Cypress Wetlands Trail Discovery Walk

with Pam Johnson Brickell

Details

Date: Tuesday, March 21, 2023 **Time:** 10:30 am - 2:00 pm (ish) **Location:** Cypress Wetlands Trail

1700 Paris Aveune Port Royal, SC

Fee: \$75

Rain Date:

Thursday, March 22nd / same time Workshop capped at 8 participants.

Registration closes:

midnight March 13th

All skill levels welcome!



Have you been wanting to take your art supplies outside to sketch, but...

you are hesitant about what supplies to bring and how best to carry them? Feel you need more drawing skills and/or you are just learning to use watercolor? Generally shy about sketching outside?

Join Pam for a fun, instructional day sketching Lowcounty beauty. On site demonstrations are followed by in-the-field sessions, structured for students to create journal pages while receiving one-on-one guidance/instruction from Pam. Pack a lunch! The day concludes with a show and tell, featuring pages created along with guidance for the next steps needed in the continuation of sketching plein air.

We'll be Walking and Sitting - Please read

As we meander down the trail, frequent stops are made to look, listen and capture the wonders observed in our journals. There is no shortage of discoveries to record. Wading birds, native plants and the ever graceful cypress trees are just some of delights to experience. There are no restroom facilities. However, we are just across from a few restaurants that call Paris Ave home. Park along Paris Avenue. The Cypress Wetlands Trail is very close to the intersection of Paris Avenue and Ribaut Road. We will meet at the amphitheater seating at the head of the trail, parallel to Paris Avenue.

Class Syllabus

Demonstrations will be followed up with oneon-one instruction while students sketch and paint

- Techniques for drawing our chosen subjects
- How to pick and choose what to draw in your journal / simplifying a scene
- Working with values and negative space
- Using ink and watercolor (paint and watercolor pencils)



What To Bring

- Watermedia sketchbook of your choice
- Easy to tote art supplies (See video Available upon paid registration)

Art Supply Sources:

Local: Hobby Lobby, Michaels, Walmart (for Canson Mixed Media Sketchbook)

Online: Dick Blick, Cheap Joes, Jerry's Artarama

- Mechanical pencil with 7 or 9 mm lead
- Waterproof pen (Micron, Faber Castell Pitt or Sharpie)
- Travel set of watercolors or watercolor pencils
- Waterbrush (Pentel and Niji brands work well)
- Paper toweling or rag to wipe brush on
- Lap desk (video provided upon registration)
- BYO Lunch and water/drink (carry in / carry out)
- light-weight outdoor camp stool
- dress for weather and wear closed-toe shoes
- bug spray / hat / sunscreen



Parking

Park along Paris Avenue. The Cypress Wetlands Trail is very close to the intersection of Paris Avenue and Ribaut Road. We will meet at the amphitheater seating at the head of the trail, parallel to Paris Avenue.

Terms & Conditions For This Class

Registration is your commitment to attend. No refunds given unless Pam cancels the workshop

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