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Basket Luncheon

Thank you all for the great job at Basket Lunch. It was beautiful. We had 128 baskets, 30 – 35 special raffles and 32 tables. The boutique went well for the first year. All told, HPDA took in about \$6,000.00 that day! We won't have a final count on profit until all of the income and expenses have been tallied, hopefully by the April meeting.



The room is reserved for next year, March 9, 2013. Let's enjoy next year as much as we enjoyed this year.

Many Hands Make for Light Work, we could not have done it without you.

The address for Faith Presbyterian, where the luncheon is held, will be included in every article in 2012 and 2013.

Faith Presbyterian Church

11501 Walker Ave. N

Seminole, FL 33772

With Gratitude,

Jacki and Chris

2012 Calendar

- April** 14: Chapter Meeting
- May** 10: Board Meeting ~ Panera's Bardmoor - 6pm
12: Chapter Meeting
14-19: SDP Convention
- June** 9: Chapter Meeting
- July** 12: Board Meeting ~ Panera's Bardmoor - 6pm
14: Chapter Meeting
- August** 11: Chapter Meeting
13-18: HOOT
- September** 6: Board Meeting ~ Panera's Bardmoor - 6pm
8: Chapter Meeting
- October** 13: Chapter Meeting
13: HPDA "Country Store"
- November** 8: Board Meeting ~ Panera's Bardmoor - 6pm
10: Chapter Meeting
- December** 8: HPDA Annual Christmas Party



Christmas Committee

The Christmas Committee will now meet on April 14th at our new meeting location—Oak Ridge Wesleyan Church at 9:15am. This will be a short meeting to choose the family that we will support at Christmas. If you have any items that you have painted for the Christmas Party, please bring them to this meeting.

Thank-you,
Ruth Johnson

HPDA General Meetings

Meetings are the 2nd Saturday of the month at

Oak Ridge Wesleyan Church
11000 110th Ave. N.
Largo, FL 33778
NEW LOCATION!!

The doors are open at 8am for "Social Hour". Come early to enjoy coffee and breakfast goodies. The business meeting starts at 10:00 am. After the business meeting, we will enjoy a wonderful lunch provided by our Chapter members followed by a painting program/workshop,

Pennies for Painters

March 28, 2012



Previous Balance:	\$	7.09
Collected:	\$	7.00
Disbursed:	\$	0.00
Current Balance:	\$	14.09 plus 2 Canadian nickels

Thanks to all who contribute.

Seminars

We had a wonderful seminar with Maureen McNaughton and everyone finished their pieces. It was quite a learning experience and a very gracious lady willing to share all of her years of learning with our members.



Now onto our next Big Brush. We will be hosting Judy Diephouse on November 17 & 18, 2012. This will be our Thank You Seminar and it will be free to our members with the proceeds from Basket Luncheon. The Board has met and have chosen 5 projects. The membership will vote at the April meeting and choose 2 from the 5 projects to be painted for the seminar. I will then let Judy know our choices. She is another VERY knowledge teacher and we will learn a lot from her. I will be starting signups in September and there will be a \$10.00 non-refundable fee to sign up.

I will post the projects chosen in the May newsletter.

See you in April.

Toni



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Christmas Party

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2012 Programs & Seminars

April

10: Program - Louise Shelton ~ "All Eyes are on You"
Fabric Paints—Fee \$5.00

May

10: Program - Linda McCurdy ~ Purse Project
Paper making—Fee \$3.00

June

9: Program - Julie Polderdyke ~ "Magnetic Bookmarks"
Acrylic Wash

July

14: Program - Sherrie Colgain ~ "Snowman" Plate
FolkArt Enamel Paints

August

11: Program - Pat Stone ~ Project TBA

September

8: Program - Jacki Gehring ~ Project TBA

October

13: Program - Project TBA

November

10: Program - Chris Wolfe ~ Project TBA
17-18: "Thank You" Seminar - Judy Diephouse ~ Project
TBA

December

8: HPDA Annual Christmas Party

Programs

April Program



All Eyes are on You
Designed by Pat Ciccolella
Taught by Louise Shelton
Fee—\$5.00

Natural Canvas Bag 17 X 17 (or light fabric of your choice)
Graphite
Stylus
Micron or Identi-pen
Flat or Angle #2
Flat or Angle 3/4"
#3 round
Shirt or canvas panel
Pins
Tape
Waxed paper
Bags will be available at the meeting for \$6.00

*May Program - sneak peek
paper folding with Linda McCurdy*



HPDA Chapter Membership



HPDA Yearly Pro-rated Dues

Dec 1 ~ April 30	\$15.00
May 1 ~ Aug 31	\$10.00
Sept 1 ~ Nov 30	\$ 5.00



You must also be a member of
The National Society of Decorative Painters
SDP Dues ~ \$50.00/year

decorativepainters.com

We would love to have you join our fun group.

For more information
contact

Linda McCurdy

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Sunshine Committee



No cards were sent out this month.

"Pat"

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BASIC PAINTING SUPPLIES

Required to start with:

- Water container, preferably divided
- Palette paper, tracing paper, stylus, graphite paper (black or grey)
- Paper towels, Q-tips, Scissors, tape, pencil
- 2 round brushes—at least 2 sizes apart (like 3, 5)
- 2 flat brushes—at least 2 sizes apart (6, 10)
- 1 liner—preferably a script liner

Items to add as you go:

- Large basecoat brush, large varnish brush—designate for each purpose
- More rounds, flats and filberts, specialty brushes and stencil brushes
- Blue tape, sandpaper, finishing sanding paper, paper bag pieces for sanding
- Palette knife, silk sea sponge and regular sea sponge (an assortment), toothbrush
- Wet palette
- White graphite paper
- Snap lid paint pots to keep mixed colors to finish a project
- Brush cleaner

Add ons:

- Small spray bottle of water
- Small spray bottle of rubbing alcohol—to clean mop brushes
- Mini blow dryer- for drying paint

Lovely basket luncheon. April's suggested menu is soup, salad and sandwiches. Don't let the theme stop you from bringing food it is only a suggestion. We will need breakfast items, main dishes, drinks, and deserts.



April	Soup/Salad/Sandwiches
May	Hotdogs/Beans
June	Birthday Cake/Pizza
July	Italian
August	Salads
September	Pot Luck
October	International
November	Harvest Food

Remember, you get Funny Money for bringing in food. This is a great way for new members to start earning Funny Money.

Thank you all again,

Henriette

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HPDA Member Rates

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New address, please change in your directory!

Myrna McGowan

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2012 SDP Membership



Just a reminder to everyone to bring in your HPDA dues card if you have not already done so. Thank you to all who have paid their dues to HPDA AND NATIONAL. This is a requirement to be a member in good standing. You must belong to both organizations. Welcome to all new members.

Linda McCurdy



Funny Money



Serve as a Voting Officer	100
Serve as a Committee Officer	50
Serve on a Committee	30
Serve on a Committee - Per Meeting	5
Pay Yearly Dues Early:	
Pay in Sept	50
Pay in Oct	40
Pay in Nov	30
Present a Program	250
Assist at a Program	50
Bring in a New Member	50
Join as a New Member - In Packet	20
Attend a regular Chapter Meeting	5
Bring Refreshments for Meeting	50
Donate Painted Raffle Item	40
Donate Unpainted - Paint Related Raffle Item	10
Donate Painted Item for Special Raffle	100
Donate to Library	25
Donate Painted Cloth Bag	25
Donate Cloth Bag to be Painted	15
Donate Cards to Sunshine Committee	5
Chairperson Request for Member's Service	25
Presidents Request for Member's Service	50
SPCA Donations	15
Food Pantry Donations - per item	15
Sandwich Bag of Tab Tops	10
Donate Painted Item for Funny Money Auction	60
Donate Basket for Luncheon	50
Host Table for Luncheon	200 per table
Additional donations per Chairmen	
Or President can be credited up to:	100

Funny Money Seminar

What a great time and fun class with Linda McCurdy. So many ideas and tips were exchanged that we didn't want to stop. We made floral pull-out cards and folded boxes. Thank you for a great seminar!

Sherrie Colgain



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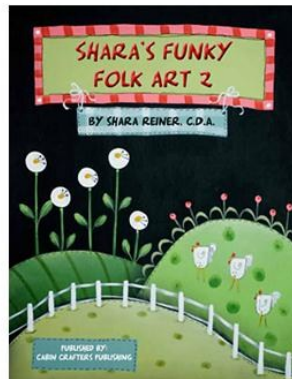
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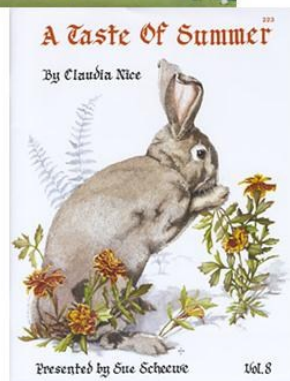
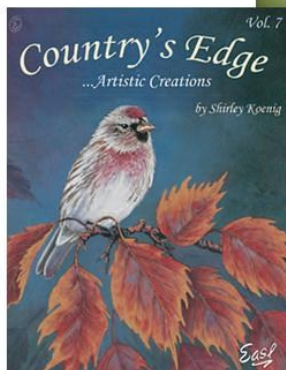
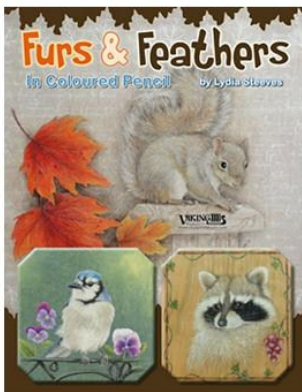
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