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Understanding Color with Susan Ploughe
Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, March 31, April 1, and 2, 2023
9:00am-4:00pm

*Class starts promptly at 9:00am. Please be set up & ready to paint by then.
(Doors open at 8:30am)*

SUPPLY LIST for Oil Painters

Paints - *This is what I currently have on my palette, you do not need these exact colors. If you have other colors that are regularly on your palette, please bring them with you. We will discuss when/why to use them. As an alternative to the list above, you could work with a limited palette of the starred colors.*

- Titanium White*
- Cadmium Yellow Light*
- Cadmium Orange
- Cadmium Red (light or medium)
- Thalo Red Rose (Grumbacher)
- Alizarin Crimson Permanent*
- Dioxazine Purple
- Ultramarine Blue*
- A greenish blue (like Cerulean Blue Hue, Prussian, Thalo, etc.)
- Viridian (or Thalo Green)
- Sap Green
- Yellow Ochre
- Burnt Sienna
 - *I use either Grumbacher Transparent Oxide Red or Gamblin Earth Red instead because they are transparent, but burnt sienna is fine, too*

Surfaces

- Canvas Sheets
 - *Mainstreet will have them (16x20) for purchase, as needed throughout the workshop. I want you to use sheets instead of boards or stretched canvases; the finished exercises will be easier to carry with you to refer to in the coming months. If you are bringing your own canvas sheets, they can be smaller than 16x20. Even 9x12 is fine).*



Brushes

- **Bristle Brushes**
 - You won't need very many, just bring a handful
 - We will use sizes 4, 6, and 8
 - I use flats, but filberts are fine too
 - If you have some softer brushes, bring several of them too.

Tools & Other Items

- Grey Scale and Color Wheel
 - *You can purchase these from Mainstreet. I want to be sure we are all using the same items. If you already own one or both of these, bring them and I can tell you if they will work or not.*
- Large Board to tape canvas sheets to
- Making Tape
 - Must be neutral color, not blue
- Ruler 12" is long enough
- Solvent
 - Completely odorless (Gamsol mineral spirits or Sunnyside odorless)
- Painting Knife
- Palette
 - Preferably not white, but if that is all you have, that's ok
- Paper Towels