



Southern Connecticut Polymer Clay Guild

Website: <http://scpcg.org>

Now-A-Newsletter

Virtual Meeting on: May 15, 2021, 11am Eastern Time
Zoom Meeting Pre-Start 10:45am

NAN Submissions: scpcgnan@gmail.com

Meeting Location: Virtual (Zoom)

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NAN Submitted by Michelle Pini

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LOGIN INFORMATION

Virtual Zoom Meeting: Carole Monahan is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6715873145?pwd=Vjh5S0FhQmIxMWRmMlg2Vm9JSG1LUT09>

Meeting ID: 671 587 3145

Passcode: 8rUrdi

TAKE NOTE

Demos: Due at May meeting, have a demo you want to see or do. We need ideas!

Guild Challenge Due at June Meeting: Using sculpting tools, canes, the theme of summer, bring your imagination to life.

AGENDA

Demo: "Twisted Extruder Beads and Mica Shift and Mica Powers"- Debbie Jett

We are in desperate need of demos. Please come to the meeting with a demo you want to see or one you'd like to do.

Elements of design with Helen first of an ongoing series to cover elements and principles of design

Weekend of Clay (Discussed in March but nothing definitive decided)

Show n' Tell

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

Amy/Sharon forwarded this on for anyone who is interested:

Subject: polymer clay sunset - OPEN CALL

Dear fellow Clayers,

I would like to invite you to submit an original polymer clay painting made by you after the Bob Ross Sunset tutorial from my youtube channel.



To view the video, please click this link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Yrqc5rmU08w&t=255s>

Your painting will be shown this September in a big group exhibition at Haus der Kulturen der Welt (HKW), which is a major cultural institution here in Berlin. It will be exhibited alongside my own work and as part of a collection of other paintings that were all sourced through this open call. The entire collection will be presented as one installation with a shared authorship of all participating artists.

The institution will cover the shipping of your piece and will produce a custom made wooden frame for you to keep. Additionally i would like to offer you 50% on a potential sale of your piece during a suggested consignment period of 2 years.

I would like to give you maximum freedom in the execution of your piece, however it needs to meet these minimum requirements in order to qualify for the project:

It has to be a polymer clay painting of a minimum size of 15x20cm.

It needs to make use of the mokume gane technique in combination with color gradients, as described in my tutorial. Deadline for all submissions is 1st of June, 2021!

Please let me know if you would like to participate and send me some images of your painting. I am very much looking forward to hearing back from you.

Thank you so much for your interest!

warmly, Philip

PS: please feel free to forward this mail to whoever you think might be interested.

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Thanks to Amy Sutryn for a great April demo.
 Amy sent this link for an oven she deems “amazing”!

<https://anovaculinary.com/anova-precision-oven/>



Check out Amy’s videos on YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/user/amy19355/videos>

#100 days of polymer clay canes

UPCOMING EVENTS



Polymer Clay Summit 2021

“The Polymer Art Summit is designed to extend the practice and understanding of a specific art topic as it relates to polymer clay. For 2021, the Summit will focus on the history of mokume gane as a metalworking technique and its influence on polymer clay art.

The Summit is a live online immersion into a particular technique, art form or theme, taught by the most innovative artists in the field.

During the event, students will directly interact with renowned teachers chosen for their mastery of diverse approaches to the subject, as well as with their peers in real time in both seminar and open studio settings.”

When: August 7 & 8, 2021

Registration opens June 15, 2021

Fee: \$150

Space is limited, and a waitlist will be kept so sign up soon if you are interested

Website: <http://polymerartsummit.com/event-news/welcome-to-the-polymer-art-summit/#page-content>

Northwest Polymer Clay Guild Online Clay Camp 2021

<https://nwpcg.org/clay-camp>

“Clay Camp 2021 is completely virtual this year on Zoom. No need to register, everyone is welcome- and it’s FREE”

Schedule of Events

All times posted are Pacific Standard Time (PT)

Friday, May 14th

5:00 – 6:00 pm: Social Hour
 6:00 – 7:00 pm: Clay Demonstrations
Snowflake Cane by Kim Day
Using Hotcoat Powder by Maria Brown
Itty Bitty Critter Beads by Cathy Gilbert
 7:00 – 9:00 pm: Clay Social (Breakout rooms available)



Saturday, May 15th

10:00 – 12:00 pm: Clay Social
 12:00 – 2:00 pm: Break Time (Breakout rooms available, main room turns into clay social)
 2:00 – 3:00 pm: Clay Demonstrations
Using Pan Pastels and Textures by Meredith Arnold
Moebius Beads by Cathy Gilbert
 3:00 – 4:00 pm: Tool time! Bring your favorite tool and be prepared to share why you love it/how to use it for 5-10 minutes

4:00 – 5:00 pm: Clay Demonstrations
Reverse Sculpting by Syndee Holt
Scrap Clay Heishi Beads by Syndee Holt
 5:00 – 6:00 pm: Break Time
 6:00 – 7:00 pm: Clay Demos
Watch your Back! by Maria Brown
Sutton Slice De-mystified by Sharon Mhyre
 7:00 – 9:00 pm: Clay Social



Sunday, May 16th

1:00 – 2:00 pm: Social Hour
 2:00 – 3:00 pm: Clay Demos
Faux Sea Glass by Maria Brown
Stained Glass Bargello by Kim Day
Distortionless Cane Slicing by Kim Day
 3:00 – 5:00 pm: Clay Social (Breakout rooms available)
 5:00 – 6:00 pm: Break Time
 6:00 – 8:00 pm: Brown Bag Exchange / Guild Giveaways



TRAVELING EXHIBIT

The Traveling Exhibit – Dorian Merriman-Boddy is our Traveling Exhibit Coordinator. With setup help from a number of other members, our Exhibit will continue to inspire those with artistic interest.

Traveling Exhibit Locations: On Hold at this time

Contact Dorian to schedule the Traveling Exhibit in a Library or other public space near you.

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MEETING MINUTES

Physical Meetings on hold due to Covid-19.

17 Members Attended April Meeting:
Demo: Cane Demo - Amy Sutryn
Cane discussions
Show n' Tell

New Members

New Members Always Welcome!

Where do we meet?

Sept-June:

Virtual Meetings

July & August:

Until Further Notice

(See our website for directions)

Meetings are usually on the 3rd Saturday of each month at 11 am. Check our website for location/time changes, or email scpcgnan@gmail.com if you welcome to attend and join.

(There is no fee for the first meeting, so come see what we're about)

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Visit our guild website:

<http://www.scpcg.org>



The Bottles of Hope website is:

<https://www.bottlesofhope.org>

SCPCG Facebook Page:

<https://www.facebook.com/scpcg.org>

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