be provided prior to the seminar. They may be downloadable.

For lunch we will have a Pot Luck each day. Friday will be sandwiches and Saturday will be salads. Water and snacks provided by LIBT.

We will Zoom for any participants out of the area.

To register, please contact Tava Ekstrom-Lang



Friday Project



Saturday Project

TREASURE BOXES

Thank you to those who brought in these adorable Treasure Boxes.



FUNDRAISERS

Message from Jody Glaser, Chairperson

Thank you for all the beautiful pieces that were turned in for the Bazaar. I will continue to bring in items to be painted for the bazaars.

Thank you to those who brought items in April.



STUFF AND SUCH



The lucky winner of the brush in April was Jody!

RAFFLE

The lucky winners of the raffle Jo, Marsha, Cheryl, Michelle, Arla, Jenise, Pati, and Pat.



SHOW AND TELL

Thank you to artists who brought in their beautiful work in to share.



DECO ART AMERICANA PAINTS

Barb shared this website address that will give mixes for retired colors.

<https://shop.decoart.com/content/americana-acrylics-retired-colors-mixing-chart.pdf>

Barb provided a list of the paints they are discontinuing and the ones they are keeping

2023 DecoArt's Discontinued Americana Acrylics

These colors are being discontinued:

2OZ RED VIOLET
2OZ TRUE OCHRE
2OZ DRIFTWOOD
2OZ PLUM
2OZ BLUE MIST
2OZ FRENCH MAUVE
2OZ PINK CHIFFON
2OZ BLUE CHIFFON
2OZ OYSTER PEARL
2OZ 24PK TERRA CORAL
2OZ 24PK PERSIMMON
2OZ 24PK PEBBLE
2OZ 24PK MINK PEARL
2OZ 24PK CHRTREUSE YLW
2OZ 24PK FROSTED PLUM
2OZ 24PK LIGHT LIME
2OZ 24PK LIGHT ORCHID
2OZ 24PK LIGHT SAGE
2OZ 24PK PLUM SUEDE
2OZ 24PK SMMR SQUASH
2OZ 24PK GREEN LAGOON
2OZ 24PK CALICO RED
2 OZ SAND
2 OZ SEA AQUA
2 OZ MISTLETOE
2 OZ TOFFEE
2OZ 24PK TERRA COTTA
2OZ 24PK YELLOW OCHR
2 OZ CHARCOAL GREY

#decoart Will Remain

DAO7-3 Moon Yellow

DAO40-3 Williamsburg Blue

DA157-3 Black Green

DA167-3 Payne's Gray

DA172-3 Black Plum

DA269-3 Foliage Green

DA299-3 Margarita

DA324-3 Watermelon Slice

DA356-3 Dried Clay

DHS4-3 Fiery Red

DAO15-3 Cadmium Red

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHARITY

We are collecting food and monetary donations for St. Vincent de Paul. It would be appreciated if you could bring in 3 non-perishable items to our next paint-in. And thank you to those who have donated in the past.

LET IT BE TOLED MEMBER MEETING April 13, 2024

Time: 9:32am

Attendance: Members

Minutes: Approved by Jo and need a second

COMMITTEES

Update:

Linda Sharp seminar- Pat and Gail will be distributing prep instructions and project pieces after meeting before Paint-In.

Food sign-ups - We have enough sign ups for the seminar.

Gift bags for attendees- Any donations for the gift bags give to Jody at the May meeting.

Next seminar- We are in the process of contacting teachers for 2025.

Paint Ins: See newsletter

Fund Raiser: Boutique items are great and plenty!

Membership:

We have 25 members. Brochure & logo is tabled for now.

Ways & Means:

Birthday Girl- none for this month

Raffle- Many items

Brush Drawing - Jody won the drawing

Charities: Barbara said the Dignity Hospital is interested and also Sacramento Shriners for Treasure and Memory boxes.

Old Business

New Business

Show and Tell- We have so many talented members. Thanks for sharing!

The September Lunch exchange is redefined as "Fundraiser Auction". We will not be exchanging lunches, but will have an auction of painted pieces members submit. We are asking that members not bring ornaments or small painted items. Bring your best painted piece and help the club to be successful in our fund raiser for our club. Board meetings will be on recess for June, July, and August.

Minutes submitted by Gail Cummins

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Cheryl Jacobson

