

SRAG

Brush Strokes

June 2023

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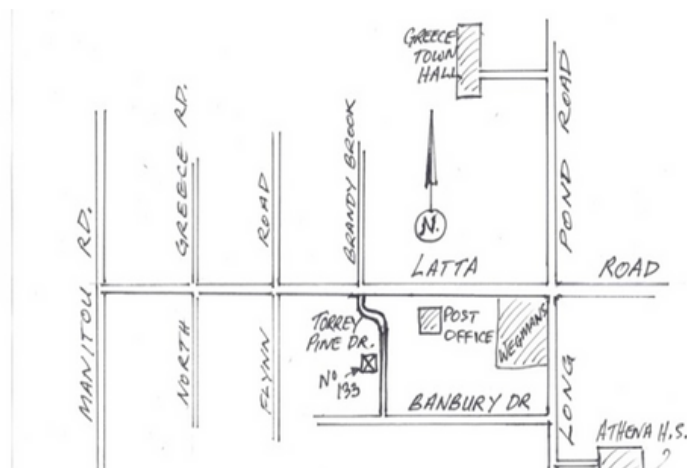
At 133 Torrey Pine Drive, Rochester NY 14612

The Picnic will be at Pat and Terry Brooks' house, (see the attached map). Parking will be in the driveway, on the street, or on any adjacent driveways that can be commandeered on the day. The picnic proper will start at 4:00 pm. But anyone wishing to paint plein-air in the garden is welcome from midday on. The rose bushes will be in bloom (I hope). There is a small stream and a wooded area which is quite pleasant. We will hope for a fine day.

Please bring the following:

- * A dish to pass; (there will be some refrigerator space available).
- * Any meat that you want to grill, hot dogs, hamburgers, ribs, fish, etc. (Plenty of grill space).
- * Plates and cutlery.
- * A folding chair.
- * Beer if you want it. (We will keep it cold) Some wine and a selection of soda will be provided.

It would be helpful to let me know if you intend to come. Please reply to Terry Brooks at tapabrooks@gmail.com or 621 8780 or cell 465 6215



MAY 2023 SEMINAR

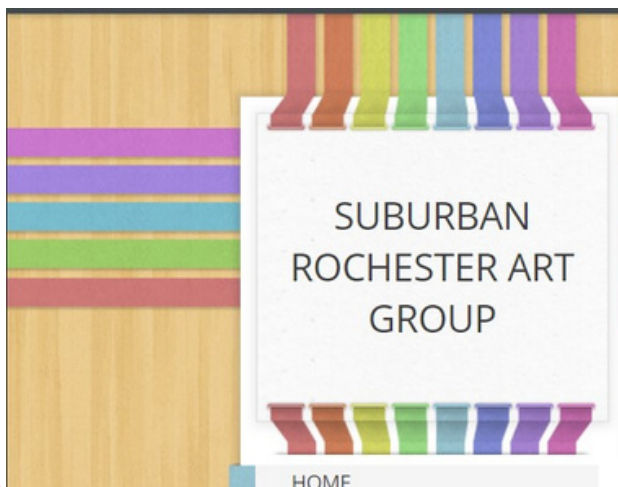
Paul Allen Taylor conducted a wonderful seminar in watercolor, using a technique of drawing on paper with permanent ink, using a matchstick held in a lead holder. The drawing style is casual, but not "sloppy". Paul set the stage by telling us about his childhood in the Thousand Island area and the family members who lived in this boat house. It made the story complete before we started. His focus was on the paint consistency in a range from tea to cream or butter. Lots of great instruction on water reflections. I think everyone who attended enjoyed the seminar.

See photos on Page 3

Barnes and Nobles Exhibit

Our exhibit at Barnes & Nobles, Pittsford Plaza, begins June 4 and runs through the entire month of June. Please stop by to see the work from your fellow SRAG members, and ask your friends and family to visit, too!

Please Note the Correction to dates for Plein Air events in July and August. I was off by a day. Thanks to a very observant member who caught my error and let me know. Schedule of events is posted on Page 4.

**SRAG WEBSITE**

[HTTPS://SUBURBANROCHESTERARTGROUP.WEEBLY.COM/](https://suburbanrochesterartgroup.weebly.com/)

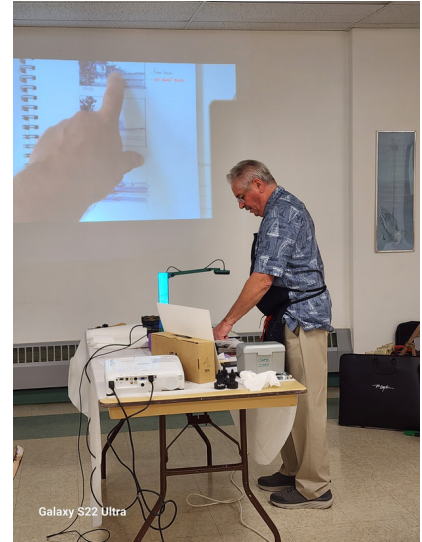
The Board of Directors recently updated the SRAG website. Each member is entitled to have a page on the website featuring photos of your artwork.

If your page is out of date and you would like to send new photos for upload, please email them to either [Debbie Cooper](#) or [Betsy Ogles](#). If you want to make a new page, send a brief biography with the photos you would like to include.

**MAY 2023 WORKSHOP WITH
PAUL ALLEN TAYLOR**



Paul's painting



Galaxy S22 Ultra



Galaxy S22 Ultra

Terry Brooks



Debbie Cooper Chris Whiting



Galaxy S22 Ultra

Eleanor Milborrow Eileen Magin



Galaxy S22 Ultra

Guest of Betsy's, Marie Marr

If there are upcoming art events or other items of interest you would like to share with our members, please email to Betsy Ogles bogles@rochester.rr.com.

I am going to get the newsletter out well in advance of the member meetings so you have time to prepare for the meeting. For that reason, I am giving a deadline date to get information into the publication. Our meetings are on the 2nd Thursday of the month. The deadline will be the LAST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH.

The next deadline is FRIDAY, JUNE 30 FOR PUBLICATION IN THE JULY NEWSLETTER.

Mark Your Calendars

MAY 2023

THURSDAY, MAY 11
PAUL ALLEN TAYLOR WORKSHOP
9:30- 4
LAKEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH

NOVEMBER 2023

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9 1-3:30 PM
GENERAL MEMBER MEETING
LAKEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH

JUNE 2023

SUNDAY, JUNE 4 10:30-12:30
DROP OFF ARTWORK AT BARNES & NOBLES
JUNE 15 4:00 PICNIC
Home of Terry & Pat Brooks

DECEMBER 2023

CHRISTMAS PARTY
LOCATION/DATE TBD

JULY 2023

SATURDAY, JULY 1 10:30-12:30
PICK UP ARTWORK AT BARNES & NOBLES
THURSDAY, JULY 13 PLEIN AIR EVENT
LOCATION TBD

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AUGUST 2023

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10
PLEIN AIR EVENT
LOCATION TBD

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SEPTEMBER 2023

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
GENERAL MEMBER MEETING
EXHIBIT AT VILLAGE ART GALLERY

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OCTOBER 2023

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12 1-3:30 PM
GENERAL MEMBER MEETING
LAKEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH

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