Monthly Newsletter of the

# Creative Camera Club, Inc.

March 2013



Member of LexArts (www.lexarts.org)

Lexington, KY

Meeting: March 21, 2013 7:00 p.m.
Crestwood Christian Church
1882 Bellefonte Drive
Lexington, KY

# 53rd North Central Insect Photographic Salon

Presented by Tom Myers

Tom Myers is President of the Camera Club, a board certified Entomologist, and president of All-Rite Pest Control in Lexington. His work includes consulting, training, and research in the many areas of Urban Entomology.



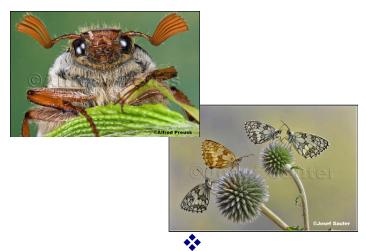
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This is the 53rd North Central Insect Photographic Salon and the images are of insects and other arthropods. Two hundred eighty five images were entered and entrants came from 6 continents; 19 different countries, and 12 U.S. states These are some of the winning images from last year.

Tom's work is part of a current exhibit at the Robert L. Ringel Gallery at Purdue University, entitled "On Six Legs: 100 Years of Insect Art and Science". The exhibit will be up until April 21st.

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# First Thursday.... March

Jeff Lackey presented an informative presentation regarding the new web site that will be ready soon. It looks very good.

Allen Dawson explained and gave examples of the new features in CS6. He then reviewed some of the basics of Photoshop generally, emphasizing the three things to make your Photoshop experience more enjoyable, more efficient, and more likely to make your pictures look better - keyboard shortcuts, understanding and using layer masks, and making your own actions. The best workflow starts with using RAW processing before taking the picture into Photoshop proper, and examples of that were presented.

### **April**



Sandra Varellas will be presenting an introduction to shooting, processing and creating time-lapse movies with a DSLR camera. She will show movies she has created and explain the workflow and the software used. She will also provide information about resources that can be accessed on the internet for those who want to learn more about the process. The photo above is from her presentation.



### **February Competition Results**

Images may be viewed at: www.creativecamera club.org

#### **Advanced Color**

1st Place—Robert Johnson 2nd Place—Virgil Boler 3rd Place—Robert Johnson Honorable Mention—John Snell

#### Intermediate Color

1st Place—Kenneth Graulach 2nd Place—Donna Forgacs 3rd Place—Jennifer Lackey Honorable Mention—Beverly Buford

### **Beginner Color**

1st Place—Jill Osborne 2nd Place—Jamie Courtney 3rd Place—Brian Henry Honorable Mention—Janice McKinney

#### Advanced Black & White

1st Place—John Robinson 2nd Place—Nancy Dawson 3rd Place—Roger Ballard

#### Intermediate Black & White

1st Place—Charles Zehnder 2nd Place—Jenny Fowler 3rd Place—Rob Bentley Honorable Mention—Kenneth Graulach

### Beginner Black & White

1st Place—Carolyn Nichols 2nd Place—Raymond Bailey 3rd Place—Jerry Markussen Honorable Mention—Arun Sankaranarayanan



### Member Slide Show

Nancy Dawson will present the Member Slide Show this month.

The program, entitled "Architectural Gems from the Gilded Age", will feature images from four structures built between 1871 and 1910.



# THINGS TO SEE, DO, AND SHOOT

### cincinnati \* art museum

953 Eden Park Drive Cincinnati, Ohio 45202-953

James Welling: Monograph

February 02, 2013 to May 05, 2013

Artist James Welling has created beautiful and challenging photographs for over thirty-five years. Operating in the hybrid ground between painting and sculpture and traditional photography, he is a foremost photographic practitioner enthralled with the possibilities of the medium. Since the mid-1970s, Welling's practice has unfailingly shifted to address an impressive array of issues and ideas: the tenets of realism and transparency, abstraction and representation, optics and description, personal and cultural memory, and the material and chemical nature of photography. His program, in particular, helps refine our definition of a photograph while offering a meaningful new paradigm for contemporary art.



# Robert C. Mays Endowment Lecture Series

In the Singletary Center for the Arts, 405 Rose Street (Rose Street and Euclid Avenue), Lexington, KY

#### Martha Rosler

Exhibition: March 15 - April 14, 2013

Lecture: Friday, April 5, 4 pm

Whether working as a photographer, videographer, or writer, artist Martha Rosler has created startling and incisive commentaries on American culture for more than forty years.



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## Curves From Math, Waves In Glass

Origami and Glass Works by Martin and Erik Demaine Exhibition: April 21 - May 26, 2013 Lecture: Wednesday, April 24, at 5 pm

Art and geometry merge gracefully in the origami and glass sculptures by father and son team Martin and Erik Demaine, engineering and computer scientists at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The artists will give a public lecture on April 24th at 5 pm.



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# THINGS TO SEE, DO, AND SHOOT

## The Dayton Art Institute

Watershed: 100 Years of Photography along the Great Miami River.

February 23 2013 - May 5 2013



This exhibition is based on a new publication by the Miami Conservancy District that contrasts historical images documenting the flood and its aftermath with contemporary photographs

depicting similar views. This exhibition presents the medium of photography and the practice of photographers as it has developed during the past 100 years. Historical materials, including postcards, period equipment and glass slides, document eight cities along the Great Miami River – Piqua, Troy, Dayton, West Carrollton, Miamisburg, Franklin, Middletown and Hamilton.

For a complete description, refer to the February Newsletter

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# Outing to Burgess Falls State Park David Richardson—April 13-14

We will leave early Saturday morning (an exact time is still to be announced) making our way south to the Alvin C. York homestead, and mill. I'd like to have everyone bring something light for a potluck lunch (such as cheese, sausages, veggie trays... don't want anything too heavy). From there we will head to the Burgess Falls State park. Once we are done there we will bed down for the night (I may have a sunrise/sunset stop at this point, but I'm still waiting for land permission). Sunday will be spent in the

Taylor Hollow Nature preserve. I will bring a small presentation to the March meeting with more info.

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## Basic Photography Workshop

This will be for beginners and those who think they need their memory refreshed. We cover things like apertures, shutter speeds and how they work together to enhance a photograph. The date, time and place will be: Saturday April 6 at the Clark County Public Library meeting room from 9:30 until noon. "Sign up sheet and maps will be available at the March meeting." Also, you may contact Zane Williams at the March meeting.

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### Christ Church Cathedral Exhibit

The Creative Camera Club will again host a mid-year Print Show at Christ Church Cathedral's Art at the Cathedral gallery to coincide with the June Gallery Hop. Prints in the theme "Wildlife" should be delivered to the Cathedral, ready to hang, May 20th. The Club will host the June 21st Gallery Hop, and is responsible for providing the snacks for the event. Prints will hang from May 26th - July 27th (pick up July 29th). For specific information about the exhibit and how to submit your images, please refer to the "Call to Artists & Submission Form" attached to this newsletter.

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## The National Arts Program

Did you know that by virtue of membership in Creative Camera Club, we have extended privileges of LexArts? One of those opportunities is the National Arts Program. The National Arts Program is designed to

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give all artists, at all skill levels, an uninhibited opportunity to exhibit their work in a professional manner and to compete for cash prizes. The exhibit will be judged by professional artists and visual art professionals in Amateur, Intermediate, Professional, and Youth classifications, and it is FREE to all.

Don't miss this chance to be recognized for

your photographic creativity. Be proud of your images!

Go to this link to register and to upload photographs of your artwork:

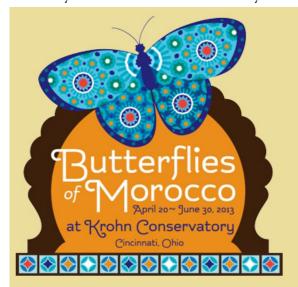
http://www.nationalartsprogram.org/venues/lexington-fayette-county-ky

The deadline for registration is April 1, 2013.

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# **Krohn Conservatory**

1501 Eden Park Dr, Cincinnati, OH Butterfly Show at Krohn Conservatory



http://www.cincinnatiparks.com/butterflyshow/index.php/special-events

#### **Butterflies of Morocco**

Enter the Krohn Conservatory showroom filled with the exotic Butterflies of Morocco, and these brilliantly colored, soaring works of art will be your guides as you are immersed in a spectacular feast for the senses. The sound of water flowing, bursts of colorful flowers, and alluring musical rhythms will accompany you as you stroll along the centuries old passages with their marketplaces hung with woven carpets, embroidered fabrics, sparkling jewels and carved woods. Experience the essence of Morocco— etched by nature into one of the world's most beautiful countries—through a visit to the Butterflies of Morocco at Cincinnati's historic Krohn Conservatory.

April 20 - June 30, 2013 Open Daily 10:00am - 5:00pm

\$7 adults • \$6 seniors • \$4 children • 4 & under are FREE!

\$12 Unlimited Admission Pins Purchase Butterflies of Morocco Pin





## Photographer Morning

Saturday, May 25 8:30am - 10am

Photographers and tripods welcome! Come get some great shots of the Butterflies before we open. Admission: \$12

### Photographer Nights

April 22, 29, May 6, 13 & 20 Mondays Nights - 5:30pm - 7:30pm

Photographers and tripods welcome! Come get some great shots of the butterflies after hours. Admission: \$12

# 2013 Club Calendar

- Jan 2 Pick up prints at LASC
  - First Thursday: Camera Petting Zoo
  - 17 Twelve Elements of a Successful Image
- First Thursday: Choose your settings Feb 7
  - 21 **Competition-**Fences and Gates Gallery Hop
- Mar 7 First Thursday-Software (Photoshop)
  - 21 Insect Photo Salon: Description and Images (Myers)
- Apr 4 First Thursday-Time Lapse Photography Sandra Varellas
  - Competition: Religious Places 18
- May 2 First Thursday:
  - 16 Kent Nickell
- First Thursday: Jun 6
  - **Competition:** Barns 20
  - 21 Gallery Hop

- Jul ? First Thursday:
  - 18 John Hockensmith
  - 25-28 Field Trip to Blue Ridge Parkway
- Aug 1 First Thursday
  - Competition: People at Work 15
- Sept 5 First Thursday
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- Oct 3 **First Thursday** 
  - 17 Competition: Storms/Weather
- Nov 7 First Thursday (HDR)
- Dec 12 Annual Christmas Party and Awards Banquet- Fasig Tipton

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#### **Meeting Location Crestwood Christian Church**

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