

SEQUOIA BARK

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JANUARY 25, 2025 (SATURDAY) 11:30am at Harry's Hofbrau, Installation/Awards Luncheon: The back "Trophy Room" has been reserved. When you arrive, nail down a seat, then go order and pick up your lunch. The annual Popular Vote winners are listed in the chart below to insure your presence (this used to be a secret). Members may bring spouses or guests as this is our only annual social get together. We hope to have a good turnout for this event as we have to pay a fee to reserve this room. After installing our 2025 officers, we will also present our Popular Vote and Sable Brush Awards. Congratulations to all of you and for submitting entries month after month. Our demonstrators always enjoy viewing our members work.

ANNUAL 2024 VOTE WINNERS		
Winner's Circle	Popular Vote	Photography
1st Place: Marla Lehr	1st Place: Dave McClure	1st Place: Bryan Beck
2nd Place: Anne Oseberg	2nd Place: Marily Travis	2nd Place: Bob Hills
3rd Place: Sonny Mencher	3rd Place: Edna Acri	3rd Place: n/a

UPCOMING SAG PROGRAMS: Visit our website at https://sequoiaartgroup.com under the DEMO section.

- February 28, 2025, via Zoom: Jim Caldwell, "An American Paris Mary Cassett
- March 26, 2025, in person, Sunset Room: TBA

NOVEMBER 2024 POPULAR VOTE WINNERS:

- Winner's Circle: 1st Marlene Cohen/Marla Lehr, 2nd Ann Gahagen, and 3rd Catherine Delfs
- Popular Vote: 1st Dave McClure, 2nd Marilyn Travis, and 3rd Edna Acri
- Photography: 1st Bob Hills 2nd Bryan Beck, 3rd (No entry)

SAG MEETING DATE AND LOCATION CHANGED: The Redwood City Parks & Recreation Department has requested that we change our meeting nights to Wednesday and we will be alternating Zoom and in-person meetings until June to determine which meeting form garners the most attendance. Along with this we have been assigned the Sunset Room instead of the Gold Star Room. Please make a note of these changes! In addition, we expect to move over to the new Veterans Memorial Building by our August 27 meeting. Visit our website at www.sequoiartgroup.com under the Demo webpage for more information about our demonstrations.

LEGION OF HONOR GALLERY OF SAN FRANCISCO: "Mary Cassatt at Work" until January 26. 2025. Try to view this exhibit before our February 28th Zoom program.

2025 SAG MEMBERSHIP DUES NOW DUE: We are still one of the least expensive art groups around, \$30 for full Member, and \$15 for Associate Member (usually spouse). Give our Treasurer Dave McClure a check at our January 25th Harry's Hofbrau luncheon or mail him a check made payable to SAG and mail it to 702 California Way, Redwood City, CA 94062-4007

SAG GROUP LIBRARY EXHIBIT: Normally we have a two month SAG Group exhibit at the downtown Redwood City Library during January-February each year, but this year they have a special exhibit running through January, so our next group exhibit will be during February-March 2025 featuring Bryan Beck, Marlene Cohen, Premi John, Dave McClure, Sandra Smith, Inna Zatulovsky, and Linda Fernandez.

SWA UPCOMING PROGRAMS: Check in for their Zoom connection on the Society of West Coast Artists website from 1:00pm to 3:00pm.

- January 18: Michael Rodman (San Francisco scene in oil)
- February 15: Judy Magoon (pastel landscape)

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<u>FOURTH ANNUAL MEMBERS ONLY VIRTUAL ART SHOW</u>: Our 4th Annual Virtual Art Show has been posted online and judged. We thank Rick Oldano, Ann Gahagen and Dave McClure for all the work they put into putting this show together. We also wish to thank our judges Scott Johnson (paintings) and Alan Hart (photography). All the winners have received their ribbons and checks, where applicable. Our Popular Vote winner was Marla Lehr for her "Blues Man" oil portrait. Be sure to tell all your friends and relatives to log on to our website at https://sequoiaartgroup.com/membersartshow2024/ to view the art show.

REDWOOD CITY LIBRARY ART/PHOTOGRAPHY SELECTION JURYING FOR 2025 (FEBRUARY 6, 6:30pm-

8:30pm): In person jurying will be held in the downtown library Community Room upstairs. The jury will be choosing artwork/photography to be displayed from April 2025 to February 2026. Eligibility is limited to artists who live, work, or volunteer with a community organization within the boundaries of the Sequoia Union High School District, or be members of the Sequoia Art Group. Bring three samples of your work and a printed artist statement (maximum 150 words) to the Jury Event between 6:30pm-7:00pm. Artwork should be easily wall-hung and include a tag with the artist's name, address, email address and telephone number. If an artist would like to be considered but is unable to attend the jury event, they may submit digital copies of their artwork and artist statement by email to fpotter@redwoodcity.org. Digital copies must be received by Monday, February 3, 2025. Submissions will be judged by representatives from the Library Board, the Sequoia Art Group, the Redwood City Arts Commission, and other local arts organizations. Artists will be notified of the jury results on the same evening by 8:15pm or sooner. All work must be picked up by 8:30pm. Each selected artist will be assigned a two-month exhibition period. Artists will receive a copy of the exhibition schedule by mail. Artworks/photos in this exhibit must be between 16" x 20" and 28" x 34", not exceed 20 pounds, and must be framed, mounted or otherwise ready to hang. No sawtooth hangers are allowed.

PORTOLA ART GALLERY: Located at Allied Arts, 75 Arbor Road, Menlo Park, is open Monday-Saturday 11:00am-4:00pm. Their current exhibit is "Small Works & Mini Treasures" done by all 22 gallery members.

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. The current exhibit is entitled "Rippling" featuring oil painter Julia Fong and runs from January 7 to February 23.

<u>DeYOUNG MUSEUM OF SAN FRANCISCO</u>: Free Saturdays from 9:00am-5:00pm. "Tamara de Lempicka" through February 9, 2025; 100 works post-Cubist to Art Deco; "Art and War in the Renaissance: The Battle of Pavia Tapestries;" Leilah Babirye "We Have a History" through June 22, 2025; "About Place: Bay Area Artists" from Svane Gift through November 30, 2025.

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