



Northeast Region Newsletter 2014

February 1, 2014

From the Key Board of the President

Another year, all of us over 50 realize the time passes twice as fast as it did when we were children! I hope all had a wonderful Christmas, and are enjoying a safe and happy New Year!

The most telling sentence in our Christmas celebration, was from my granddaughter who had just returned from a year in New Zealand. She went there after graduating from 5 years at Husson college with 2 law degrees and at the top of her class of 3000. As a grandmother, I do get bragging rights! Her statement was, 'I started telling people I was from

Canada." she went on to say, I do not like to lie, but when she told them she was from the USA, she got,

sympathy, frowns, pity and bad remarks! The USA used to be the place to be from! I will say no more!



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Dottie Weaver has resigned her position. Thank you Dottie, for all you have done for us.

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T.E.A.M Meeting 2013

We are going to continue with the same slate of officers, for the rest of the year. With the exception of

Dotty Weaver, who due to ill health is turning over the Secretaryship, to



Vice President Beverly Banks. We will have an election in 2015, as it is already scheduled.

Correction from last time

I received a very nice letter from Maryse Roy, she said NET stands for New England Traditions, and is not supported by the Society of Decorative Painters. It is sponsored by the New England Chapter Council, which is made of of some of the chapters in New England. Each chapter that belongs have a

job to do for NET, which is comprised of all volunteers from these chapters.

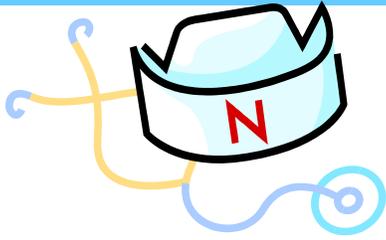
Sorry for my mis-statement in the last newsletter!

I recommend attending their Conference which is held in October in Marlborough MA. They have teachers that do deco-

orative art, and teachers that do regular art.

I have applied to teach there in October. Arlee Jenkins and Maureen Baker also teach there. I have more information if you want it.





Sick list

Carol Weber is recovering from her lung blood clots and back to teaching WC, but tires easily.

Laura Olsen is in FL for the winter and is having tests on her heart. She has arteries in her legs that are blocked, so they are checking out all of them.

David Allen, my hubby is in for Gall Bladder surgery this week.

Betty Allen is in for knee repair [re-replacement joint] April 3, hopefully a quick fix up, but might be a new total replacement!

Linda Coburn reports that the last operation on her shoulder [# 3] has

helped and is still doing PT.



Seminar

Will be held June 17 to 21, at the Allen House [barn] in Mt. Desert, ME. Information will follow this letter, and will be on the Web, www.artteachers.org shortly. Please sign up soon as possible, as I expect a crowd, and class size will be limited to a reasonable number.

Teachers

Mark Polomchak , Arlee Jenkins , Suzi Franklin, Betty Allen, & Maureen Baker

Adult—a person who has stopped growing at both ends and is now growing in the middle!

We all can relate to that!

**A Sincere Thank you to all!
Without you all, T.E.A.M will fail**

Betty Allen & the officers

Thought of the week

We could all learn a lot from crayons, some are sharp some are pretty, some are dull, and some have weird names. All are different colors, BUT they all exist very nicely in the same box!



Seminar offerings

Mark Polomchals paintings for the June TEAM Seminar

TEAM Teacher paintings to be done at the Seminar

* K3 the long narrow cat is done on 6/21 9 am to 12 pm, by Mark
40.00 includes all (print is too small on the photo to read)
Watercolor