



## Tole It To The Mountains

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The Official Newsletter of the White Mountain Decorative Painters' Guild  
An Affiliated Chapter of the Society of Decorative Painters

### Sue's Presidential Scribbles...

Happy Holidays!

As the year comes to an end, I want to thank you all for the privilege of serving as the President for 2019. We had many wonderful painting opportunities with the afternoon programs, workshops, and seminars. Not only did we have great teachers and projects but so many hours with painting friends. We have also had plenty of opportunities to spend our money and add to our massive amounts of "stash" with the auction, brown bags, estate sales, etc.

I would like to thank everyone on the board for making the President's job easy. It took a village to accomplish all that we did and everyone stepped up. Thank you!

We are in good hands next year with even more painting options lined up. Don't miss the seminars with Lynne Andrews, Paulette DiGesare, and Cynthia Erekson and a workshop our own Dotty Pullo. It has been my experience that when I go to a seminar or workshop that I get to know my fellow painters just a little better. What is better than sharing my time with friends who share my obsession and love of painting? Thank you, one and all for allowing me to do that. I look forward to many more years of making new friends, painting, laughs, and love with WMDPG.

Please join me at the next meeting as we welcome the new board at our ceremony to honor them and all of our membership.

I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Blessed New Year!

Sue Hodgkins

**Meeting Sales Events** - Sue Duffy has reserved a table to sell decorative painting goodies at our next meeting. She is graciously donating the proceeds to the charity that our chapter supports, David's House.

### Meeting guest wanted, needed & appreciated...

**If you plan on bringing a last minute guest to a meeting, that's AWESOME. But please call our Membership Secretary, Jacque, or send her an email. We want to make sure we have a small acknowledgement gift to give guests as a welcome. If applicable, we also need to make sure there is adequate food and afternoon program surfaces. Jacque's contact information is: 603-475-9480 or [join@wmdpghn.org](mailto:join@wmdpghn.org)**

### News from our Vice President...

Hello Painters,  
Thank you for helping to make 2019 such a great year! Your attendance at our seminars and workshops was very appreciated. And so many of you participated in our afternoon programs, pitching in, and helping when needed.

We are looking forward to our January 3rd meeting. Carolyn has ordered paint, so do not worry if you find the list overwhelming. We will share and work things out. Bring your favorite stroke-work brushes along and remember to prep your piece beforehand. Suzi is doing well and expects to be up for our class.

Linda is baking her macaroni and cheese accompanied by a ham. It should be a warm and delicious day.

Hope everyone has wonderful holidays and stay well.

See you soon.

Peggy

WMDPG – the deadline for the next issue of 'Tole it in the Mountains' is February 1, 2020

### 2020 Elected Officers & Board Members...

The White Mountain Decorative Painters Guild membership elected the following members at our November 10, 2019 general meeting.

<b>PRESIDENT</b>	Peggy Daly
<b>VICE PRESIDENT/PRESIDENT ELECT</b>	Carolyn Swasey
<b>NEWSLETTER EDITOR</b>	Donna Frost
<b>MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY</b>	Sue Duffy
<b>RECORDING SECRETARY</b>	Suzi Franklin
<b>TREASURER</b>	Dotty Pullo

<b>BOARD OF DIRECTORS:</b>	Linda Conners
	Melanie Knox
	Jacque Seastedt
<b>Alternates:</b>	Janice Fusco
	Leanne Kelly

## 2019/2020 Calendar of Events...

January 5, 2020 - **General Meeting** (afternoon Suzi Franklin)  
 February 1, 2020 - Board Meeting and **Newsletter Deadline**  
 March 8, 2020 - **General Meeting** (afternoon Tricia Joiner)  
 March 28, 2020 - Board Meeting and **Newsletter Deadline**  
 May 3, 2020 - **General Meeting** (afternoon Mary Svenson)  
 June 13, 2020 - Workshop with Cynthia Ereksen  
 July 24 & 25, 2020 – Seminar with Paulette DiGesare  
 August 1, 2020 - Board Meeting and **Newsletter Deadline**  
 September 11, 2020 - **General Mtg.** (afternoon Susan Mangano)  
 September 19 & 20, 2020 –Seminar with Lynne Andrews  
 August 1, 2020 - Board Meeting and **Newsletter Deadline**  
 November 15, 2020 - **General Meeting** (afternoon Diane LaChance)  
 December ? 2020 - Board Meeting and **Newsletter Deadline**  
 January 2021 General Meeting  
 Heidi England Seminar – May 14 – 16, 2021  
 Ronnie Bringle – September 2021

## October 2020 Library Outreach Program...



October is decorative painting month and we are looking to promote art in various public libraries throughout NH. We need volunteers to contact their local library, to see if they will allow us to display decorative art works in their facility for a short period in October 2020. Please contact Carolyn Swasey, if you are interested in contacting your local library. What a great way to promote art.

## 2019 WMDPG Elected Officers & Board of Directors...

President	Sue Hodgkins	603-225-9074	<a href="mailto:president@wmdpgnh.org">president@wmdpgnh.org</a>
Vice President	Peggy Daly		<a href="mailto:vp@wmdpgnh.org">vp@wmdpgnh.org</a>
Newsletter Editor	Carolyn Swasey	603-490-4429	<a href="mailto:editor@wmdpgnh.org">editor@wmdpgnh.org</a>
Secretary	Marilyn Moses	603-382-5284	<a href="mailto:esmjmoses@comcast.net">esmjmoses@comcast.net</a>
Treasurer	Dotty Pullo	603-864-0206	<a href="mailto:rosepullo@gmail.com">rosepullo@gmail.com</a>
Membership Secretary	Jacque Seastedt	603-475-9480	<a href="mailto:join@wmdpgnh.org">join@wmdpgnh.org</a>
Past President Advisor	Donna Frost	603-648-2386	<a href="mailto:dfrost49@gmail.com">dfrost49@gmail.com</a>
Board Members	Linda Conners	603-344-4534	<a href="mailto:lindaconners@gmail.com">lindaconners@gmail.com</a>
	Melanie Knox	603-529-7129	<a href="mailto:mek5@gsinet.net">mek5@gsinet.net</a>
	Suzi Franklin	207-646-3269	<a href="mailto:mefpsp@yahoo.com">mefpsp@yahoo.com</a>
Alternate	Janice Fusco	603-540-5933	<a href="mailto:jagfusco@comcast.net">jagfusco@comcast.net</a>

## 2019/2020 Presidential Appointments...

Annual Raffle	Deb Courville ( <b>Kris Lafayette</b> )	603-880-3791
Brown Bag Raffle ***	Susan Mangano	603-667-5709
Centerpieces ***	Kris Lafayette	978-667-5709
Chapter Energizer	Kris Lafayette ( <b>Kris Lafayette</b> )	978-667-5709
Egg & Ornament Swap	Kris Lafayette ( <b>Melanie Knox</b> )	978-667-5709
Hospitality & ToileGate	Leanne Kelly ( <b>Leanne Kelly</b> )	603-689-8700
Installation Coordinator ***	OPEN	
Luncheon Chair	Linda Conners ( <b>Linda Conners</b> )	603-344-4534
Memory Box Coordinators	Marilyn Moses ( <b>Marilyn Moses</b> )	603-382-5284
	Jacque Seastedt ( <b>Jacque Seastedt</b> )	603-475-9480
NECC Co-chair reps	Carolyn Swasey ( <b>Larry Provencher Primary</b> )	
	Linda Conners ( <b>Carolyn Swasey</b> )	603-490-4429
NET Volunteer Chair ***	Sue Hodgkins	603-225-9074
Nominating Committee	Kris Lafayette ( <b>Carolyn Swasey</b> )	978-667-5709
	Melanie Knox	603-529-7129
Parliamentarian	Kris Lafayette ( <b>Kris Lafayette</b> )	978-667-5709
Service Project/Charity	Linda Conners ( <b>Linda Conners</b> )	603-344-4534
Seminars / Workshops	Peggy Daly ( <b>Carolyn Swasey</b> )	<a href="mailto:vp@wmdpgnh.org">vp@wmdpgnh.org</a>
Social Media / Website	Donna Frost ( <b>Donna Frost</b> )	603-648-2386

**2020 volunteers noted or positions with asterisks next to it, need someone to volunteer.**

## Directions to Country Inn & Suites, 250 So. River Road, Bedford NH

From points North take a right on Rte. 3 South Everett Turnpike and take the Bedford Exit. Take a right on Rte. 3 and follow this south until you pass IHOP and Canoe, the next sight is the hotel entrance.  
 From points South, take Rte. 3 North Everett Turnpike, and get off at the Airport exit, before the toll booth. (Rte. 3 Merrimack). Go North on Rte. 3 toward Bedford. The hotel is 2 miles on the left. Get into the left lane just after the set of lights (junction of the Animal Hospital & Neurospine Center and Hampton Inn)  
 From points East, take Rte. 101 West 293 and, get off at the Bedford Exit leading you to South River Rd/ Rte. 3. Take a right and follow that until you pass IHOP & Canoe, proceed and the hotel is on the right side up the hill.

## Ornament Swap...

I hope everyone enjoyed the ornament swap. I LOVE the one I picked. A perfect one for my small tree. They were all so very unique! Also, thank you to everyone who donated ornie to David's House. Generosity seems to be in the hearts of all of our members. Thanks to all who painted and donated to ornie. The families of the patients at Dartmouth-Hitchcock thank you.

## Memory Boxes...



Please continue to support the Memory Box program. Thank you to those members who shared their talent and painted a box for donation to a local hospital. Boxes are available for you to pick up at the next meeting. If you have any questions, please contact Marilyn or Jacque.

## WMDPG January 5, 2020 General Meeting...

**Date:** January 5, 2020  
**Place:** Country Inn & Suites  
 So. River Rd., Bedford, NH

**Directions:** Refer to page 2

### Agenda -

- **9:00 – 10:00:** Coffee, Tea, and Ice Water (compliments of the chapter), browse various displays
- **NO BROWN BAG AUCTION**
- **10:00 – 12:00:** Business Meeting
- **12:00 – 12:30:** Macaroni & Cheese, Ham, Salad, Rolls, Dessert
- **12:00 – 4:00:** Afternoon Program with Suzi Franklin .

## Things to Bring to the Meeting...

- ❖ **Willingness to volunteer as a Presidential Appointee**
- ❖ **Palette Potpourri item to place on display**
- ❖ **Your painted name tag**
- ❖ **Money for raffles and fundraiser tickets**
- ❖ **Funds to support Sue Duffy's sale to support David's House**
- ❖ **Memory Boxes**
- ❖ **Item for David's House**
- ❖ **Your smile and open heart**
- ❖ **Painting supplies to enjoy the afternoon program with Suzi.**

## January 5, 2020 General Meeting & Afternoon Program Registration Form **Please RSVP by December 28, 2019**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Guest Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### Complete the following -

	<u>Member</u>	<u>Guest</u>
Attending Business Meeting	Yes / No	Yes / No
Afternoon Program: Maureen McNaughton design, taught by Suzi Franklin	Yes \$15 / No	Yes \$15 / No
Lunch:	Yes \$12 / No	Yes \$12 / No

Make checks payable to WMDPG

Total enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail completed form to:

Jacque Seastedt  
 49 Sanborn Rd  
 Danville, NH 03819  
 603-475-9480

Email: join@wmdpgnh.org

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## Afternoon Program with Suzi Franklin paints needed... (Additional information is on page 8 of this newsletter)

DA06 Pineapple  
 DA028 Raspberry  
 DA029 Boysenberry Pink  
 DA031 Baby Pink  
 DA032 Lilac  
 DA033 Orchid  
 DA040 Williamsburg Blue  
 DA042 Baby Blue  
 DA052 Avocado  
 DA057 Jade Green

DA084 Midnite Green  
 DA086 Uniform Blue  
 DA095 Neutral Grey  
 DA106 Light Avocado  
 DA107 Teal Green  
 DA112 Cranberry Wine  
 DA140 Red Violet  
 DA157 Black Green  
 DA167 Paynes Grey  
 DA168 Golden Straw  
 DA171 Driftwood

DA192 Pink Chiffon  
 DA193 Blue Chiffon  
 DA223 Traditional Burnt Sienna  
 DA231 Electric Pink  
 DA233 Wild Orchid  
 DA286 Terra Coral  
 DA175 Plum

*The following (required) colors have been discontinued by DecoArt and are denoted in this packet as "D/C + Color Name." If you do not have them in your stash, the recipes follow:*

DA209 Arbor Green  
 DA154 Pansy Lavender  
 DA175 Plum  
**D/C Arbor Green:** Neutral Grey DA095 + Slate Grey DA068 + Leaf Green DA051 1:1:1  
**D/C Pansy Lavender:** Purple Rain DA327 + Frosted Plum  
 DA335 + Grape Juice DA236 1:(1+tc):1:1  
 DA05 Taffy Cream  
 DA028 Raspberry



Beginner Stroke Painters  
 Design: timed for Suzi  
 Franklin's 4 hour class

**2020 Membership Application — White Mountain Decorative Painters' Guild**  
*You must be a current member of the SDP to be a member of WMDPG.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last First Year Joined

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City State 9 Digit Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Check box if this is a new address:

Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

SDP Membership # \_\_\_\_\_  
 New Member \$15.00  Renewal \$15.00

- Newsletter Hardcopy add \$10/year (optional)**
- I do not have a computer! Mail for Free!**
- Do not list email / phone to Membership

Let Us Wish You Happy Birthday: MM \_\_\_\_ DD \_\_\_\_

Shop Owner  Teacher  Student

Would you be a teacher at a meeting or a workshop? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 Medium Taught \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be willing to be contacted for rides? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Referred By: \_\_\_\_\_

Questions? Call Jacque Seastedt , 603-475-9480 or email at: [join@wmdpgnh.org](mailto:join@wmdpgnh.org)

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 YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_

**Please send form and payment (check made payable to WMDPG), to:**

Jacque Seastedt  
 49 Sandown Road  
 Danville, NH 03819

**Shredded Wheat Bread recipe - shared by Janice Fusco**

- 2 Cups boiling water
- 2 Large Shredded Wheat Cereal biscuits crumbled
- 2 tsp Salt
- 3 Tbsps. Shortening (Crisco)
- 1/3 Cup Sugar
- 1/3 Cup Molasses
- 2 pkg Active Dry Yeast dissolved in 1/2 cup warm water
- 6 Cups Flour (more or less depending on weather conditions)

Pour boiling water over shredded wheat. Add salt, sugar, molasses and shortening. Cool to lukewarm and add yeast mixture. Mix in enough flour to reach a soft bread dough consistency. Knead until smooth. Place in greased bowl and let rise in warm spot until double in bulk. Knead and shape into two loaves. Place in greased loaf pans and let rise again for about an hour. Bake in a 375-degree oven for 30 minutes, lower heat to 350 and bake for another 30 minutes checking after 15 minutes. Bread is done when removed from pan and tapped on the bottom and it sounds hollow. Cool before slicing.

This bread can also be shaped into dinner rolls and baked in muffing tins. Baking time will be approximately 30 minutes.

My grandmother would make this every Saturday morning. Happy to say I still have one of her loaf pans. This bread can't be beat when toasted and buttered.

**Poinsettia afternoon program with Dotty Pullo**

Thank you, Dotty for sharing your talent with us and teaching a wonderful Mixed Media afternoon program. We loved the options you taught us to paint this Poinsettia card using different methods.



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**Please consider volunteering in 2020 to help us keep our guild strong.**



## WMDPG Secretary's Report from November 10, 2019 Meeting...

The meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance at the Country Inn in Bedford by President, Sue Hodgkins. Coffee and baked goods were enjoyed during the meeting. Members were welcomed and a new member, Diane LaChance, was introduced.

### REPORTS

Secretary, Marilyn Moses. The report had been included in the last newsletter. No additions or corrections were offered. Motions were made to accept the report and all were in favor. The report will be filed as written.

Treasurer, Dotty Pullo. The budget was discussed for 2020. A projector and lady bug were purchased for use during the afternoon programs and future seminars. The sale price was \$450. Dotty was able to purchase the two items for \$400. plus \$63. for postage.

Membership, Jacque Seastedt. Meeting - 30 ; Lunch - 29 ; Afternoon program - 25.

Newsletter Editor, Carolyn Swasey. The deadline for the newsletter is December 14. Please submit articles, tips, and recipes to make our newsletter interesting and informative.

Hospitality, Leeanne Kelly. She spoke about the sale of Claudia Maher's painting items that her family is holding after Claudia's death. She worked with Claudia's daughter to organize the numerous surfaces, paintings, and supplies. Several members attended the first sale and more will be held in the near future. They were able to see many of her finished pieces at the sale. She was a very talented painter. The family donated 3 items to the guild for future raffles.

Lunch Chairman, Linda Conners. A Thanksgiving lunch was served – turkey, stuffing, potatoes, cranberries, and delicious desserts! We are fortunate to have our very own chef!

### NEW AND OLD BUSINESS

#### Seminars and Workshops:

Dotty Pullo spoke of the successful seminar that was held in September with Rosemary West. Carolyn Swasey told members that Heidi England will be teaching a seminar for our guild in 2021. Members are encouraged to look at her web site to view her seminar pieces. Look at the tabs labeled Gallery 1 and 2 to see her seminar projects.

Afternoon programs, Dotty Pullo, November – A Poinsettia card with watercolor. Instructions to paint this with acrylics will also be given. January 2020 – Suzi Franklin will teach a Maureen McNaughton project; March – Tricia Joiner; May – Mary Svenson; September – S. Mangano; November – Peg Daly.

Workshops, Peg Daly. June 13, 2020 – Cynthia Erikson will design a pattern for a box; July 24 and 25 – Paulette DeGesare and on September 19 and 20 – Lynne Andrews.

Tole Gate, Leeanne Kelly. Dollars were collected from members not wearing name tags.

Nominations, Kris Lafayette informed members of the candidates for the Election of officers and board members. Voting was held. Officers for 2020 are: President, Peg Daly, Vice President/President elect, Carolyn Swasey;

Membership Secretary, Sue Duffy; Recording Secretary, Suzi Franklin; Treasurer, Dotty Pullo; Newsletter, Donna Frost. Board of directors will be: Linda Conners, Melanie Knox, and Jacque Seastedt. Alternates - Janice Fusco and Leeanne Kelly.

SDP. Donna Frost spoke about the instructions for applying to complete the Certified Decorative Artist certification. (CDA) The information is on the SDP web site. A discussion was held on the SDP newly formed membership entitled "Unicorn Spit". Several members voiced their opinions on the decreased membership fee for this group, bylaws not being followed, and lack of communication. Sue Hodgkins will be writing a letter to SDP to inform them of guild members' concerns.

Christmas Ornament Swap: Ornaments were exchanged among members and donated ornaments for David's House were collected. L. Conners will take them to David's House.

Memory boxes – Jacque Seastedt and Marilyn Moses. New boxes have been purchased and members are encouraged to take one home to paint during the long, cold winter. The hospitals will certainly appreciate having them available.

NET: Sue Hodgkins thanked all members who volunteered to assist in our guild's assignment in class sales and registration. She feels as though there will be more classes using oil paints next year.

Chapter Energizer, K. Lafayette. She announced that the "Atta Girl" for September was Linda Conners. She provides members with delicious lunches for each meeting and offers to provide food for extra events. The November "Atta Girl" was Sue Hodgkins who volunteered a great deal of her time at NET and at Market Days in Concord this summer.

Centerpieces, K. Lafayette: Exceptional table centerpieces were designed and made by Betty Vitale, Shirley Cochis, Sue Mangano and Carol Beers-Witherall.

The meeting was adjourned, after which the Bag Raffle was held. The Thanksgiving lunch was enjoyed, followed by the afternoon program taught by Dotty Pullo. Pretty poinsettias were painted with water colored markers and later also using acrylic paints. This will be a good option for making cards with the media of one's choice. The folded cards will make great greeting cards for Christmas.

Respectfully submitted,

Marilyn Moses / WMDPG Secretary

**Upcoming Birthdays:**

**December:** Fran Gelinas (5), Carol Bell (6), Linda Connors (14), Kathleen Tanguay (21)  
**February:** Jacque Seastedt (22), Barbara Powers (22) and Marilyn Moses (23).  
**March:** Kris Lafayette (5), Shirley Cochis (8), Mary Frambach (8), Sue Hodgkins (22) and Maureen Kelly (24)  
**April:** Joy Keene (1), Melanie Knox (28) and Dottie Perotti (29).  
 If your birthday is not listed please contact Leanne Kelly at lkell13@comcast.net



**Atta-girl comments from Kris Lafayette....**

Congrats to our September and November Atta Girl recipients. Linda Connors and Sue Hodgkins contribute so much time and effort to the Guild, and we thank them for their contributions. ATTA GIRLS !!!

**Highlights from the meeting... Brown Bag, Potpourri, etc...**

Lunch was definitely a highlight and was prepared by our very own Linda Connors as well as other members who contributed to our pre-thanksgiving feast. Thank you – it was yummy!



**2020 Membership Application — Society of Decorative Painters**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last First Year Joined

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City State 9 Digit Zip Code

Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  Check box if this is a new address

New  Renewal  Membership# \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Affiliations: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP (US only): \$60  
 INDIVIDUAL/BUSINESS ASSOCIATE: \$90  
 HOUSEHOLD MEMBERSHIP \$40 (for immediate family member sharing same address)  
 TRIAL MEMBERSHIP \$40 (for new members who want an on-line copy only of the Decorative Painters  
 STUDENT MEMBERSHIP \$20 (online magazine only) (documentation must be provided)

Check Enclosed (payable to SDP) or CHARGE my:  Visa  MC

Card No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail form and payment directly to:**

SDP  
 1220 East First Street  
 Wichita KS 67124  
 or:  
 Join online at:  
<https://www.decorativepainters.org>

**Meeting/Event Cancellation Policy...**

Cancellations for any WMDPG Event/Meeting will be posted on our website and/or Facebook page: [www.wmdpghn.org](http://www.wmdpghn.org)  
<https://www.facebook.com/White-Mountain-Decorative-Painters-Guild-357770294262956/>  
 no later than 8:30 am on the day of that activity. If you do not have access to the internet, please call a friend who does or call any Board Member. (See Page 2 for phone numbers.)

**Policy—for Missed Events Project Pieces...**

If an individual paid for a class and is unable to attend, arrangements must be made to obtain the materials within 2 months or by the next General Meeting. Otherwise, the class project will revert back to the Guild with no refund.

**Advertising rates – Deadline February 1, 2020 (Donna Frost is the contact)**

	MEMBER		NON-MEMBERS	
	1 Issue	5 Issues	1 Issue	5 Issues
Full Page	\$30.00	\$135.00	\$40.00	\$180.00
Half Page	\$15.00	\$67.50	\$20.00	\$90.00
1/4 Page	\$7.50	\$33.75	\$10.00	\$45.00
Business Card 3.5X2"	\$5.00	\$22.50	\$7.50	\$33.75
Little Notices Bulletin Board	\$1.00	N/A	N/A	N/A

**David's House Wish List...**

- Paper towels
- Tissues
- Paper plates & bowls
- Plastic utensils
- Paper cups - 5 oz. only
- Laundry detergent - powder
- Kitchen sponges
- Dishwashing liquid
- Liquid hand soap
- Dryer Sheets
- Stain Removers
- Juice boxes, Concentrated juices
- Cookies and crackers
- Cereal Bars
- Cereal - single serving and regular
- Pop tarts
- Fruit snacks
- Applesauce
- Pudding Snacks cups
- Microwave Popcorn
- Single serving microwave meals
- Soups (small size)
- Beef stew (small size)
- Coffee creamer (powder)
- Spaghettios/Ravioli (reg. size)
- Sanitary napkins
- Tampons
- Panty shields
- Nursing pads (disposable)

## Dotty's Treasurers Report – 2020 Budget and Balances...

Income	
Avertising	\$0.00
Annual Raffle	\$400.00
Brown Bag Auction 5 * 60	\$300.00
Sales from Donated Itmes	\$300.00
Membership Dues 40*\$15	\$600.00
Workshops 2	\$1,200.00
Interest	\$20.00
Seminar 1 one day (15) * 50	\$750.00
seminar 2 (40* 50)	\$2,000.00
seminar 3 (40* 50)	\$2,000.00
General meeting lunch 20 *\$10*5	\$1,000.00
Afternoon program 20 * 10 *5	\$1,000.00
Newsletter Hard Copies	\$50.00
NET Dividend	\$750.00
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$10,370.00</b>

## November Centerpieces...

Please join me in thanking some very talented White Mountain members for the beautiful November centerpieces. The adorable elves and cute cupcakes on the napkin holder were painted on wood as smooth as a baby's bottom. The quilted mats were so creative and so well sewn. I was lucky enough to win a "Tablescape" and Shirley's gingerbread, tea, and colored ribbon idea to decide the winners was spot on! Great job ladies. Shirley Cochis, Carol Beers-Witherall, Sue Manganoall. , and Betty Vitale did a fabulous job. Thank you .



## Janice Fusco's Tip Corner...

When adding dots to a project – put a drop of paint on your opposite thumb nail to dip your stylus in. (She learned this trick from Nancy Scott).

## 2020 Events - Mark your calendars...

**January 5:** Suzi Franklin-Maureen McNaughton special pattern designed for WMDPG.  
**March 8:** Tricia Joiner-flowers on fabric and lace  
**May 3:** Mary Svenson-Daffodil  
**June 13:** Cynthia Erekson - Box  
**July 24-25:** Paulette DeGesare - Project TBD  
**September 11:** Sue Mangano -Silk Scarf  
**September 19-20:** Lynne Andrews-Project TBD  
**November 15:** Diane LaChance - Zentangle



## WMDPG Account Balances:

Checking: \$7,001.85  
 Savings CD: \$7,139.39  
 Total Cash Assets: \$14,141.24

## NET 2020 Convention information...

## SAVE THE DATE:

October 6<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020.  
 We were awarded \$1,000 for our involvement in making NET a success. Thank you to all members who volunteered.

**Corporations that donated to us this year. Please support them in return....**



## Let Them Eat Cupcakes

**Please support Cupcakes 101 in Bedford NH. Located at 132 Bedford Center Rd. They were extremely generous and donated the delicious cupcakes we enjoyed at our Rosemary West Seminar.**

1-800-TOTE-BAG



Re-useable Tote Bags, Made in U.S.A.



**January 2020 Class at White Mountain- Suzi Franklin said you will need:**

**Palette knife for mixing paint, extra palette paper for mixing paint, scissors, clean water container, easily removable tape, DecoArt Americana Paint (bring any of these colors that you have, please). Complete listing provided on page 3.**

**(Basecoat surface in Black (smoothly!) and put on pattern before January class. There will be no time for this in class!)**

**Brushes- Maureen's are best, inexpensive, and last longer than most.**

**Round: #2, #4, #6 Philbert : #4 Liner: #0, #5/0 (Pampered Palette has them.)**

**Surface: Any flat horizontal surface with a minimum of 6" X 5" of space to paint design plus a margin around the design. (Mine was about 8" X 6".)**

**If you already have a wet palette with at least a 9 X 12 area for paint, just bring it with you to the meeting in January. If not, see below:**

**HOW TO MAKE A WET PALETTE**

**Large flat pan with low sides, such as those used to bake cookies.**

**Auto shammy cut to fit your pan. When wet, the shammy will expand a little. Try it and cut as exactly as you can to fit when wet.**

**Plastic card (like an obsolete credit card) or similar plastic scraper one could use for spackle on wall board.**

**Aluminum foil to cover pan and keep paint from drying out.**

**Wet Palette Paper will be provided in class and will be properly marked for the class.**

**AND**

**Palette paper will be placed on top of the dampened shammy and then carefully smoothed out with the plastic scraper before paint is applied.**

**NOTE: Please bring the paints if you have them. The guild has purchased two bottles of all the colors that have not been discontinued. We had issues ordering Jade Green which is not a discontinued color, so please bring this one.**



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## 2019 Raffle News...

Raffle prizes are florals painted on a fabric tuffet or a King-sized hand painted quilt. Please continue to promote our annual fundraiser by selling tickets.



**Two winning raffle tickets will be randomly drawn at the January 5<sup>th</sup> meeting. It will be taped for posting to the White Mountain Decorative Painting website. The 1<sup>st</sup> ticket drawn is to win the quilt, and the 2<sup>nd</sup> is for the tuffet. Please return your tickets.**