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Idaho Chapter of Heritage Artists **CHAPTER CHATTER**



Happy, Happy New Year!!!! It does not seem possible we are already into 2011 – WOW!!

This year offers all of us many opportunities for personal and chapter development. Over the years, we have built a great foundation and this year we will continue to build on that foundation. Each of you has an opportunity to serve ICHA in some way. We need committee chairs and members at all levels of participation. I challenge each of you to volunteer to serve – you will be better for it!!!! Please let me know just which position you would like to fill. If each of us gives a little – a lot can be accomplished!!!!

I hope you have all signed for Gisele’s “Tricks, Tips & Techniques.” It is really hard to tell just what we will all learn (personal development?)!!!!

Please remember to bring your teaching selections for voting this month. This is such an opportunity to share your creativity with the chapter. It is always more fun to have many selections from which to choose. Stephanie Abernathy, Vicky Gardiner and Sandy Oldham are a few of the ones I remember who have special projects that would be great to share with the chapter. I am sure there are others that I have forgotten.

The first board meeting of the year will be held on January 6 – all are welcome to attend.

We will have a great year – I am looking forward to it!!!!
Pat



Dates to Remember

January 6	Board Mtg 6PM	Betty Jo Evans home
January 11	Bunko committee meeting	Jan Tell’s home
January 15	ICHA Regular meeting	
January 28-30	* Bobbie Takashima	Nampa Contact Betty Jo Evans
February 19	ICHA Regular meeting	
March 11-14	* Misha Russian Painting	Contact Laneal Chirin
March 19	ICHA Regular meeting	
April 15-17	Shara Reiner Seminar	
May 16-21, 2011	*SDP Convention,	Wichita, Kansas
July 11-13 and 15-17	*JoSonja Seminar	Boise Hilton
September 22-25	*Raindrop’s Convention,	Clackamas, Oregon



Newsletter Deadline
Monday January 24, 2011 Please send your information to:
ichanews@gmail.com

Program Happenings

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January — Gisele will be sharing with us all the tools and neat things you may not know about that you can use when painting, along with lots of shortcuts and techniques. So much will be talked about that if anyone would like to tape record it for themselves, they have Gisele's permission to do so. There is going to be a lot covered in a short amount of time. You will have an outline for notes, but you can record too and not miss a trick!

February – If all goes well, we will have a demonstration of painting on feathers. Diann will have more details in January.

Memory Boxes

We will be painting memory boxes. We are in dire need of boxes so please plan on painting in February. You can pick up boxes at the January meeting or in February.

Mark Your Calendars

April 15, 16 & 17, 2011 Shara Reiner is scheduled to come and paint with us. These are the projects we will be painting. Signups will start at the January meeting. Cost is \$30 per day. Provide your own surface.



Friday April 15



Saturday April 16



Sunday April 17

TEACHERS FOR 2011

January is the month to vote on classes for the coming year. There are so many creative and talented Artists in our Chapter, I look forward to seeing the projects submitted this year. The classes after the meetings are a great way to get to know your fellow painters and to try out a new technique or project.

Teacher submission guidelines and suggestions:

Student fees for classes are \$7.50. When planning your class, the time frame for the class should not exceed 4-5 hours for completion so that we can expect to finish by 3-3:30 p.m.

The class fee covers teacher fee, line drawing and instructions. If you do not plan to complete the project, photos and step-by-step directions will need to be provided.

If you charge a supply fee, decide what it will include: i.e. kit of supplies, photos, step by step directions, etc. (You will need to estimate this amount before the January Meeting).

Plan to have your pieces to the meeting for display no later than 8:30 a.m. If you cannot attend, arrange for another member to bring them for you.

A project submission sheet is included in the Newsletter (See next page) and on the website www.idahoheritageartists.org

If your project is selected:

1. You will need to make sure that you get your class information and dates in the newsletter by providing the newsletter editor with the information about your class, pictures, surface sources, etc.
2. You are responsible for the sign-ups for your class.
3. Plan to be available for sign-ups and collection of class fees 2-3 meetings before your class. (3 will be necessary if you are collecting for and providing surfaces or kits).

Leah

Ways and Means Happenings

Congrats to Bev Canty for winning the Winter Chair.

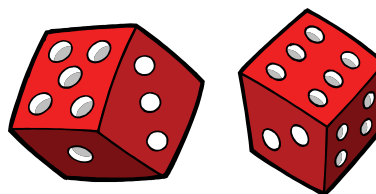


BUNKO COMMITTEE

The first planning meeting for our Annual Bunko Fund Raiser will be held at Jan Tell's on Tuesday, January 11th at 6:30 p.m. If you are interested in helping out with this fundraiser, please know that you will be welcomed with open arms.

Jan's address: 3937 N. Quenzer Way, Meridian
Phone: 908-7630

Happy New Year Everyone.



PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

Votes Received _____

Project Month _____

Submitting Artist: _____

Project designed by _____

Contact Information: Phone _____ Cell _____

E-Mail _____

Medium used and teaching technique: _____

Approximate length of class: _____

Additional supply/Surface fee: _____

Surface ordered by: Teacher _____ Artist _____

Can be painted on any surface provided by artist _____

Paints in class provided by: Teacher _____ Artist _____

Paints for prep _____

Brief description of project: _____



January Birthdays

Stephanie Abernathy	1/20
Wanda Stuart	1/20
Pat Marler	1/22
Laneal Chirin	1/25
Verna Moore	1/28
Jan Issacson	1/29
Beth Seamans	1/29

Trading Post

Does anyone have any art related supplies they would like to buy, sell or trade, or even give away? Looking for a particular pattern, book or magazine? The trading post has been very quiet for some time now. Submit your ad request by the newsletter deadline each month and you can have a free ad as space allows, first come first served. Remember all transactions take place between the interested parties with no chapter involvement.



Thanks to all of you who called, emailed and sent cards while I was down after surgery. They really brightened my days. It is so wonderful to have friends like you.

Bev Canty



~Charitable Donations~

Please remember to bring your items to be donated to the Valley Crisis Center in Nampa. Items re-requested are, women's panties, socks, feminine hygiene products, diapers and formula. Other small personal items such as soap, shampoo, deodorant, etc., are welcome also. There will be a collection box at each meeting throughout the year. A big thank you to Judy Cooper who has delivered our donations to the shelter and reports that the women there are very grateful for our generous contributions. Please let us all keep up the good work!

Recipes From the Christmas Party

Chicken Stuffed Rolls

12 Rhodes rolls thawed but still cold
 8 oz Skinless Chicken Breasts cut into 1" cubes
 3 oz Cream Cheese
 1/4 tsp thyme
 1/4 tsp salt
 1/4 tsp pepper
 1 Tbsp Butter
 1 egg
 1 cup seasoned Bread crumbs

Saute Chicken in butter. Let cool and mix with cream cheese and seasonings. Form dough into 3" circles and put 1 Tbsp chicken mixture in center and pinch closed. Dip in egg and roll in bread crumbs. Bake in greased muffin tins smooth side up at 350 degrees for 20-25 minutes. Makes 12. Serve with Cheese sauce.

Cheese Sauce

2 cans Cheddar Cheese soup
 1 can chicken broth
 Mix together and heat.

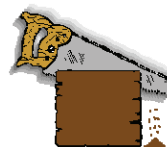
Cheesy Garlic Bread

1 cube butter
 1 Cup Mayo
 garlic (1-2 tsp powder or fresh)
 1-2 cups Shredded Cheese

Mix together and spread on french bread cut in 1/2 lengthwise.
 Bake at 350 15-20 Min.



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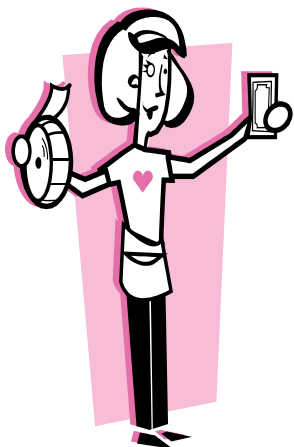
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Volunteers Needed



Irene Myers won the November raffle and chose the special piece. She will be bringing a painted item for the January raffle. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. The more donated items we have the more we make for the chapter.

Sunshine

If you, or anyone you know, is in need of a little sunshine or good wishes, please let Kris or Darlene know. It only takes a minute to make a bright spot in a friend's day.

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Meeting Time and Place

- **Date:** All meetings are on the third Saturday of the month (Except June, July and August no meeting)
- **Time:** 8:00 to 9:00 for Registration, sign-ups, Coffee and Social time.
- **Meeting starts promptly at 9:00am**
- **Place:** *University of Phoenix*
 1422 S. Tech Lane
 Meridian, Idaho

Take the Meridian/Kuna exit - turn towards Kuna, take a right on Overland, then right on Tech Ln.