TRINITY COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL

Personnel and Board Members

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

JILL RICHARDS

Executive Director, Trinity County Arts Council since 2008, paid by CAC funds.

- Experience: 20 years in sales and business management and professional photography. Painter, gourd artist, ceramicist. Provide photography for artists.
- Board Member of the Weaverville Chamber of Commerce, Chairman of the Trinity County Tourism Committee. Member of the Main Street Gallery and the Highlands Art Center.
- Live in Weaverville, Trinity County

BOOKKEEPER

VIRGINIA UPDEGRAVE

Bookkeeper, Trinity County Arts Council, paid by CAC funds

- Retired: 15 years as Director of Highland Art Center, gardener, painter
- Experience with QuickBooks, tax preparation, bookkeeper for Garden Club and Friends of the Library.
- Live in Weaverville, Trinity County

OFFICERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

SUSAN ALEXANDER

President, Trinity County Arts Council

- Retired certified Art Teacher for elementary school grades. Teaches drawing and painting classes to adults and students. Co-developer of the Art Docent Program
- Painter, Ceramics, Paper Mache, music recorder
- Liaison to Redding arts org. North Valley Art League
- Member Manzanita Consort musical group, Instructor for Wine-y Painter monthly art class,
 Member
- Main Street Gallery, Member Highlands Art Center
- Live in Lewiston, Trinity County

DAVID VAUGHN

<u>Vice President and Treasurer</u> - Trinity County Arts Council

- Member of Trinity County Arts Council since 1995, providing historical knowledge.
- Elementary school age educator, Painter, photography,
- Experience in budget creation for several organizations
- Live in Lewiston, Trinity County

STEPHANIE THOMAS

Secretary - Trinity County Arts Council

- Certificated k-12 Art Educator
- TCAC member, NEA member,
- Active vendor and liaison with Trinity Farmers Markets, Hayfork and Weaverville (artists, craftors)
- Lives in Weaverville, Trinity County

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

JULIE FEELY

Board Member, past Secretary

- Young Children's education, Librarian
- Speaks French and has lived abroad, provides cultural vision
- Trinity County Friends of the Library Treasurer, Timber Ridge Property owners
- Association Treasurer, Member of the Main Street Gallery, Member of the Highlands
- Art Center, Board Member of the Weaverville Chamber of Commerce
- Experienced fiber arts
- Lives in Weaverville, Trinity County

PAM YEAROUT

Board Member

- Retired Dept. of Social Services, Disability Advocate, painter, jeweler
- Head of our "Art in Public Places Program"
- Founding member of Professional Artists Coalition representing artists in the north state,
 Member of North Valley Arts League, Redding
- Lives in Lewiston, Trinity County

JEAN LAM

Board Member

- Business Owner for 39 years, Gold Rush Jewelers in Weaverville and Deadwood Trading Post in Lewiston
- Knowledge of Native American culture (Miwok affiliation) and business knowledge, President Weaverville Chamber of Commerce, Trinity Visitor Center and tourism board, Member of Business & Professional Women
- Ceramic artist and jeweler
- Lives in Weaverville, Trinity County

JANE BELDEN

Board Member

- Retired Art Gallery owner, columnist for Trinity Journal, President of Trinity Alps Performing Arts Center, President of Highland Art Center Board of Directors
- Represents the vision of performing arts in Trinity, and knowledge of operations of art exhibitions
- Teaches watercolor painting in Trinity
- Lives in Weaverville, Trinity County

SUSAN WEBER

Board Member

- Retired teacher, Active School Substitute, fluent in Spanish
- Member of the California Retired Teachers Association, Member of the Main Street Gallery, the Highlands Art Center, and the Trinity County Friends of the Library
- Photographer, Yoga
- Lives in Weaverville, Trinity County

SUSAN J. BATEMAN

Board Member

- Retired teacher
- Photographer for Arts Council Events, manages our Facebook posts
- Professional affiliations: Highland Art Center Member, Trinity County Sheriff's Auxiliary,
- Professional Photographers of America
- Photography, ceramics
- Lives in Weaverville, Trinity County

SUSAN HAZARD

Board member

- Retired Administrator, Office of Education and School teacher
- TCAC Liaison to schools- administration and arts departments
- Musician, singer, gardener and lover of all art forms
- Lives in Weaverville, Trinity County

REBECCA ROUSE

Board Member

- Weaverville Branch Manager, Coast Central Credit Union
- Provides Business and accounting experience, financial advisor, has a team of volunteers
- Multiple business affiliations in Humboldt County
- Lives in Weaverville, Trinity County

ADVISORY BOARD

SANDRA STERRENBERG

Advisory Board - Arts in School Consultant/Advisor

- Elementary and Secondary Teaching Credentials in Visual Arts
- Thirty-five years teaching experience, Head of Indian Arts Program, Developed TCAC Art Docent Program
- Retired Visual Arts teacher
- Retired County Schools Arts-in-Schools Coordinator
- Member of Studio 299 in Willow Creek and Trinity County Arts Council
- Lives in Burnt Ranch, Trinity County

BRIDGET CARSON

Advisory Board -Advertising Specialist

Graphic Designer and advertising specialist at Trinity Journal, creates graphic media for us.

- Board Member Main Street Gallery, Board Member Trinity Alps performing Arts Center, Member
- Trinity County Chamber of Commerce, Member Weaverville Historical Society, Member
- Weaverville Chamber of Commerce,
- Lives in Weaverville, Trinity County

DERO FORSLUND

Advisory Board - IT Consultant

Provides AV, videography, and photography for us.

- Retired County Administrative Officer, Director of Trinity County Information Technology 2005-2012,
- Photographer
- Past president California Recorders Association, Committee chair Information Technology, County
- Clerks Association of California, Director of the Jake Jackson Museum, Board Member Trinity Alps
- Performing Arts Center, Board member of the Trinity County Chamber of Commerce, Board
- Member of the Weaverville Rotary Club.
- Lives in Weaverville, Trinity County