

# Fabric Art ROCKS! Newsletter



## SUMMER EDITION NEW ADVENTURES AND PROJECTS

**Wow, feels like summer is finally here.** I have been on the go since returning from Ireland in May. What an awesome adventure, great green fields and wonderful people. As mentioned in my last newsletter I planned on meeting the Irish Paverpol distributor and this trip was a great start to the holiday. There is nothing like art to bring people together and we shared lots of different ideas. Check out her website at [urneycreations.co.uk](http://urneycreations.co.uk) her ideas and talent are an inspiration.

**On June 1-3<sup>rd</sup> 2012** shortly after my return (like a week later) I headed out for my first Chaos experience at Creative Chaos in Vernon. It is a big as promised and was a great experience.

**The Shuswap/ Thompson Okanagan** workshops have been in full swing with the first one on June 23, 2012 in Vernon. It was a great success and as usual the art created was amazing!. There are 3 more scheduled over the summer (info to follow)

**July 14 and 15<sup>th</sup>** I attended the Harrison Arts Festival which saw a great hot Saturday but unfortunately we were washed out by thunder and lightning, torrential rain on the Sunday so most of ended up leaving.

**Starting in June 29<sup>th</sup> I attended my first** Shuswap Farmers Market and will be there again on July 20, Aug 3, 10, and 29<sup>th</sup>. Hope to catch some of you there, keep a look out for me.

**August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2012 I will be at Arts Alive** in Downtown Langley. Arts Alive celebrates the arts in Langley and showcases over 150 visual and performing artists. It's free, family fun for the whole day!  
<http://www.artsalivefestival.com>

**In September I will be in Ottawa** area attending a Masters Instructors Course with Jan and Jose de Roode (owners of Paverpol). And will be coming back with some new ideas to share!

Please note the following upcoming workshops. Checkout my

website for complete details.

If interested in the August 4<sup>th</sup> or 25 workshops please email me.

### STANDING GARDEN DANCER (UNFORTUNATLEY THIS WORKSHOP IS FULL)

**Date:** July 28, 2012  
**Time:** 930 - 5pm  
**Price:** \$100 (\$50 deposit)  
**Where:** Hassen Multisport Complex  
3305 Pleasant Valley Road  
Armstrong, British Columbia



#### IN THIS WORKSHOP YOU WILL LEARN

This figure will be standing having worked the armature onto a metal pin/ stand. The stands will be attached to wood bases to add a nice finish to your piece.

### African Elegance Standing Figure (3 spots avail)



**Date:** August 4th, 2012  
**Time:** 930 - 4pm  
**Price:** \$120 (\$60 deposit)  
**Where:** Caravans West Activity Centre  
3980 Squilax Anglemont Road  
Scotch Creek, BC



**IN THIS WORKSHOP** you will be building an armature around a cement base with rebar which will be provided for you. Wrapping the armature with cotton t-shirt and black Paverpol. **The Dresses** are done with colored fabric and transparent Paverpol **Faces** can be either smooth or sculpted (provided).

## Beginners Workshop Sitting Figure: Male or Female



**Date:** August 25, 2012  
**Time:** 9:30 am - 5 pm  
**Price:** \$100 (\$50 deposit on sign up)  
**Where:** Caravans West Activity Centre  
3980 Squilax Anglemont Road  
Scotch Creek, BC



**LEARN** the basics of working with Paverpoll! Experience how easy it is to create unique sculptures and objects with a simple t-shirt or other natural materials. *Once you have learned the basics of working with this versatile medium your imagination is the only limit.*

**I will be back in the lower Mainland with my next workshop on:**

## Beginners Workshop Sitting Figure: Male or Female

**Date:** September 29, 2012  
**Time:** 10 am - 4:30 - 5 pm  
**Price:** \$100 (\$50 deposit on sign up)  
**Where:** 46135 Riverside Dr  
Chilliwack BC