



# Desert Quail Tolerers

An affiliated Chapter of the Society of Decorative Painters

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## PRESIDENTS MESSAGE—Janet Mitchell

Hope you all had a safe and sane 4<sup>th</sup> of July. It seems we are the down hill slide of the year- summer seminar is coming up next month, school will start soon, 2016 membership renewals are coming up in September, Holiday Boutique in October elections in November and the Christmas Party in December.

I want to thank Chris Blunk, Penny Borchman, Theresa Blanchard, Jane Haggard, Diana Van Riel, and Roseanne Scholey for volunteering to monitor &/or set up the day before. It takes a lot of hard work to put together the summer seminar and we will never turn down help. Beth has already booked next years teacher, Lynn Andrews and is contacting someone for 2017.

We have had some members express concern about the talking during our monthly meeting while the teacher is trying to teach. I realize this is our fun night out, a chance to see our friends but please when the teacher is teaching we need to be quiet and pay attention. Also a thank you for all of you who stay a few minutes and help clean up after the meeting and who come early and help set up.

Becky and Rosanne will be taking sign ups for tables for our very successful Holiday Boutique, I hope you are all painting for this. If you don't think

you have enough for your own table go in with someone, this is a great way to earn some extra money for the holidays and help your chapter. Judy Mountjoy will be passing out the raffle tickets next month. She has gotten some beautiful pieces painted by the members for this years raffle. Please support DQT by selling your tickets or even purchasing them.

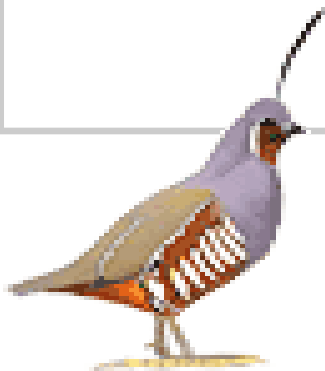
DeDe and Paula are in need of painted pieces for the Christmas party raffle and I know Chris and Roseanne would like some items for our monthly raffle and Quail Egg raffle.

Thank you to Heidi Allsion for teaching us the darling watermelon girl. Heidi always makes painting fun and teaches us such cute things. In July we have Judy Coates who is teaching a darling sign using new mediums and techniques she learned from Deco Art. It is always fun to learn new things so please sign up.

Well this past weekend was the Gypsy Summer Sleepover and we have a lot of our members teaching at it, Sue Clark, Maggie Miller, Betty Busby, Heidi Allison, Beth Murena, and myself (hope I didn't forget anyone) lots of great classes

See you at the July meeting.

Janet





BOARD MEETING

DESERT QUAIL TOLERS

JULY 6, 2015

Members Present: Janet Mitchell, Shirley Golding, Dorothy Patton, Beth Murena ,Diana Van Riel and Roseanne Scholey. Sue Clark, Debbie Ragains, Becky Bolding, Deb Ramo.

The meeting was called to order by President Janet Mitchell at 7:00 p.m. Many thanks to Becky Bolding for hosting our meeting. She mentioned that the Society Convention will be held at the San Diego location in the year 2016.

Program Chairman Sue Clark indicated that Judy Coates is going to be teaching our project at the July meeting and Debbie DeLaCruz will teach at the August meeting.

Membership Chairman Debbie Ramo said there has been some discussion at having a decal to indicate membership in our chapter. Members seemed to like the idea. The old books she has found will be offered to members at a meeting and those left will be donated to some one interested in them. She will start taking membership renewals at the September meeting and will again have drawings for gift certificated-\$15 for those that pay in September, \$10 for those that pay in October.

Secretary Jane Haggard asked for approval of the last board minutes. Cathy Immel made a motion that the minutes be approved. A second was made by Beth Murena and passed.

Treasurer Cathy Immel presented the Treasurers report for May and there were no corrections. A motion was made by Beth Murena and seconded by Jane Haggard to accept May report as presented. Motion passed. There were no corrections on the June report as presented and a motion was made by Jane Haggard and seconded by Beth Murena to pass Junes report as presented. Motion passed.

Newsletter Chairman Beth Murena asked that any articles we want in the July newsletter be sent to her as soon as possible.

Welcome Chairman Dorothy Patton expressed great concern about the amount of talking that goes on during the time the teacher is trying to teach. Members will be reminded frequently if needed to be quiet.

Hospitality Chairman DeDe Deschenes reported that she has lost the keys to the building and asked that we all keep our eyes open for them. Carol Whitten is going to be her new helper.

Quail Egg Chairman Roseanne Scholey mentioned that her raffle item for July will be a watermelon themed basket and for August it will be a Christmas basket.

She also asked for at least one more person to decorate a table for the Christmas party. She has a new member that will work with that person. With this one more we will have 7 tables. She also mentioned that she will be needing donations for the raffle.

Boutique Chairman Becky Bolding announced that we have a new cash register given to us by Gypsy Tolers Chapter.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Haggard, Secretary

# Hospitality

July Pot Luck

Let's bring some yummy Barbeque goodies!



Thank you, DeDe Deschenes



CHARITY 2015

WOUNDED WARRIOR PROJECT—Sue Clark

The Mission of Wounded Warriors Project is to honor and empower Wounded Warriors... With your ongoing support and generous contributions, wounded veterans are provided opportunities that ease their transition back to civilian life. I will be padding the camouflage bag at our meeting again this month, Please prepare to donate at least \$1.00—\$5.00 donations re really appreciated. That is only \$1.25 per week. Not even the cost of a cup of coffee. Thank you Ladies.... You are wonderful....

Sue Clark  
DQT Charity Chair 2015

## JULY PROGRAM

Teacher: Judy Coates

Cost: \$12.00

Judy is the owner of O'Flannery's in Redlands, and will be teaching us a new technique with new products from Deco Art.

To reserve your spot call Sue Clark, (760) 961-9437.



Our new Web site is up and running, Thank you to  
Carol Whitton for doing a Fantastic Job.

Our web address is as follows:

<http://www.desertquailtolers.com>

If you have any question regarding the web site, contact  
Carol at [whit4kids@aol.com](mailto:whit4kids@aol.com) or 760-954-6533



# Society of Decorative Painters

## 2015 MEMBERSHIP FORM

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- \$100 BUSINESS (\$105 after 12/1/14)
- \$80 ONLINE BUSINESS (\$85 after 12/1/14) †
- \$30 HOUSEHOLD (\$35 after 12/1/14)\*
- \$30 TRIAL\*\*
- \$15 STUDENT (\$20 after 12/1/14)\*\*\*

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- \$50 ONLINE INDIVIDUAL (\$55 after 12/1/14) †
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- \$80 ONLINE BUSINESS (\$85 after 12/1/14) †
- \$30 HOUSEHOLD (\$35 after 12/1/14)\*
- \$30 TRIAL\*\*
- \$15 STUDENT (\$20 after 12/1/14)\*\*\*

CHECK IF 2016 MEMBERSHIP PAYMENT IS INCLUDED.

\* HOUSEHOLD MEMBERSHIP: An additional member sharing the same address as an Individual or Business member. Member online only. No printed *Decorative Painter* magazines will be mailed to you.

\*\* TRIAL MEMBERSHIP: A one-year membership for a new member or anyone who has not been a member since 2012. Member online only. No printed *Decorative Painter* magazines will be mailed to you.

\*\*\* STUDENT MEMBERSHIP: Students enrolled full-time in an accredited educational institution, including accredited home-schoolers. Member online only. No printed *Decorative Painter* magazines will be mailed to you. ATTACH DOCUMENTATION OF ENROLLMENT.

† ONLINE CANADA AND INTERNATIONAL MEMBERSHIPS: Will be able to view *The Decorative Painters* magazine, online only. No printed *Decorative Painter* magazines will be mailed.

### 2 ONLINE 2015 BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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- PUBLISHER
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### 3 MEMBER PROFILE (Please Print)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ MEMBER NO. (If Renewal) \_\_\_\_\_

HOUSEHOLD MEMBER NAME \_\_\_\_\_ MEMBER NO. (If Renewal) \_\_\_\_\_

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EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_ WEBSITE \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ FAX (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

RECRUITED BY \_\_\_\_\_ MEMBERSHIP # \_\_\_\_\_

I WOULD LIKE TO GIVE  \$5  \$10 OR \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to the SDP Foundation which supports the International Museum of SDP (IMSDP), provides scholarships and supports other SDP Foundation initiatives.

I WOULD LIKE TO GIVE  \$5  \$10  \$25  \$50 OR \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to the Society of Decorative Painters.

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### IMPORTANT

Membership year is Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 2015. You may join any time of the year and receive all applicable SDP benefits and back issues of *The Decorative Painter* magazine for that year. An additional \$5 late fee will be required for payments postmarked after December 1, 2014. This fee does not apply to new members. YOUR 2015 MEMBERSHIP CARD WILL ARRIVE WITH ISSUE NO. 1, 2015, OF THE *DECORATIVE PAINTER*.

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Membership :

Deb Ramo



Desert Quail Tolars  
Membership Application

Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_ SDP Membership #: \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to Desert Quail Tolars for \$15.00 annual dues. You are also required to join the Society of Decorative Painters; those dues are \$50.00 per year. You can download the application for SDP at [www.decorativepainters.org](http://www.decorativepainters.org) or obtain a copy for Deb Ramo.

Make out your checks to Desert Quail Tolars: Mail all payments to  
Debbie Ramo  
P.O. Box 2264  
Helendale, CA. 92342

## 2016.....MEMBERSHIP — Debbie Ramo

2016 Membership dues are just around the corner. HOWEVER, "IF" you renew early you could "WIN" a gift certificate to Kreative Klutter!!! Names will be drawn at each General Mtg starting in September, so renew and get your name in the hat for the drawing!



Renew by end of September.....Win \$25 Gift Certificate

Renew by end of October..... Win \$15 Gift Certificate

Renew by end of November..... Win \$10 Gift Certificate

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DQT Membership  
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## Desert Quail Tolars— May, 2014

Treasurer's report submitted by Cathy Duke

<b>Balance on Hand on May 31, 2015</b>		<b>12,051.55</b>
<b>Income:</b>		
<b>Charity—Wounded Warriors</b>	<b>\$ 85.00</b>	
<b>Programs</b>	<b>\$ 502.00</b>	
<b>Summer Seminar</b>	<b>\$ 610.00</b>	
<b>Ways N Means</b>	<b>\$ <u>180.00</u></b>	
<b>Total Monthly Income:</b>	<b>\$1377.00</b>	
<b>Disbursements:</b>		
<b>Charity</b>	<b>\$ 151.00</b>	
<b>Programs</b>	<b>\$ 401.00</b>	
<b>Boutique</b>	<b>\$ 20.87</b>	
<b>Hospitality</b>	<b>\$ 28.95</b>	
<b>Summer Seminar</b>	<b>\$ 379.96</b>	
<b>Summer Seminar –2016</b>	<b>\$ <u>150.00</u></b>	
<b>Balance on Hand on June 30, 2015</b>		<b>\$12,362.77</b>

Next Board Meeting is:

August 4, 2015

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RSVP

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## July Birthdays

Ann Chrestman	11
Penny Borchman	20
Dorothy Patton	20
Beth Mureana	22
Carolyn Rottman	24
Rosanne Scholey	24
Sue Clark	30



## Feeling under the weather...

Jo Ann Tucker  
Diana Van Riel's daughter  
Wendy

Keep them in your prays





Boutique News

The DQT Holiday Boutique is creeping up, time to get those creative juices flowing. Members will be able to reserve a table beginning August 1st. These are the things you need to know:

Boutique Set Up Date: Thursday, October 22 from 4 to 7

Boutique Sale Dates: Friday, October 23rd from 9 to 4 and Saturday, October 24nd from 9 to 3

Boutique Site: The Community Church at Jess Ranch on Apple Valley Rd.

Cost to Enter: \$35 from DQT members plus 10% of your total sales

ALL ITEMS MUST BE HAND CRAFTED. Let your imagination run wild.

Outside vendors are welcome, cost for their tables is \$40 plus 10% of total sales. Outside vendor tables will be sold after filling member requests in August.

To reserve your table contact Becky Bolding, starting August 1st at 760-247-2285.

## Quail Eggs

## Rosanne Scholey

Thank you to those who have taken part in the Quail Egg Raffle. I hope you are find your Quail Eggs attached to your sheets, if you missed filling out the sheet please do so as, I plan on having some good raffle prizes.

The monthly raffle is the main Quail Egg event for the year, sorry took this over too late to plan anything else

## Local artist shows off painting at East Coast gallery



Artist Dorothy Patton of Apple Valley with a couple of her favored paintings in her home. She recently had a painting accepted into a Pennsylvania art festival which will be exhibited until August. (James Quigg, Daily Press)

**By Rene Ray De La Cruz**  
Staff Writer

Posted Jul 14, 2015 at 12:01 AM

Updated Jul 14, 2015 at 9:53 PM

APPLE VALLEY — Artist Dorothy Patton said she was honored when the Stonewall Gallery in Cambridge Springs, Pennsylvania accepted one of her paintings to be showcased.

The self-taught artist from Apple Valley said the gallery's "Lily Juried Art Show" has decided feature Patton's painting that depicts a walk along a path through lilies that grew wild on the 81-acre country farm where she lived as a child.

"I grew up in the small town of Albion, Pennsylvania," said Patton, 73, a retired high school teacher who began painting

after she was given a One Stroke painting kit. "Painting flowers has always helped me to relax."

Patton, who gives free art lessons at her church, said painting the country scene was a pleasure as fond memories from her childhood flashed across her mind.

"That path (depicted in the painting) sprang from my heart and mind when I first heard about the gallery," Patton said. "I used to walk the path or ride my horse bareback down the narrow way. Many times, I would pick and smell the lovely lilies. It was another place and time."

Patton, who was born without the lower half of her left arm, said she began painting about six years ago. She started by painting flowers and was inspired to move to landscapes.

Patton, who met her future husband, Roger, in the sixth grade, said they moved to Arizona in 1965 and to California two years later.

"We both taught in the little town of McFarland for about a year," Patton said. "He taught history and geography, and I taught English and reading. Most of our kids came from poor families who worked in the fields, with many students coming to school without shoes. We loved working with those kids."

Dorothy Patton cont.....

The town of McFarland was featured in Walt Disney Pictures "McFarland, USA," a film based on the true story of a 1987 cross country team from a predominantly Mexican-American high school.

Patton said she misses the country life of Pennsylvania, but not the bitter cold of its winters. She also said her prosthetic left arm didn't do well in the cold.

## HOW TO CRACKLE PAINT

There are many answers to your question of how to crackle paint. First you need to decide what sort of effect you want.

Are you looking to imitate old flaking paint? Do you want to coat a painting or surface with a delicate transparent crazing? Or maybe the look of old cracked wood interests you.

### GOLDEN CRACKLE PASTE

**In this detail of a larger painting, we used Crackle Paste manufactured by GOLDEN.**

**This is a very thick medium that goes on and remains opaque after drying.**

**It's been formulated so that as the medium dries it creates deep fissures and cracks.**

**It is not recommended that this medium be speed-dried. A thick application will require days to dry.**

**The heavier the application, the bigger the cracks.**

**Applied thinly the medium cracks lightly or not at all.**

**It's best to use this product on a rigid surface because of the extreme shrinking that occurs. Priming the surface with a couple or coats of Gesso is recommended to ensure good adhesion.**

**The crackle medium is absorbent which makes it ideal for applying washes of colors. We did many layers of washes and pours of thinned paint to create the example. The cracks filled with color.**

**You can also tint this medium with GOLDEN Heavy Body and Fluid Acrylic paints up to 10% by volume.**

**You can also add Gel Medium which seems to increase the adhesion. A good addition if an want to use it on canvas. Again, no more then 10% addition by volume.**

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Next Meeting

July 28, 2015



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