# Creative Camera Club, Inc.

Meeting: June 16, 2011 7:00 p.m. Crestwood Christian Church

See page 4 for directions!

The topic for the third competition of 2011 is *Fog/Mist*.

The Club voted last month to only use digital images in our competitions. We also voted to limit the submissions to a total of two per competition.

member of lexarts (www.lexarts.org)



Lexington, KY June 2011

**Competition** 

Fog / Mist

These changes go into effect with this competition. So do not bring prints on Thursday.

Only paid Club members are eligible to compete. Dues are paid to our Treasurer, Don Mills. His contact information is on page 4.

To be included in the Thursday's competition, submissions must be received by 11.59pm Tuesday June 14. Submit to dan.smith.ky@gmail.com. (Remember, Dan it not responsible

for technical issues that may delay receipt of your images, so don't wait until 11.57!)

Mist is a phenomenon of small droplets suspended in air. It can occur as part of natural weather or volcanic activity, and is common in cold air above warmer water, in exhaled air in the cold, and in a steam room of a sauna.

The only difference between mist and fog

is visibility. The mist is **Fog** if the visibility is 1,100 yards or less. Otherwise it is known as mist. Seen from a distance, mist is bluish, and haze is more brownish.

Who knew?



# **Club Business**

There is a vacancy on the Board to complete the rest of 2011, and serve through 2012. So what does it mean to be a Board member? Besides all of the major perks of Club membership, you get to attend another monthly meeting, decide what we're going to do at Club meetings, discuss what our competition topics will be - the opportunities are just endless!

Not sure if this is for you? Why not join us for the next meeting. We meet at Applebees on Nicholasville in Lexington at 6.30 pm the Tuesday immediately before the First Thursday meeting. Board Meetings are open to everyone, by the way.

You are welcomed to join us. Next meeting is July 5.

#### **Competition Topics - 2012**

Thank you to everyone who made suggestions for 2012 competition topics. We'll be surveying at the June meeting to collect the most popular offerings, and then presenting the final picks in July.

#### **Call for Slideshows**

Members are invited to present brief slide shows of their work (target a five minute presentation) during regular Club meetings. Sign up at any meeting and we'll get you in. Next month - John Robinson shows his stuff.

#### **Call for Prints**

The Club has obtained a public venue to showcase framed prints. The gallery is in the Six Friends Café on Kentucky Ave, across from Woodland Park in Lexington. The total display area will accommodate 15 prints of varying sizes. Prints need to be matted and framed. We would like to fill this space as quickly as possible. If you are interested, talk to a member of the Board at the June meeting.

Thursday June 17 - Allen Dawson on Camera Raw and CS5 - Allen will be giving a short talk on this topic. Not quite a Members' Slide Show, it will be good information from one of our members.

# **First Thursday**

July 7 - Parades and public events
Go shoot the area Memorial Day and July 4th
celebrations. Bring images to share and we
will have a critique.

We had an excellent workshop May 14 presented by Dave Huntsman entitled "Finding Focus". Also joining in was Mary Mannix, Technical Rep from Canon. Dave and Mary offered us perspective on how to make our images better, using techniques found in judging images for the Kentucky Professional Photographers Association competitions. The images provided were beautiful, the commentary was helpful, and the discussion was lively.

Come join us on the first Thursday of each month at the church for a more informal, interactive meeting. This is a great venue to ask questions about your gear, about how to improve your technique - bring samples of your images to share and compare.

The members convene at 7.00 pm.

Got a good idea for a future meeting? Mention it at the meeting or shoot it to the Board for consideration. We are always looking for new topics of interest to the group.

Thank You Jennifer Palumbo of KPPA for joining our meeting this month and offering information about the benefits of membership in the Kentucky Professional Photographers Association, and sharing your insights in a critique of the Fog / Mist competition submissions.

# Things to shoot and things to see

### Club Field Trip Mark Your Calendars for July 28-31.

It's next month that John Snell will be leading us on a field trip to the Blue Ridge Parkway/Smokies area. The trip is planned for the weekend of July 28-31. We'll plan to stay in Waynesville, NC and take our day trips from there. There will be an organizational meeting following the Club meeting Thursday June 16. Please plan to stay after to work out some of the details.

#### **Central KY Computer Society**

Winter classes are underway with a host of cool offerings, including Digital Imaging, Creative Graphics, Photo Principals for Point & Shoot . check out all of them on their website: <a href="www.ckcs.org">www.ckcs.org</a>

#### Free Workshops and Classes

Want to learn how to use Adobe CS3 Creative Suite, which includes Photoshop, Illustrator, Flash, Fireworks and Dreamweaver? For Free? These programs are powerful photo, graphic design and web creation programs for photographers and digital designers. Check out the Lexington Public Library's Northside Branch on Russell Cave.

#### Something new in the neighborhood -

The Lexington Art Academy
698 Perimeter Drive, Lexington Kentucky 40517,
Web lexingtonartacademy.com email,
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Foundational Drawing for Painting (for all levels) Two class levels beginning July 5, Tuesdays, 6 to 9 pm Joe Willett, instructor

# Upcoming Events, Exhibits, Workshops

Gallery Hop - Friday June 17 5pm-8pm

**Lexington Public Library - Kentucky Architecture Photography by Robert Tebbs** 

Some of the finest images of 19th-century Kentucky buildings were produced in the summer of 1927 by the British-born photographer Robert William Tebbs. Tebbs (1875-1945) was brought to Kentucky by the architectural historian Rexford Newcomb for the purpose of illustrating the book Old Kentucky Architecture (1940). The project was proposed by the Kentucky Chapter of the American Institute of Architects in 1925. The exhibit of Tebbs's photographs will be on display through June 19 at the Central Library Gallery. The Filson Historical Society and Clay Lancaster's Warwick Foundation are sponsoring the exhibit.

#### John Snell Photography Workshop

The Gateway Regional Arts Center 101 East Main St. Mt. Sterling, Ky 40353 June 18, 2011 – 10am- 4pm

Title: Digital Photography

Goal: How to Take Better Photographs

Duration: One day

Cost: \$100

Age Group: 14 and over. Subject matter will be relevant for beginning and intermediate

photographers.

Overview: The workshop will be classroom instruction with time for questions. Instruction will not delve into how individual cameras work or their specific controls, but rather will concentrate on features that are common to most cameras and how they affect the outcome of the photographs we take. It is our aim that anyone who attends the workshop will learn concepts that can immediately enable them to take better photographs.

## Got something to share?

If you have an event, a showing, a photo op you would like to include in the Club Newsletter, send it in an email to LynnOsborne@insightbb.com



#### **Full Moon**

Jun 15, 2011 Jul 15, 2011

#### New Moon

Jun 3, 2011 Jul 1, 2011

# 2011 Club Calendar

Jan 3 pick up prints at LASC

6 Table Top Photography

20 Ron Curtis . 3D Photography

Feb 3 Tim & Bev Walden: Marketing

17 Competition . Sunrise/Sunset

18 Gallery Hop

Mar 3 Web Design Workshop

17 Insect Photo Salon

Apr 7 First Thursday

21 Competition . Fungi

16 Gallery Hop

May 5 First Thursday

19 Randy Dinkins - HDR

Jun 2 First Thursday

**16 Competition** . Fog / Mist Jennifer Palumbo - KPPA

17 Gallery Hop

Jul 7 First Thursday

21 Ron Elliott

Aug 5 First Thursday

18 Competition . Historic

Sep 1 First Thursday

15 Club Meeting

**16** Gallery Hop

Oct 6 First Thursday

20 Competition . Reflection

Nov 3 First Thursday

TBD Print Show Submission 10-12

**TBD** LASC . Print Show

18 Gallery Hop . LASC

**Dec 1** First Thu . Composition

TBD Annual Christmas Party and

Awards Banquet at Fasig. Tipton

All dates and venues are subject to change . especially those surrounding the 2011 print show and awards banquet.

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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