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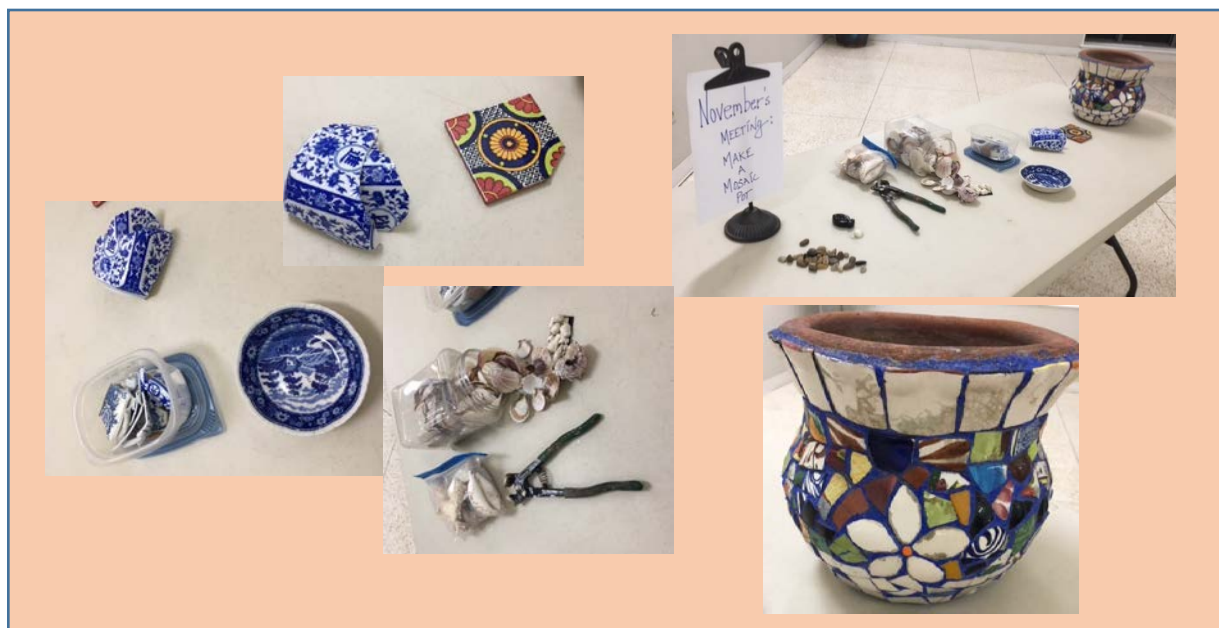
November 15, 2017

Pottery Mosaics Seminar

Have you ever wondered what to do with the pieces of broken pots most of us have laying around? If so, you don't want to miss our November meeting! SACXS member, David Maclure will lead a seminar on the use of broken pottery to produce beautiful and functional mosaics.

It gets better, this will be a Make and Take Seminar! You will want to bring a clay pot of your choice. Keep in mind that the bigger the pot, the more broken pieces you will need to cover it. Also bring things to cover the, such as broken pieces of colorful pottery, pieces of glass, flattened marbles, shells, etc. David will show us how to glue them to our pots and produce our own creative works of art.

Don't be shy, we all break pots. Let's learn how to put the pieces together to create something unique and useful rather than just throwing them away. This should be a rather artful experience.



Member Reminders

August Refreshment Assignments

Joyce Muncy
Larry Murphy
Dale Neese
Suzette O'Bar
Michael O'Brian

Refreshments



Each person will be contacted by our Refreshments Coordinator. If you are unable to attend the meeting and bring refreshments, please consider donating \$5 or more so something can be purchased as a substitute.

Refreshments only happen when people volunteer and share the responsibility. Thank you for helping!

Thank You!
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Auction Plants



Typically, members donate a plant or plants worth at least \$5. If unable to bring a plant to the meeting, please consider making a \$5 cash donation. Our auction proceeds go toward covering the building rental for our meetings.

August Auction Plant Assignments

Doris Uhl
Floyd Waller
Jean Ann Weisinger
Lydia White
Gerald Yarbrough



Raffle Plants

If you find yourself with extra cuttings, please consider bringing them to the monthly meeting and placing them on the Raffle Table. Raffle ticket sales go toward covering the building rental for our meetings.

We're approaching a new year, and that means that it's time to pay your SACXS Member Dues. You can pay this at our monthly meeting starting next week.
Single Membership: \$20 Family Membership: \$30



Club News and Other Helpful Information



Christmas is right around the corner. If you are able, please bring an unwrapped children's toy to our SACXS Christmas Party on December 6th. The toys along with the proceeds from our Silent Auction will be donated to Blue Santa.



2018 Board Members

Below is the list of the Board Members for 2018 that was affirmed at our October 2017 meeting due to no contested nominations.

President: Bill Fry

1st Vice President/Programs: Mandy Bulmer

2nd Vice President/Membership: Judy Kugle

3rd Vice President/Field Trips: Claude Townsend

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Director: Barbara Schulze

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Director: Jimmy Black

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SACXS - Upcoming Events

November 15th Monthly Meeting **Potttery Mosaics Seminar/Class** presented by David Maclure

December 6th SACXS Member Christmas Party

Don't forget that you can get up to the minute information on our 2017 Upcoming Programs and Event by texting **sacxs to 56512**. This will give you a little heads-up before the newsletter arrives with all the vital information about what's going on in SACXS.

SACXS Supporter's Corner

You may have noticed a large poster on the stage at the Garden Center during the SACXS 2017 Show & Sale. On the sign were listed individuals, organizations, and local businesses that provided our society with support for the Show & Sale. Each month we will highlight one of the local businesses that provided donations for our live auction and helped us with advertising by making Show & Sale flyers available on their sales counters, posting larger Show & Sale flyers, and allowing us to display Show & Sale yard signs.



Please patronize these businesses and if possible, talk to the owner or manager when you visit to thank him/her for supporting the SACXS Show & Sale. By working together we can benefit each other.

The Garden Center has been providing quality goods and services to Northwest San Antonio since 1985. They are a family owned and operated business, here to supply San Antonio with lawn and gardening needs. Their goal is to provide the very best quality products for the absolute best price. They are experts in their field. They train their employees to give customers the most accurate information about gardening that they can. At The Garden Center, they handpick the best plants from local growers that do well in our area.



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