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Gateway Chapter Meeting

MARCH 8

The Checkered Cottage
137 W. Jefferson
Kirkwood, MO 63122

Meeting starts at 1:00 p.m.

March Refreshments and Decorations

Gloria Falk
Marilyn Hartnett
Milly Johnson
Mary Jo Kumer
Jean Lindsey
Donna Wessel



**PLEASE SEE PROGRAM INFORMATION
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Standing Committee Chairs

Gold Brush..... Liz McClintock
Historian..... Marilyn Hartnett
Hospitality and PublicityJean Lindsey
Librarian Barb Ogden
Nominating Committee.....Cheryll Wilburn
Parliamentarian..... Liz McClintock
Refreshments Liz McClintock & Linda Nelson

Special Committee Chairs

Christmas Party..... Debbie Finklang
Memory Box Program.....Gloria Falk and Mary Jo Kumer
Programs, Seminars and Workshops..... Barb Ogden

REMINDER

Luz Rooney (636-893-2400)

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MEETINGS, SEMINARS and SHARING WORKSHOPS this year. If you have someone that you would like to suggest to come to our chapter to teach, or have a question about the seminars and sharing workshops, call Luz.

The Christmas Party this year is scheduled Sunday, December 6. If you would like to help the planning committee, please contact me at (636-893-2400).

CALENDAR-2020

March 3 Memory Box Paint In
March 8 Chapter Meeting
March 27 Newsletter Deadline
April 7 Memory Box Paint-In
April 19 Chapter Meeting
May 5 Memory Box Paint-In
May 20 Newsletter Deadline
June 2 Memory Box Paint-In
July 7 Memory Box Paint-in
June 14 Chapter Meeting
July 15-17 Seminar
August 4 Memory Box Paint-In
August 20 Newsletter Deadline
September 1..... Memory Box Paint-In
September 13..... Chapter Meeting
October 2-4 Retreat
October 6 Memory Box Paint-In
October 20 Newsletter Deadline
November 8 Chapter Meeting
November 3 Memory Box Paint-In
December 3..... Memory Box Paint-In
December 6..... Christmas Party



NEWS FROM THE PRESIDENT — Gloria Falk

Dear Painting Friends,

I hope when you receive this you are all doing well. So many people suffering with the flu or a cold. So far, so good on this end. As you know we thought we would outwit the weather happenings this year and we scheduled our first meeting to be in March, not February (since we have had to reschedule the first meeting of the year these last 2 years). Crazy weather patterns all over the place. I pray everyone has stayed safe.

This is our “RETREAT” year, so if your planning on submitting something to teach, be sure to look elsewhere in this newsletter for the details on that.

I want to give a BIG THANKS to all who donated to our charities in 2019. Besides donating 65 backpacks to Family Forward, we also painted and distributed a total of 269 memory boxes. The USO received almost \$400 in sundries and cash; the animal rescue about \$169 in sundries and cash; last but not least Turning Point over \$400.


We can pat ourselves on our backs for working on these community service projects. I hope each and every one of you will take part in supporting these efforts again this year.

Remember to check out our Facebook page to see what great things have been happening. Be sure to LIKE US and Share us too. There is a chance our website will be changing soon. A couple of Board members are checking things out, so maybe we will get it up and running again soon. I have great confidence in these Board members to do their “thing” and bring our website back into action.

Elizabeth McClintock and Linda Nelson have volunteered to be our Hospitality Committee for Refreshments again this year. **Everyone needs to take a turn** bringing refreshments. If you eat, you should be willing to help out with refreshments one month. Linda will have a sheet for you to sign up volunteering to bring something to one of the future meetings. Please, sign up at the March meeting.

Remember we are just offering “snack/appetizer type refreshments” at our meetings now. So a pan of brownies, a container of cookies, a plate of veggies, a plate of fruit, or chips n’ dip are some ideas of what to bring. Keep it simple. The board is going to take care of refreshments and decorations in March!!

Hope to see you all at the March meeting.

Always Paint with a Happy 

Gloria Falk, TDA, President

RECORDING SECRETARY (continued) — Barb Ogden

Membership Chair Jean Lindsey discussed the following:

- The 2019 current membership is 29.
- There were 19 members present at today's meeting and no guests.
- Only two members brought pins for the exchange.

Nominating Chair Cheryl Wilburn discussed the following:

- Nominations from the floor were open for the following positions: President, Program Chair and Newsletter Editor.
- No nominations from the floor were received, so nominations were closed.
- The following is the 2020 ballot:
President-Gloria Falk
Program Chair- Luz Rooney
Newsletter Editor-Marilyn Hartnett
- A motion was made by Donna Wessel to accept the ballot by acclamation, and seconded by Barb Ogden. A vote was taken by show of hands and the motion passed.

Memory Box Co-chair Mary Jo Kumer discussed the following:

- 228 boxes have been painted and delivered so far this year.
- The next paint in is December 3 and Mary Jo is teaching.
- She is looking for more teachers for the 2020 months.

Newsletter Editor-Marilyn Hartnett discussed the following-

- Next newsletter deadline is January 20, 2020.

Treasurer Donna Wessel discussed the following:

- Donna asked that all expense reports for 2019 be gotten to her ASAP so all expenses in 2019 are actually paid in 2019.

Refreshment Committee Co-Chair Linda Nelson discussed the following:

- Thanked the decoration committee members for the table decor.
- Handed our pins that Liz McClintock made to the refreshment committee members.
- There being no further business a motion to adjourn was made by Mary Jo Kumer and seconded by Carolyn Weingaertner.

Respectfully Submitted,

Barbara Ogden, Recording Secretary

RECORDING SECRETARY (continued) — Barb Ogden

Gateway Chapter Meeting Minutes
Christmas Party
Place: Checkered Cottage

December 1, 2019
Start time: 12:15
End time: 2:40

Officers Present: Gloria Falk, Milly Johnson, Donna Wessel, Jean Lindsey, Marilyn Hartnett, Barbara Ogden

Debbie Finklang welcomed all and thanked the Party Committee for all the hard work. The committee included Jean Lindsey, Linda Nelson, Maureen Wasserman, Mary Jo Kumer and Barb Ogden. Introductions were made of all guests.

The Gold Brush Committee, chaired by Delia Larkins, then presented the 2019 Award to Liz McClintock.

The invocation was given by Linda Nelson.

Installation of Officers-
Gloria Falk-President
Milly Johnson-Vice-President
Donna Wessel-Treasurer
Jean Lindsey-Membership chair
Barb Ogden-Recording Secretary
Marilyn Hartnett-Newsletter Editor
Luz Rooney-Program Chair (as Luz was unable to attend Debbie Finklang stood in)

The ornament exchange was handled by Debbie with the reading of a story about the Right Family.

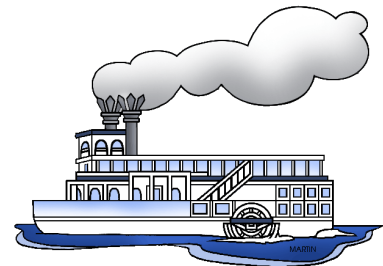
Two games were played:
Marshmallow Tower
Christmas Carols

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Ogden-Recording Secretary

Fall Retreat



The Retreat location in Hannibal, MO is Tabernacle of Praise Church. The Chapter will use their fellowship hall for this event. The date of retreat is October 2-4, 2020. There will be four classes taught with a “fun night” planned for Saturday evening. Teachers are to submit projects, unsigned and in a paper bag, at the April 2020 meeting. There will also be 2 make-it-take-its.



There was an excellent response to the “white elephant” table at our November meeting. Thank you to those of you who donated as well as those who purchased. The monies from the table and the watercolor raffle amounted to \$199.

The board has decided to continue the table at all our 2020 meetings. If you have anything you wish to donate just bring the items to the meeting marked with a price for selling. The monies will be collected throughout the year and presented to the USO in November.

You may also continue to bring snacks, paper goods etc. to each meeting. I will only be making two trips to the airport. One after the June meeting and again after the November meeting.

Thank you once again for your generous support.

Barb Ogden

MARCH PROGRAM

Gateway Decorative Artists supports three local non-profits that are doing great work in our community. So, I want to begin this year's program highlighting some of their work. For our *March 8th* meeting I have invited Mr. Dave Henroid, USO Speakers' Bureau Chair, to attend our meeting and to not only give us an update on the USO's mission and needs, but also to give us a brief background of his own personal involvement with this organization.

Mr. Henroid is an Army Veteran, and a retired Missouri Department of Transportation Highway Designer. He has been with the USO of Missouri for 30 years. Please help me in welcoming Mr. Henroid in March.

No Supply Cost but donations are welcome.

Registration Deadline: Friday, February 28th. Please let me know if you are staying for the program as we may need to allow for extra seating.



APRIL PROGRAM

For our meeting on *April 19th* and as Spring will be around the corner, I have invited Amber Price, a certified yoga instructor and artist, who will teach us the creative art of painting mandalas.

Mandala means “circle” in the classical Indian language of Sanskrit. Mandalas are sacred symbols that are traditionally used for meditation and mindfulness. Navajo Indians and Tibetan monks have created mandalas out of colored sand to demonstrate the impermanence of life. Mandalas have a religious significance and they are also used in art therapy.

In this hands-on workshop we will be creating our own mandala designs to make a necklace. All jewelry components will be included.

Supply cost: \$5 per person.

Registration Deadline: Friday, April 3rd.





These are the seminar teachers we are considering. Take a look to see what appeals to you for our July seminar and contact either Luz Rooney or Barb Ogden with your preference.

Debbie Cushing

<https://www.cindyharrisonart.com/debbie-cushing>

Maxine Thomas

<https://www.countryprimitivdesigns.com>

Maureen Baker

www.maureen-baker.com

Erika Joanne

www.erikajoanne.com



Gateway Decorative Artists Program Registration Form

Program _____ Date _____ Date _____ Date _____
Class Fee _____ Surface/Supply Fee _____
Name _____ Phone _____
Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
Email _____ Amount _____ Cash _____ Check _____

CHECK HERE IF YOU AGREE TO HAVING YOUR PICTURE IN OUR PUBLICATIONS OR FACEBOOK ()

Send to Barbara Ogden, 1424 Cave Springs Estate Drive, St. Peters, MO 63376 For Questions call: 314-607-6946 or email:
program@gatewaydecorativeartists.com



Dave Henroid
USO Speaker's Bureau Chair

Personal

Army Veteran 1969-1972 - South Korea and West Germany
Retired MoDOT Highway Designer - 41 years
3 Sons - 5 Grandchildren - Wife (Jane) Retired Teacher
Cancer Survivor.

Volunteer Commitments

USO of Missouri Volunteer 1989 –2019 - USO Speakers Bureau – 30 years
Stand Down Volunteer (St. Louis Homeless Veterans) – 24 years
Stand Down Volunteer (San Diego) – 18 years
Partners Charitable Golf Tournament Volunteer – 16 years
Missouri Baptist Hospital Volunteer – 10 years
Franklin County Honor Flight Volunteer / Board Member– 9 Flights
Forest Park Forever Volunteer – 7 years
Missouri History Museum / Soldiers Memorial – 4 year

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FOOD ITEMS
Pre-packaged Lunch Meats
Hot Dog Buns
Sandwich Bread (wheat and white)
Sliced Cheese (American and Swiss)
Fresh Fruits or bags of fruit (store bought)
Bulk Cereal (Fruit Loops, Raisin Bran, Frosted Flakes)
Bottled Water (12 oz. or smaller)
Starkist Tuna Packets (individual)
Jalapeno Slices
Slim Jims (individually packaged)
Chex Mix (individually packaged)
Fridays Potato Skin Chips (1 oz.)
Potato Chips (individually packaged)
Fritos/Doritos (individually packaged)
Cheese-Its (individually packaged)
Maruchan Instant Lunch
Cookies (individually packaged)
Raisins (individually packaged)
Nuts (individually packaged)
Beef Jerky (individually packaged)
Trail Mix (individually packaged)
Snack Cakes (individually packaged)
Chocolate Candy
Muffins (individually wrapped)
Vienna Sausages (small cans)
Rice Krispie Treats (store bought)
Folgers Coffee (medium roast)
Fruit and/or Vegetable Juice Boxes
Meat and Cheese Tray (store bought)
Vegetable Tray (store bought)
Protein Bars
Yogurt (individual serving)
Dunkin Hines Mug Cakes

NON-FOOD ITEMS
6" Paper Plates
10" Paper Plates
Styrofoam Bowls (12 oz.)
Food Trays/Boats (2 lb.)
Indv. Wrapped Drinking Straws 7 3/4"
Lysol Cleaning Wipes
Styrofoam Cups (8 oz.)
Paper Towels
Swiffer Wetjet Refill
Swiffer Wetjet Pads

PERSONAL CARE ITEMS
Toothpaste (travel size)
Shaving Cream (travel size)
Mouthwash (travel size)
Razors
Lip Balm

SPECIALTY ITEMS
New, Unwrapped Toys

SORRY, THERE ARE SOME ITEMS WE CAN'T ACCEPT

- Chewing Gum
- Crayons/Markers
- Ramen Noodles - bricks
- Homemade Food Items
- Used Toys
- Hardcover/Paperback Books
- Styrofoam plates
- Greeting/Note Cards
- Magazines Older than 3 months
- Items Past Expiration

*The USO of Missouri relies heavily on donations to support our efforts.
Thank you for supporting America's military families!*

Questions? Please contact Chris at ctrotter@usomissouri.org.



Join us for the **SDP Summer Retreat** in North Wichita, KS. Just 18 minutes away from the airport! There will be 3 fun filled days of painting with 5 of the best teachers. Mark your calendars and start making arrangements. sdp@decorativepainters.org

Retreat Information

Class Registration will open February 19th at 9am Central. Be sure to reserve your hotel space by going to

https://www.bestwestern.com/en_US/book/hotel-rooms.17107.html?groupId=4B2ES7R2 select your dates and click update. Rooms are \$79.99 when you use the GROUP ID:4B2ES7R2.

Class Information

This Retreat will have 5 teachers featuring a different project each day. Take classes from one teacher only or switch it up and select a new teacher each day. Mark Menendez, colored pencil projects; Jamie Mills-Price, acrylic projects; Pricilla Hauser MDA, acrylic projects-May 12; Andy Jones CDA, acrylic projects-May 13; Chris Williams, acrylic projects-May 14.

[Last day to register is 5/8/2020](#)

[You can copy and paste the web site addresses into your search engine to get more information.](#)



TURNING POINT



Turning Point Women's Shelter serves victims from Warren, Gasconade, Lincoln, Franklin, and Montgomery counties and others. They shelter about 75 women and 100 children annually. These are things that are really needed:

Over the counter cold and flu medicine
Disinfectant wipes
Cleaning products
Toilet Tissue
Paper towels
Kleenex
Towels/Wash Cloths
Shampoo/Conditioners/Body Wash

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me, Cheryl Wilburn, at 314-640-8759.



Rescue Wish List For Dogs or Cats



Wet or Dry food (for cats or dogs)
Pet Beds Clean Blankets or Towels

We currently have 26 members.
There will be no pin exchange this year,
however we do plan to repeat “Birthday Pal”
at the June meeting with a gift limit of \$15.



As always if someone need a card, change of
address or email address, please let me
know. (314) 921-0425

Jean Lindsey, Membership Chair jeanlinddey@att.net



Donna WesselFebruary 7
Luz Rooney March 30

Check List for Meeting:

- Refreshments, if you are on the committee.
- Pet Rescue Donations
- Turning Point Donations
- Painted Memory Boxes
- USO Donations
- White Elephant Donations



NEXT NEWSLETTER DEADLINE: March 20



...time to be thankful


And to give a “Big Pumpkin” Thank You to our Cherished Volunteers who served on the Hospitality/Refreshment Committee for Gateway’s November meeting.

The buffet table held yummy refreshments prepared by Donna Wright, Luz Rooney, Jeanne Abraham, Donna Wessel, Joan Reilly, Mary Jo Kumer and Sarah King.

Beautiful decorations were created (and donated) to make the tables festive by Carolyn Weingaertner, Donna Wright and Millie Johnson.*

A note of thanks to everyone who helped set-up and clear the tables before and after the meeting so everyone would have time to participate in the After Meeting Paint-In.

Kudos to Barb Ogden who always goes over the top to help get the room ready and “Steps Up to the Plate” to do whatever is needed to be done for Gateway Meetings as well as for other fun events for our painting group.



**The Sunshine Girls
Liz McClintock
Linda Nelson**

*Wooden pumpkins painted by Millie Johnson were from Joanne Graff's Estate Sale and donated by Linda Nelson

Upcoming Hospitality/Refreshment Agenda :

Sign Up sheets to serve on the 2020 Refreshment Committee will be on the table at the March Meeting.

Decorations have been donated for the April, June and November meeting. If you would like to show your talents, check with Linda Nelson to volunteer and join the Decorating Crew. The meeting for September is open for Volunteers.

We think you in advance for your help.

The Sunshine Girls

**Liz McClintock
Linda Nelson**

Bookmark Pattern.....copy on Watercolor Paper.



GATEWAY DECORATIVE ARTISTS MEMBERSHIP FORM

Membership in the Chapter is OPEN ONLY to persons who are dues-paying members of SDP

ANNUAL DUES ARE \$20, PAYABLE BY DECEMBER 1

Please make check payable to Gateway Decorative Artists;

Mail to Jean Lindsey, 140 So. St. Charles St., Florissant, MO 63031

Name _____ New Member _____ Renewal _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Birth Date _____ SDP Membership No. _____ (include copy of SDP Card)

PLEASE CHECK HERE IF YOU DO NOT WANT YOUR PICTURE PRINTED IN OUR NEWSLETTER, FACEBOOK, WEB SITE OR OTHER PUBLICATIONS .

Check all that apply:

Individual Member _____ Teacher _____ Business Member _____ Name of Shop _____

Certification: MDA ___ CDA ___ TDA ___

Preferred Painting Medium: Oil _____ Acrylic _____ Watercolor _____ Other _____

What year did you start painting? _____

Favorite Artists: _____





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UNITED STATES

- \$60 INDIVIDUAL
- \$90 BUSINESS
- \$40 HOUSEHOLD*
- \$40 TRIAL**
- \$20 STUDENT***

CANADA (U.S. FUNDS)

- \$80 INDIVIDUAL
- \$50 ONLINE INDIVIDUAL†
- \$110 BUSINESS
- \$80 ONLINE BUSINESS †
- \$40 HOUSEHOLD*
- \$40 TRIAL**
- \$20 STUDENT***

INTERNATIONAL (U.S. FUNDS)

- \$80 INDIVIDUAL
- \$50 ONLINE INDIVIDUAL†
- \$120 BUSINESS
- \$80 ONLINE BUSINESS†
- \$40 HOUSEHOLD*
- \$40 TRIAL**
- \$20 STUDENT***

CHECK IF TWO YEAR MEMBERSHIP PAYMENT IS INCLUDED. \$ _____

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- HOME STUDIO
- TEACHER*
- TRAVEL-TEACHER*
- OTHER

* If you select "Teacher" and/or "Travel-Teacher", you will also be listed in the Online Teacher Directory. For a Non-Business member to be listed in the Teacher Directory cost is \$20.

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- TEACHER

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HOUSEHOLD MEMBER NAME _____ MEMBER NO. (If Renewal) _____

BUSINESS NAME _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

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Check Money Order CREDIT CARD: AMERICAN EXPRESS DISCOVER MASTERCARD VISA TOTAL _____

CARD NUMBER _____ EXPIRATION DATE _____

SIGNATURE _____ CVV CODE _____

YES! This is a gift membership from _____ I was referred by _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: SDP send to: Society of Decorative Painters, Attn. Membership, 1220 E. First St., Wichita, KS 67214-3907

Or FAX MEMBERSHIP FORM TO: (316) 269-9191

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