Clay Notes

September 2013

Clay Notes, the monthly Triangle Potters Guild newsletter, and the TPG membership forms are available on our website at www.trianglepotters.org.

Submissions to Clay Notes: trianglepottersguild@yahoo.com by the 15th of each month.

Our monthly meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month (no meetings June, July and August) at 7:30 pm.

2013-14 TPG Board

President

Nancy Schecter nancyschecter1@gmail.com

Vice President

Eoline Killough eolinekillough@gmail.com

Corresponding Secretary

Susanne Uno Susanneuno@nc.rr.com

Treasurer

Kathy Rodgers pwfarm@mindspring.com

Recording Secretary

Maureen McGregor maureenmcgregor@live.com

Librarian

Edge Barnes potsedge@gmail.com

Next Meeting

Date: Tuesday, September 3, 2013

Location: NCSU Craft Center, 100 Jensen Dr., Raleigh

Time: 7:30 p.m.

Parking is available in the parking deck directly across from the Crafts Center entrance. You may be ticketed or towed if you park on the street—this is student parking only.

September Program: Lyn Morrow

Submitted by Eoline Killough, Vice President

You may remember a turquoise and cobalt colored house five miles north of Pittsboro on US 15-501, the studio and gallery of Lyn Morrow. Lyn is a North Carolina potter with a regional as well as international reputation for her superb, distinctive pottery. Her award-winning work has been featured in museums, galleries and corporate collections around the world.

Lyn's background and experience also extend from the regional to the international. A graduate of Atlantic Christian College, she majored in ceramics and sculpture, then went on to study sculpture, fresco and art history at the Academia di Belle Arte in Perugia, Italy, for a year. Lyn's MFA is from UNC Greensboro.

"Pottery is a constant source of learning and transition for me and when I look back at my work I see recurring themes. It may be a shape, sculptural form or a glaze that holds my interest. I take that element and run with it ... push it to its limits. Some forms and glazes are old friends, others quite a challenge. Both have a place in my studio."

The Triangle Potters Guild is fortunate in welcoming Lyn Morrow for what promises to be a stimulating and intriguing program on September 3.

Minutes from May

The May meeting was held at Eoline's house and took the form of a potluck party. A sudden thunderstorm and gigantic hailstones prevented us from gathering in the garden as had been planned, but there was plenty of room for a festive gathering indoors. Most people had brought things for a gift exchange and, since many of these turned out to be pots, we had the pleasure of tracking down the makers. Members voted to approve the slate of officers for 2013–14: Nancy Schecter, president; Eoline Killough, vice president; Maureen McGregor, recording secretary; Susanne Uno, corresponding secretary; Kathy Rodgers, treasurer; and Edge Barnes, librarian. Thank you to Eoline for an enjoyable ending to our Guild year!

Member News

From Susan Luster: Items for Sale

For Sale: Brent Model C wheel. I bought this wheel in the late 1990s, used it a few years, and then fell in love with the slab roller. It has literally been stored under my slab roller for about 10 years. It's in very good shape. This wheel sells new for \$1150-\$1300. Best offer. Contact Susan Luster, susisolar@aol.com or 919-469-4902.

For Sale: E-Z Up tent—well used, \$20. I have two and would like someone else to have the second one. Contact Susan Luster, susisolar@aol.com or 919-469-4902.

From Joanne Wood: Under the Oaks Pottery Fest

The 11th Annual Under the Oaks Pottery Fest will be held Saturday, September14, 9–5 (Rain Date, September 15, 10–5). They are located at 2033 Wait Avenue in Wake Forest.

This is a total pottery event, and of the 30 or so potters there, many will be TPG members.

More info including directions will be found at their website www.undertheoaksnc.com or call 919-556-7864.



Links

The Crafts Center

www.ncsu.edu/crafts 919-515-2457

Sertoma Arts Center

www.raleighnc.gov 919-420-2329

Pullen Arts Center

www.raleighnc.gov 919-831-6126 Claymakers

www.claymakers.com 919-530-8355

Durham Arts Council

www.durhamarts.org 919-560-2726

Cary Arts Center

www.townofcary.org 919-469-4069 Central Carolina
Community College

www.cccc.edu

Finch Pottery

www.danfinch.com 252-235-4664

Litmus Gallery

www.litmusgallery.com

919-571-3605