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**Drawing Up Close**

Tuesdays, March 6 - 27, 9:30 – 12:30

4 classes

\$150 members / \$185 non members

supply list on website

**Class Description:**

This is a class for students who have had an introduction to drawing and wish to develop their skills further. While drawing from up close observations, we will create exciting and vibrant drawings with an emphasis on composition and personal drawing styles. You will explore line, textures, value and form while using a variety of drawing materials and papers. Instruction will be geared to individual interests and abilities. There will be group critiques at the end of each class.

**Material List:**

- White drawing pad (11 x 14 or larger)
- Strathmore or Canson Mixed Media Paper Pad, 11 x14 is a suggested size
- HB, 2B, 4B, 6B drawing pencils (or any other assortment of B drawing pencils)
- A good pencil sharpener
- Charcoal drawing pencils – soft, medium & hard
- Charcoal White drawing pencil
- Water-soluble graphite (black) drawing pencils (light & dark washes)
- Kneaded Eraser and a White Artist eraser.
- Any black/graphite drawing materials you may have and want to play with.
- Support for drawing pad – a drawing board or large piece of foam core or Masonite.
- Clips for drawing pad & board.

**Course Content:**

1. Review of basic drawing concepts.
2. Development of line, shape, form and values.
3. Developing compositions and design.
4. Experimentation with different drawing materials and drawing papers.
5. Critiques and discussion at the end of each class.