



Bluegrass Tolers

President's Message

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Hello Bluegrass Tolers

What a busy month we are having. I want to thank the ones who attended our first Social Painting Class held on Saturday, June 14 at the Forks of Elkhorn Baptist Church. Mina was the teacher for the day with Connie, Diane, Byrle, Jo Carol and myself as her helpers. Cathy Hall also attended and brought her young friend who painted a picture for his Dad. We are anxious to do another Social Painting in the future.

Our regular class is scheduled for Thursday, July 17, 2014. Debbie McQueary will be teaching a beautiful mixed art painting of sunflowers. See picture and supplies needed on our website and later in this newsletter.

Please let me or Mina (minasplace@gmail.com) know if you plan on attending at least 3 days ahead of the class. Class starts at 9:30 sharp so please arrive early to have your painting spot set up and ready to paint with Debbie.

Mina has confirmed with Gaby Hunter to come back to Versailles for a Seminar in early September. We are really fortunate to have her willing to return. The painting is also shown on our website.

We really need to discuss plans for the October Retreat at Lake Cumberland. The dates are set for Wednesday, October 22 – Sunday, October 26, 2014. Please bring ideas for this year's theme, instructors you would like to see attend this year, and any ideas to make this a fun event for everyone.

Debbie McQueary will have our lunch for the July class. For those of you who haven't attended in a while, Debbie has offered to prepare lunch for us monthly at a cost of \$10 -- \$2.00 goes back to the club each month.

We all look forward to serving your needs and ask everyone to participate with thoughts, ideas, and a helping hand throughout the year.

Looking forward to seeing everyone,

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*"Now you belong to him
who was raised from
death in order that we
might be useful in the
service of God."*

Romans 7:4b TEV

This Month's Project

Debbie McQueary is teaching class this month.

Mixed media

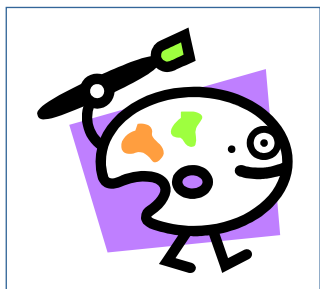
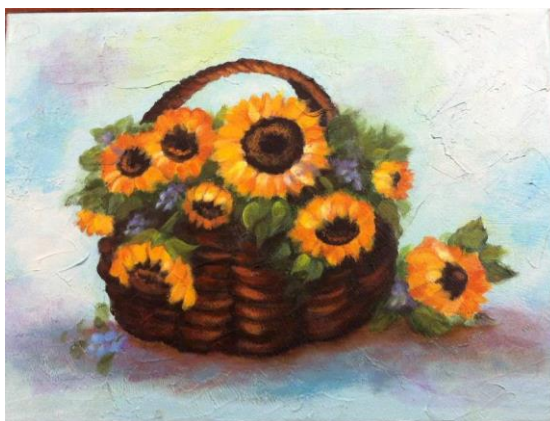
Instructor Brings: paint, pattern, instructions, picture, 9X12 canvas

Cost: \$20 or \$15 if you bring your own surface

Student Brings: Acrylic supplies

Neary Rattanak – *Quote meaning: Women are Precious Gems (Gems are a thing of permanent strength and value, and if it is soiled, it can be polished and made to shine even more brightly.)*

(from All That Is Bitter & Sweet, Ashley Judd's Memoir, page 80)



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Don't forget to bring baby items for the Nile House in Versailles. They were so appreciative of the items delivered a few months ago. Let's bring in diapers and wipes this month.

Bluegrass Tolars 2014 Membership Application

\$15.00**Mail to:****Byrle Thomas****4591 Leitchfield Rd****Cecilia, KY 42724****Name:** _____**Address:** _____**City** _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____**Phone** _____**E-mail** _____**Permission to list in Directory** ___Yes ___No**New** ___ **Renewal** ___**Student** ___ **Teacher** ___**Shop Owner** ___**Name of Business** _____**Birthday (Day/Month)** _____**Make checks payable to Bluegrass Tolars****Amount Enclosed: check** _____ **cash** _____