

# September 2021

## Check out our website at www.sheltonarts.com

### Message from PAA President, Pat Denney

Fall is here and nature provides so much inspiration for our art. Hope you can get out and get some of that inspiration for yourself. Several club members are getting together in groups of 3 or 4 to paint together once a week. Size of groups depend on location size, but think about asking others to try a "paint out" or gathering in your studio, garage or wherever to learn from each other and get encouragement. **Deb Hart**, who is an accomplished sculptor, jewelry designer and more is now working on some water-color ideas—give her a call if you could paint a bit at Fawn Lake.

An artist living in Cushman area contacted me and plans to bring art history and art instruction books from the family collection to be given to club members at our meeting on the 14th of October. At that meeting, we can discuss whether we want to do an art book exchange amongst our members at the November meeting or a future meeting. Come and give us your input.

As our November meeting falls on Veteran's Day this year, we would love to see any artwork that is Veteran-related, such as **Belle Brex's** painting of red poppies. Red poppies are worn to recognize fallen soldiers, most notably the million soldiers from over 50 countries in World War I who lost their lives, went missing or were wounded at Flanders Field. Perhaps you have done some art in remembrance, recognition or just to honor our Vets? Please bring and share with the group.

It will be difficult to compile this year's members in to a new roster to get names and contact information, since we did not charge a membership fee for '21. Please call Pat or another Board Member if you have changes to be made in your information or if you want your name included but have been avoiding public meetings. You can also send your information to our Webmaster at <a href="mailto:mailto

Thank you from the Webmaster to those who have recently sent in pictures of your art. They are fabulous! We have space for over 100 pictures per artist, so let's show the world what PAA members are doing! Send those photos and any art-related items of interest to Renee, as both the newsletter and website will always require that members send news, art tips and tricks, items for sale and information on shows we might attend. You can send this information directly to Renee at <a href="mailto:mail

#### Looking forward to seeing you on October 14th!

Upcoming Events

Remember PAA meets every 2nd Thursday of the month! 10/14—PAA Meeting @ Civic Center 1 PM

Ann Mecham, Hands-on Basic Drawing Instructions,

\*\*\*bring a sketch pad and pencil

11/11—PAA Meeting @ Civic Center 1 PM

More information to come

WE WILL DECIDE ON A 2022 SPRING SHOW IN FEBRUARY. STAY TUNED FOR MORE INFORMATION



#### **MEMBER NEWS**

Congratulations to Annie Jones for being juried in to the Pastel Society of America! Annie's work is currently being shown in 2 Rivers Gallery in Wenatchee. Check out our PAA website at sheltonarts.com to view more of Annie's work.

**Patricia Butler** has recently opened an art studio and has gone full time as an artist. She works in oil, watercolor, acrylics, pen and ink. She doesn't currently have a website, so the Webmaster is eagerly waiting for pics of her work to add to our website.

Check out **Kathy Ross's** website at www.krtins.com for some great tin work and interesting thoughts on life. You can sign up for her monthly email newsletter (reputedly highly entertaining!) on the site.

To see new artwork from some of our members, go to **www.sheltonarts.com** and click on "Gallery" at the top. Don't see your artwork on the web page? Send your photos to Renee at malkuri@comcast.net We'd love to see what you've been doing!