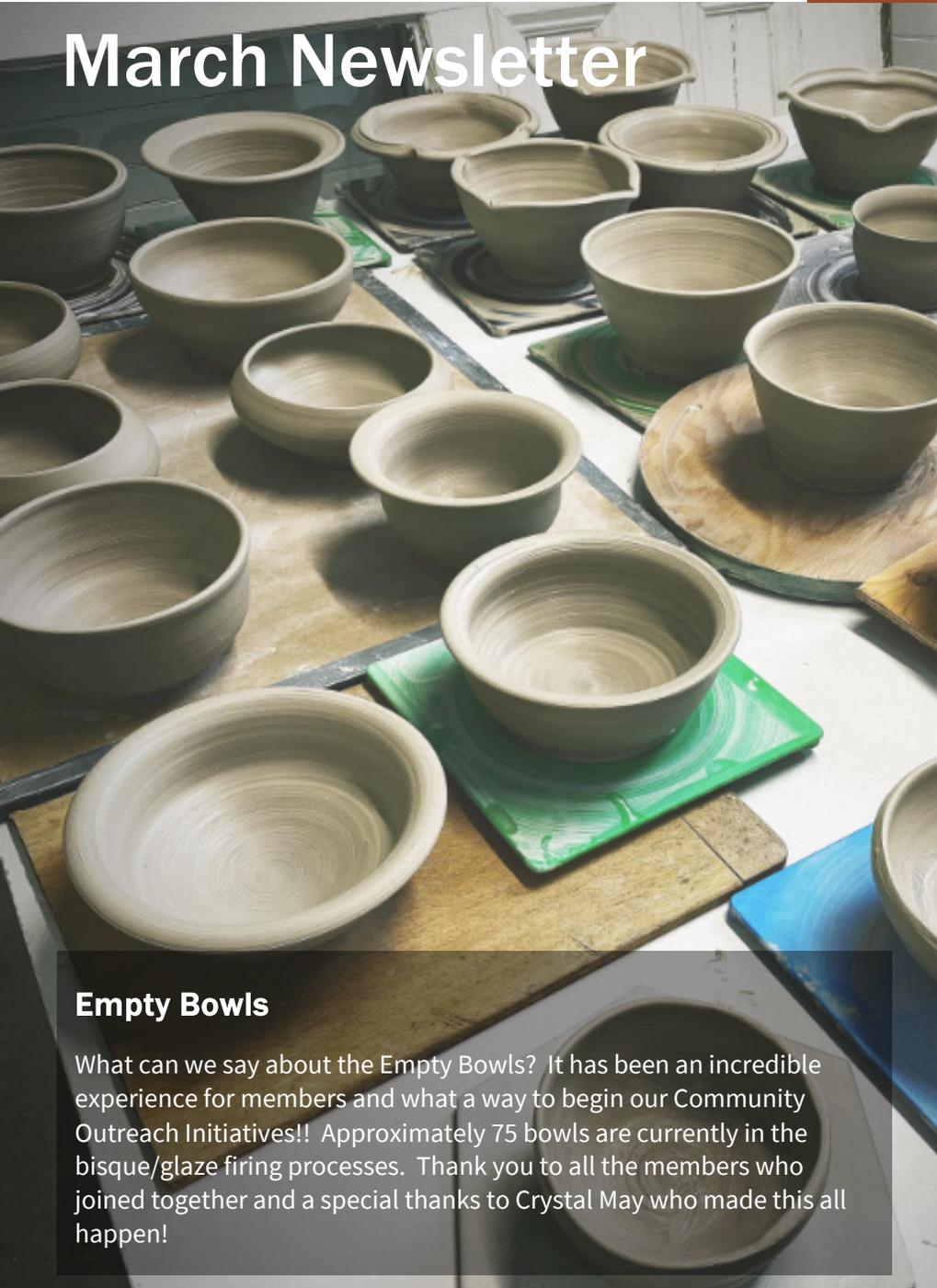


# CLAY STUDIO COLLECTIVE



## March Newsletter



### Empty Bowls

What can we say about the Empty Bowls? It has been an incredible experience for members and what a way to begin our Community Outreach Initiatives!! Approximately 75 bowls are currently in the bisque/glaze firing processes. Thank you to all the members who joined together and a special thanks to Crystal May who made this all happen!

### Bunny Workshop

On Sunday, February 25th, the CSC hosted a Bunny Workshop for former students of Krista Cameron Pottery. The purpose of this event was to encourage potters to join the Collective. It was a very successful day with 37 participants, 5 instructors and 5 event staff. We secured donations and new members. Thanks Krista!



### New Members Needed!

The CSC needs to increase our membership. Please share your experience in the studio and invite your friends to consider joining. Persons with no or little pottery experience will need to take an Introductory Class or Refresher Workshop with Krista Cameron Pottery (KCP). Once KCP receives 5 people interested in either of these classes, they will be scheduled immediately. Interested persons should email [kcameronpottery@gmail.com](mailto:kcameronpottery@gmail.com)

### Upcoming Events

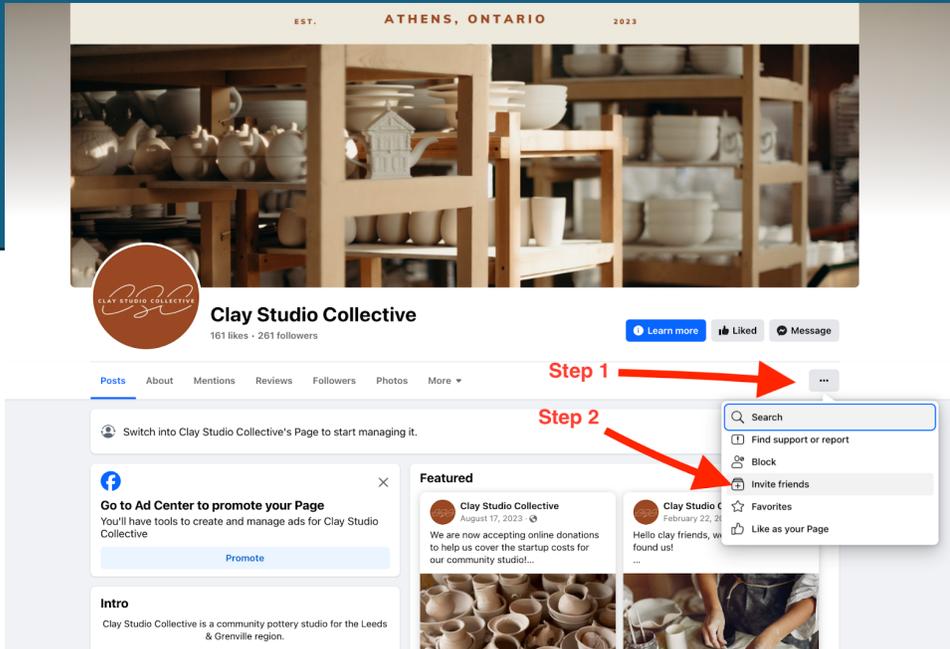
Fundraising and member events are being planned and we hope to announce a social gathering for members very soon.

Stay tuned!



## Operation Kiln Connection

We have started receiving member donations to help cover electrical expenses to hook up the new kiln. Income tax receipts for donations of \$100 or more are available. Send an e-transfer to [athensunitedchurchsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:athensunitedchurchsecretary@gmail.com) and reference electrical upgrades. Donations not requiring an income tax receipt, can be sent directly to [claystudiocollective@gmail.com](mailto:claystudiocollective@gmail.com) or given to any CSC Board Member.



## Facebook Followers

One way to potentially obtain memberships is to increase our Facebook Followers. This will engage more people and therefore increase awareness of the CSC studio. You just never know where potential members can be found! Here is a screenshot to illustrate how to invite your Facebook friends to Like and Follow. And please comment, like and share any CSC posts, which will also increase our social reach into the community.

## Studio Updates

**Glazes** - Two new glazes have been added to our selection, Nice Butts (white) and Turquoise.

**Library** - Our extensive library is full of reference materials regarding everything pottery! Books can be signed out for a 2 week period and then must be returned. There is a sign-out sheet in the bookcase. Please keep our library intact and remember the importance of signing out and returning.

**Changes** - There is always something being modified and adjusted in the studio as we continue to settle and improve processes. Thank you for your understanding and patience.

## Trivia!

### Ides of March

The Ides of March, is a day in the ancient Roman calendar that falls on March 15 and became renowned as the date that Roman dictator Julius Caesar was assassinated in 44 BCE. Beware the Ides of March!

Beware of anyone annoying enough to say "Beware the Ides of March."



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## St. Patrick's Day

St. Patrick's Day was originally a religious holiday intended to commemorate the life of St. Patrick, the man credited with bringing Christianity to Ireland. Time to wear GREEN, drink GREEN beer and decorate with shamrocks.

Turns Out the **RIGHT MASK** CAN MAKE YOUR ST. PATRICK'S DAY a lot MORE FUN!

