

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

# **First Thursday**

## Nov. 5 / Color Management & Monitor Calibration

Are you sometimes disappointed at the way your images look when printed? To help you, our November First Thursday will include a discussion of color management workflow by Jeff Lackey as well as a demonstration of color calibrating a monitor by Joe Omielan. This is a continuation of our series on getting your digital images printed - successfully!

# CCC Annual Print Show Reminder

#### **Entry Qualification**

To qualify to enter prints into the 45th Annual Print Show, paid members must have attended at least six (6) club meetings or club functions in 2015. If you are unsure about your attendance, please email Maryann Mills at mmmills@setel.com or Don Mills at dbmills@setel.com.

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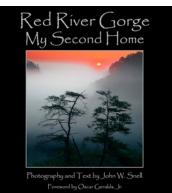
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# Presenting *Red River Gorge*, *My Second Home* on November 19th

If you would like to vicariously experience peace and tranquility, get an understanding of what it feels like to encounter the spiritual splendor of

nature in settings too beautiful for words or just want to see lovely Kentucky images, you will want to make sure you attend the November 19th meeting.

Member **John Snell** will be sharing about his book entitled, "*Red River Gorge, My Second Home.*" His book is filled with stunning images affording the viewer a feast for the eyes... and exquisite prose provisioning the reader with food for the soul.



Besides John's contagious humor, the evening will also feature refreshments as part of the celebration of his book being published.

And don't forget to stop by The Lexington School of Photography during the Friday, November 20th Gallery Hop Event between 5:00-8:00 p.m. John will be showcasing his work and signing books. The Lexington School of Photography is located at 400 Old Vine Street above Wines on Vine.

# **Congratulations to Amelia McKinney**

We wanted to give a special call out to high school student Amelia McKinney who was our 1st place winner in the Youth category for the flowers competition. We hope to see more from Amelia and any of our youngest members!



Where: Grandparents' backyard Camera: Nikon Cool Pix L22 Lens: NA - Built in Zoom Lens Focal Length: 13mm Shutter: 1/100 f/stop: f/4.4 ISO: 80

# 2016 Officers & Directors

#### Club Election Results

Elections were held during the regular October meeting. We'd like to congratulate and thank the following persons who will join the board beginning in January, 2016:

- Parham Baker, Vice President
- Jan McKinney, Secretary
- Ken Graulich, Treasurer
- Darrell Gilbert, Director

Stepping down after a number of years' service to the club are Charlie Zehnder (Vice President), Maryann Mills (Secretary), Don Mills (Treasurer) and Zane Williams (Director). And although it's not an elective office, Carol Williams is "retiring" from the responsibility of procuring and providing food for various club receptions. A hearty "Thank You" to all of you for your dedicated service! The Creative Camera Club is a stronger organization because of your efforts!

Continuing their service on the 2016 board are:

- Tom Myers, President
- Donna Farmer, Newsletter Editor
- Jeff Lackey, Operations
- Jack McKinney, Director
- Joe Omielan, Director
- John Snell, Past President

# **FLOWERS Competition / First Place**

# COLOR Advanced



Name: Nancy Dawson Where: Midway, Kentucky Camera: Canon EOS Digital Rebel XTi Lens: Macro 100mm Shutter: 1/25 f/stop: 2.8 ISO: 100

## Intermediate



Above left Name: Eric Comley Where: Cumberland Falls State Resort Park Camera: Nikon D7100 Lens: Tokina 100mm f/2.8 Shutter: 1/100 f/stop: f/16 ISO: 200

# Beginner



Above right: Name: Bill Cole Where: Lexington Camera: Canon T5 Lens: Canon 100mm macro Shutter: 2 sec f/stop: f/18 ISO: 200

# All Winners - FLOWERS Competition

### COLOR

Advanced 1st: Nancy Dawson 2nd: Randy Dinkins 3rd: Jeff Lackey HM: Jennifer Lackey

Intermediate 1st: Eric Comley 2nd: Joe Omielan 3rd: Geri Trinler HM: Terry Bailey

## Beginner

1st: Bill Cole 2nd: Nancy Bonhaus 3rd: Barbara MacNaughton HM: Lori Rivera

**Youth - High School** 1st: Amelia McKinney

### **BLACK & WHITE**

**Advanced** 1st: Charles Zehnder

Intermediate 1st: Raymond Bailey

**Beginner** 1st: Claudia Banahan

# Please Note -2016 Competition Topics

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It's never too soon to start preparing for the club's 2016 competitions! Our topics are:

Feb:	Country Roads
Apr:	Historic Bluegrass
Jun:	Abstracts of Nature
Aug:	Automotive
Oct:	Bridges

# **FLOWERS** Competition / First Place

# **BLACK & WHITE**

### Advanced



Name: Charles Zehnder Where: Home garden Camera: Canon 70D Lens: Canon 100mm f/2.8 macro Shutter: 1/30 f/stop: f/10 ISO: 400

### Intermediate



Above left Name: Raymond Bailey Where: Lexington Arboretum Camera: Nikon 7000 Lens: Nikon 18 - 200 mm @200 mm Shutter: 1/39 f/stop: f/5.6 ISO: 100

**Beginner** 



Above right Name: Claudia Banahan Where: Red River Gorge Camera: Nikon D-100 Lens: 70-300mm @300mm Shutter: NA f/stop: f/5.6 ISO: NA

# And Don't Forget...

# Field Guide: Photographs by Jochen Lempert

### Cincinnati Art Museum October 17, 2015 to January 3, 2016

The first major U.S. museum exhibition devoted to the celebrated German photographer will be on view at the



Cincinnati Art Museum. Trained as a biologist, Lempert photographs plants, animals, and other natural phenomena with both scientific acumen and a poetic appreciation of natural beauty.

The artist uses both conventional and experimental processes, and the results are anything but traditional nature photos. Out in the field, Lempert uses his 35-mm camera to chart human-animal interactions, the patterns made by birds and insects, or the play of sunlight and shadow. But he also brings the outside world into the studio, making camera-less photograms of leaves and algae or letting bioluminescent species like fireflies expose photographic paper.

# **Exhibition Opportunity**

CCC at West 6th Brewing Theme: Historic Bluegrass Date: Saturday, November 14 Time: 10:00 a.m. - noon

The CCC Exhibit at West 6th Brewing received positive accolades and some prints were sold. Now it's time to refresh! Members have another opportunity to display their work - this time with the theme of "Historic Bluegrass."



- Sat., Nov. 14 from 10:00 a.m. Noon
- Pick up your prints from existing show.
- Deliver your ready-to-hang pieces (1 or 2 per person).
- This can include larger images, gallery wraps, or mixed media.
- 100% of sale proceeds going to the artist.

# Getting Out and About

R.C. May Photography Lecture by DEBORAH WILLIS "Critical Narratives in Visualizing the Black Body from 1850 to Now" UK Singletary Center for the Arts, Concert Hall

Friday November 6, 4 pm



Internationally recognized photographer and scholar Dr. Deborah Willis is known for her groundbreaking research on the portrayal of African Americans. As Art Museum curator Janie Welker states, "She is the rare scholar who delivers keen critical analysis with the ease of a storyteller, and as the MacArthur Foundation noted when they awarded her a 'genius' grant in 2000, she has pretty much single-handledly recovered the legacy of African American photography."

Some of Dr. Willis' early work includes monographs on J. P. Ball, a prominent nineteenth century daguerreotypist in Cincinnati, and James Van Der Zee, who chronicled the Harlem Renaissance. Among her numerous subsequent publications are "Picturing Us: African-American Identity in Photography"; "Posing Beauty: African American Images from the 1890s to the Present"; "Michelle Obama: The First Lady in Photographs"; and "Black Venus 2010: They Called Her 'Hottentot.'"

# Collecting Shadows - Works by the Calotype Society Ekstrom Library, Photographic Archives(Lower Level) 2215 S. 3rd St., Louisville, Kentucky Now through November 13, 2015

William Henry Fox Talbot patented the calotype in 1841. It was the first photographic process that produced a negative to create a photograph. The calotype is the negative, typically produced on fine writing paper, although the resulting photograph is commonly referred to as the calotype. Because the photographs are made with a paper negative, the printed images tend to be soft and dreamy as the paper fibers diffuse the focus. The process appealed mainly to artists, amateurs, and scientists.

This beautiful exhibit will be on display



Reclamation, 2015 by Rick Lanning

until November 13th. Please check the website for exhibit hours at events.louisville.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

### 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
  - First Thursday / Street Photography Field Trip (weather permitting)
- 12 St. Joseph Hospital East exhibit to be hung
- 21 Canon Explorers of Light Guest Speaker: Adam Jones (church gym)
- 23 West 6th Brewing pieces due at the Brewery

### June

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- 4 First Thursday / Arboretum Field Trip (weather permitting)
- 6 Special Olympics 2015 Summer Games at EKU
- 21 Competition Submission Closes
- 25 Competition: STREET PHOTOGRAPHY

### July

- 2 First Thursday / Share images from Street and Arboretum
- 6 Drop off at Christ Church Cathedral, 4:00 6:00 p.m.
- 16 Speaker: Jackie Hillyer, Fuji
- 17 CCC exhibits/hosts Gallery Hop at Christ Church Cathedral
- 30 CCC Blue Ridge Parkway trip hosted by John Snell

### August

- 6 First Thursday / Creative Lens and Lighting Systems
- 16 Competition Submission Closes
- 20 Equipment Sale/Swap/Donation at 6:30 p.m. / Competition: AMERICANA
- 26 Pick up prints Christ Church Cathedral from 4:00-6:00 p.m

### September

- 3 First Thursday / Photo Editing Challenge
- 17 Speaker: Ron Curtis

### October

- 1 First Thursday / Print & Display Images
- **18** Competition Submission Closes
- 22 Competition: FLOWERS

### November

- 5 First Thursday / Color Management & Monitor Calibration
- **19** Speaker: John Snell, *Red River Gorge, My Second Home* Member Slide Show: Jeff Lackey

## December

15 CCC Christmas Party at Fasig Tipton