# Clovis Art Guild News

Next General Meeting – Wed February 8, 2023. 7PM to 9PM Clovis Veteran's Center, 804 Veteran's Parkway, Clovis CA 93612 Please Check Web Site For This Month's Room Location

### Paul Stommel to demo in Acrylics

Paul was born in Amsterdam, Holland, the eldest of six children. At the age of 10, Paul immigrated with his family to the United States. He graduated in 1964 from McLane High School in Fresno. He served in the Army for 2 years and was stationed at Fort Hood Texas.

After leaving the military, Paul became a licensed architect, and just recently retired.

He has been involved in art throughout his life, but now hoes to dedicate more time to explore art creation.

He has received many awards for his art:

Fresno Chamber of Commerce "Blossom Trail Poster" award

Channel 18 Public Television Award. Paul's painting was selected to be the poster for the year it was sold to raise money for the network.

His work has been chosen to be a gift for a visiting Chamber of Commerce Member from Fresno's Sister City in Kochi, Japan He has had several one-man shows at Fresno City Hall, Fresno Convention Center, and various art galleries in the Fresno Area.

He has received many ribbons from the Fresno Fair Art Exhibit, and peer art competitions.

### ART CAN BE CREATED FROM ANYTHING!



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#### 2023 ART DEMOS

February: Paul Stommel March: Deanna Bristow-Moore

## FEATURED ARTISTS

February: Shirley

Lindgren

March: Jim Morris April: David Dalgety

### 2022 PICK OF THE YEAR

CONGRATULATIONS! LINDA OBERQUELL
The Trophy will be presented at this month's February meeting!

#### DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR ENTRY FOR THIS MONTH'S CONTEST!

Pick of the Month is an informal contest for our members at each general meeting. We'd like to see what you've been working on (work done in class is ok). Art should be finished and in a ready to hang condition (framed unless its gallery wrap). WE NEED AT 7 ENTRIES TO AWARD 3 PLACES, so please participate! At the end of the year all First-Place winners will compete for pick of the year.

### **SAVE THESE DATES!**



FEBRUARY MEETING on Feb 8, 2023, 7PM—9PM



MARCH 8, 2023, Receiving for the Old West Catalog Brochure contest!

Requirements: black/white 5 x 7 copy ready.



Sunnyside Library Exhibit receiving March 15, 2023, 11AM. Art needs to be ready to hang. Everything is eligible: original art, copies, prints, photographs

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome to our first meeting of 2023. We hope you are all getting art ready to enter in the Old West & Rodeo Art Show this April. We still need someone to volunteer for the monthly newsletter. We also need members to sign up for our Featured Artist each month.

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We will be taking sign-ups for Featured Artist at the meetings! Please consider volunteering!

February: Shirley Lindgren

March: Jim Morris
April: David Dalgety



Shirley Lindgren

A representational painter who loves to paint the flowers from her gardens, Central Coast Scenes, and landscapes of California.

Shirley began her formal training with Arden von Dewitz in Southern California. When the Lindgren Family moved to Fresno, she enrolled in Fresno City College and Clovis Adult School, taking classes from the area's best art instructors.



It was the late Lawrence Beane SWA who introduced Shirley to soft pastels. Further studies in pastel with notables Thomas Leighton, Albert Handell, and Urania Christy Tarbot, provided her with the ability to teach pastel painting.

Acrylic and Oil Painting studies with Jerome Grimmer, Carlene Kostiw, Joyce Pike, and other highly qualified artists have added to her knowledge, which she feels is an on-going experience. She has given demonstrations and workshops and has acted as a juror throughout the San Joaquin Valley. Her work is in collections in Canada, U.S.A., Australia, and Greece.

Shirley is a member of the Pastel Society of the West Coast, Morro Bay Art Association, Cayucos Art Association, and is a past president of the Clovis Art Guild, and San Joaquin Valley Chapter of the Society of Western Artists.

Her paintings have won many awards, including Best of Show in the Clovis Old West Art Festival.

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Scholarship	Dave Boothby	681-2046
Sunnyside Library	Gail Daley	960-2424
Sunshine	Carole Anderson	240-5793
Greeter	Carole Anderson	240-5793

#### **BOARD MEETINGS**

1st Wednesday of each month 4:30 — 7:30 PM except Nov & Dec at the Dennys on Shaw and Willow in Clovis All members are welcome

#### **GENERAL MEETINGS**

2ND Wednesday of each month 7:00 PM — 9:00 PM except Nov-Jan Clovis Veteran's Memorial District 804 Veteran's PKWY Clovis, CA 93612

### **MEMBERSHIP / RENEWAL APPLICATION**

NAME	
ADDRESS	
	CA
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MAIL to Clovis Art Guild POB 1594 Clovis, CA 93613 with \$30

Or bring it to the next General Meeting or Event

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