Submit digital images for this month’s competition by 11.59 pm Tuesday, June 15 to dan.smith.ky@gmail.com.

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

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

The print category for competition is limited to Black and White entries only. We no longer accept slides for competition.

A Tree is a perennial woody plant. It is most often defined as a woody plant that has many secondary branches supported clear of the ground on a single main stem or trunk.

Compared with most other plants, trees are long-lived, some reaching several thousand years old and over 300 feet high.

Club-Sponsored Gallery Hop Reception Friday June 18, 5 - 8pm at Christ Church Cathedral
166 Market Street, Lexington.
Club members are asked to bring food for the reception.
 CLUB GALLERY HOP at Two Can  
Two Can 320 West Second Street  
Club members are exhibiting at Two Can Gallery. Stop by and support the Club.

Upcoming Events, Exhibits, Workshops

June 26-27 Francisco's Farm Art Fair, Midway College campus. Hours 10-6 Saturday and 10-5 on Sunday. Admission is $5 per vehicle. More info: [www.franciscosfarm.org](http://www.franciscosfarm.org)

July 9-11 Berea Craft Festival, Indian Fort Theater, Berea. Hours 10-6 each day. Admission $5 adults, $4 seniors, free to children under 12. More info: [www.bereacraftfestival.com](http://www.bereacraftfestival.com)

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.

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, part of which benefits local charities. Matt Baker will have a sign up sheet.

First Thursday

We had 26 people attend the meeting that focused on Camera Controls. We were able to divide into user groups for Canon & Nikon equipment and work the camera controls. We learned several things we were specifically interested in addressing about focal point selection, ISO choice, and Depth Of Field relationship to f-stop choice.

Members shared work samples for critique and this gave everyone some practical discussion points.

If this sounds like your idea of a good meeting, consider some of the possible future topics discussed & asked for were:

1. Flash Photography / General available light shooting.
2. Photoshop plug-ins & actions
3. Lenses 101
4. Histograms
5. Basic composition / Rule of Thirds / Leading lines
6. Processing with Lightroom
7. Annual Competition How-To's / Defining CCC activities

The next First Thursday meeting is July 1 at the church. On hand will be John Snell leading a discussion that focuses on photographing sunrises and sunsets.

Bring your camera - we will have a chance to shoot the sunset
Things to shoot
and
things to see

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http://www.nwf.org/photocontest/default.aspx

- Two $5,000 Grand Prizes
- Winning images will be published on our website and a selection will appear in our December 2010 issue
- Pro, Amateur and Youth divisions
  For the $20 entry fee, you can submit up to 25 images in 7 categories: Birds, Mammals, Other Wildlife, Landscapes/Plants, Connecting People and Nature, Backyard Habitat and Global Warming

To enter the contest, you must:
- Be at least 13 years old
- Possess a valid credit card for the $20 entry fee, which includes a one-year membership to the National Wildlife Federation and six issues of National Wildlife magazine
- Have your own photos in digital format (information on sizing and how to upload will be given)
- Provide descriptions and stories behind your photos
- Have an email and mailing address
- Enter by July 6, 2010

Call for Prints

Annual Print Show
Living Arts and Science Center

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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 Sep 16

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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

Thank You!

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To see images of the event, check out:
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2010 Competition Topics

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

Competition Topics 2011

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

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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 15  Equine Photography
        Matt Wolley

Aug 19  Flowers Competition

Sep 16  Ruth Adams
        17  Gallery Hop

Oct 21  Cemeteries Competition

Nov 18  Print Show Competition
        (tentative)
      19  Gallery Hop

Dec 9  Annual Christmas Party and
      Awards Banquet

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