

PEN AND WASH EQUIPMENT CATHERINE HEADLEY 25 June 2017

- PENS** You need one of each, waterproof and water soluble.
Waterproof Pens: Suggest Unipin fine line 0.5 **OR** Pilot V Ball 0.5
- Water soluble Pens:** Very few pens have watersoluble ink. The ZIG Art & Graphic Twin is soluble. The Edding 1200 slightly soluble. These pens are around £2.00. Another cheaper alternative is a dip pen and a pot of Winsor & Newton's **Dragon** non-waterproof ink £3.65. The Rotring Art Pen is very soluble but costs approx £20 (cheaper on line). It has a fountain pen nib and comes in a tin box with spare cartridges. Please **note: if you go for this pen do ask for Extra Fine.**
- PAPER** Recommend Winsor & Newton's Medium Surface Heavy Weight sketchbook, 220 gsm. Size A3 or A4.
- SUPPORT** for your sketch pad. A thin mdf board about 43 x 32 cms. Some art shops have boards.
- BRUSH** Brushes with **natural hair** are preferable to those of man-made fibres. The former hold more water. Some brushes are a mixture of natural and man-made which is a compromise.
You only need one brush of reasonable size. Here is a choice:
- Pro Arte Series 50, small or medium
Pro Arte series 101, size 12
Winsor & Newton, series 240, size 1
- Please note that if you do not wish to buy brush and paints Catherine can lend a brush and provide paint, for £1.50 on the day.**
- PAINTS** These are available in students' and artists', the latter being the higher quality. Cotman and Rowney Georgian are student quality products.
- Alizarin Crimson
Raw Sienna
Burnt Sienna
(artists) Winsor Green – Blue Shade **OR** students - Intense Green
(artists) French Ultramarine **OR** students - Ultramarine
(artists) New Gamboge **OR** students - Gamboge
Cadmium or Winsor Red
- PALETTE** You can buy folding plastic watercolour boxes for tube paints. If you decide on watercolour pans in a box, then you already have a palette as part of the box.
- SUNDRIES** Notebook. Shallow box large tissues (shallow so that you can rest your sketchpad against for an angle. Squat water container (tall ones get knocked over).
- STOCKIST** Colemans Art Shop in Stamford (opposite Tesco's)
Colemans of Cowgate, Peterborough
All give 10% discount if you say you are in a class