

# Ceramics West News

## January 2024



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### Events

Our Christmas party was a fun filled night with 95 attendees. Santa took pictures with members and guests, and he and Mrs. Santa delivered the beautiful pictures that Doug (Kathy's husband) took at our party. The 50/50 raffle raised 400.00 and Ella was the lucky winner of 200.00. Every member was able to win a Christmas prize. Booze prizes were raffled off. The Centerpiece prizes won by playing the left/right game by Deb Johnson. The grand prize was won by Connie who was the last ticket drawn. 12 members donated prizes, with the grand prize from Tom & Pretty Deb. Deb Johnson & Deborah Morris each donating a table of desserts and May Lynn's amazing cupcakes. Special Thanks to the team of elves who worked many hours to create our party & to Mike Miller and Deb Johnson for providing music. DJ Event Chairperson

### THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER



I was born and raised in Southern California, joined the Marine Corps in 1965, went to Vietnam and received an Honorable Discharge in 1969. Had several jobs until an industrial accident required retraining as a Building Inspector. It was while working for Linn County, Oregon that I met Deborah and we were married 27+ short years ago. We both retired 11 years ago and moved to Sun City West 7 years ago. I enjoy ceramics and the creativity that I see in the club. Ceramics West is an awesome club because of the awesome members.

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Wishing a very happy birthday to all of you who have birthdays this month! We wish you many more.

**CERAMICS WEST IS A FRAGRANCE-FREE CLUB ROOM.** Many people are extremely sensitive to perfumes, colognes, aftershaves and other scented products. Fragrances cause watery eyes, a stuffy or runny nose, congestion, headaches and migraines. **PLEASE BE CONSIDERATE AND DO NOT WEAR THEM AT ANY TIME IN OUR CLUB.**



Kathy Culliton

**Classes fill up fast, please ask the OD for help signing up.** If you don't know what classes are offered take a look at the shelves in the main room and ask to look in the binder.

Thursday, January 4, 11, 18, 25 - 12-3:30pm - Deb Johnson Mosaics - Beginners Class (Had to meet with instructor 12/14) On-going Mosaic Workshop and wonderful food

Saturday, January 6 - 8 - 11:30 am - Kathy Culliton Open Handbuilding

Monday, January 8 - 12:30-2pm - Cindy Ferguson Monitor Training

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### The Holiday Social



<http://ceramics.scwclubs.com>

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