

Trail's End Art Association



A Welcomed Change!

The next time you Gallery sit and someone wants to write a check, just have them make it out to TEAA and not the artist! At the end of each month, Treasurer Beverly Peck will send the artist a check for the amount of the purchase, minus a 15% commission that will go toward TEAA operations. Cards will still be exempt from the commission.

Sheila Brown Featured

Many members have taken advantage of Sheila Brown's fantastic classes, so it is no surprise that she has been selected as this month's featured artist. Sheila Brown lives and works in Astoria, Oregon. She has a broad array of artistic talents including pottery, graphic design, professional illustration, indoor and outdoor murals, watercolor, collages, colored pencil, and linoleum block printing.

Sheila was Invited to exhibit her art at the Lower Columbia Estuary Partnership's annual *Reach for the Columbia Dinner and Art Show and Sale* that took place in November, 2009 at the Portland Art Museum. Sheila sold eight out of twelve pieces and was the most successful



Sheila Working

artist at the event. Besides TEAA, Sheila is also associated with a

community drawing group that has met for five years in the Astoria area and offers a local show and sale once a year.

She is also a member of the *Palette Puddlers*, which is a painting group that meets weekly in Cannon Beach. The group shows their art three to four times a year.



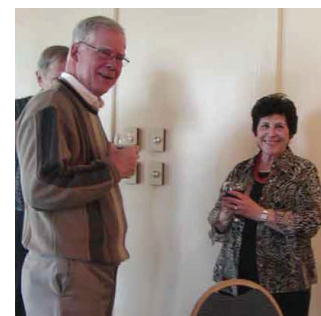
Featured Art Work



Procrastinators Chris, Shirley & Joan



Scott and Tim Donated Gift Certificates to the Procrastinators from Dots 'N Doodles



More Procrastinator's Steve and Jane chat

SPECIAL DATES

- May 30-31 Bring June Art
- June 5th Artist Reception & Seaside Art Walk 5-8 pm
- June 11 Business Meeting 9:30am, General Meeting 11am (Karen Leedom, author of *A is for Astoria* will sign books. A 15% donation to TEAA for each book sold)

2010 Suggested Monthly Gallery Themes

- June: Abstract
- July: Impressionism
- August: Annual Show
- September: Realism
- October: Surrealism
- November: Simplicity
- December: Spirituality

Member's Corner

Upcoming Events

Artist Reception Demonstration



Gheri Fouts will do a watercolor art demonstration at the June 5th TEAA Artist Reception 5-8pm



June Meeting Presentation

Karen Leedom, the author of [A is for Astoria](#), and our own Sally Bailey, who did the illustrations, will make a short presentation at the June General Meeting. Buy a copy at the meeting and 15% will be donated to TEAA.

Your Input Needed

A recommendation has been made to change the dates of Gallery show intake to mid-month rather than the end of the month, with the shows still being a month long. The change would start in September. The reason for the change is to maximize advertising of the show (and hopefully sales), by publicizing the Featured Artist prior to the Artist Reception. Talk it over in your classes, or send your thoughts to Mary Ann 503-861-2832, Gantenbeine@aol.com

May Presentation

Members attending the May General Meeting were highly entertained by Mac Burns, the Executive Director for the Clatsop County Historical Society.

Mac presented a verbal picture of the relatively unknown history of Astoria's first 200 years. Astoria will be celebrating its birthday starting in May 2011.

Few know that without John Jacob Astor, Oregon and Washington would probably both be part of Canada. Astoria was also pivotal in the War of 1812, where years were spent determining who would claim the City when all was said and done.

He also discussed Astoria's



Centennial and Sesquicentennial celebrations. The first featured representatives from every state in the union and much like a world's fair. The unexpected legacies of those events include the purchase of Coxcomb Hill where the Astoria Column now stands in 1911 and enough money to build the City's Library in 1961. He left everyone curious about what the legacy of next year's event might be.

There will be art exhibits and he encouraged TEAA to participate. Members discussed perhaps having a show with Astoria scenes (the Plein Air group often meets in that area) during the summer.

A Sneak Preview

A taste of Art In Gearhart this summer will again provide some delicious art experiences. Returning nationally known artists include Kristy Kutch teaching Colored Pencil and Fealing Lin in WC. Other workshops will include NW Indian inspired mask making, block printing, fused glass jewelry, Collage, Acrylics, Uncovering Your Inner Artist and more. Look for more in the June Newsletter. To pre-register for Kristy and Fealing (these are filling up fast) call Ellen at 503-861-0718.

Thank You

A great thank you goes to Bonnie Crossman's husband, who has donated many of her art supplies to the TEAA and the Transition Center.

A plaque designed and executed by member Mark Kenny was presented by one of his students (center) on behalf of Tongue Pt Job Corp to Congressman Wu through his Aid in Washington D.C.



General Meeting Minutes May 14, 2010

Call to Order

Second Vice-President Jeannette Davis called the meeting to order at 11:04 a.m. Members present were Second Vice-President Jeannette Davis, Laurie Conway, Publicity Chair Ellen Zimet, August Show Manager Deanne Johnson, Judy Fredrikson, Bill Vlek, Jane Means, Sally Bailey, Member-at-Large Susan Bish, Lynda Campbell, Webmaster Kitty Paino, Howard Peck, Treasurer Beverly Peck, Pat Button, and Secretary Lou Kister.

Speaker

Mac Burns of the Clatsop County Historical Society asked us how many of us knew that Astoria's history is nationally famous. Astoria was founded in 1811 by John Jacob Astor as a fur trading post. It was the first American settlement on

the west coast after the Louisiana Purchase. Mac gave us a short history of Astoria and its founding, its celebrations, and the 2010-2011 bicentennial.

Secretary's Report

Secretary Lou Kister asked if there were any corrections or additions to the minutes. Jane Means moved to accept the report. Ellen Zimet seconded.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Beverly Peck stated that our Bank of Astoria balance as of April 1, 2010, was \$2,547.76. Our income for April was \$1,086.00 and our expenses were \$1,767.28 leaving a balance of \$1,866.47. Our Capital One Money Market Account plus interest and our Development Fund stands at \$4,852.95. Beverly has renewed

our Key Bank CD for seven months. The CD is now worth over \$5,000. As provided in the budget, she sent a twenty dollar donation to the Gearhart

Fire Department for its annual Fireman's Ball on May 29th. If any member would

like to use the tickets, please call Beverly Peck. Beverly filed our federal income tax electronically which only took five minutes unlike the time consuming forms of previous years.

Membership

Second Vice-President Jeannette Davis reported that we now have ninety-four members.

Old Business

*Printer: We now have a new printer that works very well. *Procrastinator's Dinner: Member-at-Large Susan Bish reported that the dinner was very successful. She reminded us that the purpose of

AUGUST EXHIBITION

Deanne Johnson directs this year's August Judged Exhibition. She especially needs volunteers to set up and clean after the reception on August 7th. Contact Deanne to help with

these or other assistance you'd like to offer. 503-738-0346 gretacomehere@msn.com



introduced new member Laurie Conway. *August Show: August Show Manager Deanne Johnson said art intake would be on Sunday, August 1st 2:00—6:00 and Monday, August 2nd. The opening reception will be on August 7th. The judges are Ken Phillipi, Eeva Lantela, and Renee Padler.

Deanne handed around sign up sheets for workers and refreshments. *Grate Covers and Dry Rot: Second Vice-President Jeannette Davis announced that Steven Bash would take care of replacing grate covers with flooring as well as removing and repairing the dry rot areas on our porch. *New scholarship forms will be available at the front desk soon.

New Business

*Adopting New Accounting Procedures: From now on all checks for purchases are to be made out to Trail's End Art Association. At the end of the month the treasurer will send a check and receipt to each artist who has sold work during the month. Beverly will deduct the 15% which helps

cover the costs Trail's End needs for upkeep. She will do the same for workshops. This method will

the dinner is to have a chance to become better acquainted with members both longtime and new. Susan asked members to share requests and complaints with her.

*New Member: Jeannette Davis

make the task of gallery sitting much easier. *Grant applied for from the Oregon Cultural Trust: Kitty Paino and Ellen Zimet wrote an application for a grant to provide extra money for advertising, setting up credit card capability, and creating an online store on our website. We'll know the results on August 1st. *Changing the timing for art pick up and intake: In order to allow us to take pictures to print in the Daily Astorian's Coast Weekend, we need to do this ten days before the issue comes out. Sally Bailey suggested making the Art Walk reception a closing reception. Another suggestion was to have the hanging committee select artists earlier than a show and have them bring in their work for photos. Pat Button commented we need more discussion and recommended tabling this until next month. Ask members to send in comments about changing intake dates. *Bonnie Crossman's husband has generously given us her art supplies. We shall use them for kid camps and the Transition Center.

Announcements

*Next month Sally Bailey will bring in the author and her book A is for Astoria. The illustrations were done by Sally. *Liability forms are required by our insurance. Be sure you have updated and signed your form.

New Member

Meet TEAA's newest member (who came straight to the General Meeting from clam digging on the beach) Laurie Conway.



*Ellen Zimet reviewed the possible summer schedule for August workshops: Kristy Kutch, Colored Pencils, July 31st-August 1st;

Terry Remington and Kitty Paino, Mask Making, August 3rd-August 5th; Sheila Brown, Linoleum Block, August 6th-7th; Scott Leahing, Travel Journals, July 27th; Rhonda Grudenic, Acrylic, August 11th-August 13th; Fealing Lin, Watercolor, August 17-19, Sheila Brown, August 20th-August 21st; Albert Wood, August 20th and 26th; Linda Ollis, August 25th-August 26th. *Member-at-Large Susan Bish shared Lynda Campbell's idea that we should plan a show for the Bicentennial next summer. *Jane Audrey has injured herself in a fall.

Adjournment

Second Vice-President Jeannette Davis adjourned the meeting at 12:35 p.m. Respectfully submitted, Lou Kister, Secretary

Book Signing

Sally Bailey will be available at the June meeting to sign A is for Astoria with author Karen Leedom. Sally is the illustrator.



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Beg to Inter Watercolor
Carol Couch \$15 for members—
 \$18 non. Call Carol 360-665-5319
 for more information. Wednes-
 days 9:00—12:00

Intermediate Watercolor class is
 a leaderless group that watches
 famous artist videos and has
 members instruct. Call **Mary Ann**
Gantenbein at 861-2832 or Suz-
 anne King at 861-0260 for more
 information. \$5.00 donation goes
 to video fund.

Linoblock Printing
Sheila Brown
 Each four weeks \$60 for mem-
 bers- \$75 for nonmembers. Some
 materials provided. Must call
 ahead for the rest of the supply
 list and to pre-register. 503-338-
 6351.

Pastel Studio, is free to mem-
 bers! Join in at any time. Call Pas-
 tel facilitator **Kathy Moberg** 738-
 6653 for more information.

Plein Air
 Open to all members. Painting in
 various regional locations. Con-
 tact **Sally Bailey** 503-325-1589 to
 check on schedule changes.

Kids Summer Art Camp Begins
 (more to come) The first session
 is eco- Going Green, with a
 dragon theme!
 Janet Williner. Contact Janet for
 more information and to register
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 717-1118

Trail's End Art Center Calendar

June 2010						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30 Pick up Art, Leave June Art	31 Pick up Art, Leave June Art	June 1 Pastel Studio K. Moberg 10:00- 3:00	2 Beg to Inter Watercolor Carol Couch 9:00-12:00 Int Watercolor 1:00-4:00	3 Plein Air Ireta's Cannon Beach	4 <i>Open Studio</i> <i>Fun with Acrylics and Watermedia 9-2</i>	5 Lino Block-Printing Sheila Brown 9:00-12:00 Artist Reception 5-8pm
6 <i>Open Studio</i>	7 Plein Air Rockaway Beach Overnighter until May 6	8 Pastel Studio K. Moberg 10:00- 3:00	9 Beg to Inter Watercolor Carol Couch 9:00-12:00 Int Watercolor 1:00-4:00	10 Plein Air Brownsmead	11 Business Meeting 9:30am~ General Meeting 11am	12 Lino Block-Printing Sheila Brown 9:00-12:00 Artist Reception 5-8pm
13 <i>Open Studio</i>	14	15 Pastel Studio K. Moberg 10:00- 3:00	16 Beg to Inter Watercolor Carol Couch 9:00-12:00 Int Watercolor 1:00-4:00	17 Plein Air Camp Mile 18	18 <i>Fun with Acrylics and Watermedia 9-2</i>	19 Lino Block-Printing Sheila Brown 9:00-12:00
20 <i>Open Studio</i>	21	22 Pastel Studio K. Moberg 10:00- 3:00	23 Beg to Inter Watercolor Carol Couch 9:00-12:00 Int Watercolor 1:00-4:00	24 Neacoxie Lake, Sunset Rd. Ellen and Caroline's	25 <i>Fun with Acrylics and Watermedia 9-2</i>	26 Lino Block-Printing Sheila Brown 9:00-12:00
27 <i>Open Studio</i>	28 Kid's Camp- Going Green Janet Williner	29 Kid's Camp- Going Green Janet Williner	30 Kid's Camp- Going Green Janet Williner	July 1 Kid's Camp- Going Green Janet Williner Plein Air Loretta's, Cullaby Lake	2 Kid's Camp- Going Green Janet Williner	3 Artist Reception 5-8pm

More Procrastinators. A great thanks goes to Susan Bish for organizing the event. The food was fantastic and the company a lot of fun.

