



Brush Strokes

The newsletter of the Suburban Rochester Art Group
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All the meetings are held in the Greece Town Hall, meeting room "B" usually the second Wednesday of the month unless specifically stated, (see the calendar). Starting at 6:00 for a social get together, followed by a general meeting at 6:30. And the scheduled program at 7:00 until 8:30.

Wednesday April 13th. Greece Town Hall, Room "B"

6:00 – 6:30 pm. Informal gathering and preparation
6:30 pm. Annual business meeting

The annual business meeting will be followed by a life drawing session; our model will be Aggie Windig.

Please note that the scheduled garage sale has been cancelled

Possible Show Venues

SRAG has the possibility of having a show in the future at 1570 Gallery at Valley Manor or at My Sister's Gallery at the Episcopal Home. There is need of a Chairperson and helpers. Diane Cotton who is in charge of the Gallery will give the chairperson the guidelines for those locations. This will be brought up at the March 9th Meeting. Considering volunteering as getting your name out to gallery owners can help you market your own work.

Spring Mall Show

All entries should be in at this time. The racks will be set up on Thursday April 21 after

the stores are closed and will run from Friday through Sunday during normal mall business hours. Please note there are some revised rules on prizes and a new “annual theme” category will be introduced. This years’ theme is ‘Spring Flowers” and has been designated by the organizers. The winner will receive the SRAG award which was previously awarded to the best overall display. So get painting, fill up those racks and let’s have really big show

Assistant Needed

Nina needs some help with the programs. SRAG has many interesting programs lined up to be presented by area artists. Nina needs an assistant to help with this. She can do this for many of the meetings but there are times when she cannot be there. Duties would be to meet the guest artist and help them set up. One member has offered to help but can’t be at every meeting either, so we need another member to help. Most of the program is complete through November 2016. Please contact Nina Rupp, at 424-4327 or email at nmrupp@yahoo.com

Coming Up

Those members participating in the Kathy Giles workshop should have received their itineraries and instructions in the mail.

<p><i>SRAG Watercolor Workshop with Kathleen Giles</i> <i>April 16, 2016</i> 9:00 AM – 4:00</p>

Calendar

SRAG MEETING DATES FOR 2016

Apr. 13 Business Meeting and Life drawing session. Model Aggie Windig.

Apr. 16 Kathy Giles w/c workshop.

Apr. 27 Board Meeting and Work Night: Details later but probably an art video

May 11 Kathleen Hanney, a pastel demo. She is doing exciting new work.

May 25 Board Meeting and Work Night: A follow up from the 5/11 demo

June 15 Picnic at Pat & Terry Brooks House

June 22 Paint out or paint in. Details to be announced later.

July 13 Anne Jurgens and Jan Davidson demo encaustics

July 27 Work meeting. If you have encaustics, please bring them.

Aug. 10 Anne McCune and Colette Savage do Zendoodles.

Aug. 24 Members do Zendoodles or paint from flowers.

Sep. 14 Pamela LoCicero paints in watercolor

Sept. 28 Work meeting. Bring your watercolor

Oct. 12 Sari Gaby portrait

Oct. 26 Draw a portrait from a photo

Nov. 09 Judy Soprano talks about a workshop she attended

Dec.? Christmas Party