



Summer 2022

With Gratitude

Luckily, our art club carries on during the summer, even though we have no meetings. Dan, our president, and other members have offered opportunities for us to celebrate our art and to develop art skills.

Dan Lake has been a presence at the East Greenwich Strolls. He has contacted people in town to highlight the East Greenwich Art Club as vital contributing presence in town.



East Greenwich Art Club at the "Dogs on Main" Stroll



Plein Air Painting at Blithewold

Celeste Chute-Wright reminds us that we will be meeting for the August Plein Air at Colt State Park at the Colt Dairy Barn which is next to the Park Offices Parking area. If you need a map of the park there are maps available by looking up: [Colt State Park Map- Bristol RI](#). We will be meeting at 11am on Tuesday August 23rd in the parking area by the offices area. This is where the Colt Dairy Barn is.

Jeannine Anderson and I have been updating files. Our membership is increasing thanks to new folks joining, and pre-Covid artists returning to active membership.



**We meet on the first Tuesday
of the month, except for January,
July, and August at the**

**United Methodist Church
1558 So. County Trail
East Greenwich, RI**

Members of the board will
provide snacks for September.
At that meeting, we will ask
people to bring something for
the remaining meeting times.

Officers and Committees

President: Daniel Lake

Treasurer: Ron Joseph

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Wright

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About Town – Supporting Fellow Artists

Celeste Chute-Wright will be showing her artwork with the Westport Art Group during the 2022 South Coast Artists Open Studio Tour this August 20th & 21st from 11am- 5pm. The Westport Art Group is located at 1740 Main Rd. Westport MA.

Rebecca Stockdill will be showing at the Nook Coffee Shop on Main Street. The paintings in this compilation “**Palette of East Greenwich**” are contemporary oil paintings based on day-to-day life in East Greenwich, RI ranging from houses that I pass strolling through town to citrus fruit sitting on my kitchen counter. These paintings are inspired by the objects and experiences of day-to-day life, and I enjoy using bold color and textural brush strokes.



Susan Aitcheson was accepted into the National show of the Central Massachusetts Pastel Society Show. There will be a reception on Saturday Sept 10 - 4-6 in Fivesparks in Harvard MA. It is just off 495 in Massachusetts. The flyer is below. I hope that club members can save the date and attend.

MARKS OF DISTINCTION
National Juried Show



September 1-28
Fivesparks in Harvard, MA
Awards will be juried in person by
Katie Hanson
Associate Curator of Painting,
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston
Selection Jurors
Liz Balkwill and **Natasha Isenhour**

2021 First Place: Laura Manick - Refreshing, 2nd Place: Laurinda O'Connor - At the Edge

An exciting exhibition and sale of work from the best soft pastel artists in the country.
Public awards reception: **Saturday, Sept. 10, 4-6 pm.**
7 Fairbank St, Harvard, MA



www.fivesparks.org



CENTRAL MASS PASTEL SOCIETY
www.cmpastels.org

Susan will be painting on the North Rim of the Grand Canyon in August if there are no fires or other climate disasters.

There will be a workshop at the Providence Art Club September 24-25 2022 with Laurinda O'Connor a pastelist. <http://www.laurindaconnor.com/> There may be room for non-members. I would encourage people to sign up for this pastel painter. She is fabulous. It is the last workshop on this link.

<https://providenceartclub.org/find-events/workshops-classescalendar/> Email: abba@providenceartclub.org if you are interested.

Tom Hutchinson shares this information: the Rodin exhibit at the Clark Art Institute in Williamstown through September 18th? For anyone traveling out to the Berkshires this summer they might want to consider seeing it. The Clark website has all the details.