



PACA MEETING AGENDA:

Date: Wed, Nov 13, 2024
Location: Leon's Cafe
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Time: 1 pm – 2 pm - Meeting starts promptly

1. Welcome

- Elaine Cheung and Michele Partridge are your co-facilitators for PACA
- Purpose of PACA to promote, collaborate and how we can help one and another to thrive

2. Semiahmoo Arts Society Membership:

- \$50 for Semiahmoo Arts Society Membership and you get all the benefits of the Semiahmoo Arts Society and PACA as well. To register: <https://semiahmooarts.com/>
- You get one free PACA meeting

3. INTROS from members; Name, company, what you do, promotion or your ASK? (2 min. person)

- Marissa: Leon's café:
 - I work at Aspira. On Friday, November 29 11AM to 2PM. Pacifica Christmas Aarket at the Pacifica Location. Vendors will be charged \$25/table, and the proceeds will go to Sources Foodbank. They are looking for one or two local artists to get a table. Contact Marissa. They have six tables left. Give Marissa a call. 236-808-7782
 - Artists in Residents once a month on a Sunday, dates are being worked on, it's for artists coming to the café and getting exposure for artists. Leon's want to help local artists at no charge.
 - Thursday, Nov 28th. 6-8PM, South Surrey White Rock Networking Event. Come mingle with local professionals at the mixer at Leon's Café.

- Dale Harding of Pizzazz: looking to do something in 2025, good to be back
 - The Pink Palace is reopening again with a commercial on the main floor.

- Victoria Clements of Poshintertain: Specializes in promotions in entertainment and in the arts.
 - Doing work with Dale for the 2025 calendar and looking at getting a showcase going again.

- Tamiko Spicer tacuza@shaw.ca
 - Sculpture artist
 - Uses Pal Tiya clay which has no need for molds, kilns or firing, is weatherproof and has considerable strength and requires no expensive tools to sculpt art outdoors. Learn more at <https://www.paltiya.com/>
 - Have classes coming up with Semiahmoo arts

- Shelley Ekstein: Piano teacher. Full roster of students
 - Oct 6th 12 piano and 6 violinist performed at the WR Art Crawl. They did 2X 45-minute sets and then the kids went into the community and purchased things at the market so they support the community,
 - Looking for part-time bartending. If you have someone or you are looking for a bartender, please contact Shelley. shelleyeckstein@gmail.com

- Tal (WR library): Community librarian,
 - A 662 sqft meeting room is available on the second floor, and fully accessible
 - It can fit 45 ppl and has tables and chairs. \$20/hour non-profit or \$50/hour for-profit
 - Lots going on at the library so be sure to check out their website.

- John Lavoie, and wife Hasina: do photography
 - Nature and landscape photography
 - Uptown Banners, one of his banners was selected
 - Showing at Turnbull gallery at Semiahmoo Arts Society
 - Dec 6th, at Turnbull with the Art market.
 - Dec 7th and 8th show in their home gallery. Was part of the south rock art tour.

- Derek Armstrong: Visual mix media arts
 - Collaborating with Curiko
 - Sold artwork for \$200

- Chris Mccure:
 - Marilyn did a show in Ladner and with the proceeds is now visiting Europe.

- Barb Fukusaka: Glass artist:
 - Show at End of November at the Dunbar
 - Suggestion: team up with Dale Harding to put her jewellery on Dale's models

- Phyllis Cole of Oh Caroline Celtic ensemble:
 - Did culture Crawl.
 - Have 5 bookings between now and Xmas. This coming weekend at the Beer shack for the shopping crawl on Saturday.
 - Nov 29th opening for WR city orchestra and other concerts
 - Have FB and Instagram

- Denice Thompson of CARP:
 - Had Halloween and also Remembrance Day event featuring Elvis. Also had 2 speakers who were veterans with very impactful speeches
 - Dec 12. Xmas party at WR Community Centre.

- Michele:
 - New temporary Welcome to WR sign at the corner of Johnston and North Bluff Road. Initialed by Michele Partridge of the PACAC committee.
 - Private studio space rental in WR for \$40/hour. Events, meetings, workshops, fitness classes. Contact donna@thefeelgoodfitness.com
 - Join the PACA committee for 2025-2026. The deadline is this Friday, November 15. The committee starts in January 2025. Complete applications on the White Rock City website.
 - Uptown Festive shopping crawl this Saturday, Nov 16, from 4-7 pm. Starts at Five Corners.

- Peace Arch Hospital is looking for art submissions by the Nov 18th deadline. For their calendar. Email volunteers@pahfoundation.ca to submit your artwork
 - Building Bridges: Therapeutic arts Retreats this Nov 16th at Semiahmoo Arts 10:30-2:30 PM. For those struggling to conceive or undergoing fertility treatments.
 - We need ambassadors for the daytime warming shelter. They clean, patrol and notify authorities if needed. Sign up at whiterockcity.ca or email volunteering@whiterockcity.ca
- Elaine Cheung: is one of the speakers at this year's TEDx White Rock event this Saturday. It's sold out. Eight speakers. From 2 to 4 p.m. It's the second one in WR at the WR Playhouse. Her topic is about how the stories we tell ourselves about who we are and what we deserve are shaping our reality more than we realize.

4. Semiahmoo Arts Society Update:

- December Open House and Craft Market on Friday Dec 6th at the Turnbull Gallery
 - Free classes: Check their social media and newsletter for more info
 - Craft Market from 3-7PM
- New Holiday workshops for Nov and Dec
- ASK: would any PACA members be interested in participating in a free carolling event at Semiahmoo Arts on Dec 20th?
 - What would PACA like the City of Surrey to report on for these meetings?

5. New Business:

- none

6. Next meeting dates

- Dec 11th and it's a potluck at Semiahmoo Arts Society. Potluck start time 12:30PM, meeting starts at 1PM. Bring something yummy to share.