

# FWDP Newsletter

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**Fort Worth Decorative Painters is a Chapter  
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Happy Valentine's Day everyone!

This month's meeting we will celebrate Valentine's Day a little late... but not too late! Remember to paint your wooden heart for our exchange at the meeting. It will be fun to see all the different designs y'all come up with.

At this meeting we will also vote on the new bylaws that were in the November newsletter. Please read those over and be ready to vote at the meeting.

We will also be voting on the proposed budget, which will be attached to the newsletter but will not be published online. Please review before the meeting.

Happy painting and see you on the 20th,

Hugs, Peggy

## 2023 Board

### Elected Officers

PRESIDENT – Peggy Thomas

VP Programs – President Elect – Louise Smith

Secretary – Jan Park

Treasurer – Sharlene King

Membership – Dora Jodoin

### 2022 Committee Chair

Christmas Party – Peggy Thomas, Jan Park, Louise Smith

Hospitality – Jan Park

Newsletter – Nancy Genetti

Publicity/Website – Suzane Godley

Raffle – Stacey Castiglione

Saturday Specials – Dusti Dancer

Seminars – Nancy Genetti

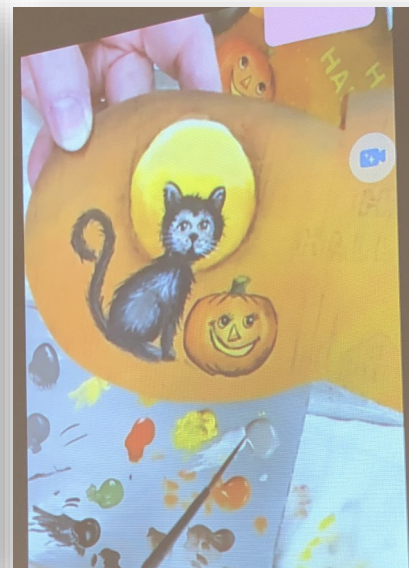
Service Project -- Memory Boxes – Judy Wallis

Sunshine – Suzane Godley

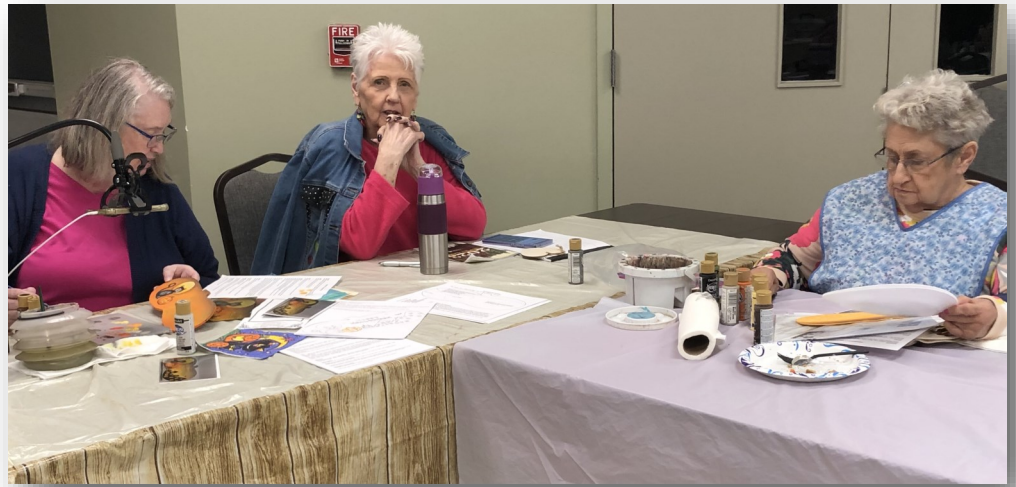


**2023 Elected Officers**

## <sup>2</sup> January Meeting







## HOSPITALITY

Thank you to the Board Members for the yummy snacks at our January meeting.

February Meeting the following people have signed up to bring the snacks:

**Non-Sweets:** Dusti and Beth.

**Sweets:** Juanita and Nancy

Please remember to bring your own drink.

See you at the meeting!

Juanita

### February Raffle Contributors

Louise, Dusti, Nancy and Sharlene

Special thanks to all of them!

Stacey

Programs: For the snowman with the red scarf, I will have a complete color picture, pattern and instruction packet at the meeting. If you are not able to come to the meeting; you can zoom with us. We will do some washes of paint, so bring your fan to help dry the surface. Beth will be teaching the tin floral in March. She advises using a spray primer on the tin surface, available at Walmart or hardware store. The colors are of your own choosing.

### FEBRUARY 2023 PROJECT

"Holly Jolly Christmas" designed by Lynne Andrews

Taught by Louise Smith

#### PREP INSTRUCTIONS

Surface: 5 3/4" x 8" round bulb ornament available from Lynne Andrews Folk Art, item #2012-98S

Paint: Americana

Avocado, Buttermilk, Burnt Umber, Country Red, Graphite, Lamp Black, Olive Green, Plantation Pine, Snow (Titanium) White, Spiced Pumpkin, Marigold

Brushes: Lynne Andrews

#4, 8 floater (series 3020), #4, 8 stippler (series 3014)

Good assortment of smaller mops 1/4" flat brush to paint check edge

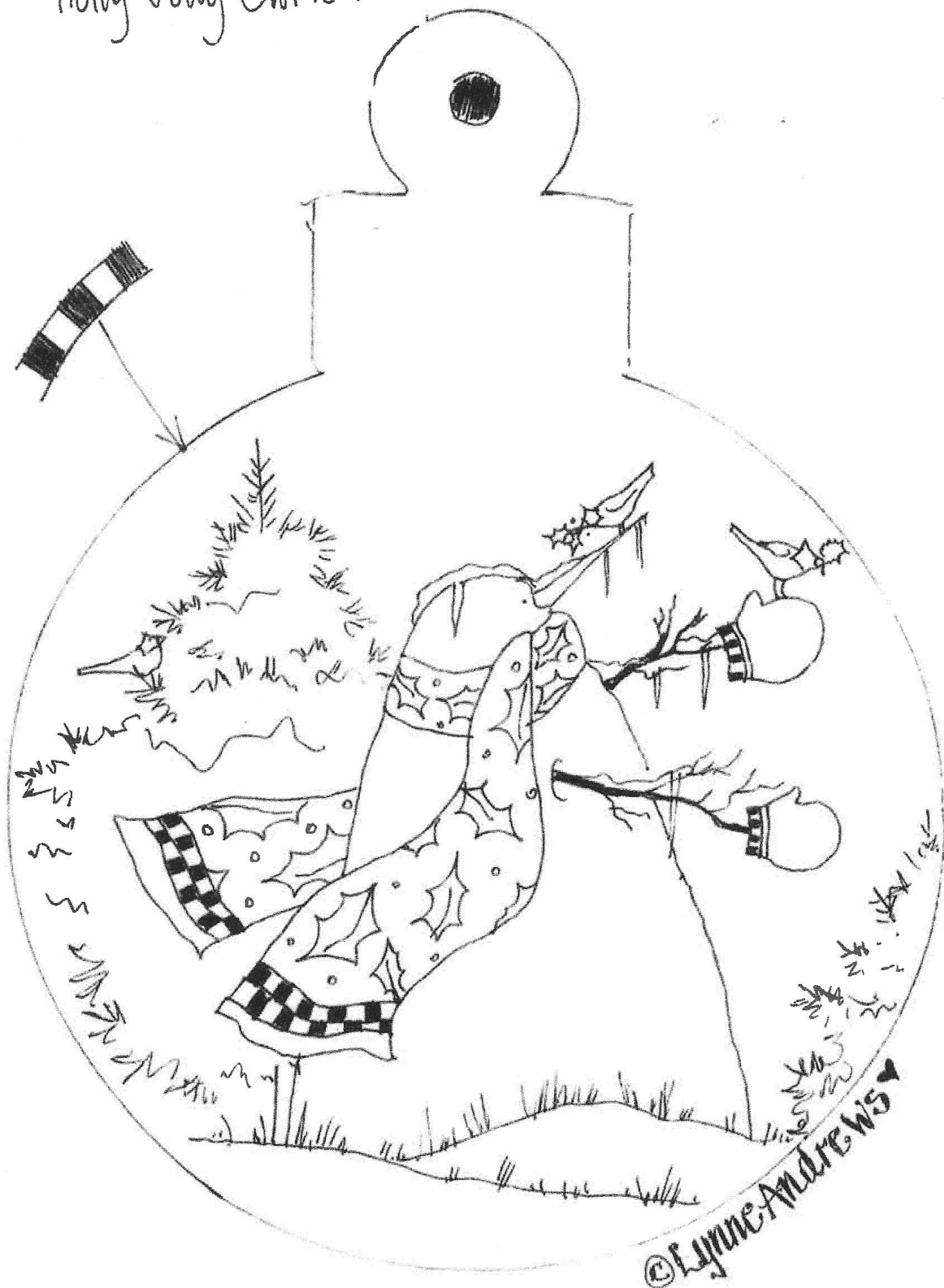
Brush to seal and basecoat

Misc. supplies: tracing paper, transfer paper, stylus, Rotring Tikky marker size 0.1 (available from Lynne Andrews Folk Art), DecoArt Glamour Dust- Crystal, black and white check craft ribbon (Michaels), Americana Sealer/ Finisher, Americana Multi Purpose sealer, hair dryer, small stick- on snowflake (Hobby Lobby), Tulip Puffy Dimensional Fabric Paint- White (Hobby Lobby or Michaels)

#### Preparation

1. Basecoat the ornament in Buttermilk. The edges will take more coats to cover dark edge.
2. Transfer pattern.

"Holly Jolly Christmas"





## Fort Worth Decorative Painters

January 23, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 6:45 p.m. by President Peggy Thomas.

Minutes: Motion to accept minutes of prior meeting by Sharlene King and second by Dusti Dancer.

Treasurer: Sharlene King reported balance of accounts. Louise Smith and Judy Wallis performed the audit of accounts for 2022.

Membership: Dora Jodoin reported that the club has 23 paid memberships.

Programs: Louise Smith thanked Linda McDonald for the project for tonight's meeting. Louise Smith will be teaching next month's project the Snowman with scarf. The line drawing for the project was e-mailed to members. The prep instructions were in the newsletter. Beth Stodieck had surface examples for the March project and pattern. Further instructions will be in the newsletter. Dora Jodoin will teach the dragonfly in April. She will take order for the surface at the Feb. meeting.

Monthly Raffle: Thank you to board members that brought items this month. A sign-up sheet for the year was passed around for 2023. Reminders will be in newsletter.

Memory Boxes: Judy Wallis reported on the delivery of boxes to Cook. The Cook rep. did not accept 6 boxes. Judy and Louise asked for advice on what they would like. She stated gender neutral colors and suggested blocks would be appropriate. After discussion Jan Park volunteered to talk with Shelby Shoemake and report at the next meeting.

Hospitality: Juanita Munoz passed a sign-up sheet for member for 2023. Reminders will be in newsletter.

Seminars: Nancy Genetti discussed artist to contact for a seminar. Artist are Beth Wagner and Bobbi Campbell for proposed May or June seminar. Paulette DiGesare was suggested for a 2024 seminar.

Saturday Specials: Dusti Dancer reviewed that the prices for VFW and Lunch prices are increased. Lunch will be \$12, seminar will be \$25. March 4<sup>th</sup> Beth Stodieck will teach a poinsettia pattern painted on fabric.

Christmas Party: No report.

Sunshine: No report.

Publicity/Website: No report.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:14.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jan Park

Recording Secretary

## Membership News

With SDP dissolving, anyone wanting to join our group no longer needs to do anything other than paying our \$20 dues. Now is the time to encourage friends and family to come and be a part of our painting family. If you know someone who might be interested, please reach out to them including past members and let them know of the changes. Invite them to a meeting or if they can't attend in person, let us know so we can get in touch with them so they can participate via zoom. We have a lot of great monthly projects and upcoming Saturday specials. It would be great to get more of our past membership back.

Reminder: be looking for surfaces for the March Saturday Special and the March meeting. Patterns for the Saturday Special will be handed out when you pay for class and patterns for March project will be in March newsletter.  
Beth Stodieck

## Saturday Specials

We will have at least two Saturday Specials this year and I am hoping for a third if we get an early enough start and depending on if and when we have a seminar.

I can tell you that Linda McDonald, Dora Jodoin, and Beth Stodieck are our top three picks for the Specials this year.

Beth will be teaching a Saturday special on March 4. poinsettias on fabric. Sign ups and patterns available at the February meeting.

Dusti



## Projects for 2023

I am excited to present our projects for this year. A big Thanks to everyone that presented items to teach in 2023. We had a large selection to choose from. I only wish we could pick more than eight. I am sure you will be pleased with this year's projects as there is something to be learned from each teacher.

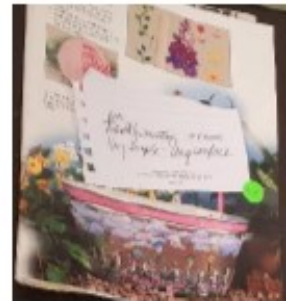
### MONTHLY PROJECTS 2023



**Cat and Pumpkin**  
Linda McDonald  
January



**Snowman**  
Louise Smith  
February



**Floral on Tin**  
Beth Stodieck  
March



**Dragonfly**  
Dora Jodoin  
April



**Harvest Blessing**  
Beth Stodieck  
May



**Pumpkins & Crock**  
Linda McDonald  
September



**Lights Notecard**  
Sharlene King  
October



**Joy Snowman**  
Dusti Dancer  
November



**Mari Hearts Snowman**  
Beth Stodieck  
January 2023

## Memory Boxes—Judy Wallis

Service project - Memory boxes for Cook's Children's Hospital

This is an on going service project. I encourage everyone to participate. You can pick up a box to paint at the January meeting. These need to be in gender neutral colors. No angels or stuffed animals please.



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The 2023 proposed budget will be sent as a separate attachment to the email with your February newsletter. It will not be posted on the website.

Please review before the meeting and let me know if you have any questions. We will discuss any questions at the chapter meeting and approve the proposed budget.

Sharlene

LYNNE ANDREWS TEXAS SANTA

Please contact Beth if you want copies of Lynne Andrew's Texas Santa pattern. Beth will have copies made and brought to the February meeting, where you can pay her for the cost of the copies.

## To Check Out:

Facebook page for Artists: Artful Ties

Check out Zoom Classes at *Decorative painters academy*



The company that produced The Decorative Painter, the magazine from The Society of Decorative Painters, and Miho Halsey, who many of you know from The Society of Decorative Painters, have been collaborating on a new magazine just for us decorative artists!

Go to [www.artistrytodaymag.com/subscribe](http://www.artistrytodaymag.com/subscribe) to subscribe.



It is so fun to have lots of photos in the newsletter and be able to look back on them. We also put in some very old pictures which are quite fun to see! I would like different members to take photos at the meetings, paint-ins etc. and send to me for the newsletter. It is great to have photos from different members to show different perspectives.



Oklahoma City Painting Palooza

**NEW DATES**

**Aug 12-19, 2023**



Wildflowers Chapter will host a seminar with Lisbeth Stull  
April 14 & 15 2023.

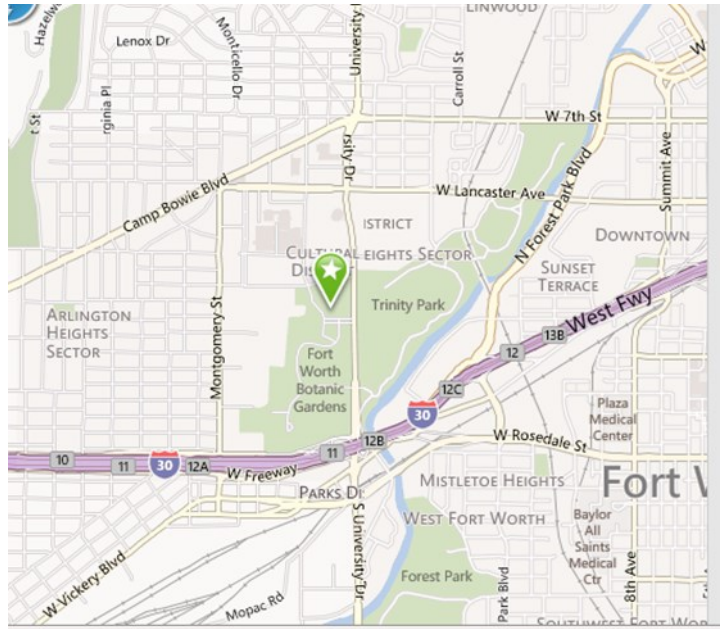
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**FWDP Meets the Third Monday of February, March, April, May, September, October & November.**

**January Meeting 4th Monday and the Christmas Party 2nd Monday in December.**

**At the**

**Botanical Gardens  
3220 Botanic Garden Blvd.  
Fort Worth, TX 76107**

### 2023 Dates to Remember

January 23 – Chapter Meeting

February 20 - Chapter Meeting

March 4 - Saturday Special—Poinsettias on Fabric with Beth

March 20 – Chapter Meeting

April 18 – Chapter Meeting

May 17 – Chapter Meeting

September 18 – Chapter Meeting

October 16 – Chapter Meeting

November 20 – Chapter Meeting

December 11 – Christmas Party