



Plein Air – China Camp State Park, San Rafael

Saturday, June 20, 2020, 10:00am to 2:00pm



Historic old buildings and boats, bay, marshes nearby. This is a 1,600 acre State Park that's on the list to be closed, come see it while you still can! A Chinese shrimp-fishing village thrived on this site in the 1880s. Nearly 500 people, originally from Canton, China, lived in the village. In its heyday, there were three general stores, a marine supply store and a barber shop. We will paint from 10:00am to 1:30pm and then meet near the parking lot at the picnic tables by the beach at China Camp Village for a critique at 1:30pm. Bring lunch (the little hut often has food for sale, but this is not guaranteed). We will ask for a volunteer to write the article for the newsletter about the day and we'll take pictures of all of the paintings for the newsletter and www.facebook.com/californiawatercolor.

Directions:

- Four miles east of San Rafael on the shore of San Pablo Bay.
- From Highway 101, go east on North San Pedro Road for five miles until it enters the park.
- See China Camp Village (★) on the map below.
- Parking costs \$5 (pay by check or cash deposited in a little envelope into a box near entrance to parking lot, exact amount required).

China Camp State Park
100 China Camp Village Road
San Rafael, CA 94901

[Click here](#) for further info about China Camp State Park.

Questions?

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