



PORTLAND'S *Rain* OF GLASS, INC.

A non-profit organization formed to stimulate interest in collectible glass and to provide educational resources and events for the members and the community at large.

JANUARY

WHERE: Central Lutheran Church
1820 NE 21st Avenue,
Portland, OR 97212
(NE 21st & Schuyler)

WHEN: Tuesday, Jan. 20, 2015,
6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
(Library Open at 6:00)

GREETERS:
Susan Conroy and Volunteer
(Come early to set up—6:00 p.m.)



UPCOMING EVENTS

JANUARY

17-18 – Christine Palmer EXPO,
Clark County Fairgrounds, 17402
NE Delfel Rd. Ridgefield, WA

*24-25 – PROY Antiques &
Collectibles Show and Sale,
Washington County
Fairgrounds, Hillsboro*

FEBRUARY

7-16 – Lincoln City antique Week

28 – Green River Glass Show and
Sale, Kent, WA

Every Sunday—Portland's
Indoor/Outdoor Flea Market, 5400
N Lombard, Portland, (one block
west of Portsmouth on Lombard)

2nd Weekend – Old Mill at Yamhill
Flea Market, 140 W. Main St.,
Yamhill

Visit estatesale-finder.com for
local sales in the area

PROGRAM:

Favorite Finds of 2014



Did you find a wonderful item to add to your collection in 2014? Please share your "FIND" with other club members at this January's meeting. Any collectible--glass, pottery, metal, wood, etc.--is welcome. Join other club members as we discuss your exciting new collectibles!

PATTERN OF THE MONTH: Indiana Glass Company's
"Garland" pattern, presented by Sandra Martin



Sandra will share her collection of Indiana's "Garland" pattern. Garland was introduced in 1935. The pattern has been manufactured and reproduced in many colors. Pictured at top is a plate with painted border. Above is a console bowl and at left is a basket.

BOARD MEETING:
Tuesday, Jan. 13, 2015,
7:00 p.m.

ALL MEMBERS WELCOME

Visit the Portland's Rain of
Glass website:

www.rainofglass.com

or see us on FACEBOOK

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C/O Ed Martin,
12764 SE Nixon Ave.,
Milwaukie, OR. 97222.

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**A WONDERFUL ARRAY OF TREASURES
FOR YOU & YOUR HOME!**

JANUARY 24 & 25, 2015

**SAT 9 AM-5 PM ♦ SUN 10 AM-4 PM
WASHINGTON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS, HILLSBORO, OREGON**

**MEMBERS OF PORTLAND'S RAIN OF GLASS
GET FREE ADMISSION!!**

**SHOW COMMITTEE MEETINGS
PRE-SHOW JANUARY 7 ♦ WRAP UP JANUARY 27**

RAIN OF GLASS REMEMBERS



SHARON STALEY

NOVEMBER 20, 1953 ~ NOVEMBER 3, 2014

PROG member Sharon Staley passed away after a courageous battle with cancer. Sharon, her husband Ralph and her mother went to Honduras in 1996 to start an orphanage for Reach. Then from 1997 to 1999 Sharon and Ralph moved to South Sudan to start a high school for the local children. They lived in a tukul hut of mud and sticks with a grass roof and a dirt floor. They had no electricity, and their only water had to be carried from a well two miles away. Sharon and Ralph were Pathfinder leaders for the Seventh Day Adventist Church, and Sharon cooked for many of their activities.

Sharon joined PROG in 2006 and served on the board of directors in 2012 and 2013. She enjoyed traveling, photography, bird watching, collecting natural items and glass. Ralph, her mother Jean Lee and brothers Gerald Lee, Rick Lee and Alvin Lee survive her.

In keeping with our tradition when a member passes away, a book will be added to PROG's library in Sharon's name.



YOU CAN HELP PROG EARN DONATIONS JUST BY SHOPPING WITH YOUR FRED MEYER REWARDS CARD!

Fred Meyer donates \$2.5 million per year to non-profits in Alaska, Idaho, Oregon and Washington, based on where their customers tell them to give.

Here's how the program works:

- Sign up for the Community Rewards program by linking your Fred Meyer Rewards Card to Portland's Rain of Glass at www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards
- You can search for us by name, Portland's Rain of Glass, or by our non-profit number, 85577.
- Then, every time you shop at Fred Meyer and use your Rewards Card, you will help PROG earn a donation from Fred Meyer at no cost to you!
- You still earn your Rewards Points, Fuel Points and Rebates just as you do today.
- If you don't have a Rewards Card, they are available at the Customer Service desk of any Fred Meyer store.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT
www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards



ENJOY PROG'S ANNUAL

SOUP FEAST!!

TUESDAY, MARCH 17
AT THE RAIN OF GLASS MEETING
SET UP 6:00 ♦ DINNER AT 6:30

Gyrid will make her famous clam chowder, and in honor of St. Paddy's Day, our second entrée will be corned beef and bean soup
**MAKE YOUR RESERVATION
AT THE NEXT MEETING**

NEWSLETTER COMMITTEE:

Barbara Coleman, colelee@easystreet.net
or 503-281-1823

Jewell Gowan, jewellsbks@aol.com
or 503-510-9137

Cindy Thomas, cid12@icloud.com
or 503-481-5401

ANNUAL HOLIDAY POTLUCK

One thing PROG excels at is throwing great potlucks! This year we thank Mark Moore and Kate Fuller for donating our hams, and Barbara Coleman for cooking the turkey breasts and Kate Fuller and Carole Bess White for cooking the hams.

Thanks also to the many members who brought delicious dishes to share, and those who contributed so generously to the church's food bank boxes. It is all appreciated very much!



SHOW & TELL/BRING & BRAG

Diane Foster—pressed glass vase with a colored stem; cornucopia by Duncan & Miller; orange oblong bowl by Chalet of Canada. Chalet was one of the first and best of Canadian glass companies; they hired Murano glass artists to get the quality and design they wanted;

Diana Jones—set of Christmas goblets.

Sandra Millius & Jeff Motsinger—Blenko bowl with blue rosettes c. 1940's; small Blenko bowl c. 1940's.

Linda Sprau—Italian Burmese 1970's-80's vase; Burmese glass apple.

Carole Bess White—Czech glass basket with red handle; satin glass Czech basket in a silver plate holder; Bohemian cranberry glass basket with ruffled, opalescent white rim; a Fostoria #2276 blue glass vanity set with Riviere etch.



AND THE WINNERS ARE . . .

Jack Bookwalter won a raffle prize—a poinsettia plant donated by Elmer Heffner

Barbara Coleman won auction items—packs of ham & turkey from Kate Fuller's and Mark Moore's donations

Susan Conroy won a raffle prize—an Early American Pattern Glass comport filled with candy donated by Kate Fuller, and an auction item—a Christmas cactus donated by Elmer Heffner

Gyrid Hyde-Towle won an auction item—a Christmas cactus donated by Elmer Heffner

Sandra Martin won a raffle prize—a poinsettia plant donated by Elmer Heffner

Mark Moore won an auction item—a Christmas cactus donated by Elmer Heffner

Gwenn Nicklous won a raffle prize—the iridized vase donated by Diana Jones

Linda Sprau won the door prize of a \$5.00 Glassbuck

Mary Ann Specht won auction items—packs of ham from Kate Fuller's and Mark Moore's donations

Karen Young won an auction item—a Christmas cactus donated by Elmer Heffner

WOODCARVINGS DISPLAYED BY ELMER HEFFNER

We always look forward to the interesting subjects Elmer chooses for his potluck displays, and this time it was woodcarvings. For the past 20 years or so, Elmer has collected carvings, mainly European. There actually is a school in Austria, Carving School Giesler-Moroder, which teaches woodcarving to professionals and hobbyists alike. Carvers work on their carvers during the winter, and the pieces are assembled at the factories when the weather improves.

Among those Elmer showed were two large lamps with carved lamplighters and two smaller German carved lamps; a town crier; a music box; a figural of impudent trickster Till Eulenspiegel; a bowler by Anri; a Swedish carving of a drunkard; marked Roselle 1938; A Tin Woodsman; a nativity set from Bethlehem; a pig with his legs crossed; and one of the seven lucky gods from Japan whose mallet brings good luck. He also brought a display of bottle stoppers, some by Anri and some from Italy.

What's next from Elmer? Stay tuned for the July potluck!



THANKS SO MUCH FOR SIGNING UP TO WORK AT THE PROG SALE—WE APPRECIATE YOU!!

As you can see from the chart, we have a few slots to fill.

WE ESPECIALLY NEED DISPLAY HOSTS/HOSTESSES!!

Display hosting is a sit-down job. All that's required is that you stay in your spot, watch the members' displays to make sure guests don't lean across the railing and handle the pieces and answer questions (answers provided to you in written form). Please consider signing up if you haven't already, or adding an extra shift or two if you have already signed up.

RAIN OF GLASS SHOW & SALE JOB ROSTER JANUARY 23-24-25, 2015

SHOW & ADVERTISING MANAGER CAROLE BESS WHITE	DISPLAY CO-MANAGERS MABLE HARDEBECK SUSAN CONROY	CLUB SALE BOOTH MGRS BARBARA COLEMAN KATE FULLER	DOOR MANAGER SANDRA MARTIN
FRIDAY DEALER CHECK-IN CAROLE BESS WHITE	FRIDAY LUNCH MANAGER GYRID HYDE-TOWLE	FRIDAY LUNCH SOUPS SANDRA MARTIN LINDA SPRAU	FRIDAY LUNCH COMMITTEE BARBARA DIETZ BARB LARSON
RAFFLE TICKET SALES MANAGER MARY ANN SPECHT	OUTDOOR SIGNS PUT UP AND TAKE DOWN ED MARTIN	EQUIPMENT MANAGERS CAROLE BESS WHITE JACK BOOKWALTER NEAL SKIBINSKI	DONUTS FRIDAY—CAROLE WHITE SATURDAY—FRED LEESON SUNDAY—SUSAN CONROY
BOOK SALE MANAGER FRED LEESON JEAN ZITZER, HELPER	POSTCARD PRINTING MANAGER MARK MOORE	PRINTING MANAGER TICKETS / BADGES / SIGNS DENNIS HEADRICK	POSTCARD MAILING MANAGERS DENNIS & EVA HEADRICK

UNPACK & SET UP FRI. JAN. 23				TEAR DOWN AND PACK UP SUN. JAN. 25			
1	JACK BOOKWALTER	6	FLORISA TRAPP	1	CAROLE BESS WHITE	6	
2	JEAN ZITZER	7	EUGENE TRAPP	2	JACK BOOKWALTER	7	
3	SUSAN CONROY	8		3	GYRID HYDE-TOWLE	8	
4	ED MARTIN	9		4		9	
5	GRANT HUTER	10		5		10	

SATURDAY, JANUARY 24	9:00—11:00	11:00—1:00	1:00—3:00	3:00—5:00
TICKET SALES	1 DEANNA STEVENSON 2 DIANE FOSTER	1 JAN BAXTER 2 CELESTE SPRAGUE	1 KAREN YOUNG 2 JIM YOUNG	1
DISPLAY HOST	1 2	1 FLORISA TRAPP 2	1 EDNA McLEAN 2	1 2
ANNOUNCER	1 MARK MOORE	1 GYRID HYDE-TOWLE	1 MARK MOORE	1 MARK MOORE
RAFFLE SALES	1	1	1	1
I.D./APPRAISALS	1 SAM KISSÉE 2 JEFF MOTSINGER 3 NEAL SKIBINSKI	1 SAM KISSEE 2 JEFF MOTSINGER 3 NEAL SKIBINSKI	1 SAM KISSÉE 2 SANDRA MILLIUS 3 NEAL SKIBINSKI	1 SAM KISSÉE 2 SANDRA MILLIUS 3 NEAL SKIBINSKI
BOOK SELLER	1 SUZANNE PASTORI	1 SUZANNE LEMON	1 DEANNA STEVENSON	1 FRED LEESON

SUNDAY, JANUARY 25	10:00—11:30	11:30—1:00	1:00—2:30	2:30-4:00
TICKET SALES	1	1 EUGENE TRAPP	1	1
DISPLAY HOST	1 2	1 JAN BAXTER 2 DON BAXTER	1 FLORISA TRAPP 2	1 BRUCE THOMAS 2 CINDY THOMAS
ANNOUNCER	1	1	1	1
RAFFLE SALES	1	1	1	1
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BOOK SELLER	1 SUZANNE PASTORI	1 SUZANNE LEMON	1 FRED LEESON	1 FRED LEESON

WE ARE COUNTING ON YOU!! IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO WORK YOUR SHIFT, OR IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SIGN UP FOR A VACANT SLOT, PLEASE CALL CAROLE BESS WHITE, 503-901-0505 or EMAIL cbessw@aol.com, AND INCLUDE YOUR NAME, PHONE NUMBER & THE SHIFT DAY & HOURS



OUR LAST MEETING BEFORE THE SHOW!!

SHOW COMMITTEE MEETING TUESDAY, JANUARY 6, 2015



AT DIANA JONES'S HOUSE

11522 N.E. SISKIYOU ST., PORTLAND OR 97220

6:00 P.M. POTLUCK SUPPER, 7:00 P.M. MEETING

MAIN DISH & BEVERAGES PROVIDED--PLEASE BRING A SALAD OR DESSERT TO SHARE

From N.E. 102nd, turn E. onto N.E. Morris St. and go to N.E. 111th. N. on 111th to N.E. Siskiyou.

From N.E. 122nd, turn W. onto N.E. Stanton and immediately N. onto N.E. 121st and turn N. onto Siskiyou.

RSVP TO DIANA dianajones@msn.com 503-703-3441 OR CAROLE cbessw@aol.com 503-901-0505

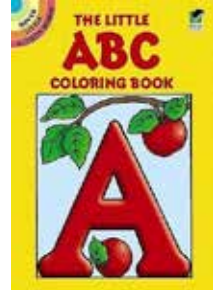
CLIP THESE DIRECTIONS AND BRING THEM WITH YOU!!

WANTED—

REFERENCE BOOKS ON GLASS AND ANTIQUES,
COOKBOOKS OR OTHER NICE BOOKS FOR PROG'S
USED BOOK BOOTH AT THE 2015 P.R.O.G. SALE

Please bring them to the January 20 meeting, or we can
pick them up if that is better for you.

Questions? Carole Bess White, 503-901-0505



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JANUARY 27 ♦ LOCATION T.B.D.

Portland's Rain of Glass, Inc.

c/o Cindy Thomas, Newsletter

795 Corby Street

Woodburn, Oregon 97071-3814

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GLASS COLLECTORS CONVENTION UPDATE

SAVE THE DATE:

MAY 14-15-16. 2015

ANOTHER SPEAKER CONFIRMED!!

COLLECTOR BOOKS AUTHOR

CARRIE DOMITZ

WILL PRESENT

100 YEARS OF FENTON GLASS

DON'T FORGET THE NEXT CONVENTION COMMITTEE

MEETING FEBRUARY 3, LOCATION TBD

