



Tugboat Tolers March 2022 Newsletter



Hello Everyone!

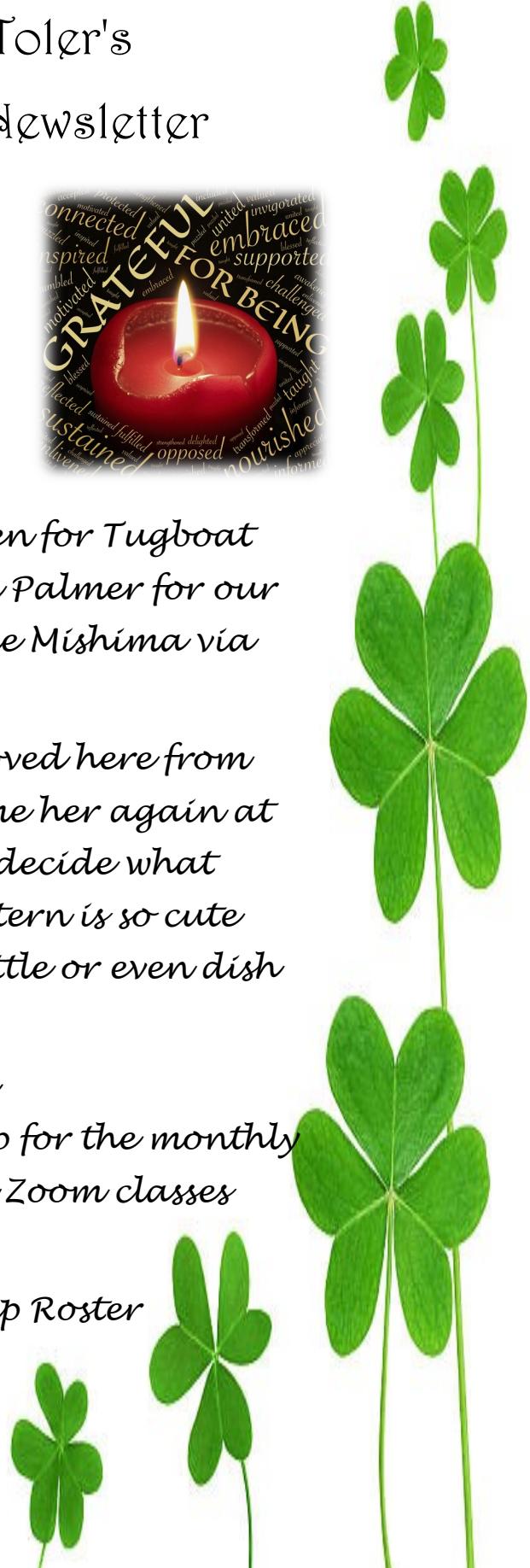
What a great month February has been for Tugboat Tolers! We had a great class with Vicki Palmer for our meeting. Followed by a fun with Debbie Mishima via Zoom.

We gained a new member Vivian ~ moved here from California, hope you all get to welcome her again at our March paint in. I know I cannot decide what surface to use! This funky chicken pattern is so cute will go on anything from wood, teakettle or even dish towels!

Please be sure to check out our website (tugboattolers.org), to see and sign up for the monthly classes as well as watch for our special Zoom classes Georgia has been able to set up for us.

Also please go through the membership Roster to be sure your information is correct. Thanks for all the joy you bring to our get togethers!!

Helen



2022 Board & Committee Chair

- ◆ President: Helen W
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- ◆ Ways-n-means: Patti P
- ◆ Hostess: Karen P
- ◆ Raffle: ?
- ◆ Newsletter: Vicki P
- ◆ Christmas in July/Holiday Bazaar: Board Members



This month's prize is a Jewel Box. To win it you have to do the word search, after you complete it you have to find the name of an Artist we all know hidden in the puzzle. Once you find the name you have to look for the hidden object that is in the newsletter somewhere. sample 🌸

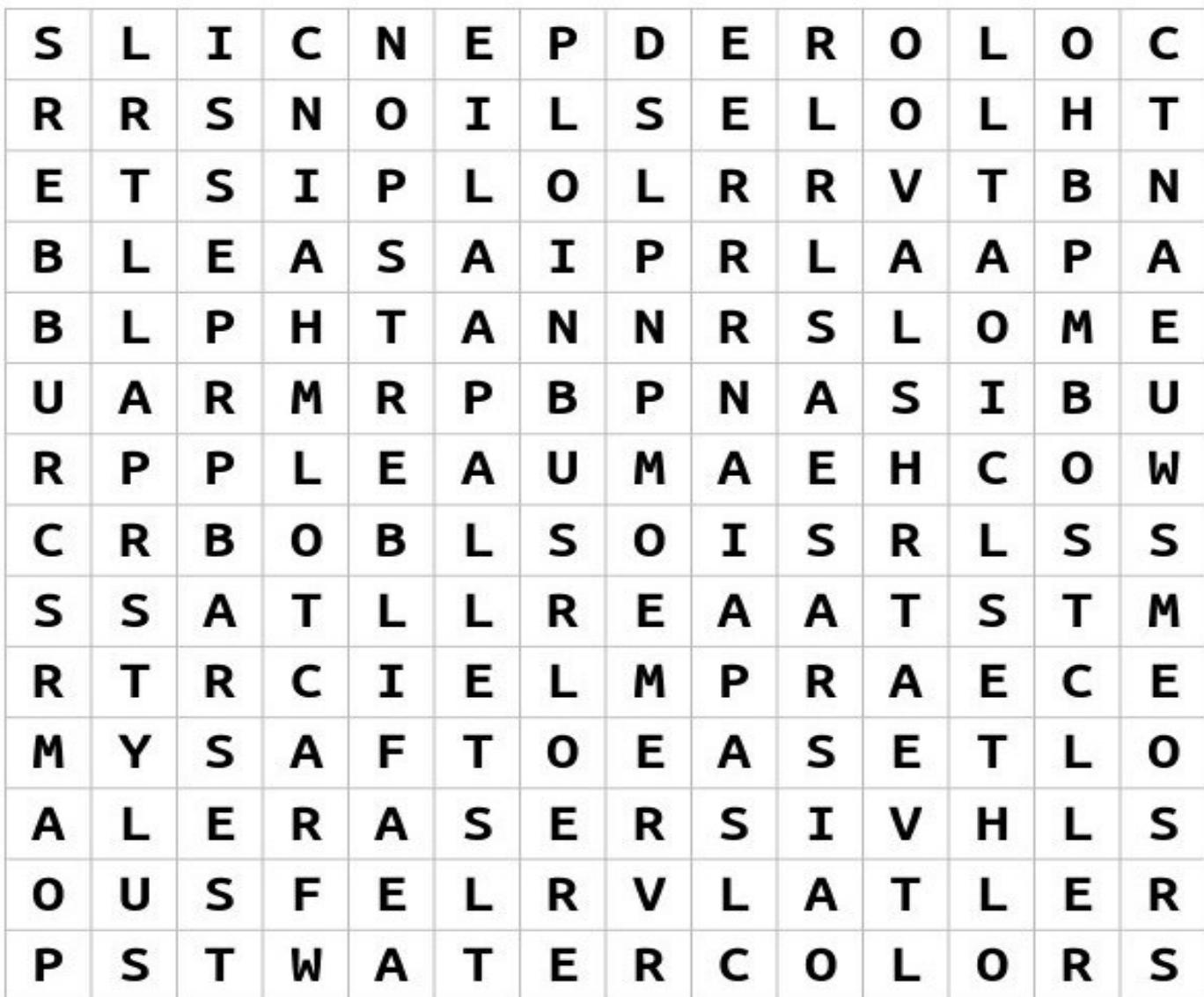
Make sure to email me as soon as you find everything so I can give the award correctly.

This months prize →



If you win you will have
to pick up at the next meeting.

Types of Art



Pan Pastels

Stylus

Pallet

Scrubber

Filbert

Erasers

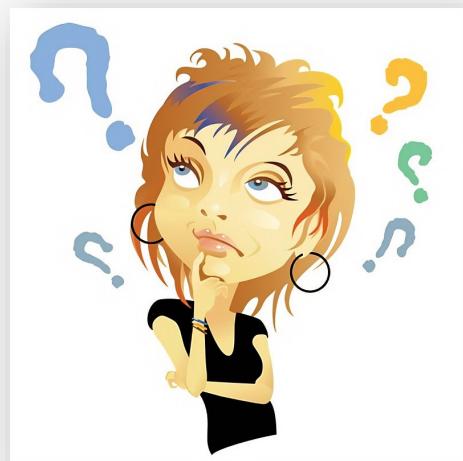
Colored Pencils

Oils

Inners

Water Colors

Ovals

Hidden word hint, "an artist name"

Traditional Irish Beef and Guinness Stew

6 ounces	Bacon (diced)
2 pounds	Beef Chuck
3 tablespoons	All-Purpose Flour
2	Medium-Large Yellow Onions (chopped)
3 cloves	Garlic (minced)
4	Medium Firm (waxy potatoes, e.g., Yukon Gold, cut in 1-inch pieces)
2	Large Carrots (chopped in 1/2 inch pieces)
2 ribs	Celery (chopped in 1/2 inch pieces)
1	Large Parsnip (chopped into 1/2 inch pieces)
1 bottle	Guinness Extra Stout (1 pint or 16 ounces)
1 cup	Strong Beef Broth
2 tablespoons	Worcestershire Sauce
¼ cup	Tomato Paste
1 tablespoons	Dried And Ground Porcini Mushrooms (optional and not remotely traditional, but oh so amazing)
1 teaspoon	Dried Thyme
1 teaspoon	Dried Rosemary
1 ½ teaspoons	Salt
¼ teaspoon	Black Pepper (freshly ground)
2	Bay Leaves
add	Salt And Pepper



Cut the beef across the grain into 1-inch pieces. Sprinkle with some salt, pepper and the flour and toss to coat the pieces. Set aside.

2. Fry the bacon in a Dutch oven or heavy pot until done then remove it with a slotted spoon, leaving the bacon drippings in the pan.
 3. Working in batches and being careful not to overcrowd the pieces, generously brown the beef on all sides. Transfer the beef to a plate and repeat until all the beef is browned.
 4. Add the onions and fry them, adding more oil if necessary, until lightly browned, about 10 minutes. Add the garlic and cook for another minute. Add the vegetables and cook for another 5 minutes. Add the Guinness and bring it to a rapid boil, deglazing the bottom of the pot (scraping up the browned bits on the bottom). Boil for 2 minutes. Return the beef and bacon to the pot along with the remaining ingredients and stir to combine.
- (**At this point you can transfer everything to a slow cooker if you prefer. Follow the remaining steps and then cook on LOW for 6-8 hours or on HIGH for 3-4 hours.) Bring it to a boil. Reduce the heat to low, cover and simmer for 2 hours. Add salt and pepper to taste. 5. Serve with some crusty country bread or Irish soda bread. This soup is even better the next day.

TIP Chat: ODD ART TOOLS

1. Once trays or plaques are base painted and dry, attach Press 'n Seal to the back/undersides to keep the area pristine while painting the rest of the project and until it is varnished.
2. Use a small coffee pot as a water bucket. It is see-through, has a handle for ease of emptying and refilling, and the lid prevents spills in route!
3. Keep an old-fashioned nutcracker on hand for unscrewing stuck paint lids/caps with ease!

Helen

Well, I guess we had a false spring! It is COLD! I hope you all are warm and well!

I want to say how much I enjoyed the class with Debbie Mishima, it was awesome! Thank you so much to Georgia for getting such a line up for us and thank you our group for making it so much fun :) We even got a couple of new members out of it!

Win Win!!

Please remember to sign up early for the classes so the teachers can prepare, and remember, they are recorded, so even if you cannot attend you will have access to the recordings if you have paid for the class.

I will miss taking Barb's class in person, but am looking forward to the recording as I will be teaching my own class for the Seattle Group. Much thanks to Helen and Georgia for stepping up to the Tech spots :) I can't wait to see what you all end up with!!

We have Sandy LeFlore coming up as well and Nancy Walch so keep your brushes clean and I will see you all in April!

Monica

Just want to share ~ for our service project...from Rita, Mert and Pam!
Thank you ladies, they are lovely! *Helen*



Hello All~ Just a brief note/reminder that when we are using the church for our paint ins, we MUST put it back to original condition. We must put our tables away, and the chairs back in place. I know we usually have it set up before anyone gets there, but would really appreciate if every one pitches in with clean up. Perhaps just your own table? They do need to be folded and put back in the closet. Thank you!!!

MARCH BIRTHDAYS



Janie Sevela ~ 4th

Lori Andrews ~ 12th

Helen Wyrich ~ 21st

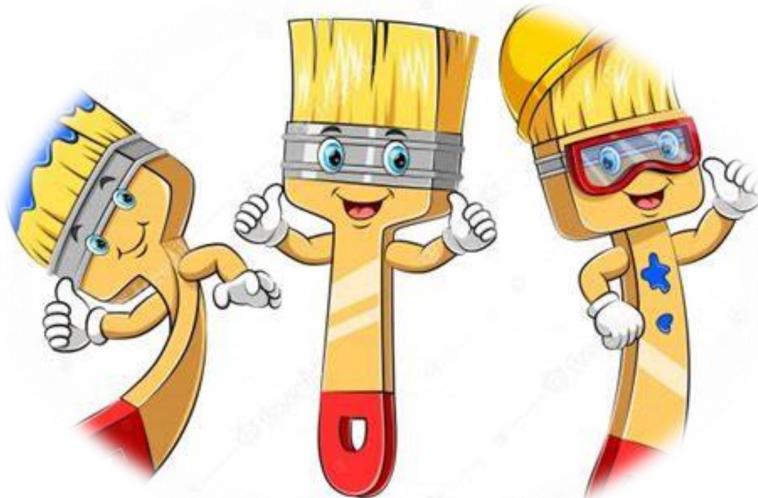
Georgia Megarell~ 31



"If you aren't lucky enough to have gone to the Las Vegas event to paint, how about considering a brush order from Scharff brushes to build up your studio for the next great Tugboat paint event. We get 50% off the non-sale price of any brush and the club gets a small percentage of the sales funds too. There are great brushes for any of your painting interests and some bargain brushes if you want to let the kids get a start at our wonderful shared passion. Contact Patti P. at pjpatti03@wavecable.com with any questions or an order. The order will be submitted on March. 28th and you will be notified of arrival and can pay when they are here.

HAPPY PAINTING!!!!"

Patti



A few things I have
painted this month
Vicki

Austrian Box taught by Nancy Walsh



\$15.00

\$18.00 if paid at Class

April 9th

10:00am

If paid online Paypal fees apply

Color Palette	
<i>Delta Ceramcoat</i>	<i>Decoart Americana</i>
Antique Gold	True Ochre
Fjord Blue	French Grey Blue + tch Lamp Black
Red Iron Oxide	Red Iron Oxide
Ivory	Sand
Midnight	Deep Midnight Blue

Supplies:

Surface of your Choice.

Your favorite brushes, rounds, liners

Regular Painting supplies

*I took this class in Petersburg,
AK several years ago and never
knew who the original artist was.*

Nancy



An Epacket is provided with the class.

This class will be recorded.



PLEASE SIGN ME UP FOR NANCY'S CLASS AUSTRIAN BOX

NAME _____

EMAIL _____

PHONE # _____

I have enclosed \$15.00

Please make checks payable to TUGBOAT TOLERS and mail them with this slip to:

Monica Bayness 10042 Silverdale Way NW Silverdale WA 98383



Funky Chickens



taught by Barb Brady

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12th

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DecoArt Americana Paints

Antique White	Country Red	Plantation Pine
Black	Golden Straw	Sand Grey
Black Plum	Hauser Light Green	Slate Grey
Burnt Sienna	Hauser Medium Green	Soft Black
Buttermilk	Marigold	Sunny Day
Cobblestone	Melon	Warm White
Cocoa	Morning Mist	Zinc

Supplies:

Surface of your Choice. This can be done on a wood surface, a plate, a canvas, a teapot. Use your imagination.

Stencil of your choice (Buffalo plaid, checks, chicken wire etc.)

I used a buffalo stencil from Tim Holtz.

Your favorite brushes

White Gel Pen

Identipen

Regular Painting supplies

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PLEASE SIGN ME UP FOR BARB'S CLASS FUNKY CHICKENS

NAME _____

EMAIL _____ PHONE # _____

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Home is Where
Your Honey Bee

\$25.00

Chapter Member Fee

\$35.00

Non Chapter Member Fee

If paying online, PayPal fees apply



Puget Sound Tugboat Tolers Zoom

Paint In with Sandy LeFlore

April 23rd

9:30am - 2:00pm PST



Questions? Email tugboattolers@gmail.com



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be recorded.



PLEASE SIGN ME UP FOR SANDY'S CLASS **HOME IS WHERE YOUR HONEY BEE**

NAME _____

EMAIL _____ PHONE # _____

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Georgia Magarrell 2485 SW Giese Loop Gresham, OR 97080