

## American Society of Botanical Artists

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### The Finer Points of Graphite

Robin Jess

Friday, October 16

8:30 am – 12:00 pm

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Graphite can create fantastically detailed and subtle works of art. Learn various line systems and make clean, fresh images with a strong range of values.



### Supply List:

- Lead holder
- HB graphite “lead” (or 2B if preferred)
- Sharpener
- White plastic eraser
- Clean kneaded eraser
- Several (3 at least) about 11 X 14 pieces of paper – either Arches hotpress 130 lb, Bristol board (plate finish, 2 –ply) and/or Stonehenge.
- Some samples of these will be available

### Bio:

Executive Director of ASBA. Robin illustrated books for The New York Botanical Garden with botanist Dr. Arthur Cronquist. She specializes in New Jersey flora, especially that of the Pine Barrens. She has received grants, fellowships and awards for her artwork.