



# April 11, 2010

Doors open at 10:00 Painting begins at 10:30

## LUNCHEON MENU FOR APRIL.....

4 members have kindly volunteered to bring a crock-pot of their favorite soup to share. We will also have tossed salad.

A-G	Deserts
H-P	Bread/snacks
Q-Z	Salad fixings/dressings
BOARD	Salad greens

See you all in April.....  
Cathy, Sally, Donna

I want to thank all those girls that participated in our service project at this last meeting. For those that took boxes home, please bring them back finished to our next meeting with the pattern packets.

Wendy Cornman will be our new Service project leader.

Thanks,  
Elaine Walker

## ***President's Message***

A new TCDP year has started and we are looking forward to a year filled with fun, companionship, sharing, and learning. I hope that you are all marking your calendars for the retreat. Our annual retreat at the Days Inn is a wonderful opportunity to spend time with your painting friends, take a few classes, and have a good time at the parties. The retreat is fast approaching. If you haven't yet sent in your registrations, please do so as soon as you can. Remember that we have a one-day registration this year for people who are unable to come for the whole weekend.

Also mark your calendars for the Kelly Hoernig Seminar in September. It will be a really nice weekend. The projects are beautiful and Kelly is a very good teacher.

I want to thank all of you who came out in February to paint the Treasure Boxes in cold, snowy weather. Our service project is an important part of our annual activities and the boxes are important to the children who receive them.

I'm looking forward to seeing everyone at the April meeting on Sunday April 11 and at the retreat, April 15-18, at the Days Inn in Butler.

Judy Leasure, President

## ***Thank you***

I would like to thank everyone who has been calling me and sending cards in this difficult time. Thanks,  
Lynn

## ***Happy Birthday***

PLEASE JOIN ME IN WISHING A VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

March

APRIL

May

Jan Shaffer-----7  
Phyllis LaPorte---20  
Eileen Bogacz -11

Cathy McKain -6  
Elaine -----11

Sally Bagdon-----2  
Lucy Burford-----17  
Karen Schnelle----20  
Shirley Brooks 21

Mary Ann Dunbar

Corresponding Secretary

# **Retreat**

## **TAJL GATE SALE AT RETREAT**

Want to get rid of some books that you can't remember why you bought them? Looking to buy some new books with fresh ideas? Need a finished present for Great Auntie Hortense? If you are interested in selling at the indoor tail gate sale on Thursday at the Retreat get in touch with Mollie McKay ([molmckay@verizon.net](mailto:molmckay@verizon.net) 412-486-5064). You can sell anything that isn't banned by local, state, or federal governments. It need not be paint related. Books, wood, unfinished or finished, cookies-- sorry we do not sale or buy children. 2pm-4pm.

## **Retreat Make-It-Take-Its**

I have received a number of really nice projects that will be taught at the retreat as Make-It-Take-Its. If you are interested in adding your project to our offerings, please let me know. I can always used a few more.

Judy Leasure

# **BASKET LUNCHEON**

**November 7, 2010**

It's not too soon to be thinking about our annual Basket Luncheon. The date is Nov. 7, 2010 and the theme will be a Victorian Tea. The basket luncheon is our biggest yearly fund raiser, and we need everyone's help to make it a success. We will need help painting centerpieces, favors, and door prizes. Please consider donating a basket. If you have never attended the luncheon consider coming this year, you will be glad you did. We will have more information at the April meeting.

Any questions---please contact Mary Ann or Judy. Co-chairs

Make-It-Take-It Chair



# ***Kelly Hoernig Seminar***

September 17-19, 2010 (Friday through Sunday)

**Medium:** Colored Pencil

**Location:** Lake Arthur Country Club

**Time:** 9:00am-5:00pm each day

**Cost:** \$55.00 per day

**Additional costs:** \$12.00 for pattern packet and surface

A list of pencils will be provided so that you may bring your own if you have them. If you need pencils, we will order them for you and charge you the actual cost from our supplier.

Kelly's training is in commercial and graphic art. Her designs reflect this training. She specializes in subjects from nature, mostly flowers and bugs of all sorts. While she has worked and published in acrylics, today her work is almost exclusively in colored pencil. You have seen her projects in all of the major painting magazines.

So that we can order pencils for those who need them and confirm student numbers to Kelly, it is imperative that we receive your registration not later than our regular meeting on Sunday, August 1, 2010.

To register, I will need a deposit of at least one day's registration fee. The balance of the class fee and surface fee will be due before the start of the seminar. You will receive a receipt for your deposit and a notice of your balance due including the surface fees prior to the seminar. To register, send the form at the bottom of the page along with your check made out to TCDP to me at the address on the form.

If you have questions, call Judy Leasure at 814-432-4595 or send an email to [cleasure@pa.rr.com](mailto:cleasure@pa.rr.com)

# ***Kelly Hoernig Seminar Projects***

## ***Friday, September 17, 2010***

Seashells      Refer to the website for the picture - [www.townandcountrydecorativepainters](http://www.townandcountrydecorativepainters.com)  
16x20  
Surface: mat board

## ***Saturday, September 18, 2010***

Shades of Green  
16x20  
Surface : mat board

## ***Sunday, September 19, 2010***

Painted Poinsettia  
9X12  
Surface : paper

# **REGISTRATION FORM**

**Kelly Hoernig**

**September 17-19, 2010**

(please print)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

REGISTERING FOR: (circle all that apply)    FRIDAY (9/17)    SATURDAY (9/18)    SUNDAY (9/19)

DEPOSIT AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (make check payable to TCDP)

Mail to:            Judy Leasure, President

1517 Buffalo Street

Franklin, PA 16323

# April's Program



Debbie Hromanik



Judy Leasure



Mollie McKay

## This month brings three (3) projects for you.

- Judy Leasure will be doing "Apples" with colored pencils. The surface is 8" x 10" gold Mi-Tientes Paper. Cost is \$12 without pencils \$22 with pencils. (Nonmembers \$14 or \$24.)
- Mollie McKay's project is a canvas tote bag (13"x14") with lace at the top. The "Earth Angel" is done in acrylics. You will need a flat nylon brush (approximately 1/2") Brushes will be available to purchase). Mollie uses fabric brushes but you can use your regular brushes. Cost is \$10(\$12).
- Debbie Hromanik's project is a table runner 16" x 32". The surface is ron loc fabric (the latest new surface for fabric). You will need a large piece of cardboard for stability, a small scrubby brush, and regular brushes. Debbie will also bring brushes to sell. Cost is \$20 (\$22).

Colored pictures are on web site ([www.townandcountrydecorativepainters](http://www.townandcountrydecorativepainters))

Please use this form to sign up. Payments must accompany the form.  
Checks made out to Town and Country Decorative Painters (TCDP).  
DUE DATE MARCH 17.

## PRICE

\_\_\_\_\_ APPLES                      \$12 (\$14) no pencils provided  
\_\_\_\_\_ APPLES                      \$22 (\$24) with pencils bought  
\_\_\_\_\_ TOTE ANGEL                      \$10 (\$12)  
\_\_\_\_\_ TABLE RUNNER    \$20 (\$22)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ phone \_\_\_\_\_  
\_email \_\_\_\_\_

Please send to Mollie McKay; 4484 Greengrove Drive; Allison Park, PA  
15101  
Questions??? 412-486-5064 or [molmckay@verizon.net](mailto:molmckay@verizon.net)