



Southern Connecticut Polymer Clay Guild

Website: <http://scpcg.org>



Now-A-Newsletter

Virtual Meeting on: November 19, 2022, 11am Eastern Time
Zoom Meeting Pre-Start 10:45am

NAN Submissions: [scpcgnan@gmail.com](mailto:scpcgnan@gmail.com)

Virtual Meeting Location: Zoom Meeting

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NAN Submitted by Michelle Pini

TAKE NOTE

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

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6715873145?pwd=dFA1SE04aGpxVkFDS3kvTVRrhMVJXZz09

Meeting ID: 671 587 3145

Passcode: Wylwordz^8

AGENDA

November: Lorraine Presson - Cut and Replace technique

Guild Elections for 2023

We are in need of all the guild positions to be filled in 2023.

We need a new Treasurer to re place our beloved Sue Rankin.

The Vice President and President positions will need to be filled this year as well.

In order for us to maintain our Non-profit guild status these positions must be filled.

We will talk about the future of the guild.

Show-n-Tell/Help

Upcoming Demos

December- Denise Fitzsimmons TBD

January- TBD Debbie Goodrow (Debbie Please email or post pictures, on the Clay Connection page, and descriptions of your demo so we can promote you. If you can't do the demo please give us notice a month in advance to reschedule someone else.

February- NO demo. Meeting moved to the 25th due to Clayathon

March- Cumba Siegler Retro Skinner cane

April- Jackie McKinney TBD

## ☞ A Moment to Remember ☞



Sharon recently sent out an email notifying us that Sue Rankin passed away on Sunday morning October 30th. She was not only the Guild Treasurer, but a good friend. Amongst all us clayers, newbies and experts alike she was the collector. She didn't clay but admired and collected polymer clay art from all levels of artists. She encouraged and supported us all.

Sue you will be greatly missed and every time my handle falls out of my pasta machine I will think of you.



## ☞ Inquiring Minds Want to Know ☞

From Dorian:

“I recently had my first two vendor events! I finally took the plunge to try it. And I was very excited and nervous. But I made it and they were real cool and went well I think. I figured you guys would be the best to tell!

My first event was the 12th Annual Old Mill Harvest Festival in New London ,CT on October 29th

And my second event was just this past Saturday November 12th. I was a vendor at the Union Street Tavern Fall Flea Market.

If ya want any more details let me know. I took pics at the event too.”

From Michelle:

Of course we want to know more, and see pictures, details, details details!!!

## ☞ Items of Interest ☞

Carol sent these links, check it out: <https://repeller.com/trap-of-turning-hobbies-into-hustles/>

The Modern Trap of Turning Hobbies Into Hustles by Molly Conway



## Items of Interest Continued

Pan Pastel was just bought by Golden

[Golden Artist Colors Acquires Two Revolutionary Professional Art Materials Brands — PanPastel® and Sofft® Tools - Pan Pastel](#)

They currently have these great pre-printed worksheets to see how the colors will mix. Maybe print some now in case it goes away when they redo the website page.

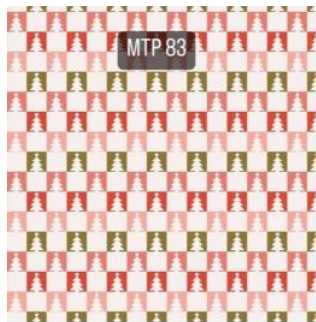
<https://paintdrawblend.com/2017/08/working-with-the-zorn-palette/>

From Inspiredesigns Denise Fitzsimmons:

I bought some paper transfers from a company and they are amazing! I also bought a few cutters and silk screens and they are really, really good. I am attaching the shapes I made with the transfers, these are cured and sealed. I included a pic of the transfer sheets, just some Christmas ones, to show as an example. The great thing is that the image transfers in an hour and you just peel off the paper. No water, no scrubbing off the paper, etc.

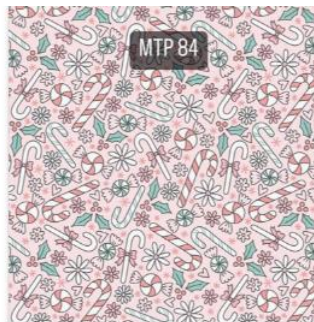


Clay Art Depot: <https://clayartdepot.com/>



Water Soluble Transfer Paper  
for Polymer Clay RETRO  
CHRISTMAS TREES (4 x 5" inch)

\$3.20



Water Soluble Transfer Paper  
for Polymer Clay CHRISTMAS  
CANDIES (4 x 5" inch)

\$3.20



Mini Acrylic Embossing Stamp -  
1.9" x 1.57" outer frame  
dimensions (=50mm x 40mm)  
Gingerbread House  
\$3.60



Christmas Mini Cutters Set

\$25.20

### 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.

[dorianmboddy@gmail.com](mailto:dorianmboddy@gmail.com)

### MEETING MINUTES

#### October Meeting

Discussed future demos

An open discussion on Creativity hacks and short cuts.

The February meeting will be moved a week back to the 25th due to Clayathon

Show-n-Tell/Help

### New Members

New Members are 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 [scpcg@scpcg.org](mailto:scpcg@scpcg.org). We welcome to attend and join.

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

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The Bottles of Hope website is:

<https://www.bottlesofhope.org>

SCPCG Facebook Page:

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