

# **Cariboo Potters' Guild Newsletter January 2020**

Hope everyone fared well during the cold snap. The hospital didn't. Not sure how long it took the burst pipe to create a wading pool on the main floor, but it created a lot of problems for a lot of people. Apparently China has built a new hospital in one week... maybe we could enlist their help... sorry. Back to clay.

The cubbies are being claimed. Hope there are enough for everyone who wants one. It is great to have a place to leave clay & tools.

Reminder to everyone who uses the studio: bring a lid for your slop bucket so you can take it home. You could also leave it in your cubbie. Our recycle buckets are filling up too fast. They need to be available for classes.

## **Casual Saturdays & Mini Workshops (10:00am)**

This week, February 1st is a double feature. Joan will demo humping...(throwing off the hump) And I will demo plates made on the wheel.

February 8th: Slab roller Mini-workshop with JILL. FULL.

February 15th: How to make & test a glaze with Christy. Mini-workshop. Email me to register. Info at guild meeting.

February 22nd: Extruder mini-workshop with Jude. Email her to register.

There won't be any organized Saturday events during March or April.

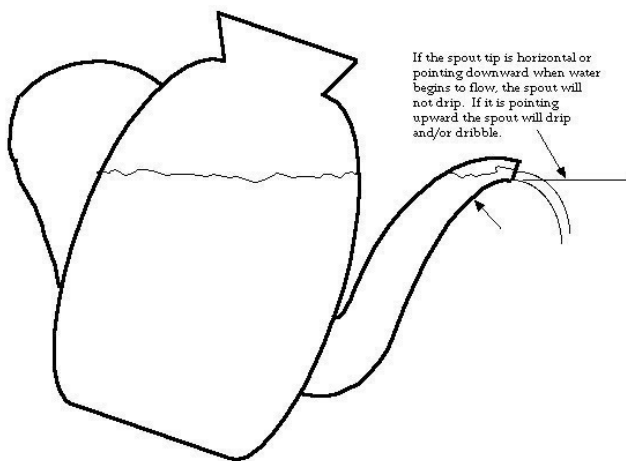
## **Classes**

Just over a month until they begin. Melissa will have an update.

## **Tips**

A good short novel: A Single Shard by Linda Sue Park  
The story of a Korean potter.

Figure 1. Dripping/Dribbling spouts.



This photo is for hand builders. Vase by Sandy Blain. Love her work!

**Next Meeting**

Monday February 3rd. 7:00pm, at the Art Centre

Program: Christy - wheel demo: 'Stretch marks' (traded with Jude who will do the demo in March)

Goodies: Sandra

Cleaners: Colleen & Christy

A sad note:

Aly Allaire ( one of our newer members) has lost her husband suddenly....three young boys.

There is a lot of family and community support at this time. The guild will send a card and at the meeting we can discuss further/future support.