



Cape Cod Potters, Inc.

Cape Cod Clay Voice

Soup Bowls for Hunger

Soup Bowls 2004 was the best year yet. We raised and donated to the Family Pantry a total of \$11,240.

The Cape Cod Regional Technical High School did a great job with the soup, service, and the use of the facilities. Cape Cod Five Cents Savings Bank Charitable Foundations Trust underwrote any expenses. Dennis Public Market and Peterson's Market donated the BEEF for the soup. Flowers were donated by Kevin's Petal Cart Flowers and Flora D'Elegance, Cape Cod Paper donated the bags/placemats and Winkir Printing provided printing services. We are especially grateful for help with setting up, resetting, and take-down to Senior Girl Scout Troop 847 and the Nauset Regional High School Interact Club.

Many thanks go to the potters, both professionals and students who make the bowls for this event and who also help make the evening a reality.

If you need a form for tax purposes listing the number of bowls that you donated, please send your request to Cape Cod Potters, attention Soup Bowls for Hunger, at Box 76, Chatham, MA 02633-0076.



Special points of interest:

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Reminders

The Executive board wishes to remind our members;

Membership applications are mailed out in December/January each year. If you do not receive your application by the second week of January contact any board member or check our website.

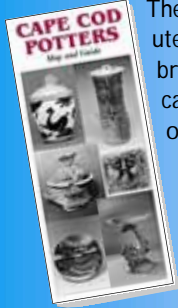
October is quickly approaching, please set aside your seconds for our annual seconds sale. You may bring your seconds (priced if possible) to Eden's Sunday through Tuesday and put them in the basement .

Annual Seconds Sale

This event will take place on Sunday October 17th, 2004 from 10am-12noon at Eden Gallery, Route 6A, Dennis (across from Scargo Lake). This is our big fundraiser which gives us our seed money for Schools to Careers, various scholarships, institution donations, after school pottery programs, etc.



Potters Brochure 2004



The 2004 brochures have been printed and are being distributed now. Best Read Guide is in charge of distributing the brochure, if you did not get any, or you need more, please call Best Read Guide at 508-385-0003, and give the name of your pottery and your location.



Phil Rogers Workshop

Save this Date!

January 11th and 12th, 2005.

A two day workshop with Phil Rogers.

We will host this workshop at Plimouth Plantation. Phil Rogers, of Marston Pottery in Wales, shows at the Pucker Gallery on Newbury Street in Boston. He is the author of 3 books: Salt Glazing, Ash Glazes, and Throwing Pots.

More information and workshop order forms will be available on our website and newsletter in November.

Items for Sale or Less

Spray Booth. It is 20"x20", 31" deep metal box, closed at the back end where the fan and filter are located. There are extra filters and furnace filters are used as replacements. It runs on ordinary electricity. **FREE.** Call Shawn at: 508-385-8140.

Potters Wheel, Shimpo RK2 in excellent condition, \$450. Call Elaine Scholar at: 508-771-3449.

Slab Roller. Pull across type, approximately 7' long, 1½ feet wide. **FREE.** Does not come apart. You will need to transport and provide the person-power. The only catch is that when your done with it you must pass it on free to the next potter. Call Mark, 508-432-9434.

Kiln Bricks. I own a piece of property that has an old arched coke kiln on it. The kiln is 50 feet deep, 8 feet high and ONE MILE long. I estimate that there are over ONE MILLION kiln bricks in this structure. The bricks are not mortared in but are laid one on top of the other. The bricks are of the hard type and each is 9 inches in length, 3 inches wide, 4.5 inches in height and

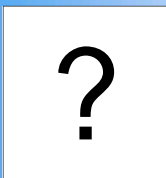
each weighs approximately 8 pounds. Some of the bricks are marked Yough 2 and others are marked Prco. Due to the number of bricks involved I am certain that there must have been other manufacturers involved but to date I have not found any other names.

The bricks are located in south western Kentucky near road, rail and river facilities so transportation is of no problem. Asking 50 cents each for the bricks and the customer can pick and choose.

Call me anytime at 731-686-7844. Roy Elmer, 1050 Oaklawn Street, Milan, Tennessee. Email: Elmertique@aol.com



Looking for a New Logo



We have heard over the past few years that members would like to see a new updated Cape Cod Potters logo. If you have an idea for a logo please send it in. If you have the time and would like to design a logo please feel free. The more ideas we get the better

choice we will have.

Please send your ideas* electronically to ccp@capecodpotters.org or by mail to: Cape Cod Potters, C/O Mark, Box 1042, East Harwich, MA 02645-1042*.

The logo must portray pottery in general (no specific potters

work), it can be a drawing, photo, etc. It can contain wording (Cape Cod Potters, Inc.), color preferred but not required. The logo should be in a format that is approximately 1½" wide by about 2" long. It can be larger but must be able to be sized to the above dimensions without losing detail.

*All works submitted become the property of Cape Cod Potters, Inc. for use in our publications, etc. No compensation will be paid.



Dan Finnegan Workshop Hand-Made History: Pots Rooted in Tradition

Location: Barnstable Pottery Art Gallery

Dates: October 31st and November 1st (Sunday & Monday)

Time: 10:00am to 4:00pm (please arrive early, coffee and pastry will be served.)

Slide Show: October 30th 7:00pm, coffee & doughnuts will be served. The slideshow is free to all.

The roots of Dan Finnegan's functional pots are deep in the traditions of the English pottery of Bernard Leach, Michael Cardew, Ray Finch and their predecessors of the 18th and 19th centuries.

That should not come as a big surprise, because the Fredericksburg, VA, potter spent two of his most formative years as a potter in the late 1970s at Winchcombe Pottery in Gloucestershire, England. There he worked with longtime makers of everyday functional pottery under Ray Finch, who trained under Cardew, who was himself Leach's first apprentice. Thus, when he calls his Cape Cod workshop this coming October "Handmade History: Pots Rooted in Tradition," it's easy to understand what he means.

Since 1980, shortly after leaving England, Dan has made pots in Fredericksburg, south of Washington, D.C. His current workshop and gallery have been in the same downtown shop since 1991. He also founded Liberty Town Arts Center, a classroom and artists' studio space in a former plumbing supply warehouse, in Fredericksburg in 2001.

Dan works in stoneware and porcelain, making a full range of functional pots from mugs to platters to teapots to casseroles to vases. In his Cape Cod workshop, he will demonstrate his range of work plus slip-trailed decoration and he will discuss glazing, wood-firing and salt-glazing. He fires in a small gas reduction kiln at his Fredericksburg studio and in wood-fired kilns that belong to friends. The story of his wood-firing partnership with potter Bill Van Gilder in a Bourry box kiln they built in Gapland, MD, was told in the March 1996 *Ceramics Monthly* in a story with Falmouth potter Hollis Engley. Dan will soon complete his own two-chamber (one for wood alone, one for wood and salt) kiln

on land outside Fredericksburg. Dan's work has been shown in galleries in Virginia, North Carolina, Ohio, New York state, Kentucky, Great Britain and elsewhere. He has been a faculty member at the Penland School in North Carolina and the Torpedo Factory Art Center in Alexandria, Va., and he was artist-in-residence at the British Museum in 1997 as part of the exhibition "Pottery in the Making: World Ceramic Traditions." A selection of his work appears on the website:

www.studiopottery.com/potters/finnegandan.html

Dan's workshops are fun, light-hearted, story-filled affairs. His 2002 Penland workshop was titled "Good Pots for Good Food," an accurate description of how he expects his pots to be used.



A tea break (proper English tea, with biscuits) is a regular feature of his workshops and contributions of home-made pie or other pastries are never turned down.

Dan's workshop will be held at Kevin Nolan's new *Barnstable Pottery Art Gallery* on Route 6A in Barnstable Village. For more information and to sign up for the workshop, see our website or the workshop order form enclosed. We will have a Pot-Luck Lunch so please bring something to share.

Workshop order forms are available online on our website at: <http://www.capecodpotters.org>

An order form is also included with this mailing.

A Cape Cod Potters, Inc. workshop event.

Item of Interest

Raku-Smoke-Vapor Workshop. The Creative Arts Center in Chatham will be holding this workshop on September 25th and 26th, 2004. Three of our members will be instructing; Diane Heart, Denny Howard and Ron Dean. This should be a great workshop. If you are interested please write to: Cape Cod Artisans' Workshop, Box 397, Sagamore, MA 02561 or call 508-896-6189 or 508-428-6085.

Executive Meeting

There will be an executive meeting on September 13, 2004, 7:30PM at Sharon Shaffer's home. All are welcome to attend.



Thank You's

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To The Cape Cod Potters -
 There are no words to completely express our gratitude for the extraordinary contribution you have made to us. The 12th annual "Soup Bowls for Hunger" was an eleven thousand dollar plus event - and your work will allow us to continue to fulfill our mission. Many nights of preparation made total a success.

Sincerely,
 Virginia Stanley
 for the pantry

133 Queen Anne Road, North Harwich, MA 02645

The Family Pantry would like to THANK The Cape Cod Potters

For their generous contribution to our ongoing mission of feeding our hungry neighbors on Cape Cod.

The 12th Annual "Soup Bowls for Hunger" Supper held on April 14th raised over \$11,000 for The Family Pantry.

In addition, we would like to THANK the Cape Cod Regional Technical High School, the Cape Cod 5 Charitable Foundation and our Cape communities for their support.

The Cape Cod Potters brochure, with a map and guide, is available at businesses throughout Cape Cod. To learn more about The Cape Cod Potters, please visit their website at www.capecodpotters.com

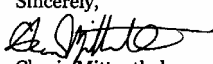
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Dear Emma-Marie and Cape Cod Potters,

On behalf of the Board and staff of Truro Center for the Arts at Castle Hill, I would like to thank you for your generous contribution of \$200 towards our ceramics program scholarship fund. Your support plays a crucial role in our efforts to assist students who otherwise would not be able to take advantage of Castle Hill's programming.

We are excited by 2004's line-up of class offerings and special events and by the many prestigious artists who will be joining us as faculty or visiting guests. We are particularly delighted to be able to offer art instruction throughout the year.

Thank you for helping to make that happen.

Thanks again!
 Sincerely,

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