Creative Camera Club, Inc.

Meeting: August 19, 2010 7:00 p.m. Crestwood Christian Church

See page 4 for directions!

Submit digital images for this month's competition by 11.59 pm Tuesday, August 17 to dan.smith.ky@gmail.com

Complete instructions on the web site for submitting Digital Images for the competition.

member of lexarts (www.lexarts.org)



Lexington, KY August 2010

Photo Competition
Flowers

http://www.creativecameraclub.org/cropping/cropping.html

The print category for competition is limited to Black and White entries only.

A **flower**, sometimes known as a bloom or blossom, is the reproductive structure found in flowering plants (plants of the division Magnoliophyta, also called angiosperms).

In addition to serving as the reproductive organs of flowering plants, flowers have long been admired and used by humans, mainly to beautify their environment but also as a source of food.



First Thursday—September 2: Getting Ready for the Annual Print Show Tom Myers will lead a discussion about our annual event: Included will be pointers about how to submit entries, what to expect at the Club meeting and the Gallery Hop Public Opening and reception.

Who's to judge?

How does one tell if an image is "Good"?

This month, as part of our regular club meeting, and before we have start the competition, Tom Myers will lead us in a discussion of what makes a good image. Take a minute and read the article on our Facebook page 12 Elements of a Merit Image, or check out the source on the PPA website

www.ppa.com/competitions/international/12elements.php

Consider these points:

Impact, Creativity, Technical excellence, Composition, Lighting, Style, Print Presentation, Center of Interest, Subject Matter, Color Balance, Technique, Story Telling.

Dr. Thomas Barnes will be critiquing our competition entries this month. Tom has written and taken photographs for several books including "Rare Wildflowers of Kentucky," "Kentucky's Last Great Places," "The Wildflowers of and Ferns of Kentucky," and "Gardening for the Birds." His photographs are used in magazines, calendars, books, and on websites throughout the world. More than 700 of his images appear on the plants.usda.gov and University of Tennessee web pages

Thanks, Tom, for giving your time and sharing your expertise on Flowers and photography.

Kentucky Creation Museum offers a Fall Photography Workshop (October 2010)

You can read about 2009's Fall Workshop on their website. This workshop will be a special one-day workshop.

The topic is autumn color and Photoshop TM. Gather fantastic images of wonderful fall colors and tmake them all they can be with Photoshop. By the end of the day everyone should have images they would be proud to hang on their wall.

Date: Saturday, October 23, 2010

Cost: \$30

Topics: Basic exposure, equipment, photographing

flowers, and low-light shooting.

Call: 1-800-778-3390

Upcoming Events, Exhibits, Workshops

Aug 21 - 22 Woodland Art Fair. The name has changed to AFB Art Fair @ Woodland Park, but don't let that fool you - it is still Lexington's largest, free, outdoor cultural event with over 65,000 visitors coming to Woodland Park during the two-day event. Hours Sat 10-6, Sun 10 -5.

GALLERY HOP FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 18, 5 - 8PM CLUB-SPONSORED INSTALLATION AT TWO CAN GALLERY 320 WEST SECOND

The Kentucky PhotoScenic Weekend at Cumberland Falls, Sept 24-25. This is a FREE digital photography workshop. REGISTER VIA EMAIL to: photoscenicworkshop@gmail.com

Sept 24 - 25. The First Thursday group is planning a day trip to the Bluegrass Balloon Festival on Sept 25 to be a part of this event. There is a \$10 per car fee charged by the event, part of which benefits local charities. Matt Baker is coordinating this trip.

LIGHTROOM Workshop

Part of the First Thursday offerings, this workshop offers a "how to" from club member April Cole.

Nature Photography Workshop
October 08 - 10, 2010
Pine Mountain Settlement School **Dr. Thomas G. Barnes**, award-winning author and nature photographer and UK Extension
Wildlife Specialist and professor in the
Department of Forestry, will lead a nature photography workshop on Oct. 8 through 10 at
Pine Mountain Settlement School. The workshop is part of the School's Fall Arts Weekend. There is a fee to attend the workshop
Details:

http://www.pinemountainsettlementschool.com/events.php

Things to shoot and things to see

American Photo Magazine Images of the Year competition

The 5th Annual American Photo Images of the Year Competition is a definitive showcase of the very best in photography. This juried photo contest offers unmatched exposure to both established and emerging photographers in a wide range of fields, from documentary/photojournalism to cutting-edge commercial work, will provide an unprecedented opportunity for peer review of work by professional photographers, museum curators and influential editors. Competition winners will be selected on the basis of originality and overall quality of concept execution, and will be published in the January/February 2011 issue of American Photo and on american photomag.com.

There is a fee to enter.

Details, including entry and submission rules, can be found on their website:

http://ioty2010.americanphotomag.com/

The Year End approaches! Be Level Minded

Please read the Levels Program information in the Creative Camera Club By-Laws (http://www.creativecameraclub.org) and submit your points to Maryann Mills via e-mail or in writing at a club meeting.

Competition Topics 2011

February - Sunrises and Sunsets April - Fungi / Fungus June - Fog / Mist August - Historic October - Reflection

Photo Courtesy of John Snell

2010 Competition Topics

February - Facial Expressions
April - Animals
June - Trees
August - Flowers
October - Cemeteries

Call for Prints

Annual Print Show Living Arts and Science Center

It's not too early to begin planning for the annual print show. This event is open to all paid members of the club who have attended at least three (3) club meetings and/or club functions during the calendar year in which the show occurs and prior to the month of the show.

Any image may be eligible for the annual print competition provided that the image has not been entered in a previous annual print competition. Check the web site for submission details and categories.

The Wild Card category for this year is MOTION.

The show is in November and coincides with the November Gallery Hop.

Two Can Gallery - call for Prints Aug 19

The Club's fourth Gallery Hop exhibit at the Two Can Gallery is at 320 West Second Street will be Sep 16. We will be seeking prints for consideration for that show at the August meeting.

Bring sample Prints for consideration to the August 19 Club meeting. Be sure to label every print with your name and contact information.

Contact Charters Osborne (231-5204) for more information Complete Rules for Submission can be found http://www.creativecameraclub.org/twocan.pdf





Full Moon

Aug 24, 2010 Sep 23, 2010

New Moon

Aug 9, 2010

2010 Club Calendar

Jan 21 It's In the Bag - Bill Fortney Nikon Rep tells us all about his bag of tricks

Feb 2 Deadline Insect Photo Salon deadline - check the website

18 Facial Expressions Competition

19 Gallery Hop

Mar 18 Insect Photo Salon

Apr 15 Animals Competition

16 Gallery Hop

May 12 Deadline - Art in the Cathedral exhibit submissions

16 Exhibit opens

20 Pam Spaulding "An American Family"

Jun 17 Trees Competition

18 Gallery Hop Art in the Cathedral

Jul 1 First Thursday - Sunrise / Sunset 15 Equine Photography

Aug 5 First Thursday - Lights 19 Flowers Competition

Sep 2 First Thursday

16 TBA

17 Gallery Hop

Oct 7 First Thursday

21 Cemeteries Competition

Nov 4 First Thursday

18 Print Show Competition

19 Gallery Hop

Dec 9

Annual Christmas Party and Awards

Banquet - Fasig Tipton

All Club Calendar entries are tentative and subject to change. Check the website for up-to-date information.

Meeting Location

To get to the church - exit off New Circle Rd. at Tates Creek Rd. and go north (toward town), turn left on Albany Rd. (about the 4th stop light), go nearly one-half mile to the 4-way stop at Bellefonte Dr., and turn right onto Bellefonte. The church will be on the right just past Glendover Elementary School. Turn right into the second entrance off Bellefonte.

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