



Mountain Shadows Artist Association
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President's Message:

Welcome back winter visitors and hello to our full time Yuman artists! Here we are at the beginning of a new season, getting a slow start, but winding up to another creative winter.

Our meetings are back at the Foothills library, the Art Show and Artrails will happen too. We have the opportunity to host a Holiday Art Fair in the library as well. Please note that the Thursday Coffee Time is now at Donut Corral. Later in the season we will start our Tuesday gathering at the Sunshine Cafe as well.

Linda Willets and Teresa Mallet have an interesting project going on and the County Fair is this month, more info from Judy on that.

On a personal note, I figured I had better bring everyone up to speed on my changed circumstances. Just after Artrails in March, I flew home early to take on the care of my three grandchildren. They are 1, 2 and 3 years old. Our son ended up with temporary custody, do to a traumatic event, but he is also working full time. I ended up as their primary caregiver. It has been a huge adjustment, but such a joy to finally be in their lives. We have spent the summer bounced around by the courts and still do not have a final outcome. But son works in landscaping so he will be laid off come end of November. Until then, and possible later, depending on court dates, I am needed and will stay here. I am expecting to be south for January and February, everything else is fluid right now. I apologize for not being there, I realize it makes things harder to deal with and I feel like I am leaving you hanging. I promise I'm trying my best to keep all these dang balls in the air!

Thanks much and I will be seeing you soon!
Sincerely, Sally Rose

Upcoming Meetings/Events

Board Meeting

No board meeting this month.

General Meeting

October 12th 12:30 – 3:00 Foothills Library Linda Willets will preside.

There will be a Show & Tell, so please bring something to share!

Artists Meet-ups:

We now have three weekly gatherings. A wonderful chance to socialize with your fellow artists!

Coffee Time: Every **Tuesday** at 9:30 am throughout the season at Sunshine Cafe.

This is not starting just yet, I will let you know when it does.

Coffee Time: Every **Thursday** at 9 am throughout the winter season at **Donut Corral** (11411 S Fortuna Rd #207)

Open Studio: Will begin having this again when I am able to return south. Likely after Christmas. I really enjoy sharing my studio space with everyone. See you next year!

We will need someone to circulate a sign-up sheet for cookies this season. Please, if you would like to help provide refreshments, contact our Hospitality committee heads, Louise and Barbara.

Current Club Officers:

President: Sally Rose Howerton 509-476-2160

Vice President: Linda Willets 928-580-6684

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Hospitality: Louise Pimlott 928 210-4205

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Newsletter submissions:

If you have anything you would like included in the newsletter, please contact **Sally Rose** by the 20th of the previous month. By e-mail @ sallyrose64@gmail.com

Please put MSAA Newsletter in the subject line.

We have a website

<http://www.mtnsaa.org>

and two Facebook pages, one for the public...

Mountain Shadows Artists Association
and a private page just for our artists to share.

MSAA Show & Tell

A Message From:

Linda Willets and **Teresa Mallet** have been awarded a trash enclosure mural project. They hope that other members of MSAA will assist with the painting. More information will follow.

Barb Thorvilson: With Judy's help we are now scheduled for the art show at the Foothills Library.

Set up is Thursday February 10th and the show is February 11th & 12th.

We need to get the word out to everyone so they can start painting.

Judy Phillips: Yuma County Fall Fair Festival Oct 15-23

Art drop off

October 9. 10:00-4:00 and

October 10. 1:00-4:00

Register your art on line at Yumafair.com

Sally Rose: Some of you expressed interest in doing a Holiday Art Fair. We could not do it last year, but I am happy to report that we have been offered the use of the Foothills Library meeting room on Saturday December 11th. We can get in and set up Friday afternoon. Anyone that is interested in participating, please contact me ASAP. If we do not have enough to make a go of it, I will need to let Caitlyn know in case someone else would like the space.

Kirk Redlin: The dates for Artrails will be March 4th and 5th 2022. Deadline for pictures in the brochure is The general meeting in December. I will be there to take pictures if needed.

Mark Wall: There are new shows that open at the Yuma Art Center that the group may be interested in knowing about.

-New work by local Yuman, Michael Barkley

-Installation Artist, Kellen Meyer

-Group Show of "North End Artists Co-Op"

There is an opening reception October 15, 6pm-8pm



Art Classes

Chuck Warner Scratch Art Classes:

Classes are \$50, four hours long and limited to only four students at a time. They are hosted in my dining room and I supply all the materials needed to complete one of three projects. Roadrunner, Rooster or Hummingbird. If you've taken the class before, a new subject can be chosen, just ask me when you sign up. A beginner can expect to complete their project in a four hour class period.

Contact Chuck at 928-920-4880

Judy Phillips Fused Glass Workshop:

Fused glass workshop

December 8 10:00-12:00

\$50

Contact Judy to sign up