



SEQUOIA BARK

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OCTOBER 27 (Friday) JOHN BARROWS (oil painting of pets) 7:00pm, Gold Star Room at Veterans Memorial Senior Center: John will cover how to get good reference source, working with a client, planning your picture to avoid false starts, how to paint fur and other animal textures, and framing your picture to make it look great. John Barrows was born in Pacifica, California. He is an award winning versatile artist that paints all subject matter well, but excels with portraiture. His knowledge of anatomy has allowed him to imbue his figures of humans and animals with grace, strength and personality. With his experience with art commissions, he is known for always pleasing his clients. His work can be seen at the Disney Family Museum, the Society of West Coast Artists, Art Bias, and other galleries. He is a member of the California Art Club, the National Portrait Society, SWA, and Art Bias, 1700 Industrial Boulevard, San Carlos, California.

Due to a health issue, the October previously scheduled demonstrator Amy Peng King (Chinese brush painting) was canceled. Bring your painting/photograph for Popular Vote to this meeting.

REFRESHMENTS REMINDER: Members Marlene Cohen and Taki Stamates are signed up to bring refreshments to our October 27 meeting. We always appreciate those who volunteer to do this.

SEPTEMBER 2023 VOTE WINNERS

<i>Winners Circle</i>	<i>Popular Vote</i>	<i>Photography</i>
1st Place: Jay Bergman/Ann Gahagen/ Anne Oseberg	1st Place: Anne Foster	1st Place: Sonny Mencher
2nd Place: Catherine Delfs	2nd Place: Marla Lehr	2nd Place: n/a
3rd Place: n/a	3rd Place: Sandra Smith/Marilyn Travis	3rd Place: n/a

UPCOMING SAG PROGRAMS: Visit our website at www.sequoiartgroup.com under the DEMO section for more information about the following demonstrations:

- November 17 (third Friday): Steve Curl (watercolor landscape painting)

ART BOOKS/ETC. AVAILABLE FOR FREE AT FALL MEETINGS: SAG has been informed that there will be limited storage space in the new Veterans Memorial Building, so we need to “thin out” art books from our former lending library. We did a pretty good job thinning out art books at the last meeting but still have more, so take what you can at the next meeting.

THIRD ANNUAL MEMBERS VIRTUAL ART SHOW: The Members Virtual Art Show entries are on our website with the winners listed. Ribbons and checks will be handed out at our October 27 and November 17 meetings, and unclaimed awards will be mailed. As we do not have a Best of Show, members are invited to select their favorite painting or photograph for Popular Vote (just one selection please). Email Ann Gahagen at amgahagen@gmail.com with your Popular Vote by October 31. The winner will receive a Popular Vote certificate similar to those given out at art shows. Many thanks to Ann Gahagen and especially Rick Oldano who worked through his wife’s hospitalization while collecting and formatting all art entries. Thank you to the 24 members who submitted entries to this show and be sure to tell all your friends and relatives to log on to our website at <https://sequoiaartgroup.com/show-members-only-2023/> to view the art show.

2023 NEW SAG ROSTERS AVAILABLE: Come to our October meeting to pick up your 2023 Roster. Many thanks to Ann Gahagen and Dave McClure for organizing and printing the roster. Please make the following changes to the 2023 Roster: (1) delete the cell phone number for Marilyn Travis; and (2) correct Kaia Eakin’s information as her first name is spelled Kaia and not Kala.

EXHIBIT LOCATIONS NEEDED: If any member knows of a bank, restaurant, beauty salon, real estate office, etc. where we can display our members’ paintings/photographs, please contact Catherine Delfs at (650) 369-6456. This is usually done on a two-month rotating basis, in case you are talking to a business owner about this possibility.

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REDWOOD CITY LIBRARY OCTOBER-SEPTEMBER EXHIBITORS: Two SAG members are currently exhibiting at the downtown Redwood City Library, they are: Bob Hills, photography, and Laurel Bergman, paintings.

MEMBER ACTIVITIES: Honorary member Sonja Hamilton who moved to Auburn 20 years ago recently donated a large Yosemite Falls watercolor to the local KVIE Auction and the final bid was \$1,300.00! Congratulations to Sonja and the station is lucky to have such a generous donor.

SWA DEMOS: Via Zoom from their website Society of West Coast Artists. A small number of in-person viewers are at the SWA Art Gallery, 527 San Mateo Avenue, San Bruno.

- October 21: Trowzers Akimbo (abstract)

ART BIAS OPEN HOUSE: The first Sunday of every month Art Bias, 1700 Industrial Road, San Carlos, California, has an Open House from noon to 4:00pm. The next one is on November 5, 2023. Their building has studios on both floors which take a while to tour.

MAIN GALLERY: Located at 883 Santa Cruz Avenue, Suite 1, Menlo Park, is open Tuesday-Saturday 11:00am-5:00pm. These rotating exhibits feature art books, ceramics, glass, jewelry, mosaic paintings, photography, prints, sculpture, and woodwork. Their current exhibit is entitled “12 Seasons” and runs to October 29.

PACIFIC ART LEAGUE: Located on Ramona Avenue in Palo Alto: Their current exhibit is “Transitions: Fall and Winter Landscapes” to October 26.

TWIN PINES ART GALLERY: Their current October exhibit is two rooms of small paintings done by POPs (Peninsula Outdoor Painters). They are open Wednesday-Sunday, 1:00pm-4:00pm.

PORTOLA ART GALLERY: Located at Allied Arts, 75 Arbor Road, Menlo Park, is open Monday-Saturday 11:00am-4:00pm. Their gallery is temporarily closed due to a flooding incident.

DeYOUNG MUSEUM OF SAN FRANCISCO: Lhola Augira: Facing the Future to December 3, plus Crafting Radicality: Bay Area Artists to December 31.

LEGION OF HONOR GALLERY OF SAN FRANCISCO: Drawing the Line: Michelangelo to Asawa through February 25, 2024.

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Send information to be included in the Bark to Catherine Delfs at csdelfs@pacbell.net before the 10th of the month.