

Table Rock Art Guild & Gallery

Bringing Art to the Ozarks since 1980

President's Message

Dear Artists,

I believe this is my last President's letter – Jennifer will be writing the next one. She will be an amazing President with new ideas, expanding on the old ideas and with the help of the new board members will guide this guild and gallery to wonderful possibilities.

I have enjoyed being your president these last two years. It has brought me joy to see members rejoin after being away for a few years and joy at how many members we now have. The board and I have tried to bring meetings to a more fun level with hands-on programs, Artist of the Year challenge and lots of goodies for pre meeting social time. We have had a variety of field trips thanks to Barb Hirsh and a new activity addition – Art with Friends brought to us by Judy Musch.

What can I say about the Gallery and how Diane has brought it to the next level! She is always thinking of new ideas to improve the gallery, and I think it looks fantastic! For those of you who have not been in the gallery for a while, please go in and see the wonderful changes. Diane, Gus, Gayle, and Paula have all worked hard on making it the best it can be.

I thank you for the opportunity of being your President, the joy it has given me and knowing I have lasting friends in you.

Sincerely,
Jan O'Neill, President

December 2025

Art-A-Facts

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Next Table Rock Art Guild Meeting Tuesday, December 16, 2025

**Social Time - 11:30 am - Pot Luck Dinner -
Bring a side or dessert to share
Meeting time - Noon
at the**

**St Andrew Presbyterian Church
30 James River Rd, Kimberling City**

Program - Handmade Ornament Exchange

Calendar At A Glance

Remaining Art Walk Saturdays at the Gallery
Nov 29, Dec 6, Dec 13, Dec 20

Karen Deed's Art on Display at the Gallery through
December

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Table Rock Art Guild Membership Minutes - November 18, 2025

Meeting Start Time: 12:15 PM

Program: Topic "Masters and Members". December there will be a presentation for "Artist of the Year". "Masters and Mentors" was started before the meeting came to order. Seven artists participated by sharing their chosen artist of interest, information about that artist and then presented their work and how the Master Artist's style was reflected in their new creation. Participants included Donna Gillispie, Diana Budler, Judy Musch, Brenda Viveiros, Gayle Page, Jane Ballard, and Don Haberman.

Meeting to Order: President requested approval for the October Membership Minutes, which were printed in the November Newsletter. Motioned by Kim Briggs and 2nd by Debbie Bridges All in favor.

Prayer: "Come Holy Spirit" prayer by Don Haberman

Sunshine Report: Jennifer Cole was absent from the meeting for a new art studio delivery. Prayer requests for Karen Deeds, who has moved to Edgewood Gardens. Art supplies were presented at the meeting for donations for Karen and some of her artwork will be displayed at the Gallery for sale on December 1. Prayers were also requested for Jane for her hip injury and pain.

Treasurer's Report: Posted on bulletin board in gallery office.

Gallery: Report on housekeeping at the Gallery by Diane Robben. Holiday Art Walks on Saturdays, including the Open House and Bake Sale on November 22. Decorative containers available for use for the baked goods. Karen Deed's artwork will be on display for December's Artist of the Month. Gallery will be closed on New Year's Day. Monday, January 5 will be gallery change day before 1 PM. There will be a Gallery Meeting downstairs at 1 PM.

Hospitality: Report on hospitality by Gayle Page. A list was passed around for members to sign up to bring sides for the December meeting holiday dinner. Ham and chicken are the meats that will be provided by TRAG. A handmade ornament gift exchange will occur with those that choose to participate by bringing a wrapped gift.

Membership Update: Paula Buzenius reported there were twenty-three members present at the meeting and six guests.

Split the Pot: Kelly Hamilton was the winner of \$13.50, Jan O'Neill was the winner of the art markers and four Silver Dollar City tickets.

Additional Topics: Judy Musch updated on the first gathering of "Art with Friends" and discussed ideas for moving forward with Focus Group options and continuations of "Art with Friends".

Kim Briggs discussed her planned Uganda Mission Trip in February and donations were collected for her safe travels.

Meeting Adjourned: 1:57 PM

▪ Motioned by Paula Buzenius and 2nd by Diane Robben.

Renew Your TRAG Membership Online Now!

You can now renew your TRAG membership for 2026 ONLINE at <https://www.tablerockartgallery.com/jointrag> Payments will still need to be made in person, but filling out the membership form online saves a lot of retyping for our volunteers!

Come Holy Spirit

*Focus Your Entire Being on My living Presence.
I am most assuredly with you, enveloping you in My Love
and Peace. While you relax in My Presence, I am molding
your mind and cleansing your heart. I am re-creating you into
the one I designed you to be.*

*As you move from stillness into the activities of your day, do
not relinquish your attentiveness to Me. If something troubles
you, talk it over with Me. If you get bored with what you are
doing, fill the time with prayers and praise. When someone
irritates you, don't let your thoughts linger on that person's
faults. Gently nudge you mind back to Me. Any day can be a
good day because My Presence permeates all time*

Psalm 89: 15 - 16; John 3; 19 - 20:

Jude 24 - 25; Psalm 41 : 12

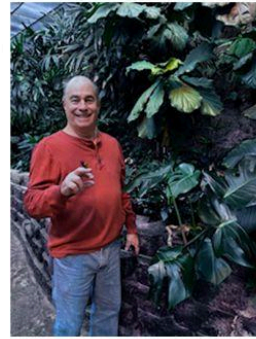
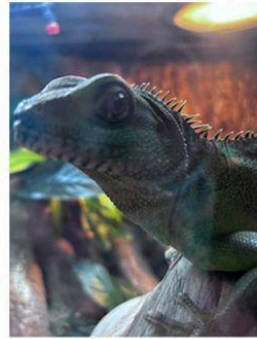
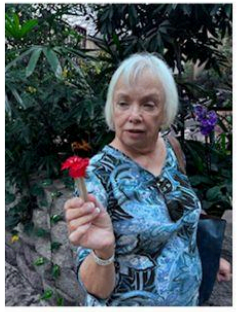
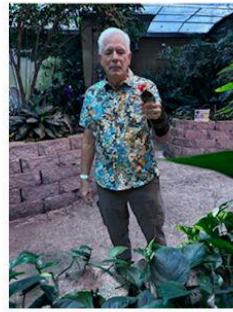
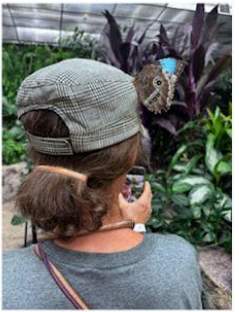
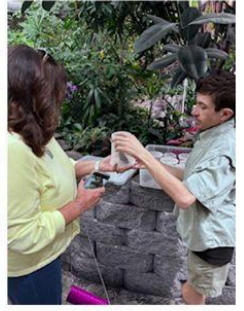
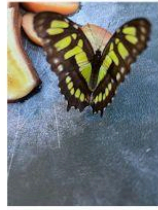
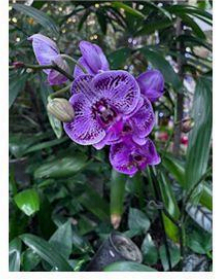
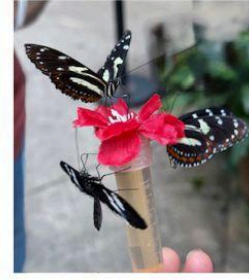
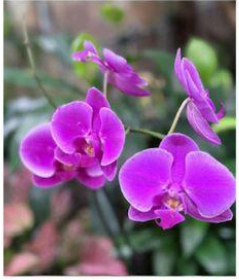
December Birthdays

Mimi Aumann - Dec 19
Debbie Bridges - Dec 4
Michael Carter - Dec 2
Kim Cooper - Dec 6
Sandy Fearn - Dec 16
Donna Gillispie - Dec 6
Franklin Leopold - Dec 1
Jan O'Neill - Dec 5

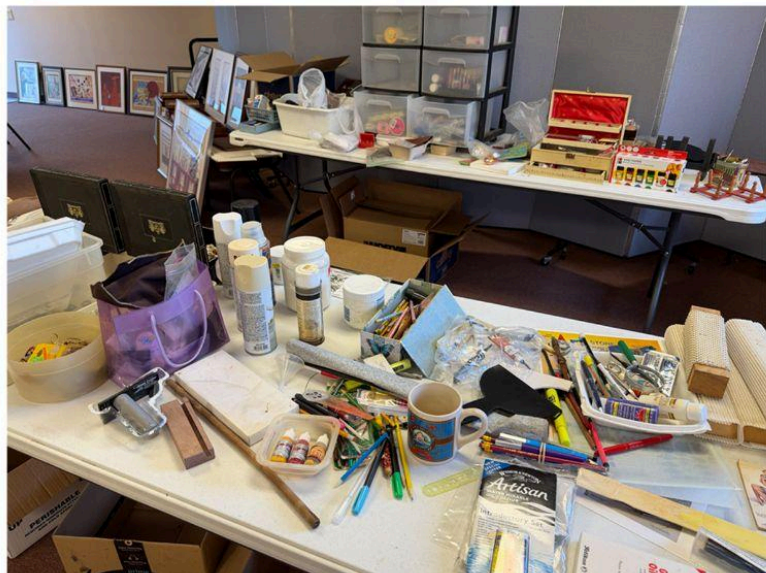


Butterfly Palace Field Trip

The outing to the Butterfly Palace was a fun morning. If you have never been, the local pricing is only \$5 for Taney and Stone Counties. If you live in another county find a friend in those counties and they can take you for \$5. We enjoyed watching the butterflies land on our nectar flowers and even on us. We were able to release a few butterflies and watched the two informative videos. We then enjoyed a lunch together. What a great way to get to know other TRAG members better.



Scenes from the Meeting



Masters and Mentors Presentation

