



# SEQUOIA BARK

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**THIS IS THE 4<sup>TH</sup> FRIDAY – THERE ARE 5 FRIDAYS IN SEPTEMBER**



**SEPTEMBER 23 at 7:00pm (in person) – DEBORAH SHEA (pastel floral):**

Deborah will demonstrate how pastel can be developed to convey volume, light and vibrant color to capture the image of a beautiful floral. She is inspired by the natural world, and loves to capture all the beauty of florals, working with the abstract shapes of flower centers and their petals. The lighting and transparency of flowers is always an artistic challenge for her. She received a Bachelor or Arts in Studio Art and Design at the University of California at Davis, studied with Wayne Theibaud, Roland Petersen and Frances Butler, attended classes at San Francisco Art Institute, and also studied watercolors and botanical drawing. Deborah currently is a candidate for MFA from Academy of Art in San Francisco, and has ongoing representation at Viewpoints Gallery in Los Altos. In addition to having won many awards, she has a studio at Art Bias in San Carlos. Visit her website at [www.deborahsheastudios.com](http://www.deborahsheastudios.com).

To enter the Popular Vote you must attend the meeting, and hang your artwork on the back wall.

AUGUST 2022 VOTE WINNERS		
<p><i>Winners Circle</i></p> <p>1st Place: Jay Bergman                      2nd Place: Ann Gahagen                      3rd Place: Alisan Andrews/                      Catherine Delfs/Marla Lehr/Rick                      Oldano/Anne Oseberg</p>	<p><i>Popular Vote</i></p> <p>1st Place: Danielle Weber                      2nd Place: Sandra Smith                      3rd Place: n/a</p>	<p><i>Photography</i></p> <p>1st Place: Marlene Cohen                      2nd Place: n/a                      3rd Place: n/a</p>

**UPCOMING SAG PROGRAMS:** From the poll vote, our membership wishes to meet half-and-half in-person and via Zoom alternately for the remainder of 2022.

- October 28: TBA, via Zoom
- November 18: Martha Diaz (oil landscape), in person

**SAG NOMINATIONS OF 2023 OFFICERS:** Our By-laws state we need to publish names of officers (to be voted on in November) to be published both in October and November newsletters. Our current President has served three years (above the call of duty) and we currently need a new President, Vice-President (who only fills in when the President is unavailable). and Secretary. None of these jobs are very much work and we can't keep having the same people do everything! So far, every member who has been asked "to step up" has refused, so if you are phoned, please consider "taking your turn." Or, another novel idea, you can phone Rick Oldano at (650) 483-5930 or Catherine Delfs at (650) 369-6456 and volunteer!

**VIRTUAL ART SHOW 2022:** As mentioned last Spring, SAG officers decided to have another Members Only Virtual Art Show this October, only with more categories and awards. As with last October, both the art and photography will be judged by non-members. Last year we had only four categories; this year's show will have 10 categories: (1) Oil/Landscape & Seascape; (2) Oil/Floral & Still Life; (3) Oil/Portrait & Animal; (4) Watercolor/Landscape & Seascape; (5) Watercolor/Floral & Still Life; (6) Watercolor/Portrait & Animal; (7) Mixed Media (pastel, ink, collage, etc.); (8) Abstract/Any Media; (9) Photography/Black & White; and (10) Photography/Color. Enter up to three paintings/photographs or a combination thereof, no charge. Do not submit any work that was in our last virtual Art Show. Submit your artwork/photos in JPG/JPEG format no larger than 1020 pixels on the longest side to Rick Oldano at [rick@rickoldanophoto.com](mailto:rick@rickoldanophoto.com) between October 1 to 8, 2022. Ribbons will be awarded in each category for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and Honorable Mention. Plus \$50 cash for only 1<sup>st</sup> Place winners, and in addition we have eight gift certificates from two local art stores to be awarded at the judge's discretion. There will be no Best of Show winner. For each entry, please remember to indicate the type of media, category number, and title of work. Posting of winners will be during the week of October 17<sup>th</sup> and announced at our October 28 meeting via Zoom, and in our November BARK newsletter.

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**MEMBER NEWS:** New photography member Tatiana Lyulkin had a photo accepted into the September exhibit at the Caldwell Gallery in the San Mateo Hall of Justice. Associate member Gail Lynch has a new phone number of (530) 815-1332, as she has moved from Belmont to Chico, CA.

**REDWOOD CITY LIBRARY EXHIBIT FOR SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER:** One of our members Namita Paul is currently exhibiting four large oil paintings on the upper landing, along with Sajana Sagar’s many oil paintings on the lower landing.

**SWA DEMOS:** Check for Zoom connection on the Society of West Coast Artists website. Small number of in-person viewers at San Bruno Gallery, 527 San Mateo Avenue.

- September 17: David Lobenberg, “California vibe” watercolor portrait

**ART BIAS OPEN HOUSE:** The first Sunday of every month Art Bias at 1700 Industrial Road in San Carlos has an Open House from 12:00-4:00pm. Their rotating exhibits feature art books, ceramics, glass, jewelry, mosaic paintings, photography, prints, sculpture, and woodwork.

**MAIN GALLERY:** Located at 883 Santa Cruz Avenue, Suite 1, Menlo Park, is open Tuesday-Saturday 11:00am-5:00pm. The new exhibit runs from September 13 to October 30 and is entitled Pattern.

**PACIFIC ART LEAGUE:** September features Katherine Filice and Robin Scholl (watercolor/pastel). You can view shows even if a class is going on. Their address is 668 Ramona Street, Palo Alto. Park for free below the Palo Alto City Hall across the street.

**PORTOLA ART GALLERY:** Located at Allied Arts, 75 Arbor Road, Menlo Park, is open Monday-Saturday 11:00am-4:00pm. The current exhibit is entitled “More Views from the Trail” featuring photographs by Frances Freyberg. This exhibit will run to September 30.

**SAN FRANCISCO MOMA:** The current exhibit includes artwork by Diego Rivera on the fourth floor.

**2022 OFFICE HOLDERS**

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**Librarian:** N/A

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**Popular Votes:** Rick Oldano

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**Refreshments:** Marla Lehr

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**Sunshine:** Laurel Bergman

**Webmaster:** Ann Gahagen

*Send information to be included in the Bark to Catherine Delfs at (650) 369-6456 before the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month.*