




Updates from PAA

- ◆ Thank you, **Julie Bowman**, for an energetic presentation of various collage techniques, basic theory of collage work, and your encouraging words for those new to the process at our April meeting.
- ◆ New member, **Dave Pierik**, will be demonstrating the construction of scale-model buildings out of cardboard at our May meeting. Dave is the creator of craftytimewithdave.com, where he gives tutorials on building fantasy towns and more. **Bring "cereal box" type of cardboard, scissors, tape and glue.**
- ◆ Need one (or two!) people to help coordinate guest speakers and demonstrations for our meetings. We have 8 meetings a year that need speakers and/or demos. Please consider helping us in this vital role. Contact Pat Denny for questions.
- ◆ Spring Show is June 3rd through 7th. Entries are limited to 3 per member, no categories specified. **Deadline to register is Monday, May 20th. See registration form for submission instructions. Registration information must be legible!** As with all major projects, many hands are needed to put the show on. From set up to tear down and hosting during the event, there is a place for all PAA members to assist. Contact **Marci Libellule** or **Renee Matter** to sign up to help.
- ◆ PAA does not conduct regular meetings during the months of June, July and August. This is a great time to schedule "paint outs" and other art expeditions with other members. We will have a member's picnic in August. Watch for information coming this summer.
- ◆ In preparation for the fall, we will be sending out some polling questions regarding your interests, community events we should be involved in, group activities, demonstrations, etc. This will help the Board to plan the future direction of PAA.

	May 9th	1pm-3pm	Regular Meeting
			Dave Pierik-Scale Model Building
	May 20th		Deadline to register for Spring Show
	May 31st	10am-2pm	Spring Show Entry Turn In
	June 3rd	8am	Spring Show Set Up—all welcome to help!
	June 3rd—7th	See attached flyer for times	Member's Only Spring Show

NO REGULAR PAA MEETINGS IN JUNE, JULY AND AUGUST			
STAY TUNED FOR INFORMATION ABOUT OUR AUGUST PICNIC			

Empty Bowls

There are "empty bowls" throughout the world and it is possible to do something positive to support your community and help stop hunger! Create, play, and eat with friends and support your neighbors in need. You will be able to unleash your creative side by building a unique ceramic bowl to keep. All supplies are provided by the Shelton Arts Commission.



Open to all ages, family-friendly, and no registration required!

2024 Empty Bowls Dates

May 1, 5-7 p.m. - Create a Bowl

Come create bowls at the Shelton Civic Center

May 8, 5-7 p.m. - Glaze Your Bowl

Come glaze (decorate) bowls at the Civic Center

May 15, 5-7 p.m. - Soup and Bread



For a donation of \$10, enjoy soup and bread from one of our great local restaurants and receive a completed bowl to keep!

Can't make all three dates? No worries. There will be some extra bowls available at each step.

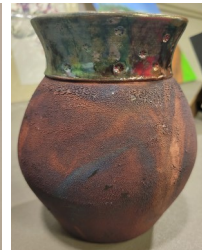
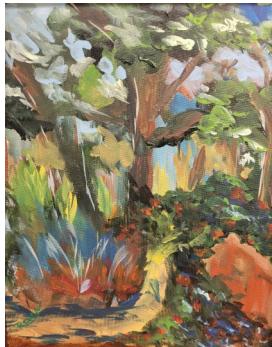
Send your photos to Renee at malkuri@comcast.net

We'd love to see what you've been doing! And so would your friends! So, share the website with them!

www.sheltonarts.com



Art from our April Show & Tell



KEEP ON CREATING!



GETTING YOUR ART IN THE PUBLIC'S EYE

- ◆ **OYSTERFEST 2024 POSTER CONTEST!** Entries must be submitted via mail or in person to: OysterFest Poster Contest c/o Shelton-Mason County Chamber of Commerce, 215 W. Railroad Ave, Shelton, Wa 98584. If bringing in person, please note business hours Monday-Friday 8-5. **Entries must be received by 5:00 pm on Friday June 7th.**
- ◆ A great place to find art shows, etc. is the Call for Entry website at callforentry.org. Their mission is to "make art opportunities available to all by offering arts organizations an affordable submission platform and artists an easy way apply."
- ◆ The Shelton Arts Commission encourages you to submit an application to have your work displayed at the Civic Center Rotating Gallery. Applications are available online at Shelton Parks & Recreation. The gallery is not just for wall art, there is a case upstairs for sculpture, jewelry, etc. Several of our members have been chosen to display in the past. Are you next to inspire and encourage budding artists? Be sure and take a moment to enjoy the talent and creativity of the artists when you are at the Civic Center. Don't forget to check upstairs!

2024 Peninsula Art Association Officers and Directors

Pat Denny	President	Kathy Jacobsen	Vice President
Diane Garner	Secretary	Sharon Brocha	Treasurer
Becky Schuyten	Director	Marcy Libellule	Director
Renee Matter	Director	Julie Bowman	Director
Renee Olson	Director		

Board of Directors shall consist of not more than 5 elected Directors and the elected Officers. Elected Officers consist of the President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. The Board of Directors shall be responsible for business requirements and policies. Please contact Kathy Jacobson or Diane Garner, if interested in serving and for more information.

FINE ART SHOW

Presented by the Members of the Peninsula Art



Open for Public Viewing:

June 3rd 10am-4pm

June 4-6th 8am-4pm

June 7th 8am-3pm

Shelton Civic Center

525 West Cota, Shelton WA

www.sheltonarts.com

New Members Welcome!





Peninsula Art Association

Members Only Art Show

June 3rd – 7th, 2024

9AM to 4PM

Shelton Civic Center

525 Cota Street, Shelton, WA 98584

***All artists entering the show must be current with their dues.** If you haven't paid your 2024 dues yet, don't delay! Non-member artists who are interested in participating can download the membership application from our website at www.sheltonarts.com. The application contains membership pricing and the address to mail your application. Applications must be received no later than May 20, 2024 to be eligible to participate in the show.

***Up to 3 pieces per member may be submitted.** Please send registration to PAA PO Box 11 Shelton WA 98524 or call Pat Denney at 360-994-0677 as soon as possible so we have plenty of time to create and print cards for each submission. May 20th is the deadline to let her know what you are planning to submit. Provide the title, medium used and price (if for sale) for each item along with any special display needs. Artists who call in entries will provide signature when you submit your entries on the 3rd.

***Entries will be turned in on Friday, May 31st from 10 am to 2 pm at the Civic Center.** Submissions will not be accepted after this. If you are not able to bring your entries during this time, please make arrangements with another member to bring your work. This will be the absolute drop-dead date for EXISTING members to pay their 2024 dues to participate in the show. Can't emphasize this enough – your dues must be up to date in order to participate!

***All sales will be handled privately between artist and customer.** The Civic Center and PAA will not handle any sales transactions. At this years member's only event, we will be awarding two prizes; People's Choice Award and the Mayors Award. Be sure to cast your vote!



If you called in your entry information, you will need to sign a completed form on June 3rd, when you bring your entries for submission.

Entry Form Print clearly and Mail form to: PAA PO Box 11 Shelton, WA 98584	Artist Name		
	Address		
	City	State	Zip
	Phone	Email	

Entry # (PAA Use)	Title All items must have title-keep it short	Medium Oil, acrylic, etc. If wood, specify kind or other info	Special Display Need Stand, easel, etc?	Price** If Not For Sale use "NFS"

****All sales of artwork are handled directly by artist. PAA will not be responsible for any transactions.**

I have read the guidelines and agree to abide by the rules and allow images of works for promotional use by PAA.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

For PAA Use Only:

Current Paid Member (yes)

New Member? Check #_

/ \$

Total \$

OysterFest

2024 OysterFest Art Poster Contest

ELIGIBILITY - Artists may submit up to (3) original artworks for consideration.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS -

- Entries must include the artist's full name (first and last), artist's brief bio or artist statement, address, phone number, email address, artwork title and medium.
- Any medium may be used.
- Overall poster size should be approximately 17" x 21" and must be packaged so that they remain flat for judging.
- The OysterFest logo and date will be added to the poster in the graphic design process, so there is no need to include the festival information within the artwork.
- **Entries must be submitted via mail or in person to:
OysterFest Poster Contest c/o Shelton-Mason County Chamber of
Commerce, 215 W. Railroad Ave, Shelton, Wa 98584. If bringing in
person, please note business hours Monday-Friday 8-5.
Entries must be received by 5:00 pm on Friday June 7th.**

FINALIST AND WINNER SELECTION

A panel of judges will select the finalists. Consideration will be given to an eye-catching design and unpublished image which is judged to best capture the spirit and essence of this seafood festival.

SELECTED FINALISTS AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING:

- Poster design may be used in any way to promote the OysterFest event to include but not limited to 2024 OysterFest Poster, festival website, social media, and other merchandise (wine labels, notecards, program etc.).
- Sign 100 commemorative prints for the October 5th event

POSTER WINNER RECEIVES

- One winner will be selected and will win a \$500 cash prize and complimentary admission to the 2024 festival.
- Exclusive poster graphic representation throughout the 2024 OysterFest

All questions may be directed to oysterfestgeneral@gmail.com