

## PD811

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### **Painting the Still Life: Keeping it Simple**

**Sept 16-18, 2008 9am to 3pm**

- Students should bring a basic set of their favorite oil paints, I recommend Windsor Newton, artist oil colors:  
Ultramarine blue, Prussian green, Sap green, Cadmium yellow, Cadmium red, Cadmium scarlet, Alizarin crimson, Burnt sienna, Burnt umber, and Titanium white.
- Gamsol Odorless Mineral Spirits (available at Dick Blick #A00456-1016 and other art supply stores)
- Linseed oil.
- Two resealable containers, one for the Gamsol and one for the turpentine/linseed oil mix (we will mix this in class).
- A palette, either glass, wood or disposable pad
- One triangular palette knife for mixing colors on the palette.
- a few brushes: only one small or detail brush, mostly #10, 12 or 14 flat or bright, depending on the confidence of the student.
- Small (8 x 10) canvas boards to loosen up on, including one larger surface either canvas board or stretched canvas, to do a finished piece on. Bring at least 6 small painting boards to work on.
- a sketchbook no smaller than 11" x 14" to do quick blocking sketches in, with either soft woodless pencils or gray or sienna chalk sticks. A brown paper sketchbook would be great for those who use the gray and white charcoal.
- A biodegradable brush soap, Brush Flush or the like.
- paint rags, roll of paper towels, etc to clean up, unless the school provides these.
- Painting apron or overshirt to ensure safety of "good" clothes.

## - Notes for Oil Painters

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- Peninsula Art School is a turpentine-free zone. We require the use of Gamsol Odorless Mineral Spirits (Gamblin brand)
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- Dick Blick: #B00456-1032
- [www.dickblick.com](http://www.dickblick.com) 800-447-8192
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- Cheap Joes #GA00092
- [www.cheapjoes.com](http://www.cheapjoes.com) 800-227-2788
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- Jerry's Art-a-rama: #62364
- [www.jerrysartarama.com](http://www.jerrysartarama.com) 800-827-8478
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- When using solvents, mediums, or other flammables in the studios, you must dispose of any used rags or towels in the Red Fire-Proof Canisters. Do not dispose of your used solvents in these canisters. If the canister is full, please alert the staff and we will empty it.
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- We do not have facilities to dispose of your used solvents or mediums. Please bring a lidded container to bring your used solvents home with you.
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- If you are traveling by airplane, please contact the staff by phone (920-868-3455) or email ([staff@peninsulaartschool.com](mailto:staff@peninsulaartschool.com)) about other arrangement for your solvents.