



SEQUOIA BARK

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NOVEMBER 17 (Friday) STEVE CURL (watercolor landscape) 7:00pm, Gold Star Room at Veterans Memorial Senior Center: Steve is returning to give us one of his wonderful watercolor landscape demonstrations. He is a fine artist and teacher who works in watercolor. Most of his work consists of landscapes and seascapes that have inspired him during his many hikes and travels. He teaches watercolor painting classes in several local studios but primarily at the Pacific Art League in downtown Palo Alto, CA, where he resides. He also teaches within Yosemite National Park through the Yosemite Conservancy at the Yosemite Art & Nature Center. He was the Artist-in-Residence at Zion National Park for the month of February 2018 and looks forward to more opportunities of this nature. His work can be seen at the Portola Art Gallery, at Allied Arts in Menlo Park, CA.

Bring your painting/photograph for Popular Vote to this meeting, as this will be your final chance for the annual winner’s tally.

REFRESHMENTS REMINDER: Members Dave and Patty McClure are signed up to bring refreshments to our November 17th meeting. We always appreciate those who volunteer to do this.

OCTOBER 2023 VOTE WINNERS		
<i>Winners Circle</i> 1st Place: Anne Oseberg 2nd Place: Catherine Delfs/ Jay Bergman/Camilla Roos 3rd Place: Ann Gahagen	<i>Popular Vote</i> 1st Place: Marilyn Travis 2nd Place: Marla Lehr 3rd Place: Premi John/Taki Stamates	<i>Photography</i> 1st Place: n/a 2nd Place: n/a 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:

- December: 2023 no meeting; no newsletter
- January 2024: installation and Awards Dinner – date to be announced

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 from September to October, but still have more, so take what you can at the next meeting. There is also watercolor paper available from the estate of former SAG member John Zanoni.

NOMINATIONS OF 2024 SAG OFFICERS: Our By-Laws state we must publish nominations for the upcoming year’s officers in our November newsletter. They are the same as last year, which is President Catherine Delfs, Vice-President Janice Bregante, Secretary Marla Lehr and Treasurer Dave McClure. If anyone wishes to nominate themselves or anyone else, they may do so at this meeting before a final vote. We have developed a pattern of officers serving two terms (because we have only nine meetings per year). However, next year we will need to “shuffle the deck,” so start considering taking your turn at serving!

THIRD ANNUAL MEMBERS VIRTUAL ART SHOW: Our Popular Vote Winner for this show ended in a tie between Nicole Joshi’s watercolor entitled “Chasing Covid” and Dave McClure’s oil painting entitled “Tahoe Eastern Shore.” They will receive their Popular Vote Certificates and Special Award ribbons at our November meeting. Our Virtual Art Show judge for paintings was Tom Chapman from Art Bias Center, and photography judge was Fred Aron from Portola Art Gallery. All of the judged winners are posted on the SAG website, and most of the award ribbons and checks were handed out at the October meeting. If you were unable to attend that meeting, please accept them at our November meeting.

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2023 NEW SAG ROSTERS: Pick up the 2023 SAG Roster at the next meeting.

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.

REDWOOD CITY LIBRARY NOVEMBER-DECEMBER EXHIBITORS: SAG member Camilla Roos is currently exhibiting at the downtown Redwood City Library, along with photography from Woodside High School students of teacher Aron Campbell.

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.

- November 18: Eric Jacobsen (expressive landscape painting), online 1:00pm-3:00pm

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 December 3, 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 “Wonderland” and runs to December 3.

PACIFIC ART LEAGUE: Located on Ramona Avenue in Palo Alto: They are currently having their 102nd Anniversary Exhibit from November 10, 2023, to January 16, 2024.

PORTOLA ART GALLERY: Located at Allied Arts, 75 Arbor Road, Menlo Park, is open Monday-Saturday 11:00am-4:00pm. This gallery is once again open after flood repairs. The current exhibit is “Sierra Seasons” watercolors by Yvonne Newhouse.

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.

2023 OFFICE HOLDERS

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