

SEQUOIA BARK

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FEBRUARY 23, 2024 (FRIDAY) GUY MAGALLANES (watercolor), Veterans Memorial Senior Center, Goldstar Room, 7:00pm: Guy is a native San Franciscan who is self-taught and has painted since childhood. His Grandmother knew he would be an artist because he was more involved in painting the walls and curtains with his food rather than eating it! Guy made the decision to finally call himself an artist in 2000 and made the transition into a full-time artist in 2007. His work is published in the following "Splash" books, 9.10 and 15, and is one of Splash 15 artists selected to contribute to "Watercolor Secrets" all North Light Books. He started teaching in 2005 and continues to teach workshops and weekly classes, mostly at his San Carlos Studio. Guy will be painting a watercolor landscape.

<u>REFRESHMENT REMINDER</u>: Nicole Joshi and Sonny Mencher are signed up to bring refreshments to our February 23rd meeting. We always appreciate our members who volunteer to bring refreshments.

ANNUAL 2023 VOTE WINNERS		
Winner's Circle	Popular Vote	Photography
1st Place: Anne Oseberg	1st Place: Marla Lehr	1st Place: Sonny Mencher
2nd Place: Jay Bergman/Ann Gahagen	2nd Place: Premi John	2nd Place: Bryan Beck
3rd Place: Catherine Delfs	3rd Place: Anne Foster	3rd Place: Dave McClure

MOVED UP TO WINNER'S CIRCLE: The annual first place winners in Popular Vote and Photography were Marla Lehr and Sonny Mencher who now move up to the Winner's Circle during the 2024 monthly voting. According to our Popular Vote rules, both Alisan Andrews and Rick Oldano move back down to Popular Vote and Photography categories from Winner's Circle this year.

2024 SAG DUES NOW PAYABLE: With the beginning of the New Year your annual dues are once again payable. Still only \$30 for full membership and \$15 for Associate member thanks to a generous bequest from Barbara Todd several years ago. You can pay Treasurer Dave McClure at our February 23 meeting. Otherwise mail him a check to 702 California Way, Redwood City, CA 94062-4007.

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

- March 22, 2024: Robin Scholl (watercolor/pastel)
- April 26, 2024: TBA

<u>THIRD ANNUAL MEMBERS VIRTUAL ART SHOW</u>: Don't forget to tell your friends and relatives to take a look at SAG's virtual art show posted on our website through September 2024. Our club motto is "Promote Each Other" and this is a way to do just that!

2023 SAG ROSTERS AVAILABLE: If you do not already have a new SAG Roster, come to our February 23rd meeting to pick one up. Many thanks to Ann Gahagen and Dave McClure for putting the information together and having it printed.

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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<u>MEMBER ACTIVITIES</u>: Dave McClure (oil paintings) is one of two artists exhibiting at the downtown Redwood City Library during March and April. Congratulations Dave! Karen Hart sold one of her acrylic floral paintings during our January-February SAG group exhibit at the Redwood City Library.

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.

- February 17: Ellen Howard (oil) online 1:00-3:00pm
- March 16: James Gleeson online 1:00-3:00pm

<u>CALIFORNIA ART SUPPLY NEW HOURS</u>: The California Art Supply store in San Mateo on El Camino Real has new hours which are Monday-Saturday 10:00am-6:30pm, and Sunday 11:00am-5:00.

<u>ART BIAS OPEN HOUSE</u>: The first Sunday of every month Art Bias, 1700 Industrial Road, San Carlos, California, has an Open House at 1:00pm-4:00pm. The next Open House is on March 3 with the Oshibana reception. 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 "Weathered Volumes" and runs to February 25.

PACIFIC ART LEAGUE: Located on Ramona Avenue in Palo Alto: They are currently having their PAL Instructors Showcase through February.

PORTOLA ART GALLERY: Located at Allied Arts, 75 Arbor Road, Menlo Park, is open Monday-Saturday 11:00am-4:00pm. Their current exhibit is "A Connection to Nature," oil paintings by Scott Johnson to February 29.

<u>DeYOUNG MUSEUM OF SAN FRANCISCO</u>: Free Saturdays from 9:00am-5:00pm. Lhola Augira Facing the Future through May 5; Nampeyo & Sikyatki Revival (Pottery) to September 15; Fashioning San Francisco: A Century of Style January 20 to August 11.

<u>LEGION OF HONOR GALLERY OF SAN FRANCISCO</u>: Drawing the Line: Michelangelo to Asawa through February 25; Benoit Editeur through March 10.

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