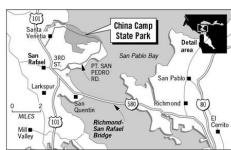
## China Camp May 19, 2012 - 10 am to 1 pm San Rafael, CA 94901







## **China Camp Website**

## **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.

Park Brochure - see China Camp Village on the map in the park brochure.

Paint from 10 am to 1 pm and then meet near the parking lot at the picnic tables by the beach at China Camp Village for a critique at 1:00. Bring lunch.

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

"Historic old buildings and boats, bay, marshes nearby."

**Parking costs \$5** (pay by check or cash deposited in a little envelope into a box near entrance to parking lot.) 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.