



# The Capitole Record

*Remember to Vote*

## Next Meeting Hermitage

**When** November 20, 2010  
**Time:** 10:00 A.M.  
**Where:** Hermitage Auditorium  
 5000 Fairbanks Avenue  
 Alexandria, VA 22311  
 (703) 820-2434

**What:** Mystery Seminar Teacher  
 Election of Officers  
 Ornament Exchange

**Bring:** Normal painting supplies  
 Raffle Donation  
 Wear your badge or pay 25 cents

Pot Luck A-DAppetizer  
 E-K Main Dish  
 L-R Dessert  
 S-Z Salad

### DIRECTIONS TO THE HERMITAGE

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### VICE PRESIDENT'S NOTES

I want to thank the teachers of the ornaments for the children at the Shriners Hospital: Peg Altemus, Kathy Bacskey, Kay Brown, Ann Davis, and Betsy Griner for a wonderful job, also all the members that stayed to paint,

and those members that took ornaments home to paint. The children will certainly enjoy the ornaments. Please if you took some ornaments home to finish bring them to the November meeting.

The November meeting is our election meeting. We are also going to have an ornament exchange. After the November meeting we will have our Mystery Teacher (classes are full), please bring your regular painting supplies including stencil brushes and natural sea sponge. The pieces will be prepped for you. So come and have a good time.

I want to thank you for all the help I have received from the members (you know who you are) during the past two years while I have been vice-president, please continue to help the new NCC board.

*Kathy Denneler*

Vice President

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## *Betsy's Bits*

This is the last time I will write this. As I look back over the last 2 years, in spite of it being some of the hardest times I have had financially, I think of how much I gained. What real friends I had, and what help everyone has been for me. You all are a great group. Always willing, always friendly. Anytime I come to a chapter meeting I feel the warmth and for that I thank you.

I am pleased that Kathy has agreed to do this job. I pass it on to a good person, who is always positive and fun to be around. Look at the way she stepped in and did the October paint in when we needed someone. And it was a great class too.

We still have a couple of important jobs to fill. Luncheon needs a chairman, it comes with a crew of probably over 20 people. Also we need a Maryland Rep. I am sorry we are having trouble with that position, I think it is one of the easier and more fun jobs that we have. You get to organize the paint ins and we have great teachers to choose from.

The year is winding down but we still have some great things to look forward to. I still don't know who the mystery teacher is that we are getting in November. That will be fun. Also we are doing an ornament exchange. I might use the ornament that I paint at the October paint in. The one Kay Brown is teaching.

Everyone did a great job in the September meeting. The ornaments looked great. We had so many neat designs to choose from Thanks to all those teachers for helping out and Kathy for organizing it.

I also want to thank everyone who held positions this year, you have been a fun group to work with. I would come to each board meeting with a smile and it would last for the whole meeting. Things didn't always go as I expected but you all have great ideas and I like your input. We are lucky to have such a motivated, hard working group.

My love to you all,

*Betsy*

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### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

There is \$11,828.66 in the Checking Account and \$19,210.56 in the Money Market account..

*Debbie Reis*

Treasurer



### **ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

The election of officers will be held at the November meeting. Ballots will be mailed separately for those who receive this newsletter via e-mail. For those receiving the newsletter via USPS, the ballot is enclosed in the newsletter envelope

Nation's Capital Chapter  
General Meeting  
Minutes of the Meeting Saturday September 18, 2010

The meeting was held at the Beltsville Library, Beltsville, Maryland. The meeting was called to order by President Betsy Griner at 10:45 a.m.

Membership – BJ Grey reported that we had a quorum and that we had 99 paid members for 2010 and we have 14 paid members for 2011. We had one guest, Diane Crean and she joined the Chapter and BJ stated that her friend Brenda Star also joined the chapter.

Minutes – Betsy Griner stated that the minutes were published in the newsletter. She asked if there were any additions or corrections. With there being no additions or corrections, Betsy stated the minutes were approved as circulated.

Treasurer's Report – Debbie Reis reported that we have \$11,828.66 in the Checking Account and \$19,210.56 in the Money Market account.

Vice President – September is our Community Service project, painting ornaments for the Shriners Hospital. November is the mystery National Teacher. It will be Saturday and Sunday and it is free to Chapter members, and you must be a chapter member, no guests. If someone who is not a chapter member wants to participate they must join the chapter. Fill out the form and send it to Amanda. We only have 5 slots left and she will take a waiting list. The pieces are provided and prepped. There will be an ornament exchange at the November meeting. We will have elections at the November meeting and dues have to be paid for next year to be eligible to vote.

Maryland Representative – Mickey Mewshaw reported that Debbie Reis would be handling the next paint-in on October 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Beltsville Library. Kathy Bacskay will be teaching berries on an etched glass piece. Details will be in the newsletter.

Virginia Representative – Kathy Bacskay reported that Kay Brown is scheduled to teach ornaments on October 23<sup>rd</sup>. This date is tentative as Kay needs to check her calendar. You provide the medium size ornament balls and she will provide the paint and glitter. Also bring paper cups for the ornaments to sit in. Details will be in the newsletter.

Newsletter – Betsy Griner stated that John Kirzl would like the newsletter articles by October 1<sup>st</sup>. If you are running for office, please provide your bio to John. If you want him to use last year's he has them on file. Just let him know.

Art Scholarship – Cheri Saggars – No report.

Art Show – Mickey Mewshaw – no report.

Community Service – Kathy Denneler gave the report. She had lap desk/place mat pieces that need to be painted for the Hermitage. These are due back by the November meeting. She also had Treasure Boxes and this is an ongoing project so they can be brought back at any time. Ann Davis reported that at the Brookside Gardens Plant Sale they earned \$395 from the sale of 17 flower pots, 3 bird houses and 5 gourd bird houses that Chapter members painted for their sale. Ornaments for the Shriners Hospital will be painted at today's meeting. We need 50 ornaments. We will need a new Chair for this committee next year.

Get Away – We need someone to fill this position for next year if we are to have a Get Away.

Founders Medallion – Louise Frederick asked that everyone nominate someone for this award. Send your nominations to Louise.

Historian – Irene Lindsay reported that she had the scrapbooks of the chapter events at the meeting for anyone who wished to see them.

Luncheon – Kathy Denneler reported that the luncheon for next year would be at the Holiday Inn, College Park, Maryland. We need someone to Chair this event.

Nominating Committee – Fran Schmitt presented the slate of officers for next year. The following will be voted on at the November meeting:

President: Kathy Bacskay; Vice President: John Kirzl; Secretary: Lorraine A. Lasch; Treasurer: Debbie Reis; Membership: BJ Grey; Maryland Representative: Vacant; VA Representative: Betsy Griner; Newsletter: John and Marie Kirzl.

Public Relations – Maryland – Ann Pielert stated that there would be an exhibit at the Davis Library, Bethesda, Maryland starting October 1<sup>st</sup> and will run the entire month of October. Theme will be Fall and Christmas.

Public Relations – Virginia – Pet Altemus stated there would be an exhibit at the Great Falls Library for October and if anyone has anything that she can display, please get them to her.

Seminar – Ann Davis gave the report for Amanda Davis. We will have Sandy LeFlore March of 2011 for three days. This will be the weekend of our meeting.

Sunshine – Rebecca Hotop stated that as far as she knew everyone was well.

Ways and Means – Becky Benton reported that we had an abundance of special raffles. Kathy Bacskay donated two and we drew the winning tickets for the special raffles from Joan DiBella's estate and Erika's estate.

## General Meeting Minutes (continued)

John and Marie Kirzl won both of those raffles. They won a Betty Caithness original and a Russian carved wood Santa.

Web Master – BJ Grey – No report.

Old Business – None

New Business -

Betsy Thomas reported that she just got back from Atlanta, GA for a meeting. The DAC is now the National Museum of Decorative Painting. The museum will be open to the public on January 1<sup>st</sup> and if anyone is ever in Atlanta, please go and visit the museum.

Betsy Thomas is President of Friends of Brookside Gardens and she thanked everyone for all that they had painted for the plant sale. Ann Davis stated they really liked the sizes of the pots that we painted. They were 10 inch and 12 inch pots and they really liked the Christmas Pots.

Sandy Scales reported there was an ad in our last newsletter regarding Beyond These Hills. It is Betty Caithness' place in Forest, VA. Betty is selling 10-12 of her original paintings. It also stated, in the ad, that she is having a Seminar, but it is really demos geared for nonpainters, but anyone can attend. The demos are Thursday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> – 6-9 pm, and Saturday, September 25<sup>th</sup> – 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Lorraine A. Lasch, Secretary*

### MEMBERSHIP

It is time to pay your dues for 2011. Please send me a check or bring it to the November meeting and seminar...sending it to me in the mail is best for me so I can enjoy the Mystery teacher seminar and not have to worry about taking membership checks that day. But, if you forget, I will take your check that day. We have lots of good things coming and you don't want to miss out by not rejoining!

Thanks,

*BJ. Grey*

### COMMUNITY SERVICE

Kudos to Ann Davis, who reports the September sale at Brookside Gardens was a great success. Fifteen of the seventeen flower pots sold as did three birdhouses and five gourd birdhouses for a total of \$390.00. That is pure profit for Brookside's education program, because we provided the costs of the pots plus painting them. If you have an unpainted flower pot or pots, please plan to paint and provide them to Ann before September next year. Since Ann is so special, she will try to obtain more gourds for birdhouses (if she can get away to the beach—and we hope she enjoys the beach, too). A special thank you to each member who painted flower pots, birdhouses, and gourd birdhouses in this wonderful community services effort. Let's keep up the excellent work next year.

A special thank you to all the teachers and each member who painted ornaments for the children patients at the Philadelphia Shriners' Hospital at the September meeting. This is a project begun last year by the Mid-Atlantic Council, who asked the NCC members to paint ornaments this year. A different Chapter in the Council will be asked each year to paint ornaments for the children. These ornaments will be collected at the November meeting and provided to the Shriners' Hospital.

Our lap desks/placemats--gifts for The Hermitage residents this December--**need to be brought to the November meeting**. If you cannot attend the November meeting, please give your completed lap desk/placemat to any member who will be attending. The painted lap desks/placemats need to be painted and varnished on both sides before the meeting. Thank you to every member who participated in this outreach program—you are so appreciated.

Completed Treasure Boxes will be collected at the November meeting and provided to the Philadelphia Shriner's Hospital. Kudos to each member who has freely painted Treasure Boxes for the children. From the center of my heart, please accept my heartfelt gratitude for your overwhelming responses to the Community Services outreach program these last two years. We could not have affirmatively reached our goals without each of you and your dedicated service. Thanks mega bizzillions.

*Mary Dunlap*



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### CANCELLATIONS

If a meeting needs to be cancelled due to weather or other unforeseen events, notification will be posted on the website. We will also use a phone tree and e-mail to notify members



### THANK YOU

On behalf of Brookside Gardens, I want to thank all of you who painted pots, gourds, and birdhouses for the Friends of Brookside plant sale. As usual, they were greatly appreciated. Ann Davis said some were sold almost before she got them out of her car.

The Gardens are suffering greatly from the budget cuts in Montgomery County and the \$390 you earned with your donations of time and effort is greatly appreciated.

*Betsy Thomas*

### DISCLAIMER

Various paints, finishes and solvents are used at meetings, paint-ins, seminars etc.

Please evaluate your health status before choosing to participate in any activity where they are used.

NCC of SDP assumes no liability for health status while using any painting-related products.

## Executive Board Nominee Biographies

### **PRESIDENT - KATHY BACSKAY**

My name is Kathy Bacskay, and I'm running for President of NCC. I started painting in 1983 because I fell in love with Scotty Foster's shelf-sitting cat figures, and discovered how much I enjoyed painting. Over the years I've taken a lot of classes and seminars, and appreciate the fact that even after all this time I can learn something new. I joined SDP in 2002 and the chapter a couple years later. Since joining NCC, I've participated on the luncheon committee almost every year, the Getaway committee, painted many things for our community service projects and raffles, attended meetings, and enjoyed paint-ins, luncheons, Art Shows, Getaways and seminars. I've served as Historian, two years as Treasurer, and for the past year have been the Virginia representative. I think the best part of being an NCC member is getting to know everyone, painting with all of you, and enjoying each person's talent. I believe I'm ready to take on the responsibility of being President, and I hope you vote for me.

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### **SECRETARY - LORRAINE A. LASCH**

I have been a member of Nation's Capital Chapter for many years. For the last two years I have held the office of Secretary. I have served as Historian, Librarian, Vice President, President, and Membership Secretary. I am a Founders' Medallion recipient. I have served on many of the Chapter's committees. I am a member of five chapters and I am currently President of Shenandoah Valley Decorative Painters. I will be President of that chapter next year. I have served as Secretary to many different organizations. I have been married to my husband Frank for 43 years. We have two grown sons, Frankie and Tony. Frankie is married to Dina, who used to be a member of our chapter, until my son was transferred out of the area. I have one grandson Frankie III, who will be going into the Navy next year.

### **VICE PRESIDENT - JOHN KIRZL**

Marie and I joined the NCC in 1988 and have been continuously active in chapter events having been joint vice presidents, seminar chairs, luncheon committee chairs, newsletter editors since the invention of the printing press, and members of numerous committees. Marie and I will celebrate our 50th wedding anniversary in January, have two children and two grandchildren. I enjoy painting in all media and try to learn new and different techniques. I believe the best way to enjoy the benefits of a creative organization is to interact with the members by participating in as many activities as possible and encourage all of our members to become involved.

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### **TREASURER - DEBBIE REIS**

My dad was a sign painter and always dreamed of being a famous artist. I remember one Valentine's Day, having little money for extras, he stayed up all night to handpaint flowers on folded typing paper so that I would not go to school empty handed. His love for his children and painting began my dream of becoming a painter. I was introduced to decorative painting in 1994 through classes with Nancy Acker in Clarksburg, Maryland. I joined the chapter in 1996 and rejoined this past year because I missed being with people who share my love of painting. I work full-time as a Senior Administrative Aide for two instructional deans at Montgomery College in Rockville, MD. I am also pursuing a Studio Arts Certificate so that during my retirement years I can share my talents with those children and elderly who are unable to afford classes. I am running for Treasurer because I believe in giving back what has been given so generously to me in previous years from fellow painters and members of NCC.

## Executive Board Nominee Biographies

### VIRGINIA REP - BETSY GRINER

I am running for Virginia Rep this year. It is probably my favorite of the jobs that I have held. I enjoy the prospect of bringing fun interesting paintings to the chapter. As far as a bio goes this is supposed to be about me but there isn't much to tell. I have 2 daughters, one of whom got married this year. Thanks to that marriage, I have a 6 year old inquisitive grandson and am I enjoying it. He always manages to bring a smile to my face. He is fascinated by bugs.

Now, what can I do for the chapter? I still say I get more out of the chapter than I can possibly give. I have made some wonderful friends. This has been a hard couple of years business wise, which makes my chapter time a bright spot in my life. Thank you all. I will continue to try to be a positive influence for the chapter.

### MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY - BJ GREY

I have been a member of NCC since 2000 and have volunteered to help the chapter by being the Librarian and Web master for many of those years. Every year I serve on several committees, including Luncheon, the Getaway, and Painters Holiday.

When I was asked to run for Membership Chairman, I agreed because I enjoy helping the chapter in any way I can. I feel that if you are a member of a group, you should participate in the running of that group.

On a personal note, I live in Woodbridge, Va. with my husband of 43 years, and 2 cats! We have one daughter who has given us 3 beautiful grandchildren. I am a retired teacher, having taught in Prince William County Schools for 20 years in grades K-2

### HELPFUL HINT

If you go to the web site  
[www.dellaandcompany.com](http://www.dellaandcompany.com)

you will find a list of new paint colors from Americana DecoArt.

Also there is a list of discontinued paints with a recipe for mixing these colors

### DECORATIVE ARTS COLLECTION

The last meeting of the National Museum of Decorative Painting Board of Directors was held in our new building! What a treat. I can hardly wait for you to see it. We are in an area that is quickly gentrifying and we are fitting right in. At present, all of the open storage is arranged so that anyone can see it when he or she comes in. The open storage contains many pieces you have not seen. We are in the process of making a third gallery out of the thruway to the Open Storage. The colors are bright and it is quite inviting. You are welcome to drop in if you are in Atlanta. I would like to urge you to pay your Friends Membership if you have not. You will receive a beautifully matted Cheri Rol print as a thank-you. I will bring the print as well as the new Ornament Book to the November Meeting. I look forward to seeing you.

*Betsy Thomas*

*Pampered Palette*

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**SUNSHINE**

Kathy Denneler will be having knee surgery in December.

Louise Frederick is wearing a heart monitor to determine the cause of some anomalies. Our prayers and thoughts are with Louise and Kathy for successful outcomes.

Fran Schmitt underwent surgery on Thursday, September 30th. Fran had a growth removed from her colon which entailed some extensive surgery. The surgery went well and Fran is recuperating at home.

**HELPFUL HINT**

Golda Rader, at the Wichita Conference this past May, told the class that boxes of colored pencils are often dropped in shipping or in the stores. The leads break, within the wooden pencil, and of course that can't be seen when they are purchased. There is a remedy! Put the colored pencil in the microwave for ten seconds. The lead will soften slightly and mend itself! Great tip and, it works. Actually, Prismacolor has some of the finest colored pencils in the marketplace, but even they can break in shipping or handling.

## VIRGINIA PAINT-IN

**October 23, 2010****Kay Brown**Glittery Floral  
OrnamentsPohick Library  
10:00am - 3:00pm

**Surface:** Clear round Christmas ornaments – available at craft stores. (You provide however many you want to paint)

**Prep:** None.

**Supplies:** Regular acrylic supplies. Paper cups or empty ribbon spools to set the ornaments on. Paint will be provided.

**Lunch:** Bring a Bag Lunch (drinks will be provided)

**Teacher's Fee:** \$5.00 (make checks payable to Kay Brown) Includes: instructions, paint, and glitter.

**Register:** A \$7.50 check made payable to NCC

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## November

Marie Kirzl	11/4
Arlene Mauceri	11/7
Loretta Stutzman	11/9
Mary Beth Bannon	11/11
Betsy Thomas	11/13
Deborah Reis	11/15
Phyllis Wheaton	11/15
Joan Crown	11/18
Carol Gould	11/30



## December

Jackie Kaiser-MacBryde	12/1
Jane Chroniger	12/2
Terry Collier	12/6
Kathy Denneler	12/6
Nicki Shishakly	12/15
Roberta Draves	12/20
Liliana Hartman	12/27
Rebecca Hotop	12/28

## The Founders' Medallion Award

The Founders' Medallion was established first to honor the Founding Mothers of the Nation's Capital Chapter and then to honor a person or persons who has exhibited outstanding service to the Chapter. The individual does not have to be president, an officer, a teacher or a committee chair. The individual must exhibit care about the Chapter, its programs and especially its members. Through his or her action, this care should be exemplified. Please take a few moments and review the year's activities.

Was there someone who, in your estimation, went further and did more to promote decorative painting in a special way?

Was there someone who, by action and deed, has given exemplary service to NCC?

When you have found someone, please take a few more moments and fill out the Nomination Form.

You may mail or email it to me at the address below by **November 19, 2010**.

The Committee will meet in mid-December to make a decision and the recipient will be honored at the January Meeting.

### NOMINATION GUIDELINES:

1. The nominee shall be a member-in-good-standing who has shown exemplary service to The Nation's Capital Chapter; one who has promoted decorative painting within the Chapter and to the general public; and has furthered the goals and purposes of the Chapter and the Society of Decorative Painters.
2. The quality and the results of the service given should be both measurable and recognizable, and given without undue consideration to personal gain.
3. Nominations may only be made by members in good standing.
4. All nominations must be submitted in writing and accompanied with the nomination form below.

### The Founders' Medallion Award Nomination Form

The Founder's Medallion Award Committee: It is with great pleasure that I present the following individual, who has given noteworthy service to The Nation's Capital Chapter of the Society of Decorative Painters and has furthered the purposes of the Society of Decorative Painters, for your consideration to receive this distinguished award:

Your name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Name of person nominated \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

I have carefully read the guidelines for nomination and believe the above candidate has made noteworthy contributions to The Nation's Capital Chapter as follows:

1. Has given noteworthy service to the Chapter in the following manner:
2. Has promoted and stimulated interest in decorative painting in the following manner:
3. Has been instrumental in dispensing information and decorative painting by:
4. Please give a summary statement of why you believe this person should receive this award. Be as specific as possible.
5. Elaborate on all the elements that make this person outstanding.

### NOMINATIONS MUST BE RETURNED BY NOVEMBER 19, 2010.

Please reply carefully, as the Founders' Medallion Award Committee must depend upon the information you provide. Avoid generalities and be as specific as possible. Additional sheets may be attached to the form as necessary.

Mail to: Louise Frederick 7389 Roxbury Ave Manassas, VA 20109  
(703) 361-3179 Email [kathy.denneler@uwa.unitedway.org](mailto:kathy.denneler@uwa.unitedway.org)

**THE NATION'S CAPITAL CHAPTER, #99034**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
Phone H \_\_\_\_\_ W \_\_\_\_\_ C \_\_\_\_\_ Fax # \_\_\_\_\_

New\* \_\_\_\_ Who introduced you to our chapter? \_\_\_\_\_  
Renew \_\_\_\_ Year Joined \_\_\_\_\_ SDP# \_\_\_\_\_ Year Joined \_\_\_\_\_

Do you live within 25 mi. of the Capital Beltway? YES \_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_

Would you be able to bring other members to/from meetings? YES \_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_

Do you teach? YES \_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_ What medium(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

Membership dues are paid annually, and are currently \$20.00. (Dues are not prorated, and are payable each year between November 1st and 30th for the next year.) Please complete this form and mail it with your check, made payable to NCC of SDP, in the amount of \$20.00 to cover your dues for this year. Mail to: The Nation's Capital Chapter; Membership Secretary; Bettejane Grey 13191 Oak Farm Dr Woodbridge, VA 22192. If you have any questions, please email [bjgrey39@comcast.net](mailto:bjgrey39@comcast.net) or call (703) 491-5073.

**\*TO BE A MEMBER OF NCC, YOU MUST ALSO BE A MEMBER OF SDP. IF YOU ARE NOT ALREADY A MEMBER OF SDP, PLEASE COMPLETE AND SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING FORM.**

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**SOCIETY OF DECORATIVE PAINTERS**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ New/Renew \_\_\_\_ If renewing, ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you teach? \_\_\_\_ Mediums? \_\_\_\_\_

**Dues are paid annually, and are currently \$40.00. (Dues are not prorated, and are payable each year between December 1st and 31st for the next year.) Please mail this form with your check, made payable to SDP in the amount of \$40.00.**

Mail To: SDP 393 N. McLean Blvd. Wichita, KS 67203

## 2010 CALENDAR

<b>January</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>March</b>	<b>April</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>June</b>
<p>Combined 2009/2010 Board Meeting TBD</p> <p>General meeting Beltsville Library 16th</p>	<p>VA Paint-In 20th The Apple Tree</p> <p>Luncheon Committee Meeting 21st</p>	<p>Board Meeting 14th TBD</p> <p>Ros Stallcup Seminar 19-21 Hermitage</p> <p>General Meeting Hermitage 20th</p>	<p>VA Paint-In 17th The Apple Tree</p> <p>MD Paint-In 10th Beltsville Library</p>	<p>Board Meeting 9th TBD</p> <p>General Meeting Art Show 15th Beltsville Library</p> <p>SDP's 38th Annual Conference and Expo: 18-22,</p>	<p>VA Paint-In 19th The Apple Tree</p>
<b>July</b>	<b>August</b>	<b>September</b>	<b>October</b>	<b>November</b>	<b>December</b>
<p>Board meeting 11th TBD</p> <p>General Meeting <b>Luncheon</b> - 17th Best Western Tyson's Westpark</p>	<p>HOOT 9th thru 14th Columbus, OH</p> <p>VA Paint-in 21st Springfield Mall Community Center</p>	<p>Board meeting 12th TBD</p> <p>General Meeting Beltsville Library 18th</p>	<p>MD Paint-in 2nd Beltsville Library</p> <p>VA Paint-in 23rd Pohick Library</p>	<p>Board meeting 7th Kathy Denneker</p> <p>General Meeting Election of Officers</p> <p>Mystery National Teacher Hermitage 20th</p>	

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### FROM THE EDITORS' DESK

Our year is almost coming to an end. The Club is still looking for someone to fill the, MD representative position on the ballot. Please volunteer. As with any organization, it takes member participation (not always the same ones) for the organization to run smoothly.

Your ideas are welcome, but the input needs to happen when the new board is forming not after programs are set. During the year help also will be needed to run the Luncheon ( it is in Md this year) and community service , Mary has served two terms. Kathy Bacskey, if elected president, will be looking to fill committee positions, think about helping. It should not be this difficult to find people willing to extend themselves for our club. We all enjoy being served but once in awhile we need to give back.

In January the Founders Medallion will be awarded, Nominate someone whom you feel has given noteworthy service to the club. This is your time to say a special thank you. Please remember them.

Marie and John Kirzl

"Make every day your masterpiece. "

