

S T I L L W A T E R
Art Guild
 est. 1963 Stillwater, Oklahoma

NOVEMBER 2011

Art Guild meetings

4th Mondays 7:00 pm
 Sheerar Center

***There is an access
 ramp on the west side***

All Demonstrations held
 the 4th Monday 7:00 pm
 Sheerar Auditorium
 7th & Duncan Street

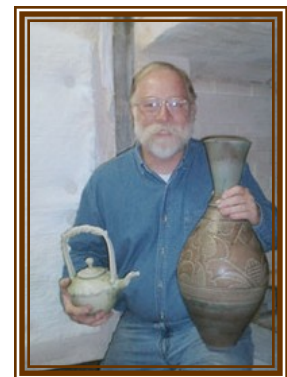
SAG Board meetings
 First Mondays 7:00 pm
 Sheerar Center

Paul Pfrehm

Pottery Demonstration – November 28, 2011

Paul Pfrehm, whose motto is "Have wheel, will travel", has worked in clay for over 40 years and has a Bachelor of Art Education and a Master of Fine Art in clay and sculpture. He has 21 years of experience as a college instructor, along with an extensive exhibition history.

He is a Teaching Artist with the Oklahoma Arts Council. His specialties are Sculpture & Ceramics. The Teaching Artist Roster is a resource list of Oklahoma artists who have been vetted by the Oklahoma Arts Council and are available to schools and organizations for arts education and learning programs. Each artist accepted to the roster has demonstrated artistic and instructional abilities, and is familiar with curriculum and instructional strategies. In a residency with Paul, participants will explore many new methods and techniques in clay while working with a master clay artist and exceptional instructor.



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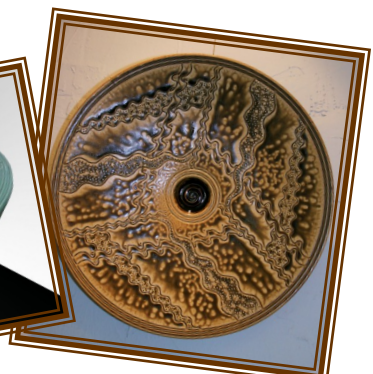
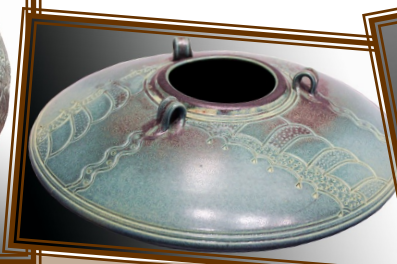
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Learning Goals for his students:

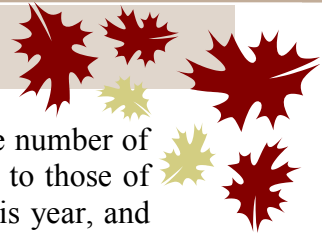
- Understand clay as a 3-dimensional art form
- Learn various methods and techniques of working with clay
- Experience in the use of the potters wheel
- Help small schools introduce clay as an art media

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President's Letter



Well, I left the Stillwater Community Center last Wednesday very excited at the number of entries for our Fall Show. Thank you to everyone who exhibited this year, and to those of you who helped **Donna Branson** hang the art. We had at least 7 new artists this year, and the entries included sculptures from **Lou Moore Hale** and **Jim Franklin**. **Thank you all!**

Invitations were sent out to local artists about participating in our **2012 Studio Tour** in the Spring. We received a positive response from 12 of those artists, so we are proceeding to the next step. There is still time left before the final deadline if you would like to add your name to the list, or if you know of someone else that we should contact.

Happy Thanksgiving to each of you! See you on the 28th. ~ Roxanne

Stillwater Art Guild's Fall Show

The Fall Show, which runs until Dec. 19th at the Stillwater Community Center, contains sixty works of original art produced by 22 artists. This is a 50% increase in the number of pieces compared to last Fall's show. In addition to an increase in the number of pieces, we also have an increase in the variety of art mediums displayed. This Fall's art includes: graphics, paintings in acrylic, oil, pastel, and watercolor, mixed media, and four pieces of sculpture which are shown in the Room 102. Show chair, Donna Branson, would like to thank all artists who are participating in the show and everyone who helped hang the show including: Steve Batten, Mike Branson, Barbara and Don Boswell and grandson, Hunter Remke, Terry and Joyce Hunt, Lou Hale, Tim and Roxanne Parrow, and Deanna Valley. Thank you also to Jason Wallace who produced and installed the individual artist information cards.

Displays Around Town : A Call for Artists

Stillwater Art Guild members have the opportunity to show their work at selected businesses around town. At our demonstration meetings look for the notebook of places available to display art. This will be artwork that can be hung on a wall or positioned on an easel. (Other types of art might have a place in the doctor's lounge at Stillwater Medical Center. If you want to display at either the Public Library or Stillwater Medical Center, contact Cheri Fisher.) Decide where you want to display your art and note how many pieces are requested at that place. Print your name, phone number or email address.

then... On the first business day of the month that you choose: Take your art to the business. If it is a bank, find a receptionist or any bank employee. Explain that you are with the Stillwater Art Guild and you have art to display. Most likely, she/he will figure it out before you actually have to say it! The employee will show/tell you where to place the artwork. You then put it on the wall or on an easel, whichever you are directed to do. The nails or easels will be there already, you just provide the art!

and last... On the last business day of the month, pick up your art. Walk in and take it out the door. Or if that makes you uncomfortable, just tell an employee that you are there to gather your art. ***It is really just that simple to get your work out in the public view.*** If you need more information, call Cheri Fisher @ 743-1052 and leave a message or email cherilynnfisher@gmail.com. Put "Art Guild" or "Displays Around Town" as the subject of your email.

Accolades

Donna Branson's pastels are displayed in the Oklahoma Art Guild's 56th Annual Member's Fall Show, Nov. 5—Nov. 19, at the Simply Oklahoma Gallery in Guthrie, OK. In this all-media show, Donna received 2nd place in the City-Scapes /Architecture category for her pastel called "*St. Francis Hermitage: Mt. Subasio.*" She also received Honorable Mention for a pastel called "*Fall Color at Red River.*"

Helen Gragert has a show at the Sheerar Museum thru Dec. 23rd. (More info on page 4.)

Jason Wallace will be in the 33rd Annual Downtown Edmond Arts Festival May 4,5, & 6th, 2012. Download an application for this show from www.downtownedmondok.com, write to Downtown Edmond Business Association, P.O. Box 3653, Edmond, OK 73083, or call 405-249-9391. Deadline is Feb. 1, 2012. Limited Space is available.

Mark Waits recently exhibited a collection of photographs titled "A Bygone Era" in the Oklahoma City Plaza District. He also has a new website: www.markwaitsphotography.com. Phone 405-612-6928 or email: markwaits@gmail.com.

Mike Stano won 1st in Color Photography ("Robin Hood Flour Mill," Ponca City) and 1st in Black and White Photography ("The Ponca Theatre," Ponca City) in the 2011 Oklahoma Bar Association Art Contest.



Vonda Evans & Jo Lynch Exhibit at the Malinda Berry Fischer Gallery
OSU Foundation Building - 400 S. Monroe, Stillwater - thru Dec. 31st

Newsletter Deadline

Jan. 04, 2012

9:00 p.m.

Email: veryvalley@aol.com

or call 405-624-1519

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Welcome New Members!

Pat Evans - Oil
Jim Franklin - Sculpture, Bronze
Gary Spencer - Photography
Earline Strom - Pottery, Oil, Acrylics
Bob Davis - Watercolor, Digital Photography



Art is an adventure that never seems to end.
~ Jason, Los Cerros Middle School, 1999

Helen Koons Gragert Exhibit Sheerar Museum

702 S. Duncan Street
Stillwater, OK 74074
405-377-0359

Blown Glass - Porcelain - Ceramics

Exhibit on display until Dec. 23, 2011
Hours: M-F 11-5 Sat. & Sun. 1-4

A portion of the proceeds go to the Museum.
(Helen is a member of the Stillwater Art Guild.)

Stillwater Art Guild
<http://www.stillwaterartguild.org/>

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Gardiner Art Gallery
108 Bartlett Center
OSU Campus - Stillwater

Refined
Nov. 9-21
Works by students graduating in
December.

Studio Capstone Exhibit
Nov. 30 - Dec. 12

Reception:
Thurs. Dec. 1st, 5-6 pm
Gallery Talk, 6-7 pm

Hospitality Volunteers

November 28, 2011

Hosts

Mary Red,
Ginger Tunnell,
Rose Ann Red,
Lou Hale,
Losco Hunter,
Alfred & Cheryl Smith,
Bethany, Brian & Shelley Mitchell

