# Now A Newsletter - NAN - May 18th



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### MAY 18TH, 2024 AGENDA

10:45-11:05 = Chit Chat 11:05 = Meeting Starts 11:05-12:00 = Demo w/ Linda L. 12-12:15 = Break 12:15-12:30 = announcements 12:30-? = Show and Tell

Virtual Meeting May 18th,2024 Zoom Room Opens @ 10: 45 AM EST Meeting Starts @ 11 AM EST

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Join Zoom Meeting

Meeting ID: 239 863 2703 Passcode: Wylwordz^8 <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2398632703?</u> <u>pwd=NFBoVHIzVGFBdnpXYklVQXpRUC8</u> <u>0UT09</u>

## SCPCG - Cool Stuff to Click On!



### **Volunteers Needed!**

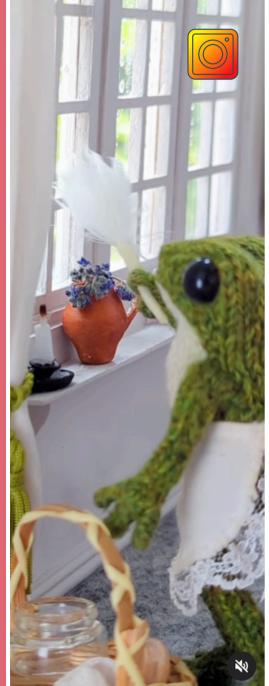
Want to help with guild activities? Website? Youtube? Retreat?

Have an idea for the guild?

Want to do a demo in an upcoming month?

email Denise at Inspiredeesigns@gmail. \_\_\_\_\_\_com\_\_\_\_\_ <u>Demo Schedule</u> May – Linda L. June – Lynne Sole July – Denise F. Aug – Sept – Oct – Weekend of Clay!





# Weekend of Clay, 2024: Oct. 19-20

Míxed Medía Button Blossoms Julie Picarello





Saturday 19th: Mixed Media Button Blossoms with Julie Picarello

Sunday the 20th : Weed Pots with Alice Stroppel

\$50 for members of SCPCG \$75 for non members of SCPCG (includes Weekend of Clay and membership to guild)

Use this link to sign up and pay: <u>https://www.paypal.com/ncp/payment/E</u> <u>TTVW5ZL39982</u>

### 13 Spots Left! Hurry! Hurry! Pay ASAP to get a spot!

# Weed Pots

One day workshop



These silly birds are bound to make you laugh. Display your favorite dried flowers in their heads as the crowning touch.

Gather your favorite canes and settle in to create your own sill weed pot.

I'll be showing you how to use serious scrap clay (the grey mud) for the base or fresh original white Sculpey.

You'll make your own feet cane and I'll show you how to make Stroppel canes to use in your pots, so be sure to set out your "good" scraps too.

Warning! These guys are additive and once you start making them you might not be able to stop.



# Southern CT Polymer Clay Guild

From the Treasurer

WE ARE NOW ACCEPTING DUES ON THE WEBSITE.

THE FIRST MEETING IS FREE - SO YOU CAN SEE WHAT WE ARE ALL ABOUT.

DUES ARE \$25 FOR ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FROM 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/CC USING OUR SHOPPING CART.

IF YOU WOULD PREFER TO PAY BY CHECK, PLEASE EMAIL DEBBIEJETT16@GMAIL.COM FOR MAILING INSTRUCTIONS.

Visit our Website

<u>Visit the Bottles of Hope Website</u>

<u>Visit our FB Page</u>

Traveling Exhibit –on hold until further notice



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Thank you for your friendship in clay!

Polymer Clay Word Search



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### Find the words of the descriptions below:

Scrap cane (named after someone)

Little flower canes (technical name)

When you add white to a color

Really flexible clay (brand)

Technique of pressing clay into stamp and adding it to a sheet of clay

"The heart man"

Otherwise known as a gradient (named after someone)

Popular brand of clay (USA)

When you add black to a color

Who gave the last demo here at SCPCG?

Product that turns clay (like mud) black

Often used to seal clay together

What you often need to create the body of a sculpture

What many people cure clay on (flat)

Needs UV light to cure

Often used in sculpture to add bulk but not weight

### SCPCG - Meeting minutes 04/20/24

Present: Denise Fitzsimmons, Berdell Moffett, Carole Monahan, Casandra Williams, Cat Szetu, Debbie Jett, Donna O'Hara, Emma Clarke, Gerry Pieper, Jose Villanueva, Lili Velez, Loreen Jones, Melinda Collins, Shari Skye, Sharon Mihalyak, Sydney Howard, Linda Leach

10:45 Social Time – Greetings

11:05

Demo: Berdell Moffett - cool cats

• Sample cat form attached to newsletter

### 11:30

Review of Cool Stuff from newsletter

- Annette Kramer Designs: folding technique, faux coral, thistles
- Kim Snowden: cane work, Van Gogh style cane
- The Rollys Robert Rolly: colorful flowers, faces, mixed media with wire

### 11:45

Weekend of Clay – 10/19-20 Discussion

- Julie Piccarello: Mixed Media Button Blossoms (Patterns in Polymer book as reference for Mokume Gane)
- Alice Stroppel: Weed Pots

\$50 for members, \$75 for non-members (includes 1 year membership)

### 11:50

Demo Schedule:

- May Linda Leach: Retro extruder cane with a twist
- June Denise: Quilt block pendant

11:58 Break

12:10 Inner Critic challenge review

12:33 Show & Tell

1:20 Meeting adjourned

Respectfully submitted, Linda Leach

