



West Michigan Decorative Artists

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(1 position open)

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Due to privacy concerns, addresses and phone numbers are not shown. Please refer to your Membership Directory for details.

I hope everyone is enjoying the warm weather that we are finally receiving.

Some of our education class project details have not yet been provided, but this information will be sent out as soon as possible.

2022 Schedule – please save these dates:

January	no class
February	no class
March 19	Louise Hastings - Watercolor
April 23	Darlene Fitzgerald - Mandala
May 21	Louise Hastings - Quikwood
June	no class
July 16	Lora Haberstroh – Boo & Shoe
August	no class
September 17	Judy Diephouse- “Joy” canvas
October 15	Jeanne Collick - gourd
November 19	Nancy Blaauw – Cookie painting
December 10	Christmas Luncheon

Louise Hastings, Newsletter Editor



Deadlines to remember:

July 1 signup for July 16 class
September 1 signup for Sept 17 class

Apologies for skipping newsletters for March -June 2022 – no news to share

Be sure to check out our Facebook pages:

WMDA:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/496185720421022/>

Feel free to post anything painting (project photos, classes) related there.

"Michigan Mixer, What Is Happening In Decorative Painting!"

See what is going on around the state:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/813088055449935/>

March Birthdays



14th Louise Hastings
16th Gert Hickman

Belated congratulations!

April Birthdays



3rd Lora Haberstroh
7th Sandra Ledger

Belated congratulations!

May Birthdays



6th Linda Wing

Belated congratulations!

June Birthdays



No member birthdays

July Birthdays



5th Betsy Ann Hill

August Birthdays

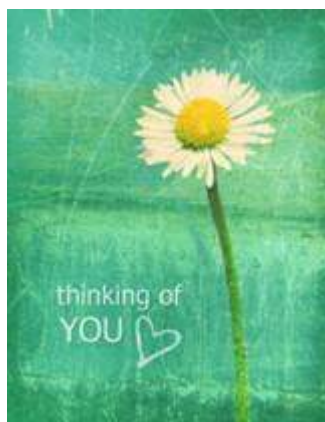


12th Denise Veenstra

Sunshine Report

Please pray for JoAnn Smith's husband Mike who has been hospitalized.

If you know of any Chapter member that needs a card or prayers, please contact Jeanine Reimer, our Sunshine Ambassador



Saturday, July 16, 2022, 10 am. (9:30 set-up)

Lora Haberstroh teaching:

” Boo and Shoe” Acrylic & Quikwood design by Barb Jones
taught with permission

Springhill Suites Grand Rapids Airport SE, 5250 28th Street SE, Grand Rapids MI 49512 Tel: 616-464-1130



Shoe-palette: Americana paints: Buttermilk, Tangelo, Deep Burgundy, Espresso, Tomato red, Black

Boo-palette: Americana paints:

Canyon Orange, Antique Green, Tomato Red, Black, Espresso, Tangelo, Buttermilk, Saffron

Raw Umber Media Antiquing Cream

Please find a thimble for the shoe’s hat, we will be making them rusty while we sculpt and paint.

Sculpting tools if you have them, or an Exacto knife to cut Quikwood, Avon silicone gel, to put on your hands when you use Quikwood. It is available on Amazon.

Boo & Shoe kit (both) is \$20.00.

For more information, contact Lynne Deptula at 616-940-1899 or email: dbrush1@aol.com

Please sign me up for the Lora Haberstroh, July 16, 2022

Deadline to order surface/supplies is July 1, 2022

Total Class fees (check to WMDA): \$20 **Non-members add \$5**

Surface Fee (check to Lora Haberstroh): \$20

Name: _____ Address: _____

E~mail address: _____ Phone #: _____

Via PayPal or Send checks to: Lynne Deptula, 6034 Parview Dr. SE., Grand Rapids, MI 49546

Sneak Peek



2022 Upcoming Schedule:

There will not be a meeting in June or August.

Please save these dates

Project photos and signup sheets will be sent to you as soon as I receive them.

May 21	“Here Comes Santa” ornament & pin, a Shara/Jane design using Quikwood taught by Louise Hastings
June – no classes	
July 16	“Boo & Shoe” taught by Lora Haberstroh
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