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Come join us for our next BAS meeting on

Saturday, April 11, 2026 (1:30 - 4:00)

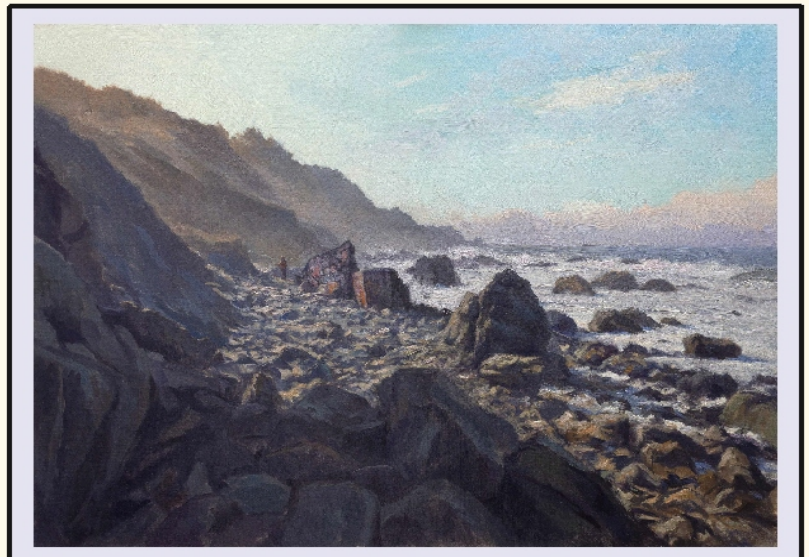
Burlingame Community Center (Fine Arts Room)

850 Burlingame Ave., Burlingame.

Hope to see you there...

UP NEXT

Our guest artist for April will be oil painter Scott Johnson. Born in 1977 in the San Francisco Bay Area, Scott focuses much of his artwork on the local landscapes of his California home. Painting exclusively in oils, he strives to capture the world in a style known as impressionistic realism. Though much of his work comes from the iconic areas surrounding the area, Scott draws much of his inspiration from the more "off the beaten path" scenes. You won't want to miss Scott's demo, since he will focus on helping us understand how to paint rocks. As a mostly plein air painter his paintings include lots of them. Check out more of Scott's work on website: smjstudios.com or Instagram: [instagram.com/smjstudioz/](https://www.instagram.com/smjstudioz/)



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President's Message

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Diana



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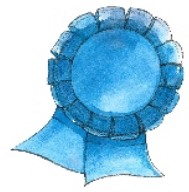
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~Wendy Parker

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March Ribbon Winners



1st Place & Popular Choice



Barbara Lambert "Hen Party"
(Watercolor)

2nd Place



Norma Searle "Visiting Filoli"
(Watercolor)

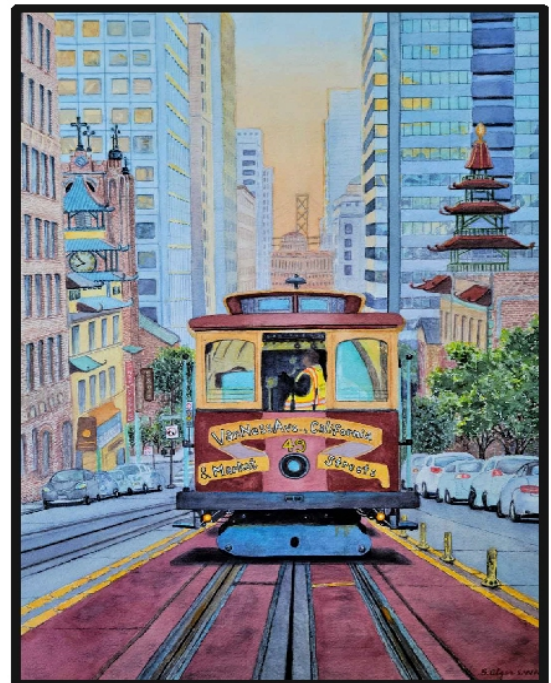
3rd Place

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Daniele Cuzin "Genoa"
(Watercolor)

Honorable Mention



Barbara Alger "The Gripman"
(Watercolor)

MEETING RECAP



One would never guess that guest artist, Jaladhi Pujara, has only been painting for 3 years, but it seems that he has taken his work background in design and run with it. Jaladhi spends most of his weekends plein air painting. His demo for us was full of information including how he starts with small sketches

(using water soluble graphite pencils), and then figures out the best composition before starting a painting. Using a limited 4 color palette, Saunders Waterford 140lb paper and mostly just 2 brushes, one for his cool colors & one for his warms, which Jaladji explained helps keep colors fresher. His process revealed a strong understanding of color, composition and the fluid nature of watercolor. With a light but deliberate touch, he allowed pigments to move and blend organically, creating depth and atmosphere without overworking the paper. He focuses on saving the whites of the paper to help retain sparkles of light and says that if you really focus on values, you can be freer with colors and still have a believable painting. What a great demo!

We were also treated to a fun display (on the President's Table) of painted rocks done by member Chuck Luthy. Nice job Chuck and thanks for sharing.



On the left is an image of the the piece that was done by Jaladhi for our BAS demo, in less than 2 hours and on the right is an image of a finished version of the painting.



Robin CC Lin



Accepting his 2025 Artist of the Year plaque at our March meeting

Art Show Info

BAS member, Barbara Alger, has 19 of her animal paintings hanging at the Society of West-Coast Artists Gallery (SWA) until April 11th. Check out her exhibit, along with the current SWA Show at the gallery from Thursday to Saturday, 11:00 to 3:00pm. Address: 527 San Mateo Ave, in San Bruno.

The Millbrae Cultural Arts Advisory Committee is planning their 2026 Millbrae Art Show and is now accepting entries from local artists. Submit online by 5:00pm on April 22, 2026. For all information including dates, times and entry form go to:

bit.ly/mcaacartshow

or just google Millbrae Art Show



Offers a 10% discount if you mention being a BAS member at the point of purchase. Open Mon-Sat 9.30-7 pm, Sun 11:00-5 pm



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