

VILLAGE NEWS AND VIEWS



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The Village Painters is an affiliated chapter of
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President's Corner

Hi Ladies,

The October meeting is fast approaching. My favorite time of year! I love the fall! With that being said...please check out Pam's message for the picture of our after meeting project! He is so cute!!! October is also our Membership renewal meeting. If you sign up before or at the meeting, you will be able to do the after meeting project 'FREE'!!! If you want to send in your membership form, please send it to me at 16911 Hubbard St., Livonia, MI. 48154. Please also remember to stay current with your SDP dues!

I know some of you have been to HOOT! I was not able to go, but I understand that we do have some honorable mentions for submissions. If you have any photo's that you would like to share, send them to me and I will put them on the web site.

Maxine Thomas's seminars are right around the corner! The Fall Retreat is also coming up! It is a fun time of year! I hope you all are enjoying this wonderful weather we have been blessed with! See you at the October meeting!

Sheri



2018 Calendar of Events

Sept 21-23 Fall Retreat
Oct 27 Diane, chunky Winter piece
Dec 6 Christmas Party



2019 Calendar of Events

May 4, 5 Beth Wagner
June 1 Connie Vasilnek, Lisa Schall's
Quikwood Patty Painter
Aug 3, 4 Mark Polomchak



Fall is fast approaching . . . maybe sooner than some would like! We are doing this adorable scarecrow for our October meeting project.

If you are interested in joining us please email me at: pamhynar@yahoo.com.

You will need to bring:

- general painting supplies
- ruler
- circle sponges or circle template - eyes
- Paints (Americana) – White, Black, Terra Cotta, Green Tea, Coral Blush, Canyon Orange, Forest Green, Marigold, Camel, Heritage Brick, Burnt Umber, Cranberry Wine

Button and burlap will be supplied

Projects other clubs are doing:

GLDA—

NEDA—

MI Heartland Artists—

WMDA—

Judy Diephouse 9/15

Mixed Media— 10/20

Lynne Deptula 11/17



September Birthdays

8 Doreen McLain

12 Cindy Williams

24 Connie Vasilnek

October Birthdays

16 Penny Blair

16 Sue Hagen

18 Deborah Walleman

20 Dawn Billiau

22 Nancy Stanford

23 Gail Barton

24 Paula Atkinson

General Meetings are held at Livonia Senior Center
15218 Farmington Rd, Livonia, MI 48154
Social hour begins at 6:00, Business meeting at 6:45
2018 dates: Feb 1, Apr 5, Jun 7, Aug 2, Oct 4

Board Meetings are held at 6:30
at the Livonia Senior Center
2018 dates: Jan 15, Mar 5,
May 14, Sept 6, & Nov 1



2019 Spring Fling Volunteers Needed!

There will be a volunteer sign-up sheet at our October meeting to work the day of our Spring Fling Luncheon. If you can work for a half hour, hour, or more please sign the sheet or contact me.

Thank you.

Karen Capshaw paintdrop@aol.com or 734-634-8935

Christmas Party

It's time to remind you that we will have a hand painted ornament exchange and a homemade \$10 gift exchange again this year's Christmas party. Ways and Means has asked for painted donations for the Christmas raffle. Again, you or your guests can purchase raffle tickets for \$1 each. Since we do not have a Community Service chair, it is uncertain if we will be collecting anything for charity.

Please print and complete the Christmas Party registration form and bring those forms and checks to the October 4 general meeting. Or you can mail your form and check to me by November 19.

Consider inviting a friend,
Susan Rhodes, Christmas Committee Chair



Book of the Month

Library picks for September and October are 2 books that are fairly new but have not been taken out by anyone yet!

September: The first one is "Makin' Fall Fun" and has projects by Wendy Young, Any Mogish and Jane Allen. Wendy is the Kwikwood queen and has 3 really cute projects in this book. Amy has a raven done in colored pencil and 2 acrylic fall projects. My favorite of Jane's is a pumpkin with chickadees.

October: "Fall and Frost" is by Deb Antonick, Holly Hanley and Debbie Cotton. Deb does a lot of multi-media projects and has a very whimsical Witch, Cat and Pumpkin project and a snowman and an angel project for winter. Holly has very cute snowman with pumpkin project and 2 winter projects featuring her sweet bears. Debbie also has 2 winter projects and a spooky haunted house project. These books and many, many more will be available at the October meeting so check them out!



Village Painters Financial Report

January 1 to August 25, 2018

INCOME	AMOUNT
Education	\$ 2,596.00
Fall Retreat	\$ 5,722.00
Learn to Paint	\$ 672.00
Membership	\$ 120.00
Ways and Means	\$ 324.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$ 9,434.00
EXPENSES	
August Picnic	\$ 215.27
Christmas Party	\$ 332.82
Community Projects	
Treasure Boxes	\$ 40.47
Corporate Expenses	\$ 157.80
Donation (Penny Brooks)	\$ 25.00
Education Seminars 2019	\$ 350.00
Education Seminars 2018	\$ 4,503.50
Fall Retreat	\$ 881.83
General Meeting - VP expenses	\$ 115.29
Learn to Paint	\$ 663.80
Library	\$ 149.85
Membership	\$ 17.36
Misc - paper for gift cert.	\$ 19.23
Newsletter	\$ 97.18
Rent - Board Meeting	\$ 80.00
Rent - Membership Meeting	\$ 240.00
Spring Fling	\$ 112.76
Sunshine Funds	\$ 19.80
Treasurer	\$ 49.00
Ways and Means	\$ 300.68
Website	\$ 323.38
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 8,695.02
Difference	\$ 738.98
Checkbook Balances	
Checkbook Balance on 1/1/18	\$ 13,050.25
Checkbook Balance on 8/01/18	\$ 13,789.23
Pence Used	\$ 827.00
Gift Certificates Used (270 cert) - total	\$ 1,350.00
Hostess Used	\$ 70.00
Village Painter CD	\$10,313

Treasure Boxes

Only four more boxes are needed for another delivery of 30. Maybe we can make this possible at our next meeting. Thanks for your support.

Leslie Williams



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Spring Fling

Anyone interest in a seat at Spring Fling. I have spaces available at the Memory and Treasure Box table. Contact me @ slpyhollow@att.net or 248-627-3425. Leslie Williams

Boutique painters needed! We know you are busy with other painting obligations, but we are hoping you can help us. The Spring Fling will be on April 6, 2019. We will have surfaces for you to take home and paint and a Boutique Surface Sign-out Sheet at the VP October 4 general meeting. We will also have a Boutique Box for any finished items that you are donating to the Boutique and the Boutique Donation Sheet to be completed. If you request any unsold Boutique item be returned to you, please fill out that form.



Boutique Paint-in will be held on Saturday, October 6, 9 am-2 pm at the Livonia Senior Center. We will have surfaces to paint and lots of surfaces to take home. Please bring your own lunch and plan to paint lots!

Thanks for all your painting efforts,

Susan and Pam, Boutique Co-Chairs



HOOT 2018 Art Show Awards: Applause Please!



1st Place: Linda Morgan
Animals: Non-Professional



1st Place: Sam Farah
Seasonal: Professional



2nd Place: Diane Stiller
Portraits: Non-Professional



2nd Place: Wendy Willihnganz
Floral: Professional



2nd Place: Wendy Willihnganz
Animals: Professional



3rd Place: Linda Christopher
Portraits: Non-Professional



3rd Place: Denise Robert
Seasonal: Non-Professional



Village Painters' Christmas Party

Thursday, December 6, 2018

Fox Hills Golf and Banquet Center

8768 North Territorial Rd., Plymouth

(Located between Gotfredson and Curtis on the South side of N. Territorial)

\$20 for members and \$30 for guests

All registration forms and checks must be received by Friday, November 16, 2018

5:30 p.m. - Social Hour with a cash bar

6:30 p.m. - Buffet Dinner: waldorf salad, Michigan cherry orzo salad, four cheese macaroni and cheese, chicken picatta, smoked BBQ beef brisket, starch, veggie, rolls and butter, dessert, coffee, and tea

7:30 p.m. - Program after Dinner

Hand painted and signed Christmas ornament exchange

\$10 handmade Christmas gift. (The gift does not have to be painted.)

Centerpiece drawing

Secret Pal exchange and reveal

Pence Raffle (Guests can buy pence for the raffle for \$1 each)

2018 Christmas Party Registration Form

\$20 for members \$30 for guests

Make checks payable to **Village Painters**

Submit registration form and check at the October 4 Village Painters' meeting or mail to Susan by November 16, 2018

Susan Rhodes

8292 Seven Mile Rd.

Northville, MI 48167

Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Guest's Name: _____ Guest's Name: _____

Guest's Name: _____ Guest's Name: _____

Amount enclosed: _____

Spring Fling Reminders



There will be a table set up at the Oct meeting to sign up to Volunteer.

Please make Karen Capshaw's job easy and fill in her slots!

We have 11 baskets signed up for. We could use a couple more. Think about going together as a group to do one.

Karen Capshaw will be collecting for a kitchen basket.

Charity theme is Easter/Spring. The charity proceeds will go to Alternatives for Girls. I would like to do a child's basket and one for an adult. Once again, I will take donations and do your shopping if you prefer. I would also like some nice painted items.

I will have our recycled baskets available for you to take at the Oct meeting if there is one that will fit your needs. Please remember to use a big enough basket so I can display all your treasures.

I will start to collect your baskets and items for the charity basket at the Feb. 7th meeting. I will be in Florida during the winter until the end of March, so I would really appreciate receiving your baskets at the Feb meeting if possible.

Don't forget your Boutique items for Pam.

It takes a "Village" to have a successful Spring Fling.

Paula Atkinson

Community Service Project – Diane Stiller

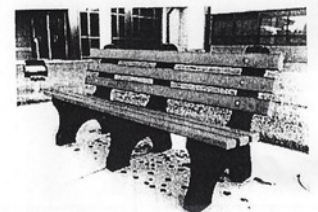
Diane Stiller will be collecting plastic caps and lids at every meeting for the rest of this year.

Woo Hoo Ladies! At the last meeting you turned in 20 pounds bringing the total to 41 pounds.



FLIP YOUR LIDS FOR ALLEN PARK BENCHES

Join the Allen Park Parks and Recreation Department in collecting plastic caps and lids to create new park benches! 400 pounds of bottles caps/lids are needed to make one 6 foot bench!



Acceptable Caps

Medicine Bottle Caps	Drink Bottle Caps (pop, gatorade, juice)
Milk Jug Caps	Flip-Top Caps (ketchup, mustard)
Detergent Caps	Spray Paint Caps
Hair Spray Caps	Ointment Tube Caps
Tootpaste Tube Caps	Caps w/ RECYCLE NUMBERS: (2) (4) (5)
Deodorant Caps	Coffee Creamer Caps

Acceptable Lids

Cottage Cheese/Sour Cream Lids	Cool Whip Container Lids
Mayonnalse Jar Lids	Coffee Can Lids
Yogurt Lids	Cream Cheese Container Lids
Peanut Butter Jar Lids	Butter Container Lids
Ice Cream Bucket Lids	Prescription Bottles

Education – Diane Stiller

We had a good turnout for both classes taught by Maxine Thomas. Maxine always uses a base color, 2 colors for shade, and 2 colors for highlight. She showed us her method for shadowing a forehead for her snowmen, santas, and other faces: place a wide stroke of shade across the forehead and then with a mop brush, gently push the paint at the center of the forehead towards the top of the hairline. This creates a rounder appearance for the head since the shadow on the sides of the forehead should be wider than at the center of the forehead.

Maxine generously donated three pieces painted by her for our raffle and four brushes. Friday raffle: Loretta Huebler won one of Maxine's pieces; Doreen McLain won 2 brushes; Lynne Deptula also won one of Maxine's pieces as well as a \$25 purchase credit, and Penny Blair won a \$15 purchase credit. Saturday raffle: Lynne Deptula won another of Maxine's pieces; Lora Haberstroh won \$25 purchase credit, Leslie Williams won the \$15 purchase credit; and Pam Hypnar won two mops.

Maxine Thomas's "Simply Fall" class and raffle winners



Maxine Thomas Sept 7 & 8, 2018 Acrylic			
Revenue	Students	Fee	
Registration: Seminar Coordinator	2		\$0.00
Members	38	\$30.00	\$1,140.00
Non Members	8	\$40.00	\$320.00
SubTotal Revenue (21, 27)	48		\$1,460.00
33 individuals			
Painter Boxes			\$414.00
Raffles			\$218.00
Total Revenue			\$2,092.00
Expenses			
Seminar Fee: \$700 @ 2 days			\$1,400.00
Airfare			\$416.60
Raffle items for purchase credit			\$80.00
Livonia Senior Center & Lunch			\$221.15
Warren Valley & Lunch			\$271.12
Comfort Inn 3 days			\$328.14
Painter Boxes			\$418.77
Meals			\$73.35
Total Expenses			\$3,209.13
Profit/Loss			-\$1,117.13
Pence & Hostess Credit			-\$209.00
Gift Certificates			-\$160.00
Total from Village Paint			
ers Treasury			-\$1,486.13
Budgeted			\$ 1,950.00
Savings			\$ 463.87

Maxine Thomas's "Painter/Family" class and raffle winners



Leslie Williams, Pam Hypnar, Maxine Thomas, Lora Haberstroh, Lynne Deptula

Diane Stiller's Two-Sided Halloween class on chunky wood surface



There is only one more class to go for this year. Last chance to register for Diane Stiller's FREE Winter class is at the October 4th meeting where you can pick up the surface and the prep instructions.

2019 Update

Mark Polomchak is scheduled next year for August 3 and 4.; Beth Wagner is scheduled for May 4 and 5. Members will vote on projects for both of them at the October meeting.

Connie Vasilnek is scheduled to teach Patty Painter, a Quikwood pattern by Lisa Schall on June 1.

The Education Committee has met several times and has decided to offer a free Rebecca Baer video class. Members will vote to select one project at the October meeting. Other free classes are in the planning stages. Stay tuned.

**The Village Painters proudly presents
Diane Stiller, Winter Scene, October 27, 2018 – FREE CLASS!**



Date: Saturday, October 27, 2018

Time: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Where: Livonia Senior Center
15218 Farmington Rd.
Livonia, MI 48154

Chunky wood surface is supplied; must be prepped before class.
Paints: You supply

Cost/Registration: Member
Free; Now thru October 4, 2018

Non Member
\$15; Now thru October 4, 2018

Please remember that all fees are non-refundable.

Contact Diane Stiller (313) 720-1836 or dianestiller@sbcglobal.net if you have questions or cannot attend.

Diane Stiller, Winter Scene, October 27, 2018

Name _____

Address _____

Total Enclosed _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone # _____

Email _____

Make check payable to: The Village Painters

Mail to: c/o Diane Stiller, 674 W. Canfield, Detroit, MI 48201

August, 2018 Meeting: Show & Tell



Kathy Ziemba - Front & Back



Karen Lavella



Maureen VanBuhler



Sam Farah



Jan Heins



Dawn Billiau



Eileen Carroll



Connie Vasilnek



Denise Robert



Darlene Greenwood



Audrey Gusmano



Audrey Gusmano



Loretta Huebler



Eileen Carroll



Susan Rhodes



Leslie Williams

Memory Boxes



Eileen Carroll



Audrey Gusmano

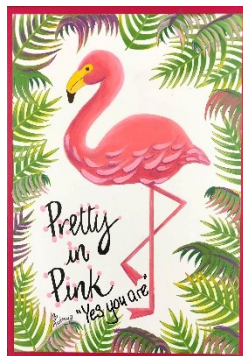


Leslie Williams

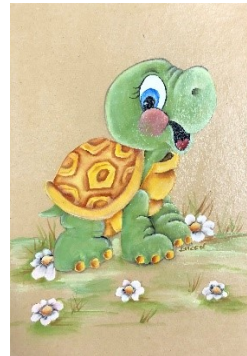
Treasure Boxes



Audrey Gusmano



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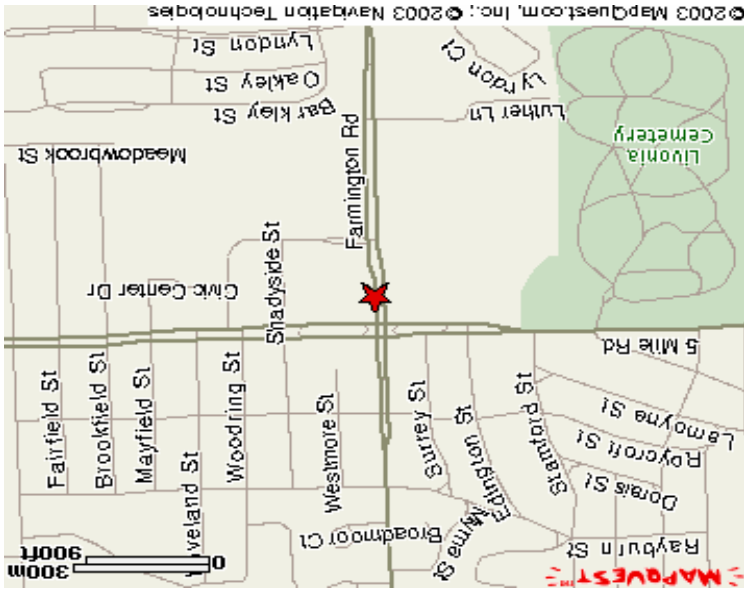


Eileen Carroll

August Picnic Table Favors



General Meeting October 4, 2018
 Livonia Senior Center
 15218 Farmington Road
 Livonia, MI 48154
 See you there!!



Next General Meeting

Linda Morgan - Editor
 2043 Bellingham
 Canton, MI 48188

