WATERCOLOR SKETCHING / Lamberton Conservatory
Meets Thursday, 12:30-3:30 pm at the Lamberton Conservatory in Highland Park
January 14-March 3, 2016 No classes January 28 or February 18

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Suggested materials
If you’re already an experienced plein air painter, you probably have tools suited for your personal way of working. If not, this list will help you get started the first day at minimal cost. If you have questions feel free to contact the instructor. Choices with an (*) asterisk are highly recommended.

NOTE: The Conservatory staff suggests you bring something on which to sit while you work and paint...a milk crate, folding chair or whatever.

WATERCOLOR SKETCH KIT with palette and pan colors. Some options:
- Sakura Assorted Water Colors Field Sketch Set with Brush (12, 18 or 24 color option)*
- Winsor & Newton Cotman Water Colours Sketchers' Pocket Box (12 colors)
- Holbein Pro Compo Mini-II Watercolor 12 Cake Travel Kit

PAPER
140 lb watercolor sketchbook, approx 9x12 inch. Some options:
- Strathmore 400 Series Cold Press Wire Bound Watercolor Pad 9 x 12 Inches
- Strathmore Spiral Bound Visual Journal with 9 by 12-Inch 140-Pound Watercolor Paper*

OTHER MATERIALS*
- Plastic water bottle (no glass)
- Paper towels, roll
- #2H pencil
- Kneaded rubber eraser
- Digital camera (optional)

WATERCOLOR BRUSHES
A) Round, #6 or #8. Short handle. Some options:
- Escoda Prado 1462 Watercolor & Acrylic Tame Synthetic Sable Paint Brush Round; Size 8* da Vinci Series 5530 Cosmotop Mix B Watercolor Round Paintbrush, Size 8
- Winsor & Newton Sceptre Gold II Brush Round-Short Handle; Size 8

B) Flat, 3/4 or 1 inch. Some options:
- Connoisseur Gold Taklon Mix Brush, 3/4- or 1-inch Flat*
- Princeton Flat Wash Brush 1-inch
- Winsor & Newton Sceptre Gold 606 Flatwash One Stroke, 3/4- or 1-inch

C) Liner, rigger or small round. Almost any small brush can fill out your kit.

Where to buy
Local art stores are your best source: they are knowledgeable and charge fair prices. Internet sources are a good second option. "Big box" craft and office supply stores are a distant third.
Rochester Art Supply / Main Street, Rochester
The Art Store of Rochester / Southtown Plaza, Henrietta (will give a 10% discount to Creative Workshop students, let them know)