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MISSION STATEMENT

The Society's mission is to foster appreciation of the art of P. Buckley Moss, to promote charitable endeavors consistent with her ideals, and to promote the use of the arts in special education.

Dear Friends,

What a glorious spring we're having! It's a lovely time to get out and do things with friends and family. My show schedule for the year is just about set, and I'm looking forward to seeing my friends all over the country in the coming months.



I'm especially excited about our Collectors' Convention that will be held in historic Williamsburg, Virginia, September 16-17. The event will be paired with Chapter Training activities for chapter members, as well as Society members at-large who would like to learn more about being in a chapter. More information appears elsewhere in this newsletter.

It's shaping up to be an exciting year!

Love,

Collectors' Convention-September 16-17, Williamsburg, VA

Pat and P. Buckley Moss Galleries, Ltd., are excited to announce that they will host a Collectors' Convention in historic Williamsburg, Virginia, September 16-17. The event will be paired with Chapter Training activities for chapter members, as well as Society members at-large who would like to learn more about being in a chapter.

CONVENTION LOCATION & HOTEL RATE

Williamsburg Woodlands Hotel & Suites
105 Visitor Center Drive
Williamsburg, VA 23185

Front Desk: (757) 220-7960

Reservations: (888) 965-7254

Booking Code: 41560 (P. Buckley Moss Galleries, Ltd.)

Rooms: \$138.00 per night

(Includes complimentary continental breakfast, complimentary self parking, complimentary access to area shuttle, and complimentary internet)

All events will take place at the Williamsburg Convention Center, which is located at the Visitor Center complex along with the hotel.

A block of rooms is being held for convention attendees at the special rate listed. Please inform the hotel when you make your reservation that you are with the P. Buckley Moss Collectors' Convention and mention the Booking Code 41560 to confirm you have the group rate.

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CONVENTION HOURS:

Friday, September 16

- 10:00 a.m. Guided Tour & Luncheon (price and details to follow)
- 5:00 p.m. Exhibit Opens/Ticket Sales
- 6:00 p.m. Wine & Hors d'oeuvres Reception/Meet the Artist
- 9:00 p.m. Exhibit Closes

Saturday, September 17

- 9:00 a.m. Exhibit Opens/Ticket Sales
- 10:00 a.m. Announcements (cross stitch competition, framing competition, Chapter Training, etc.)
- 11:00 a.m. Pat Welcomes Collectors
- 1:00 p.m. State of P. Buckley Moss Organization (Society, Foundation, Museum, galleries)
- 4:30 p.m. Announcement of Framing Competition and Counted Cross Stitch Competition Winners
- 5:00 p.m. Exhibit Closes
- 6:00 p.m. Cocktail Hour (cash bar) and Silent Auction
- 7:00 p.m. Dinner Dance and Live Auction

CHAPTER TRAINING SCHEDULE:

Friday, September 16

- 3:00-5:00 p.m. Chapter Training Session #1: Informal session giving each chapter an opportunity to present its fundraising efforts and other activities. Each chapter should also bring a gift basket (or similar item) containing items that represent either the chapter or its area. Baskets to be included in the silent auction Saturday night to benefit the P. Buckley Moss Foundation for Children's Education.

Saturday, September 17

- 9:00-10:00 a.m. Foundation President Sandy Moore will present a short summary of Foundation activities. Pat's Blue Goose Chapter President Shirley Collins will speak on the relationship between Society members, chapters, and the Foundation; chapter activities across the country; and Society activities (2017 trip).
- 10:00 a.m.-Noon Chapter Training Session #2: Open to all. Media Marketing expert Maria Bereket will speak on membership recruitment and fundraising.
- 2:00-4:00 p.m. Chapter Training Session #3: Continued Marketing/Educational Workshop.

CONVENTION INFORMATION

For further information concerning the convention, please call Patty Moss at (800) 430-1320 or visit www.pbuckleymoss.com.

CONVENTION TICKETS

Cost: 2-day admission (includes Friday night Wine and Hors d'oeuvres Reception): \$12.00 in advance, \$15.00 at the door. One-day admission (Saturday-only), \$8.00.

Each person attending the convention will require a ticket. This ticket will entitle the holder to attend all events except for the Saturday Dinner Dance and Friday tour.

To order tickets for the convention, please call your local authorized Moss Dealer or P. Buckley Moss Galleries, Ltd., at (800) 430-1320.

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT TICKETS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE; NON-TURNABLE; AND, IF A TICKET IS LOST, NON-REPLACEABLE!

CONVENTION PRINTS

This is the work-in-progress of the large convention print.



Governor's Palace, a limited edition commemorative porcelain ornament, will be released at the convention.

PERSONALIZATION OF ITEMS BY PAT

During the convention, Pat will sign all purchases made at the convention, except puzzles, in addition to any two previously purchased prints and two Society Members-Only Prints.

All prints ordered through dealers at the convention will be personalized by Pat after the convention weekend and will then be sent to galleries for distribution to their collectors.

DINNER DANCE AND AUCTION

Cost: \$45.00 per person

The Dinner Dance will take place at the Williamsburg Woodlands Hotel & Suites on Saturday, September 17, at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are limited and are likely to sell out, **so please order your tickets from P. Buckley Moss Galleries, Ltd., at (800) 430-1320 soon.** There will be live and silent auctions to raise funds for the P. Buckley Moss Foundation for Children's Education and for the P. Buckley Moss Endowed Scholarship.

VOLUNTEERS

To make the convention work efficiently, we request the help of Moss collectors. Volunteers are needed to assist with walk-in ticket sales, staff the information and convention print sales tables, help sell raffle tickets, and help us with other, unforeseen requirements.

Any volunteer who fulfills their commitment will receive a black & white print as a thank-you. You may register to volunteer either through your local Moss dealer or directly to Tricia Miles at P. Buckley Moss Galleries, Ltd., 74 Poplar Grove Lane, Mathews, VA 23109, or e-mail to triciamiles@pbuckleymoss.com. Please ensure that those volunteering are truly committed to giving of their time.

COUNTED CROSS STITCH DISPLAY

A display of completed P. Buckley Moss counted cross-stitch pieces will be featured at the convention. Collectors will be able to vote for their favorite, and a "Popular Choice" winner will be announced on Saturday afternoon. There will be a limit of one entry per person. All pieces to be displayed should be brought to the convention center **no earlier than between 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. on Friday, September 16.**

Society Notes & Reminders

Society E-mail Address Change. The Society's e-mail address has changed from society@mossociety.org to society@pbuckleymoss.com.

Renewal Notices. The Society sends out three renewal notices—two of which are about a month apart, followed by a third notice later in the year—to remind members to renew their annual memberships. If you are not receiving renewal notices, please let us know. Please note that, if you have signed up for the automatic renewal option, you will not receive renewal notices.

Mailing Labels and Commemorative Bricks. The office of the P. Buckley Moss Foundation for Children's Education is responsible for mailing labels and commemorative bricks. If you would like to place an order for either, please contact the Foundation office at (540) 932-1728 or foundation@mossfoundation.org.

Foundation Fundraising Dinner. Please save the date of Saturday, July 9, for the P. Buckley Moss Foundation for Children's Education's next fundraising dinner. It will be held in conjunction with Pat's July 8-10 Gallery Show and Barn Open House in Waynesboro, Virginia, and will take place on the new Memorial Walkway and Patio at The Barn. There will be a catered dinner and live and silent auctions. For more information, please contact the Foundation office at 540-932-1728.

Sentinel. We are going green and changing the way we deliver information to you. Starting this year, we will be sending out one hard-copy, mailed issue of the *Sentinel* at the beginning of the year. Quarterly issues will follow via e-mail, so send us your e-mail address if you have not already done so! Paper copies of the *Sentinel* will be available at The Barn in Waynesboro, Virginia, during Pat's quarterly Barn Open Houses.

Society Members Only Exclusive



At the request of a Society member, P. Buckley Moss Galleries has released a new pin/pendant depicting *Tree of Learning*. This beautiful porcelain piece can be worn as a pin or can be hung as a pendant.

***Tree of Learning* is available to Society members only, from now until the Collectors' Convention in September.** Society members may purchase them at the special price of \$20 each. The pins will be available for purchase to everyone at the Convention. After the Convention, the pin will retail for \$25.

P. Buckley Moss Foundation Promotion

When you purchase the *Love is Hope* print from P. Buckley Moss Galleries, 20% of the proceeds go to the Foundation. You can use the order form you received with your address labels or call and mention this promotion.

Love is Hope, \$50
IS: 6-5/16 x 4-1/2 ins.

P. Buckley Moss Galleries, Ltd.
(804) 725-7378
(800) 430-1320



Chapters Continue Charity Efforts, Activities

DAUGHTER OF THE STARS

Chapter (Strasburg, VA) members raised funds in 2015 through an annual auction among its membership and a 50/50 drawing at each meeting. The Chapter also raffled a *Faith in the Foothills* print that was donated by the Society's Charity Print Program and raised \$506. Evie Mongold was the lucky winner. The Chapter's activities were supported by King James Galleries of Winchester. Additional funds were raised via a hanging basket sale.

The Chapter made the following donations in 2015: \$50 to the Christmas Party for Special Kids, \$50 to the Empty Stocking Project (provides Christmas gifts to the children of Social Services families in Shenandoah County), \$50 to the Compassion Cupboard food pantry, \$50 to the Pregnancy Center, \$50 to the Free Clinic, and \$50 to Response (assistance to families with domestic problems). The Chapter also awarded two \$500 scholarships to special education graduates, one at Strasburg High School and one at Sherando High School.

MOSS AT THE LAKE Chapter (Moneta, VA) members awarded their \$500 Trish Walker Memorial Scholarship to a 2015 Franklin County High School graduate.

MOSS COUNTRY FRIENDS

Chapter (Kalona, IA) members raised funds in 2015 by holding a silent auction during the Chapter's birthday potluck (\$233); the raffle of a framed, remarked *A Time to Harvest*

print that was obtained from the Society's Charity Print Program (framing donated by The Village Shoppe), with a second prize of *A Family Christmas* Moss plate (\$1,413.33); and a fundraising dinner and auction held in conjunction with Pat's show with The Village Shoppe. The dinner raised \$1,031.82. The auction of a quilted wall hanging featuring one of Pat's hand-painted centerpieces raised \$600, with the proceeds divided equally between the Chapter and the Moss Foundation for Children's Education. It was the sixth such quilt made by Chapter member Pearl Yoder. The total profit from the auction portion of the fundraising event was \$3,127.35. The total raised in 2015 from these activities was \$5,805.50.

The Chapter purchased an adaptive stroller with a sun cover for an eleven-year-old girl with mobility issues and an adaptive swing for a toddler suffering from seizures. The Chapter also donated several plates for various fundraisers to benefit children, including one to the Central Iowa Chapter for their fundraiser.

MOSS PELICANS Chapter (St. Petersburg, FL) members participated in a number of service projects and made a number of donations in 2015. Chapter members provided articles of gently used and new clothing, with an approximate value of \$200, for the Clothes for Kids Project in St. Petersburg. Non-perishable food items, valued at \$200, were donated throughout the year to the Food Pantry, a

division of the St. Petersburg Free Clinic. New and slightly used clothing items and accessories, valued at \$500, were donated to the Women's Residence, a division of the St. Petersburg Free Clinic. Chapter members also made two large baskets filled with candy, travel-sized toiletries, and other personal items for the Women's Residence for Valentine's Day and two for Easter. Chapter members helped put together non-perishable meal packages for the Meals of Hope Program and donated \$100 toward the cost of supplies for the meal packing. Chapter members and their guests participated in a tree-making project, making fall and Christmas holiday trees. The trees were sold at the St. John's Episcopal Church Craft Fair, and \$100 from the sale of the trees was given to the P. Buckley Moss Foundation for Children's Education.

PAT'S HAPPY HOOSIERS

Chapter (Columbia City, IN) members conducted a raffle in 2015 and used the proceeds to provide two \$275 scholarships to local high school graduates who are continuing their education and majoring in art, one from Whitko High School and one from Columbia City High School. The chapter obtained a remarked *Back Home in Indiana* Moss print from the Society's Charity Print Program and raised a total of \$515. The lucky winner was Kathi Roman of Columbia City. The framing was donated by Columbia House Interiors.

Total raised for charity in these chapter reports is over \$9,220.50. Outstanding!

Upcoming Shows with Pat

Pat will appear at the following galleries during the next few months to meet her collectors and sign purchases of her work. These galleries will have an expanded inventory of prints and originals, and they work hard to make each event enjoyable. This schedule is subject to change at any time. Please call the galleries for show details.

June 4 Mathews, VA
Mathews Country Galleria
(804) 815-9481

June 10-11 Mt. Pleasant, IA
Main Street Frame & Art
(319) 385-7505

July 8-10 Waynesboro, VA
P. Buckley Moss Gallery
Show & Barn Open House
(540) 949-6473

August 27-28 Blacksburg, VA
P. Buckley Moss Gallery
(540) 552-6446

Sept. 16-17 Williamsburg, VA
P. Buckley Moss Collectors'
Convention
(800) 430-1320

Sept. 23-24 Berlin, OH
Berlin Creek Gallery
(330) 893-2686

Sept. 30-Oct. 1 Collinsville, IL
The Art Loft
(618) 344-1212

Oct. 7-9 Waynesboro, VA
P. Buckley Moss Gallery
Show & Barn Open House
(540) 949-6473

Oct. 21-22 Kalona, IA
The Village Shoppe
(319) 656-3853

Oct. 28-29 Waynesville, OH
Canada Goose Gallery
(513) 897-4348

Nov. 4-5 Leesburg, VA
Medlin Art, Ltd.
(703) 771-8696

Nov. 6 Buchanan, VA
Apple Barn Gallery
(540) 254-6677

Nov. 12 Princeton, WV
Frameworks Plus
(304) 425-0200

Nov. 18-19 Kingsport, TN
Up Against the Wall
(423) 246-7210

Dec. 2-4 Waynesboro, VA
P. Buckley Moss Gallery
Show & Barn Open House
(540) 949-6473

Dec. 9-10 Columbus, OH
Gallery Art Center
(614) 442-1109

Dec. 17-18 Blacksburg, VA
P. Buckley Moss Gallery
(540) 552-6446

Upcoming Shows withOUT Pat

June 11-12 Troutville, VA
Apple Barn Gallery
(540) 992-3551

Nov. 4-5 Buchanan, VA
Apple Barn Gallery
(540) 254-6677

Collector's Corner

FOR SALE: Set of 25 porcelain renewal brooches (1992-2016) in boxes for \$575, including shipping. *Cherished Eve* MOP, \$125; *Timeless Treasures* MOP, \$125; *Love and Joy* MOP, \$100; and *Our Star* signed print, \$125. All prints matted and framed; shipping extra. Contact Sandy at (540) 820-5127 or Sanbahr@yahoo.com.

FOR SALE: Set of 21 porcelain renewal brooches (1996-2016) in original boxes for \$500. Contact: (910) 383-3500.

FOR SALE: Set of 22 porcelain renewal brooches (1994-2015) for \$600. Unframed MOP's: *Society Friends* (2001), \$125, and *For the Love of Children* (1997), \$150. Shipping extra. Contact: (414) 354-8736.

FOR SALE: Set of 10 porcelain renewal brooches (2006-2015) in original boxes, \$300 OBO, shipping included. Contact: (520) 560-2267 or maryhnyek@gmail.com.

New and Upcoming Releases



Promise of Spring \$45



Coming Soon!



The Cliffs at the Lake
IS: 8-3/4 x 13 ins. \$95
IS: 12 x 17-7/8 ins. \$180



Faith in the Valley
IS: 10-3/4 x 10-1/4 ins. \$90
IS: 16-1/2 x 15-5/8 ins. \$215



Spring at the Smithfield Plantation
IS: 6-1/2 x 22-3/8 ins. \$125
IS: 10-7/16 x 36 ins. \$325



Wet Paint! Coming Soon!



P. BUCKLEY MOSS SOCIETY NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Please use this form for new memberships only.

The Moss Society performs charity work on behalf of the artist, focusing on children's charities. The box on the right should list the information on the Society member who will receive credit for recruiting you.

Please add \$5 for foreign members.

- Check One:**
- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Classic \$38 | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Classic \$33 (65 & older) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Choice \$85 | <input type="checkbox"/> Junior/Senior Choice \$80 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Premier \$100 | <input type="checkbox"/> Junior/Senior Premier \$95 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Premier Gold \$500 | <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Classic \$28 (17 & under) |

RECRUITER INFORMATION

Recruiter Name: _____

Recruiter Membership #: _____

Name of Member: _____ Date: _____ Phone #: _____

Address: _____ Email: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Sex (circle one): M F

PAYMENT TYPE: Check/Credit Card (Please circle one.)

Credit Card #: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Signature: _____

Check # (if applicable): _____ Total \$: _____

Junior Birth Date: ____/____/____
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Please send payment and form to:
P. Buckley Moss Society
74 Poplar Grove Lane
Mathews, VA 23109

This form is for new members only; if you wish to renew, please use the form on the back. One dollar of your membership dues will be donated to the Moss Foundation. This donation will not increase your dues and may be tax deductible.

Tele: (804)725-7378 ~ Fax: (804)725-3040
Email: society@pbuckleymoss.com
Website: www.mossociety.org



74 Poplar Grove Lane
Mathews, VA 23109

CHANGE SERVICE REQUESTED

YOUR MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION & RENEWAL FORM

YOUR MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION:

ITEM DESCRIPTION	<i>Put a check in the box for each item you would like to order.</i>	AMOUNT
Membership Renewal Add \$5 a year for foreign members. <input type="checkbox"/> Classic \$38 <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Classic \$33 <input type="checkbox"/> Choice \$85 <input type="checkbox"/> Junior/Senior Choice \$80 <i>Porcelain brooch</i> <i>Porcelain brooch</i> <i>Silver bead</i> <i>Silver bead</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Premier \$100 <input type="checkbox"/> Junior/Senior Premier \$95 <input type="checkbox"/> Premier Gold \$500 <i>Silver bead and porcelain brooch</i> <i>14k Gold bead and porcelain brooch</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Classic \$28 <i>Porcelain brooch</i> One dollar of your membership dues will be donated to the Moss Foundation. This donation will not increase your dues and may be tax deductible.		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bracelet with glass beads and stoppers \$140	6½ ins. <input type="checkbox"/> 7 ins. <input type="checkbox"/> 7½ ins. <input type="checkbox"/> 8 ins. <input type="checkbox"/> 8½ ins. <input type="checkbox"/>	
Please check desired size. Measure your wrist and add ½ inch.		
<input type="checkbox"/> 5 Year Anniversary Pin \$20	(Check for eligibility in the membership information box above.)	
<input type="checkbox"/> 10 Year Anniversary Pin \$20	(Check for eligibility in the membership information box above.)	
<input type="checkbox"/> 15 Year Anniversary Pin \$20	(Check for eligibility in the membership information box above.)	
<input type="checkbox"/> 20 Year Anniversary Pin \$20	(Check for eligibility in the membership information box above.)	
<input type="checkbox"/> 25 Year Anniversary Pin \$20	(Check for eligibility in the membership information box above.)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pewter Geese Pin \$20 (includes shipping)		
Virginia residents add 5.3% sales tax to all products except membership renewal:		
TOTAL:		

Automatic Renewal Option Form

____ Yes! I authorize you to enroll me in the Automatic Renewal Program for future P. Buckley Moss Society membership renewals. Each year an automatic payment will be charged to my credit card according to the information I've provided below. This process will begin with my 2016 renewal and continue until I notify the P. Buckley Moss Society otherwise.

Signature: _____ Date: _____
 CC#: _____ Exp.Date: _____

PLEASE READ: If you are renewing, use the form below for your credit card information or enclose a check. Refer to the membership information box for your renewal date. If you want to sign up for the automatic renewal program, complete the form to the left. PAYMENT TYPE: Check Credit Card

CC #: _____
 Exp. Date: _____ Phone (____) _____
 Signature: _____