BRUSH STROKES

SUBURBAN ROCHESTER ART GROUP

FEBRUARY 2024

FEBRUARY MEETING THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8 1:00 PM



Local artist, Jeff Lindgren, will be demoing a 16 x 20 night-time seascape of a crashing wave with a Milky Way night sky in oil. Some of his works are pictured below. Jeff will start with a discussion of his early paintings compared to his recent ones. What he has learned, mistakes he made, and best practice sharing. He will bring paintings with him so you can see what he is describing.

https://www.facebook.com/jlindgrenfineart/ www.jefflindgren.com









DID YOU KNOW?...

A NEW SECTION TO BRUSHSTROKES FOR THE NEXT SEVERAL MONTHS

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The board has been going through old records from decades ago to determine what has to be retained. Thank you to Eleanor Milborrow, who spent significant time reviewing multiple bins and folders. The purpose of this new section is to share some of the history of SRAG. We hope you find it interesting. Please, if any of you have interesting stories or anecdotes about the group from over the years, send them to me for inclusion in this section. bogles@rochester.rr.com

The following information is a recap of an article that was in the Greece Post when SRAG was going to celebrate its Silver Anniversary.

Over the years, SRAG has done various charitable acts.

- In 1959, founder Martha McFall chaired a new show of miniatures donated by artists throughout the Rochester area. Almost 400 paintings were sold in a show held in Midtown Plaza. A profit of over \$9,000 was raised for Project Hope.
- In 1968, for the 10th Rundel show, the group devised a way to raise money for the S.S. Hope, a hospital ship that provided medical care and information to third world countries. 42 members painted and framed 124 miniature paintings, which were donated and sold for \$15 each to raise money for the medical mission of the ship. As a result, \$1,265 was raised.
- The group has donated three works of art to the Town of Greece over the years to beautify the town hall. Members donated 6 paintings to a group home for the mentally handicapped in Greece.
- One year, the group donated over \$400 to the Rochester 4-H club.
- In more recent years, members have donated paintings during exhibits that were sold and the proceeds donated to Journey Home, a hospice home in Greece.

JANUARY MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Thanks to Terry Brooks and his granddaughter, Adriana, for leading us in a figure drawing session.



Adriana

Terry Brooks



Cathy Pryjmak

Juanita Link

Kathy Lindsley



Terry Brooks



Eleanor Milborrow Diane Bellinger Anne McCune Terry Berke



Bet Well Wishes To Chris Whiting

2024 SCHEDULE BOARD MEMBER CONTACT INFO

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11 MEMBER MEETING 1 PM	THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14 MEMBER MEETING 1 PM
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8 MEMBER MEETING 1 PM	DECEMBER DATE TBD CHRISTMAS PARTY
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