



Heritage Happenings

Heritage Decorative Artists of Southeastern Michigan

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Well, here we are again at the end of the year. And as we always say, it went by so fast, can't believe it's here already. But it really did go by fast...WAY TOO FAST!

It can't be the end of the paint year without thanking my 2012 Board members for all their hard work. Thank you to all of you who volunteered to take a position on the 2013 Board.

Thank you to all the committee people who worked so tirelessly on all of our special events this year. Thank you to all of you for the hard work, sweat and toil that went into our marvelous luncheon fundraiser. I know most of you never really get a "thank you" worthy of all the time and effort that goes in this event.

WE ALL THANK YOU!!!

Thank you to all of our background people who helped set up and take down seminars and meetings that we have. Thank you to all of the volunteers who demonstrated at a meeting, or set up a display case, or organized an event, ran the cash register, got lunches at seminars, lugged in and out supplies for teachers, stayed in contact with sick members, etc., etc., etc. I know I'm leaving something out. What I do know is that this group of painters is the best because we are small and we take care of each other. We treat each other like family and that means so much to me. I hope it means the same to all of you.

(Thank YOU, Sandy, for being our president!)

During this holiday season and always, prayers and good wishes go out to painting members and/or their families who are in need right now. Hoping that the holidays are filled for each and everyone of you with memories and loving thoughts to keep you safe. Looking forward to painting with you all in 2013.

Sandy Bagger, President



Happy Birthday!



December	06	Lillian Caban
	06	Karen Lavella
	09	Barb Reinholz
January	08	Judy Turner
	25	Katelyn Samflippo
	31	Nancy Forbes

Memory Box Program

This box is donated by Heritage Decorative Artists
and hand painted by

a decorative artist participating in the Memory Box
Program.

The Memory Box Program is a group of decorative artists who donate their time and money to paint boxes for grieving families. Each box is painted with great love and a sincere wish to reach out in support and understanding. As artists we hope that this box brings you some small comfort and the knowledge that many people understand that your child was special and very, very loved.

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COLORS OF FALL

Another year has come and gone, and the COLORS OF FALL was a success. Many thanks to each and every member who contributed their time and talents. This could not be done if it wasn't for our creative and talented members. There is no payment for doing this except the satisfaction of "a job well done." Jan and I thank each and every one of you, and want you to know how much we appreciated your efforts. Much was done by a few.

Now it's time to think about 2014. Who will answer the call? The manual is laid out and all you need to do is follow it. However, the sooner you start the easier it will be. Groundwork should begin in early 2013. We ask you to consider this opportunity to contribute to HDA. This is an excellent moneymaker for our organization, so please don't be afraid to step forward. It would be a shame to lose this luncheon after it has been established, and we have so many already looking forward to the next COLORS OF FALL.

*Thank You!
Jan Strickland and Gale Copple*

Library Books

You may keep the books until the February meeting. So enjoy the extra time that you have them



Gale Cope is missing a hand painted 9x11" Pink Palette with white flowers. Please check your "stuff" to see if you may have taken it by mistake.

Heritage Decorative Artists
General Meeting Minutes – October 17, 2012

The meeting was called to order by President, Sandy Bagger at 6:58 pm.

Guests: Pat Samflippo, Katie Samflippo, Cheryl Byrd, Sabrina Byrd

Reports

Vice-President: There will be Learn to Paints 11/18/21 and 1/19/13.

Seminars: 4/6/13-Incentive. 2/16/13-Board seminar, 8:30-4:30.

Publicity: Trenton Tribune had an article about our Learn to Paint. The website is up to date.

Secretary: The minutes were approved as read. Motion made by Gail Redd, seconded by Karen Lavella.

Treasurer: Report attached.

Membership: There are currently 21 members. Four are new.

Newsletter: There are extras available.

Ways and Means: Nancy Nicasastro demonstrated a cat that several painted. The raffle included trick and treat bags and painting surfaces.

Sunshine: Peggy visited Sandy Jelen, and she thanked everyone for their cards, calls and visits. Cards were sent to Wanda Vasco and Carrie Schaeffer. Marilyn Buckley and Nancy Forbes were sent cards for their husbands. Sandy Tilt's ankle is better.

Hostess: Thanks for the treats.

Librarian: The books are here. Diane Glover said Artists Club has books for 33% off. If you want something for the library let her know.

Historian: Diane Glover is collecting pictures from the luncheon. If you have some, put them on a disc or shutter fly for her please.

Old Business: Colors of Fall: Did spectacularly, made \$6,441.41. Next year the hostesses need to let their guests know where to put the free basket tickets. Some didn't know until it was too late. The silent auction was down this year.

Learn to Paint: Went well, made money and we got some new members. 11/18/12 we will paint a snowman on slate for \$10. January-clipboard \$10.

Christmas Party: December 5th, the cost is \$10.00 for members. It is at Lakeside Grill on Northline in Taylor, 6:00 pm. We need things for the raffle. No gift exchange. Bring canned food for the Trenton pantry. Pay Tess Richardson by 11/14 and give her the sheets that were passed out to fill out for what you want to eat.

Seminar 2/16/2013: We will paint a frog on a gourd. All day \$15, \$10 for the gourd.

2013 Board

President	Sandy Bagger
Vice President	Jean Michael
Secretary	Judy Turner
Treasurer	(Open position)
Membership	Charlene Wenzel
Newsletter	Joan Hemsworth
Ways and Means	Nancy Nicasastro
Publicity	Vacant (still an open position)
Sunshine	Peggy Mack
Librarian	Diane Glover
Historian	Barb Reinholz
Hostess	Dot Harrison
Brush Bucks	Marilyn Buckley
Web Master	Lisa Neely
Memory Boxes	Sandy Bagger

Chair Positions

Education	Chairperson: Diane Glover: Frog Gourd w/Rondi Burr, February 16, 2013 Co-chairs: Judy Turner/Peggy Mack: Incentive Seminar w/Debby Forshey, April 6, 2013 Chairperson: Charlene Wenzel: Seminar with Mary Owens, TBD Chairperson: Barb Reinholz: Color Pencil Seminar, TBD
Learn to Paint	Chairperson: Karen Lavella
Summer Picnic	Chairperson: Jean Michael
Christmas Party	Chairperson: Pat Samflippo

Hoot Bus

Co-Chairs: Joan Hemsworth, Donna Belanger
(members voted to limit goodie bags)

Karen Lavella moved to accept the slate of officers, Peggy Mack seconded it.
Gail Redd make a motion to adjourn. Judy Turner seconded it. The meeting adjourned at 7:50 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Judy Turner, Secretary



Heritage Decorative Artists of SE MI
Treasury Report – 12/1/2012

Balance	10/16/12		\$16,234.87
Income:	Raffle – Oct	\$ 92.00	
	Colors of Fall	346.00	
	Membership	390.00	
	Learn to Paint	256.00	
	Christmas Banquet	<u>180.00</u>	
	Total	\$1,264.00	\$17,498.87
Expenses:	Sunshine	79.12	
	Learn to Paint	578.43	
	Colors of Fall	143.14	
	Incentive Seminar-deposit	250.00	
	Membership	18.05	
	Chapter Service Fee	37.70	
	Chapter Liability Insurance	66.00	
	Dues Refund	15.00	
	Banking Error	<u>162.00</u>	
	Total	\$1,349.44	
Balance	12/1/2012		\$16,149.43

Barbara Reinholz, Treasurer HDA



LEARN TO PAINT SEMINAR

Saturday, January 19, 2013

1:00 – 400 pm

Flower Clipboard – \$10

Westfield Center

2700 Westfield Rd., Trenton

(Off West Rdl. between Allen & Fort St.)

Teacher: Diane Glover

All levels of painting experience are welcome to come and have an enjoyable afternoon with us. Surface, paint and brushes will be provided. For more information: 734-379-3934

Please make checks to Heritage Decorative Artists or .D.A

Mail to: Diane Glover

220 E. Michigan

Milan, MI 48160

Sign up deadline: January 12, 2013

Name -----

Address -----

Phone -----

Email -----

Brush Bucks/Incentive Points

USES:

Free 2012 Incentive Seminar	25
Incentive Raffle	01
*2010 Colors of Fall Brush Bucks only can be used Toward a seminar in 2011 or 2012	10

DEADLINES:

Brush Bucks earned at one meeting must be turned in no later than the next meeting.

All Brush Buck Vouchers must be turned in by the December 2012 Christmas Party.

QUESTIONS:

Contact: Marilyn Buckley

GUIDELINES FOR EARNING POINTS:

Chairperson on any committee	max 10
Committee Person	max 05

ACTIVITY or EVENT: Points shown are MAXIMUM per meeting

Board Member (shared positions = split points) per year	10
Teach a seminar	10
Demo at a meeting	05
Paint In Hostess	05
Special Raffle or painted door prize donation	03
Perfect Year's Attendance	03
Paint a Memory Box (based, completed & varnished)	03
New member brought to meeting	02
Attend a HDA Seminar	02
Show-and-Tell (per meeting)	02

Participating in HDA display	02
Attending SDP Conventions, Mini-Convention (HOOT), Mixer, Leadership Conference, and any Retreats	02
Painted/donated item for Community Service project	01
Regular Raffle/Library (current book) donation	01
Selling ad space in Newsletter	01
Provide food for seminar or meeting	01
Attend a Paint In	01
10 Pink Yogurt Lids for Cancer	01

PLEASE NOTE:

**Brush bucks are only valid for the year in which they are earned.
*An exception ...2010 Colors of Fall BB's can be applied toward a seminar in either 2011 or 2012 (value \$10)**

Christmas Charity brush bucks will be counted and earned for the current year.

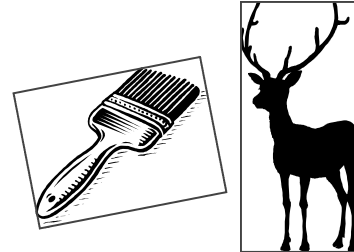
Activities that take place after the December General Meeting that earn brush bucks will be counted for the upcoming new year.

Brush Bucks Voucher

Brush Bucks Valid through 12/12/2012

Name: _____

Activities:



Date: _____

Total Points: _____

Heritage Decorative Artists of Southeast Michigan



*Winter Seminar
February 16th, 2013
9:30 -4:00
Members \$15.00
Non-members \$20.00
The Westfield Center
2700 Westfield Road,
Trenton, Michigan*

Join us as we invite *Rondi Bur* to share with us her fun Frog Gourd. This design features a Froggie Face with flowers, butterflies, and other critters. This design is appropriate for beginners as well as more experienced painters.

Gourds are available for purchase. Diane will bring the gourds to the Christmas dinner and to the January Learn to Paint. Prep will be demonstrated at the January Learn to Paint.

Class room will be open at 9:00 am and class will start promptly at 9:30.

Mail Registration to: Diane Glover, 220 E. Michigan, Milan, MI 48160
Questions: dsmglover@comcast.net/ 734-347-4786

Class: Member \$15.00 _____ Gourd 10.00 _____
Non-Member 20.00 _____ Total Enclosed _____

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____ **City/State/Zip** _____

Email Address: _____

A Toadally Good Time

2012 Calendar of Events

December 5
(6:00 pm)

Lake House Grill, Taylor

Christmas Party
(Tess Richardson)

2013

January 19, 2013
(1:00—4 pm)

Westfield Center

Learn to Paint
(Diane Glover)

January 22
(6:30)

Sandy Bagger's House

Joint 2012 & 2013 Board Meeting

February 16
(9:30 am—4 pm)

Westfield Center

Rondi Bur Frog Seminar
(Diane Glover)

April 6
(6:30 p,m)

Westfield Center

Incentive Seminar
(Judy Turner)

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**HERITAGE DECORATIVE ARTISTS
MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL APPLICATION
2013 DUES - \$15**

NAME: Last: _____ First: _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL _____

PHONE: (____) _____

TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP: NEW _____ RENEW _____

SDP MEMBERSHIP NUMBER _____

BIRTHDATE: (month and day only) _____

Note: You must be a member of the Society of Decorative Painters (SDP) to be eligible for membership in Heritage Decorative Artists. Please contact Charlene Wenzel (734-671-8404) or visit the SDP website for a membership form at <http://www.decorativepainters.org>

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE
TO:
**Heritage Decorative
Artists**

MAIL APPLICATION
AND CHECK TO:
**Charlene Wenzel
2519 Medford
Trenton, MI 48183**

Good News for HDA Teachers!

At their meeting in November, the Board voted to show their appreciation to our in-house member teachers by paying them \$25 to teach an after meeting project and \$50 to teach a Learn to Paint seminar. This will be effective beginning October 2012. Would you like to teach a class soon??



Peggy Mack did a great job teaching both of the Learn to Paint classes. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselvesand we may have some new members as well. Peggy sends her thanks to all who helped make both days so successful.



Sandy Jelen and her family want everyone to know how much your cards and prayers are appreciated while she is recovering from her surgery. She enjoys hearing from all of you.

Don't let your worries get the best of you;
Remember, Moses started out as a basket case.

Young at Heart. Slightly Older in other places.

The trouble with being in the rat race is that even if you win,
You're still a rat.

Incentive Seminar
April 6
Debbie Forshey—Project TBD

In order to attend the Incentive Seminar on April 6th, members attend for free by submitting 25 brush bucks to Peggy Mack before January 15, 2013. You may also attend if you have at least 20 brush bucks and then purchase the last 5 needed for \$5.

Anyone who became a member between October 2012 and the end of 2012 may attend by paying the full price of \$25.

Brush Bucks News

For the 2012 Colors of Fall Luncheon only, 35 earned brush bucks can be used as follows:

25 for the Incentive Seminar in 2014

10 for any seminar in 2013



Wanda Vasco is now recuperating at Heritage Hospital in Taylor. Here is the address if you would like to send her a card to let her know you are thinking of her.

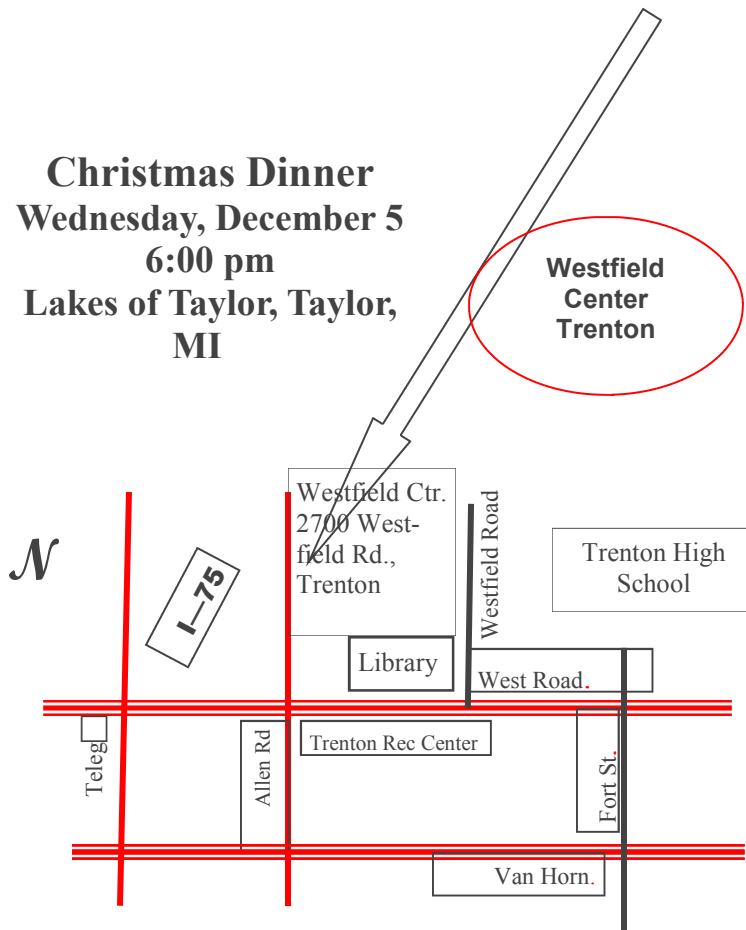
Oakwood Heritage Hospital, 10000 Telegraph Rd,,
Taylor, MI 48180 (Room 271)

Grosse Ile MI 48138
8597 Mathias

Joan Hemsworth - Newsletter Editor

HERITAGE DECORATIVE ARTISTS

Christmas Dinner
Wednesday, December 5
6:00 pm
Lakes of Taylor, Taylor,
MI



December

- Raffle Donation
- Canned Food—Trenton Food Pantry
- Brush Bucks Completed Vouchers
- Wear Your Name Badge

