



Workshop Info Sheet

Project Description:

This paper plate art project is designed to get responses, viewpoints, experiences, or emotions regarding the flooding that mother nature continues to dish out. Using Chinet paper plates for a canvas, we are asking people to create their vision or visions of “what’s on their plate” after all of the flooding... *What are your hopes? What are your fears? How are you doing? What do you need? How and/or how are you helping others? What’s on your plate?*

This project is being organized by Waterbury Area MakerSphere with generous support from the VT Flood Response & Recovery Fund of the Vermont Community Foundation.



Materials

Materials will be provided. They include 9” or 6” Chinet paper plates, sharpie markers, and watercolor paints. You are not limited to one plate. Take as many as you’d like to create your vision or visions. Several plates may even be designed to be hung together as one art piece. Any medium may be used: collage, paint, clay, words, photos or 3-D objects.

Eligibility

All ages and levels of expertise are welcome to submit a plate(s). This project is open to anyone living in Vermont.

Requirements

Details will be provided at the workshop. They include a release form and directions on how to clearly label your artwork. If you have made a piece out of several plates, please provide us with instructions on how to hang them together properly.

If your creation is oversized or need special handling, contact *Sarah-Lee Terrat at yelodog1@comcast.net*

Workshop Dates/Locations...Just drop in!

June 18: 5:30 - 7:30 at Waterbury Public Library

July 10: 3:00 - 5:00 at Waterbury Area Senior Center (all ages welcome)

July 13: 10:00 - 3:00 at Waterbury Arts Fest, Pilgrim Park

July 25: 4:00 - 7:00 pm at Waterbury Farmers Market

More dates in August to be announced!

Plate Kit Pick-Up/Drop-Off Locations

Stowe Street Emporium

Waterbury Public Library

Red Hen Bakery, Middlesex

Waterbury Arts Fest, July 13

Deadlines

Completed plates may be submitted at any time from now until August 16th, 2024 (See list of drop-off locations).

If you are mailing your plates, send to:

What's on your Plate? % MakerSphere, PO Box 114, Waterbury, VT 05676

Display of Artwork

The plates will become part of community art exhibits and will be displayed with other submissions. Due to the public nature of this project, we encourage artists to consider the multi-age viewing audience and self-edit their content accordingly.

Receptions for *What's on Your Plate?* will be held in September and October. Stay tuned for details.

Questions or want to get involved?

Contact *Sarah-Lee Terrat* at: yelodog1@comcast.net