

Clay Notes

September 2022



Join our Outreach listserv to learn about and post upcoming events. Check the Resources page on the website.

Send your pictures for the Website to Theresa Glisson, Webmaster
taglisson@gmail.com

We meet monthly at 7 pm on the 1st Tuesday of each month at the NCSU Crafts Center (no meetings June, July, and August)

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Next TPG Meeting

Date: Tuesday, Sept 6, 2022

Location: NCSU Crafts Center only

Time: 7:00 pm

WELCOME POTTERS!!!

We are excited to start a new year of TPG events and meetings, and are thrilled you're part of the guild!

Our first meeting is a great chance to get to know each other! We invite you to **bring a sample or two of your work** and to share what you love to make, what you're passionate about in clay right now and a little about yourself, too! It's a good chance to network and discover something new. This first meeting will be in person, and there'll be light refreshments. We hope to see you!

Look for other new happenings this year too, including:

- * Pottery Problems Solved each meeting
- * In-person community and networking, with options for Zooming in speakers
- * Raku
- * A holiday sale
- * A sculptor as a speaker

We'd love your ideas for gatherings and speakers, too. We have awesome board members who are ready to help make this a great year for TPG.

Yay Clay!

Sarah Peters, President

NEW THIS YEAR!

TPG members provide a huge resource of great experience and knowledge! So this year, we're saving some time each meeting to brainstorm solutions to your pottery problems! A rock-hard bag of clay? Adhering sturdy handles? Clay cracking out of the extruder? Send your questions to Jay Levine at alasmidonta@yahoo.com, and we'll all help answer three issues each meeting. No question is too big or too small!

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STONE SOUP

TPG has a long, rich tradition of helping Urban Ministries of Wake County each fall with their STONE SOUP fundraiser. We don't need to make 400 bowls this year, but you can come help hand out soup and bread Oct. 26, 4-6 p.m. at Urban Ministries!! We had a lot of fun last year helping and cheering on the folks who bought soup as they drove through the parking lot.

Part of TPG's mission is service to the community, and this is one way you can help. Please contact Sarah at saralec4@bellsouth.net or let her know at the meeting that you'd like to volunteer.

Coming up soon . . . more on these events later:

- Fall Raku event
- Farmer's Market . . . great event last season
- Spring Artspllosure event

It's time to **renew your membership** for the 2022-2023 membership year.

You can pay your dues at:

<http://trianglepotters.org/become-a-member/>

Notes from the Board:

Remember all, if you have equipment or supplies that you want to sell, give away or buy, you can email me at:
trianglepottersguild@gmail.com

Make sure to include your contact info and I'll email it to the group. That way, any interested party can contact you directly.

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

If you have something to share, sell or announce for the newsletter or website, please send it to Kaki 8-10 days before the meeting each month. Shows you're in or want to tell members about, something to sell, volunteer or teaching opportunities, let us know!

TPG has an Instagram page now

Please follow the page, introduce yourself and feel free to post anything you're making, a sale coming up, a glaze you're trying, a question you have! This will be a fun and visual space to share our talents and build community! Join now! :). **Triangle Potters Guild**

A note from our Webmaster, Theresa Glisson

Any member that has not added your pottery to our website (as a member of the TPG you are entitled to a personal page), you may add up to 12 photos of your pottery, including one profile photo, an artist statement, and artist bio. I can change photos out for you as your work changes. Send your good quality photos to:

taglisson@gmail.com. Please put on the subject line "TPG website".