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PRESENTS IT'S JANUARY ARTIST OF THE MONTH

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RECEPTION ON SUNDAY, JANUARY 18 1-4 PM 510 N. COAST HWY 101 • ENCINITAS In The Pannikin Coffee House

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Staffers need to check the day's duties and carry them out to keep our Gallery looking clean, neat and professional.

The heater/blower is turned on upstairs, then the thermostat beneath the unit can be set.

NEEDED: Small Desk. Specifications: Color, off-white or paintable; approximately 27" deep, 55" wide; a locking file drawer. If you have such a desk, know someone who has, or know where we can get one for a good price. Call Patricia Watkins, 756-0417.

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The following job descriptions will be reviewed at the next Board Meeting: Paint Rag Editor, Distribution Chair and Historian.

Cynthia Amon Brenneman, Artist-of-the-Month

Since childhood our First Vice President and very creative artist has been involved with and interested in art. A graduate of Fallbrook High, Palomar College, and Rider University (N.J.). Cyndy drifted away from the world of art and spent twenty years in the U.S. Navy travelling to other parts of the States and to Europe as well. Once on land again, Cyndy pulled in the oars and got right back into the art world with workshops and classes and now produces those wonderful paintings depicting her "special places." In her unique, almost pixilated style, she enjoys capturing with paper and watercolors what others envision. Cyndy has her own line of greeting cards and is the author and illustrator of a children's book. Although Cyndy will not be having a reception, her show is one you will not want to miss. Local scenes and structures, some gone with time, will be just a part of her show and, perhaps, in keeping with our "Things We Love" theme, there will be some paintings of things that Cyndy loves.

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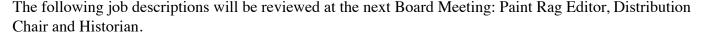
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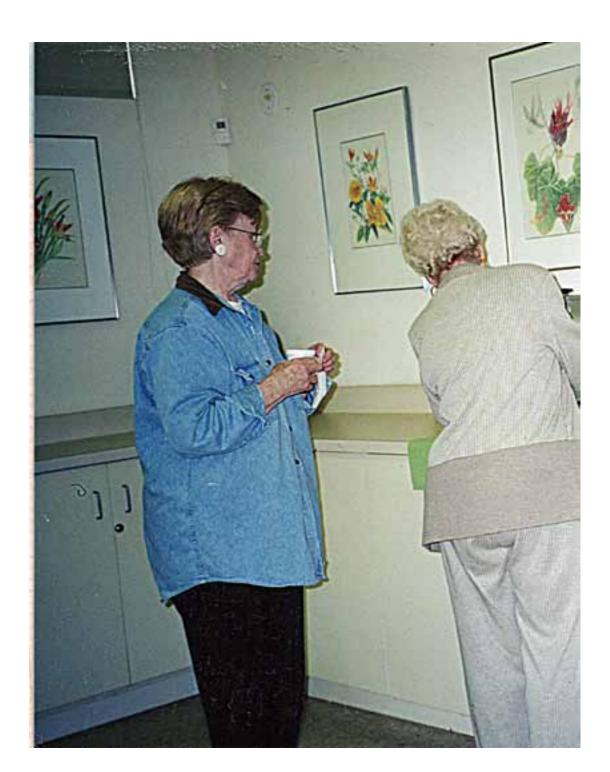
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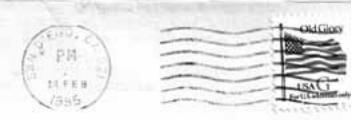
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Pat Watkins with our Flower Field hostess.









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There's Gordon!



Claudia Brown That hat shadow is most impressive!



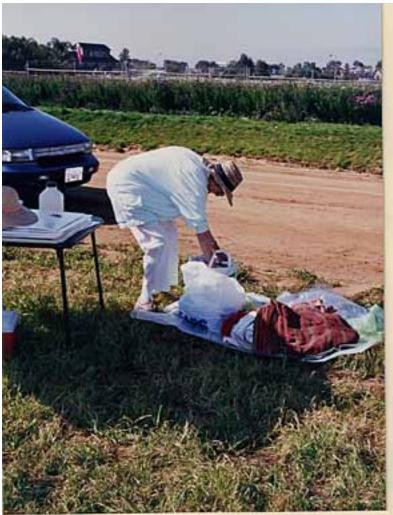
The clouds put on a show all day!



"old" alike! (sorry, sarah!)



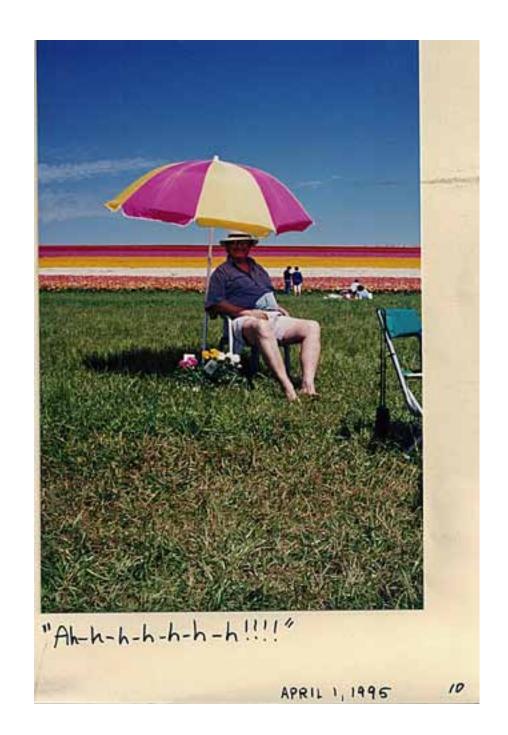
Hey, Gordon! I see you've found a substitute "set-up!" What a good sport!



Claudia, looking for a sedative after Shirley Hawley's April fool's soke!



Carole, it's beautiful!





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