

# Plein Air Painting Workshop with Robert Sherrill

Hahamongna Watershed Park, 4550 Oak Grove Dr., Pasadena, CA 91103

Friday, July 30, 2021 from 9am - 1pm



We are pleased to offer a Plein Air Painting Workshop at Hahamongna Park (formerly called Oak Grove Park) with Robert Sherrill whose April 2020 scheduled workshop was postponed due to the COVID19 pandemic. We are glad and excited he is willing to fit us into his teaching schedule. Once at the park, we will meet near the upper parking lot across the street from the high school.

In this workshop, Robert plans to discuss and demonstrate how to establish a good composition by looking for an interesting focal point which he places on canvas or paper by using "the Rule of Thirds". Then he will lightly draw small thumbnail sketches to emphasize the importance of shapes, value and color. Students at that point will do the same while Robert assists one-on-one to better understand the concept.

As Robert continues further into his step-

by-step instruction of applying paint on his canvas, participants will proceed with their own work, whether they paint with oil or watercolor. Participants of every skill or experience level are welcome.

"Nothing is as raw and basic and subtle as the organic substance called PAINT" states Robert with much positive enthusiasm. He has been an artist all his life. A graduate of Art Center College of Design, he went on to become a Designer and Art Director for eight years but realized that took him away from his true love – painting.

Currently Robert is teaching at the Huntington Library and Art Center as well as the Creative Arts Group in Sierra Madre.



**Cost for the workshop: \$60 VHAA members, \$70 non-members/ guests**

----- To sign up complete and return this bottom portion to Arda Derian (address below) -----

**Registration form for Robert Sherrill's Workshop, July 30, 2021 9 AM - 1 PM**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

VHAA members please enclose \$60. Non-members and guests enclose \$70.

Make check payable to Verdugo Hills Art Association

Mail to Workshop Chairperson: Arda Derian, 4814 Round Top Dr., Los Angeles, CA 90065 (aderian5@yahoo.com) – (323) 255-0302. Supply list will be sent with confirmation of your registration.