



**JULY  
2023**

NAN Submitted by Michelle Pini

**Virtual Meeting on:  
July 15, 2023, 11am Eastern Time  
Zoom Meeting Pre-Start 10:45am est**

**Virtual Zoom Meeting:**  
You are invited to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6715873145?pwd=dFA1SE04aGpxVkFDS3kvTVRhMVJXZz09>

**NAN Submissions:**  
scpcgnan@gmail.com

Meeting ID: 671 587 3145

Passcode: Wylwordz^8

**Board Members:**

**President:** Denise Fitzsimmons,  
inspiredeesigns@gmail.com

**Vice President:** Jackie McKinney

**Treasurer:** Debbie Jett

**Secretary:** Michelle Pini  
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**AGENDA**

- 10:45 Zoom Room Opens
- 10:45-11:10 - Chit Chat
- 11:10 - 11:50 - Demo with Suzanne Andrews (Reverse Mokume Gane)
- 11:50 - 12:00 - Break
- 12:00 -12:20 - Announcements
- 12:20 - ? - Show and Tell

**Please Note**

We are now accepting dues on the website.

<https://scpcg.org/membership-join-the-guild/>

**The first meeting is free - so you can see what we are all about.**

Dues are \$25 for annual membership January 1 - December 31

Click on the Add to Cart button below our Annual Membership.

(Please just click 1 time and review the amount in your cart)

You can pay through Paypal using our shopping cart.

If you would prefer to pay by check, please email debbiejett16@gmail.com for mailing instructions.

**☞ Upcoming Demos ☛**

August Demo - Linda Leach – TBD  
 September - Weekend of Clay (16th - 17th, 10AM start)  
 October – TBD  
 November – TBD  
 December – TBD

We are looking for demos, please consider showing us something you love doing or requesting a demo you would love to see done.

**☞ Items of Interest ☛**

Links from Denise:

<https://www.instagram.com/laurahonsedesign/>

One-of-a-kind hand-painted wood/paper/fabric jewelry



[https://www.instagram.com/amanda\\_anderson\\_mosaic/](https://www.instagram.com/amanda_anderson_mosaic/)



<https://amandaandersonmosaics.com/>

I also found the links below. If you try them, please let me know what you think, good and bad.

<https://fixthephoto.com/free-photo-mosaic-software.html>

Top 11 Free Photo Mosaic Software

- Mosaically - Best online photo mosaic service
- EasyMoza - Without installation or registration
- Fotor - A collage maker & online photo editor
- PictoSaic - Quick mosaic creating
- WidsMob Montage - Photo mosaic software for Win and Mac

Picture Mosaics - Offers 2 methods to create mosaics

- Mozaus - 4-steps mosaic creating process
- AndreaMosaic - Best desktop photo mosaic software
- TurboMosaic - Landscape and portrait mosaic
- Mosaikify - Many additional settings
- Imosaic - With database of images



**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)

**New Members**

Welcome:


Deena Dubin and Eileen Cressman-Reeder


**Meeting Minutes**

June Meeting:

- Chit Chat
- Demo: Denise with "Caged Pendants"
- Announcements
- What Mokume Gane did You Extrude?
- Show & Tell

**Where do we meet?**

Sept-June:  
  
 Human Library,  
 200 Main St.,  
 Middletown, CT 06457

July & August:  
  
 & Shop-Conference Rm  
 70 Hemlock Ave  
 Middletown, CT 06457

(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) if you are welcome to attend and join.

**Notice**

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

**Southern CT Polymer Clay Guild**

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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