



# CCC NEWS

The Creative Camera Club | Lexington, Ky. | A Proud Member of LexArts

## First Thursday

- ◆ April 2nd at 7:00 p.m.
- ◆ Photo Phorum

## Important Reminders

### April 11

- West 6th Street Brewing - CCC Exhibit . Please bring prints from 10:00 a.m. - noon.

### April 12

- Competition: Submission closes

### April 16 Meeting

- Competition: ABANDONED with critique by Jeff Gitlin
- 55th North Central Insect Photo Salon will be shown. Images come from across the world.

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## Exciting First Thursdays!

### Thursday, April 2

Get your questions ready for our "Photo Phorum" session with our learned colleagues who will share their brains and talent. This promises to be an interactive session where, in many cases, there may be no "correct" answer. Lively discussion will ensue! Our expert panel consists of Jack McKinney, Tom Myers, Joe Omielan, Charters Osborne, and John Snell. Lynn Osborne will be the moderator. You can submit your questions via email ([first.thursday.ccc@gmail.com](mailto:first.thursday.ccc@gmail.com)) and/or in person on Thursday.

### Thursday, May 7

The June monthly competition topic is "Street Photography", so for the May 7 First Thursday we'll be going to downtown Lexington for a photo session on Street / Urban Photography. "The Swells" will be playing at Thursday Night Live. If the weather doesn't cooperate we'll stay indoors and have our "Equipment Petting Zoo" where questions about how to use your gear can be answered.

### Thursday, June 4

For the June 4 First Thursday, we'll head to the Arboretum for photos of the horticultural glories there! Our alternative program will be the "Equipment Zoo" in case of inclement weather.

## Around the Corner

### May

**May 21**

**An Evening with Adam Jones  
Bring your friends!**

This is a special meeting open to club members and to the general public. Adam is a renowned nature and travel photographer, lecturer, workshop leader, and is a member of the elite Canon Explorers of Light.

The Explorers share their photographic passions and technical expertise with eager audiences of photo



professionals, hobbyists, and enthusiasts in a variety of personal appearances, seminars, and gallery showings through the United



States. Join Adam as he shares his enthusiasm, expertise and beautiful imagery.



## Animals Competition / First Place Wins

### COLOR

#### Advanced



**Name:** John Snell  
**Where:** My back yard  
**Camera:** Canon 5D Mark III  
**Lens:** Canon EF500mm f/4L IS USM @500mm  
**Shutter:** 1/1600  
**f/stop:** f/5.6  
**ISO:** 1600

#### Intermediate



*Above left*  
**Name:** Lana Yeary  
**Where:** Yellowstone National Park  
**Camera:** Nikon D7000  
**Lens:** Tamron 18-270mm @ 210mm  
**Shutter:** 1/40  
**f/stop:** f/5.3  
**ISO:** 250

#### Beginner



*Above right:*  
**Name:** Ernest Hall  
**Where:** Woodford County  
**Camera:** Nikon D7100  
**Lens:** AF-S Nikkor DX 1:3.5-5.6 G 18-300 @ 200mm  
**Shutter:** 1/400  
**f/stop:** f/5.0  
**ISO:** 320

## All Winners -Animals Competition

### COLOR

#### Advanced

- 1st: John Snell
- 2nd: Jeff Lackey
- 3rd: Tom Myers
- HM: Tom Myers

#### Intermediate

- 1st: Lana Yeary
- 2nd: Barbara Bromley
- 3rd: Terry Bailey
- HM: Kenneth Graulich

#### Beginner

- 1st: Ernest Hall
- 2nd: Susan Clark
- 3rd: Debbie Niehaus
- HM: Susan Clark

### BLACK & WHITE

#### Advanced

- 1st: Steve Bromley
- 2nd: Roger Ballard
- 3rd: Roger Ballard
- HM: Randy Dinkins

#### Intermediate

- 1st: Terry Bailey
- 2nd: Lana Yeary
- 3rd: Raymond Bailey
- HM: Parham Baker

#### Beginner

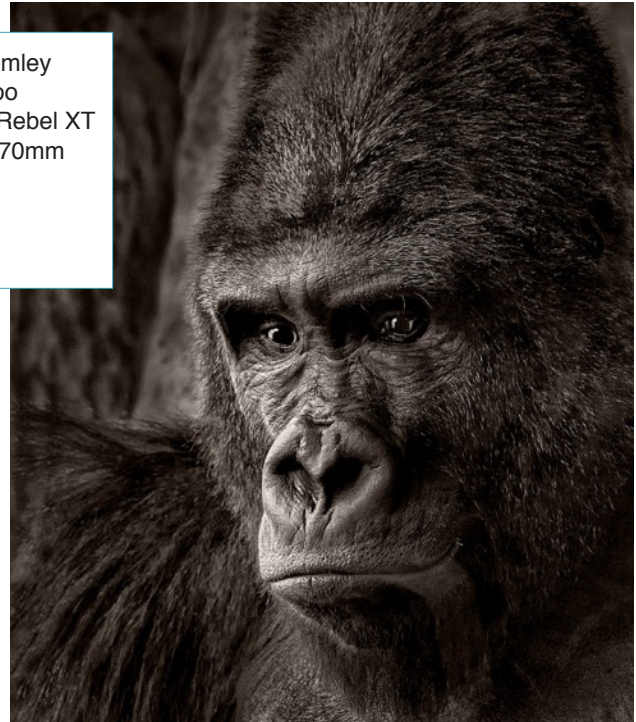
- 1st: Bill Eckdahl
- 2nd: Jerry Markussen
- 3rd: Donna Farmer
- HM: Donna Farmer

## Animals Competition / First Place Wins

### BLACK & WHITE

#### Advanced

**Name:** Steve Bromley  
**Where:** Dallas Zoo  
**Camera:** Canon Rebel XT  
**Lens:** Canon 24-70mm @43mm  
**Shutter:** 1/30  
**f/stop:** f/6.3  
**ISO:** 800



#### Intermediate



*Above left*  
**Name:** Terry Bailey  
**Where:** Cincinnati Zoo  
**Camera:** Nikon D7100  
**Lens:** Nikon 18-300 @ 210mm  
**Shutter:** 1/100  
**f/stop:** f/11  
**ISO:** 200

#### Beginner



*Above left*  
**Name:** Bill Eckdahl  
**Where:** Inside my house  
**Camera:** Canon Rebel XSi  
**Lens:** Canon EF 50mm f/1.8 II  
**Shutter:** 1/125  
**f/stop:** f/1.8  
**ISO:** 200

## ***Congratulations!***

### ***2014 Photographer of the Year***

#### **COLOR**

Beginner Class - Terry Bailey  
Intermediate Class - Judith Lesnaw  
Advanced Class - Tom Myers

#### **BLACK & WHITE**

Beginner Class - Arun  
Sankaranarayanan  
Intermediate Class - Ken Graulich  
Advanced Class - Steve Bromley

### ***2014 Levels Awards***

#### **Level One**

Kaye Arnold  
Terry Bailey  
Steve Bromley  
Donna Farmer  
Barbara MacNaughton  
Maryjean Wall  
Barbara Willis  
Thomas Werner  
Lana Yeary

#### **Level Two**

Judy Cox  
Bill McSpadden  
Arun Sankaranarayanan

### ***Notes from Don Mills***

- Please arrange to have your plaques or plates picked up at the next meeting.
- If you don't see your name on the attendance sign-in sheet for April, that means you have not paid your dues. Please do so to maintain good standing with the club.

## **Exhibit Opportunities Abound!**

### **West 6th Brewing**

***Print Deadline: Saturday, April 11,  
10:00 a.m. - noon***

We have arranged an opportunity for members to display their work at West 6th Brewing for April, May, and June. Prints will be submitted (1 or 2 per person) Saturday April 11 from 10 a.m. to noon. **You can submit prints you had at the Print Show or something new.** You can also submit larger images, gallery wraps, or mixed media. Prints will be hung Saturday afternoon with 100% of sale proceeds going to the artist. We'll have sign up sheets at upcoming meetings. We are planning to have future showings at West 6th (4 per year) and they will have different themes.



### **Art at the Cathedral / Wonderful World**

***Print Deadline: TBD - Stay tuned!***



The curator for Art at the Cathedral has invited us to exhibit once again this year as part of the July Gallery Hop. This year our theme is **Wonderful World** – it's fairly wide open and full of opportunity. We will limit the exhibit to a total of 50 prints, with no more than two submissions per artist. The exhibit is scheduled to be installed on July 6 and exhibited from July 13-Aug 25, with Gallery Hop on July 17 from 5-8. We will be refining the drop off date and time and will publish that in June.

Prints do need to be framed with a secure wire for hanging, and covered with glass or plastic to protect your work. There is no size limit, but the Cathedral uses a hanging rod system that may not be able to accommodate very large prints. You may need to provide an easel to display oversized prints.

We will again be providing the food and libations for the multitudes at the July 17 Gallery Hop in exchange for access to this beautiful venue. Reports from past events indicate we have been received as a smashing success when hosting this Hop, so I am confident we will make another fine showing. We will be seeking volunteers in June to help with this part of the exhibit, so start collecting those recipes for fine finger foods and sweet snacks.

## Getting Out & About

### *Butterflies of the Philippines*

#### **Krohn Conservatory**

**April 3 - June 21**

#### **Mondays- Photographer Nights**

- 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
- \$12 (includes unlimited admission pin)
- Great photo opportunities!
- Krohn Conservatory is located at 1501 Eden Park Dr, Cincinnati, OH 45202 · (513) 421-4086

### *Homelands - Photographs by Robb Hill*

**Now - May 22**

#### **Ekstrom Library**

HomeLands, by Robb Hill, is a long-term photographic project that examines how



people create their self-identity from the land they live on and what happens when the connection to the land is severed.

Hill grew up just outside the town of Utica, Indiana. This area is now changing dramatically because of the I-265 extension.

The panoramic, black and white, landscape photographs of HomeLands are a meditation on the idea of home. By shaping the land people create their sense of self. When the bond between land and people is broken what happens to identity?

HomeLands will be on display in the Photographic Archives Gallery, in Ekstrom Library, from March 12 through May 22. The gallery is open from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday - Friday.

The Ekstrom Library is located at 2215 S. 3rd St. in Louisville.

## Leverage Workshops to Improve Skills

### **Canon Explorers of Light Destination Workshop**

#### *Kentucky Horse Country*

**April 7-9 / Lexington, Ky.**



Join Canon Explorer of Light, Adam Jones, in Lexington, Kentucky for a weekend filled with the sights sounds, and thrill of thoroughbred horses as they thunder past your position along the track railing. You'll be out early exploring Keeneland behind the scenes as horses are exercised, groomed, and prepared for a day of racing. You will also explore the

3,000 acres and 34 restored buildings of Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill. Known for their simple architecture and furniture, this largest authentic Shaker village provides stunning photographic opportunities in a beautiful pastoral setting. The white fences, barns, animals, carriages, and buildings offer countless opportunity.

Adam is a very popular and respected workshop instructor noted for his enthusiastic down to earth approach and an ability to communicate effectively with photographers at all skill levels. For more information and to register visit:

- <http://learn.usa.canon.com/>
- Search for Adam Jones / Click on Kentucky Horse Country

### **UK Fine Arts Institute**

#### *Digital Photography Composition & Creativity Workshop*

**April 4**

- 10:00 am - 3:30 pm
- 302 Whitehall Classroom Building (morning) On location in Lexington (afternoon)
- \$80



#### *Digital Photography Studio Lighting Workshop*

**Sunday, April 12**

- 10:00 am - 3:00 pm
- 132C Reynolds Building
- \$100



**For questions or to register, please call [859.257.8151](tel:859.257.8151) or email [jane.andrus@uky.edu](mailto:jane.andrus@uky.edu).**

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## Join Us!

The Creative Camera Club (CCC) can trace its roots back to the Lexington Camera Club of 1930s. We welcome anyone interested in the art and science of photography from amateur to professional. To learn more, please visit our website or contact one of our officers or directors.

# 2015 Calendar

## January

- 6 55th North Central Insect Photo Salon Open for Submissions
- 8 Meeting & Print Competition Judging / Member Vote
- 16 Print Show Reception / Gallery Hop

## February

- 1 Tell a Story Submission Closes
- 5 First Thursday: Dave Perry | Tell a Story
- 16 55th North Central Insect Photo Salon Submission Closes
- 15 Competition Submission Closes
- 19 Competition: ANIMALS - MEETING CANCELLED due to weather
- 28 Pick up Prints, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

## March

- 5 Camera Petting Zoo - MEETING CANCELLED due to weather
- 19 Competition: Animals
- 21 Basic Photography Workshop, led by Zane Williams  
9:30a.m. - 12:00 p.m., Clark County Library, Winchester

## April

- 2 First Thursday: Photographer's Phorum
- 11 West 6th Brewing - print drop off from 10 a.m. - noon
- 12 **Competition Submission Closes**
- 16 Competition: ABANDONED  
Showing of 55th North Central Insect Photo Salon

## May

- 7 First Thursday / Street Photography Field Trip (weather permitting)
- 21 Canon Explorers of Light Guest Speaker: Adam Jones

## June

- 4 First Thursday / Arboretum Field Trip (weather permitting)
- 14 **Competition Submission Closes**
- 18 Competition: STREET PHOTOGRAPHY

## July

- 17 CCC exhibits at the Cathedral at Christ Church/hosts Gallery Hop

## August

- 6 First Thursday
- 16 **Competition Submission Closes**
- 20 Competition: AMERICANA

## September

- 3 First Thursday
- 17 TBD

## October

- 1 First Thursday
- 11 **Competition Submission Closes**
- 15 Competition: FLOWERS

**November & December / Stay Tuned**