

Digital Forum Newsletter

Wisconsin Area Camera Clubs Organization



Best of Show – By Mom's Side Photo by Larry Janssen

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CALENDAR - 2019

Saturday - February 2, 2019

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Delegates Meeting

Waukesha State Bank Brookfield

Saturday, March 2, 2019

Colleen Miniuk-Sperry Seminar 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM **Saturday - May 4, 2019**

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM Delegates Meeting

11:30 AM - 5:00 PM Spring WACCO Competition

> Waukesha State Bank Oconomowoc

Photographer Quote

"Photography is the story I fail to put into words." Destin Sparks



Best Print Image – Green Winged Teal Hen Photo by Robert Hempeck

Newsletter

The newsletter is being sent out using this email: kpw1255@me.com, please update your email address book, so that you won't miss a single issue.

We are going to try a used camera equipment section again. We had done it in the past and some people had good success. WACCO does not take any responsibility on the quality and condition of the equipment, this is up to you and the buyer. We are just providing a place to list the equipment.

We are trying to create a speakers list. This would be for anyone who likes to speak in front of camera clubs. We will take your contact info and the subjects that you would be willing to talk about and your fee, if any. The will be published in the newsletter and on the website. Please send your information to me if you would like to be on the list.

We are looking for articles to run and photos to put into the newsletter. Feel free to send photos and articles to me any time you have them. I will then use them in future newsletters. Please feel free to send me photography articles whenever it is convenient for you.

When submitting an article and photos, please attach photos separate from the article. Photos should be sized at 2100 pixels on the longest side.

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Website

www.wicameraclubs.org

We have updated the website and made some minor tweaks to it. Please take a look at it and let us know what you think. Also, if you see any errors please let us know about those as well.

Just like our newsletter, the website needs your articles to make it better and more interesting. Please send your photos or articles to Phyllis at scenescapes@yahoo.com. Please have the photos sized at 2100 pixels on the longest side.

Jeffrey Klug, Assistant Webmaster kpw1255@me.com

WACCO General News

Highlights from the last delegates meeting:

Competition Committee:

We have the results of the fall 2018 competition posted on the website and printed in this newsletter.

Program Committee:

Birds of Prey Seminar was a big success with good weather and great birds. Everyone had lots of fun and hopefully a lot of good images.

Colleen Miniuk-Sperry Seminar is now accepting registrations. Please see page 5 for information or check the WACCO website. You may mail in or register online, whichever you prefer.

Website:

We have added a page for each club on the website, please send your updates to Phyllis at scenescapes@yahoo.com.

Next meeting will be on February 2, 2019, for the delegates meeting at Waukesha State Bank in Brookfield.

Mike Crivello's Camera

http://mikecrivellos.com

Please check out Mike Crivello's for great help in your next purchase of camera equipment.

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Please check out Art's Cameras Plus for great help in your next purchase of camera equipment.

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Words from the President

Elízabeth Whítcomb President, WACCO

Congratulations to the photographers who won awards at the competition, and to the photographers who participated. We hope that our competitions encourage you to get out to take photos, and to grow in the art of photography. We had 672 photos entered in this competition, a fantastic turnout! The 1st-3rd place winning photographs have been posted to the WACCO website

Our speaker for the WACCO Spring program is Colleen Miniuk-Sperry. Colleen is an outstanding outdoor photographer and writer. Specializing in nature and outdoor recreation, her purpose as an outdoor communicator is to inspire and help others enjoy the Great Outdoors. Everyone should gain information from this program that will improve their photography. Colleen will be presenting on: Finding Your Creative Voice; Composition-No More Rules!; Seeing the Light in Outdoor Photography; and Ebb and Flow: Riding the Waves of Creative Energy.

This program will be held at the Ingleside Hotel in Pewaukee (the old Country Springs). We hope that you can attend this program.

Happy Holidays to you and your families!

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Presents
A Photography Seminar and Workshop
By Colleen Miniuk-Sperry
Saturday, March 2, 2019 – 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Ingleside Hotel
2810 Golf Road
Pewaukee, WI 53072



I'm a Corporate-America-Escapee-turned-full-time-freelance-outdoor-photographer-and- writer, supporting a wide range of assignments for editorial and commercial clients. Specializing in nature and outdoor recreation, my purpose as an outdoor communicator is to inspire and help others enjoy the Great Outdoors. My work has been published in National Geographic calendars, Arizona Highways Magazine, books, and calendars, Outdoor Photographer, AAA High Roads, AAA Via, Extraordinary Vision, National Parks Traveler, Smith-Southwestern calendars, and a broad variety of other publications.

Colleen will be presenting an all-day seminar on Saturday. The topics she will be talking about are:

- Finding Your Creative Voice
- > Composition: No More Rules!
- Seeing the Light in Outdoor Photography
- Ebb and Flow: Riding the Waves of Creative Energy

For more information see: http://www.wicameraclubs.org/programs/

To register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/colleen-miniuk-sperry-seminar-and-workshop-tickets-50713730132





WACCO Fall 2018 Competition Winners

1st Place Mono Nature Projected Larry Janssen By Mom's Side Fox Valley



1st Place Color Nature Projected Jessie Buchholz American Ruby Spot Menomonee Falls

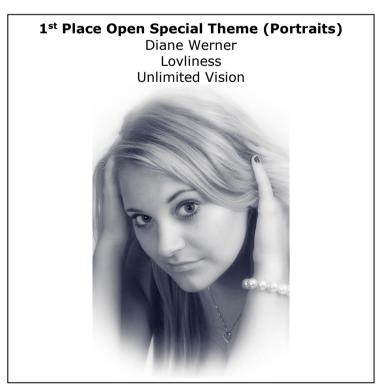


1st Place Color Open Projected
Gerald Emmerich, Jr
Mandrill in Denver Zoo



1st Place Mono Open Projected Larry Janssen Swift Current Pass Fox Valley





1st Place Mono Open Small Print Jeffrey Klug Guido Menomonee Falls



1st Place Color Open Small Print
Geri Laehn
Agate Beach with the Milky Way
Wehr Nature Center



1st Place Color Nature Small Print
Geri Laehn
Aurora Arc at Split Rock
Wehr Nature Center

