

On 1 June 2005, a plaque (created by artist Lia Krol) in memory of Peter J Sterkenburg was unveiled on the wall of his former home by mayor Chris Arlman of Harlingen, together with mayor Theunis Piersma of Wûnseradiel.



Ton van der Werf, chairman of the Peter J. Sterkenburg Maritime Paintings Foundation, gives a speech about the artist before the unveiling of the plaque..

The picture on the right shows the artist's face sculpted in clay and the final result in bronze.



The following text is applied to the plaque:  
"Maritime painter Peter J Sterkenburg lived and worked here from 1987 to 2000"