

PAL Plein Air Painter's Checklist

	For Oil Painting:	
	Pencil/Eraser/Sketchbook	Plein Air Etiquette
	Paint	Be a Good Steward—You'll Be Asked Back
	Palette Knife	
	Brushes	*Park in designated areas, or well off side of road.
	Papertowels or rags	*Do not block hiking trails.
	Palette Scraper	*If someone is already in the spot you like, ask if they mind sharing, if there is room.
	Odorless Mineral Spirits (Gamsol)	*If your neighbor is interested in conversation, they will let you know.
	Brush Washer Container	*Leave No Trace: Pack out everything you bring in, including trash
	Oil Medium	*Do not dump solvents and mediums on property—take them home.
	Easel/Tripod	*Do not take photos of private property unless you have permission.
	Canvas (Toned/Untoned)	*If there are no bathrooms, go to the nearest restaurant/store—ask your friend to watch your gear. It is too easy to wander into poison ivy or encounter a tick in the brush. Bring them back a coffee!
	Wet Painting Carrier	*Watch for wildlife. Do not approach.
	Bug Spray/Sunscreen	*Do not cut plants, or take souvenirs.
	Trash Bag	
	Chair or stool	
	Hat	
	ViewCatcher	
	Umbrella	
	Wet Wipes	
	Pliers	
	Drop Cloth	
	Collapsible Traffic Cone	
	Lunch/Water/Drink	