

# Encaustic Circle Newsletter



Updates from the  
Magic World of Encaustic Painting

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David Kilmartin, Executive Director of the Arts Council, seems bewildered at receiving the proceeds of our Calendar project...

From the editor:

The Calendar project turned out to be a great success! The feedback was tremendous and all 70 copies were sold. They went all over the globe, from the New Territories to South Africa...

On January 24 I handed executive director David Kilmartin an envelope with \$175.00. Total proceeds for the Arts Council were \$226.53!!

So thank you all for your support!

Please take a look at my course schedule further down. There are still a few places open for the Friday Workshops. These are a great way to progress in Encaustic Art and generally fun!

If you know anybody who would like to get started in Encaustic tell them about the workshops in Kaleden and Osoyoos.

Happy waxing!  
Thea

## Hotplate Workshops with John Buckland

Unfortunately, due to a medical condition of John, the planned Hotplate Workshops for September will have to be postponed until further notice.

John is devastated and sends his apologies to everyone, although of course he's not to blame!

I am very sad about it too, but I'm sure we will have the pleasure of John's teaching here at some time in the future. In the meantime follow the link at the right to learn more about John and his work.



Encaustic artist  
[John Buckland](#)

Please follow the link  
for more info on John

<p style="text-align: center;">New Waxes to arrive soon!</p> <p>I have ordered a whole bunch of colours from the Arts Encaustic waxes in the Netherlands (the blocks at \$2.50) and hope they will arrive soon. So at the next Circle meeting don't forget to ask for them!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Paper from Print Three</p> <p>Some of you have already tested the paper "House Gloss" from Print Three on Main Street. This paper is a very good buy and highly recommendable. Hopefully they can keep enough on stock for us!</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Course Schedule</u></p> <p>Monthly Workshops at Leir House Fridays from 10 AM - 3 PM (in downstairs room) Fee: \$ 45.00 + \$5.00 for use of equipment Dates: February 24 Sponge &amp; Paletta (fully booked) March 24 Streams &amp; Lakes April 21 Patterns &amp; Mandalas May 26 Trees June 23 Tissue Techniques Circle Meetings Leir House Mondays from 1 - 3.30 PM Fee: approx. \$5.00 per person Dates: March 6, April 10, May 15, June 12</p> <p>Kaleden Community Hall Beginners Class Tuesday, February 21st., 2006, from 6.30 - 9.30 p.m.</p> <p>Osoyoos Sonora Community Centre Beginners Class Saturday, March 4., 2006 from 1 - 4 p.m. Advanced Class Saturday, April 1., 2006 from 1 - 4 For more detailed info: <a href="http://www.encaustic.ca/">http://www.encaustic.ca/</a></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Encaustic is making its way east (and west....)</p> <p>I am getting closer of my goal of "spreading the word" about Encaustic by the invitation to teach in Fort McMurray, Alberta, in March! I will fly there and teach a weekend workshop to a bunch of very enthusiastic people.</p> <p>Another opportunity might be teaching recently "infected" ladies in Vancouver, who would like me to come to their city to instruct.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Encaustic On the web</i></p> <p>One of my favourite sites on Encaustic Art is the website of Michael Bossom, the Guru of Encaustic: <a href="http://www.encaustic.com">www.encaustic.com</a>. Unfortunately just after Christmas he decided to terminate the interactive part of his website, which resulted in a tremendous response from the regular members. Within 3 days a brand-new website was set up: <a href="http://www.encaustic-international.com">www.encaustic-international.com</a> with the same features as Michael's site.</p> <p>I have posted some pictures myself and also several of my students. It is quite a thrill to read the positive comments - they're a real friendly bunch there. So if you would like to get yourself "published", go to the site and sign up. If you are unsure, just send me your picture per email and I will post it for you.</p> <p>But most important of all: see what other people are doing with Encaustic!</p>
<p>Teabag Folding</p> <p>I will offer Teabag Folding classes at Leir House on March 7, 14 and 28, from 10 – 12 AM. Costs: \$25.00 per session (can be booked individually)</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Impressum: Editor: Thea Haubrich Phone: (250) 497 – 5163 Mail: <a href="mailto:info@encaustic.ca">info@encaustic.ca</a> Web: <a href="http://www.encaustic.ca">www.encaustic.ca</a></p>