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PLEIN AIR PAINT OUT TO BRING NEARLY 40 ARTISTS TO TOWN OF PIKE ROAD OCT. 18-19

Join us for the 8th Annual Plein Air Paint Out for Live Painting Demonstrations and Original Art feat. Local Landscapes

WHAT: 8th Annual Pike Road Plein Air Paint Out, presented by the Pike Road Arts Council, a Town of Pike Road ENHANCE initiative committee.

WHEN: Friday, Oct. 18 - Saturday, Oct. 19

WHERE: throughout the Town of Pike Road – Please find addresses for particular events below.

- Friday, Oct. 18
 - Artists paint throughout the Town of Pike Road capturing local landscapes and architecture. Please see attached map.
 - o Live Painting Demonstration by Amy Peterson, 11:30 a.m., Pike Road Arts Center (944 Wallahatchie Rd)
 - "As an outdoor enthusiast and conservationist, I value plein air as an opportunity to document a place in time, on canvas, immersed in the weather, the season, and the uniqueness of each location." – Amy Peterson
 - Sneak Peek Art Party & Reception, 5 7 p.m., Pike Road Arts Center (944 Wallahatchie Rd)
- Saturday, Oct. 19
 - Artists paint throughout the Town of Pike Road until midafternoon, when paintings must be turned in to New Waters Realty for judging and display.
 - Wet Paint Art Show, Sale & Reception, 5 7 p.m., New Waters Realty (2239 Marler Rd). Those who
 attend the Art Show & Sale are invited to vote for the "People's Choice Award." Get to know the artists,
 meet the Pike Road Arts Council, and find the perfect piece of Pike Road art to grace the walls of your
 home, or grab a one-of-a-kind gift for a friend! Refreshments will be served.

WHO: The media and the public are invited to participate in this two-day event. Those in attendance will have the opportunity to get to know artists from across the State of Alabama and beyond, observe a variety of painting techniques in action, purchase original art featuring local scenery, and more. We hope to see you around Town soon!

For more information or to schedule an interview, contact Turner Waddell by calling (864) 958-6577 or emailing Turner@pikeroad.us. Visit the Facebook event to RSVP!