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Thru The Lens is a monthly publication of the Dallas Camera Club about its members, our community and the art of photography.

Meeting Location Northaven UMC, 11211 Preston Rd, Dallas

Dallas Camera Club's 2nd and 4th Tuesday meetings each month are held at Northaven United Methodist Church, 11211 Preston Road, Dallas 75230. Regular meetings begin at 7:30pm. Training (when scheduled) begins at 6:15pm. Refer to the club's website for up-to-date information.





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Dallas Camera Club meets at Northaven United Methodist Church 11211 Preston Rd • Dallas, TX 75230 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the Month • 7:30pm

Dallas Camera Club Celebrates 90 Years!

2024 marks Dallas Camera Club's 90th year! Started in 1934 by 52 printmakers meeting twice a month, DCC has stood the test of time as photography and camera technology has evolved.

A commemorative DCC logo shown at right has been designed by fellow member, Keni Evans and will be used throughout 2024.



DCC's commemorative 90th anniversary logo designed by member Keni Evans.

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Thru The Lens is designed to showcase our members, our photography and who we are as a camera club. Please submit your 11"W x 8.5"H ratio images for consideration as the front or rear cover image. And, also please send the editor your achievement news, photos and story ideas for the Storyboard section as well as any technical, instructional or other story idea you may have.

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Fellow of the Dallas Camera Club (FDCC) Active Members

Listed below are active members of the Dallas Camera Club who have had the distinct lifetime honor of being named a "Fellow of the Dallas Camera Club". This award is bestowed to those who have submitted 90% or more of possible entries and ranked first, second or third in high point standings at the end of the competition year in the Master class for color prints, monochrome prints or projected images. Typically, the initials FDCC would follow the photographer's name. However, for the sake of brevity, *Thru The Lens* acknowledges all active Dallas Camera Club FDCC members at once below:

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President's Message by Dennis Fritsche

The BIRD Competition Join DCC & FWCC on Oct. 3rd for live judging

About Workshops by Dennis Fritsche

As you breathlessly read the article in the September about the two workshops I attended in 2023, you probably asked yourself, "Does Dennis have any words of wisdom about workshops?" You will be surprised to hear that I do indeed have some words – whether they are wise or not, you will have to decide.



My recent workshop to the Olympic Peninsula was by <u>Visionary Wild</u>. They are expensive but the price includes lodging and food and beverages. The workshop "Fall in Yosemite" was arranged by the leader, William Neill. See Workshops and Mentoring at his <u>website</u>.

I have taken classes from the Ansel Adams Galley in Yosemite. These can be especially fun because the classroom sessions take place in Ansel Adams' teaching darkroom. And you are in Yosemite. <u>The Ansel Adams Gallery</u> Photography Workshops

Dennis Fritsche DCC President

And <u>Santa Fe Workshops</u>. They offer online, live in Santa Fe, and live on locations. I took my first workshop through Santa Fe with David Middleton in the Olympic Peninsula. If you like travel photography to exotic places, a local photographer, Jeremy Woodhouse, leads adventurous workshops available at <u>Pixelchrome Photo Tours</u>

Also, locally and attended by many in the club is Mike Mezeul. Mike Mezeul II Photography

There are many types of workshops, and it is important to align what you want with what the workshop offers.

- A location workshop is one in which the leader gets you to photogenic locations. The leader is likely to be taking photos for his own portfolio and you are pretty much on your own. There is value in this type if you are proficient and don't need instruction and you just want someone who knows where to go.
- Location and instruction workshops usually combine a morning and afternoon shoot with instruction during mid-day. Often you are asked to bring a portfolio of about ten prints for the leaders to evaluate and comment on. Workshops with evaluations are very helpful.
- Instructional workshop are heavy on classroom instruction and may be live or online and may or may not have location shooting.

I have been on some of each type and have enjoyed most of them for what they are.

My criterion for choosing a workshop is the instructor. The Olympic workshop I just finished was with <u>Michael Frye</u> – someone I have wanted to have a workshop with for years. The Yosemite workshop with the renown photographer, William Neill. I prefer smaller groups such as eight or ten. Instructor feedback is very valuable and helpful. Burned in my brain is what the great black and white photographer, John Sexton, said about my portfolio during a workshop lead by he and Charles Crammer. "Dennis, these are not very photographic." After hearing that critique, I changed how I process my images and have been chasing that *photographic image* ever since.

Fort Worth Camera Club hosts this year's **The BIRD Competition**

The annual contest between DCC and FWCC

Join us for live judging and fellowship

Thursday October 3, 2024

UNT Health Science Center 3500 Camp Bowie Blvd Fort Worth, Texas 76107

7:00pm



click here for online map



The Emily Guthrie Smith Award, affectionately referred to as "The BIRD", competition has been held annually since 1964 between the Dallas Camera Club and Fort Worth Camera Club.

The BIRD is a perpetual trophy that has each year's winner's name engraved on it. The competition is held in October or early November and rotated between the clubs each year. This is a great opportunity to meet our neighbor photographers.

Each club submits 15 color or monochrome prints and 15 projected images to be judged real-time at the meeting by a panel of judges. The club with the most points wins and will get to keep the trophy, affectionately known as "The BIRD" for the next year.

Unfortunately, Fort Worth Camera Club has won every year since 2007. Let's show up in Fort Worth and reclaim the BIRD this year!

See you on October 3rd in Fort Worth!

Dallas Camera Club Calendar at a Glance

A listing of competition entry deadlines, meetings, trainings, guest speakers and field trips currently scheduled*

OCTOBER 2024

- 3 The BIRD Competition, Fort Worth, TX
- 6 October Image Competition Submission Deadline
- 8 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Turn-in October
 Prints / Review of September
 Competition Results
- 22 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD) 7:30pm - DCC Meeting: Presentation by Guest Photographer Zach Warmer
- 27-1 Field Trip: Fall Color in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, Townsend, TN

NOVEMBER 2024

- 10 November Image Competition Submission Deadline
- 12 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD) 7:30pm - DCC Meeting: Turn-in November Prints / Review of October Competition Results
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Presentation
 by Member Photographer Clinton Kemp

DECEMBER 2024

- 8 December Image Competition Submission Deadline
- 10 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Turn-in December Prints / Review of November Image Competition Results
- 24 Happy Holidays No Fourth Tuesday Meeting this Month

JANUARY 2025

- 12 January Image Competition Submission Deadline
- 14 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD) 7:30pm - DCC Meeting: Turn-in January Prints / Review of December Image Competition Results
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Presentation
 by Guest Photographer (TBD)

FEBRUARY 2025

- 9 February Image Competition Submission Deadline
- 11 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Turn-in February Prints / Review of January Image Competition Results
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Presentation by Guest Photographer (TBD)

MARCH 2025

- 11 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD) 7:30pm - DCC Meeting: Review of February Image Competition Results
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Presentation by Guest Photographer (TBD)

APRIL 2025

- 9 2024-2025 Awards Banquet Maggiano's
- 22 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD) 7:30pm - DCC Meeting: Presentation by Guest Photographer (TBD)

MAY 2025

- 11 May Image Competition Submission Deadline
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Turn-in
 May Prints / Member's Potpourri Shows
- 27 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD) 7:30pm - DCC Meeting: Presentation by Guest Photographer (TBD)

JUNE 2025

- 8 June Image Competition Submission Deadline
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Turn-in June Prints / Review of May Competition Results
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Presentation
 by Guest Photographer (TBD)

JULY 2025

- 6 July Image Competition Submission Deadline
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Turn-in July
 Prints / Review of June Competition
 Results
- 22 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD) 7:30pm - DCC Meeting: Presentation by Guest Photographer (TBD)

| AUGUST 2025

- 10 August Image Competition Submission Deadline
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Turn-in August Prints / Review of July Competition Results
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Presentation
 by Guest Photographer (TBD)

SEPTEMBER 2025

- 7 September Image Competition Submission Deadline
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Turn-in
 September Prints / Review of August
 Competition Results
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Presentation
 by Guest Photographer (TBD)

OCTOBER 2025

- 12 October Image Competition Submission Deadline
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Turn-in
 October Prints / Review of September
 Competition Results
- 6:15pm Live Training Sessions (TBD)
 7:30pm DCC Meeting: Presentation
 by Guest Photographer (TBD)

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OCTOBER FIELD TRIP

WHAT: Great Smoky Mountain National Park area WHEN: October 27 - November 1, 2024 WHERE: Townsend and surroundings, NC

by Larry Petterborg, Kaye Hargis

Our fall color trip will be to Great Smoky Mountains NP (Great Smoky Mountains National Park (U.S. National Park Service) (nps.gov) during the last week of October. For this adventure our home base will be Townsend, Tennessee (Townsend, Tennessee Welcome to the Peaceful Side of the Smokies (exploretownsend. com)). Please save the dates and make plans to join us on what should be two outstanding adventures.

The Great Smoky Mountains NP is free to visit; however, a parking fee of \$15 for a week has been instituted if you plan to park for more than 15 minutes at any location. The park's website gives a lot of information and is where you can purchase the parking pass. The website gives alerts of road closures and notifications of buildings which may be undergoing renovation.

As the field trip plans to be based in Townsend, TN, its location is at the northwestern side of the park; so, for some on the field trip, Cade's Cove may be their introduction to what the park offers. The primary access to Cades Cove is the 11-mile, one-way Cades Cove Loop Road. It is a narrow road along which are found log cabins and barns, old churches, and the Cable Mill Historic Area and Visitor Center.

As you drive the loop, on your left for most of the way will be an open large meadow area that would have been plowed fields in times past. If lucky, a bear may be spotted. Most definitely deer and wild turkeys are seen. Occasionally, I have heard that elk have been seen. It is also the area to see the lone tree growing with meadow around it.

There are numerous waterfalls in the park. Do research to locate them. If you like to hike, you will enjoy the trip in and out to visit one.

Located just outside Gatlinburg, Roaring Fork Motor Trail is a 6-mile one-way one-lane scenic drive with a few historic log cabins and the trail heads to a couple of waterfalls. These cabins photographed with fall color or dogwoods in the spring make captivating images which are seen in galleries.

If you want to photograph elk, a very good place is in a large field next to the Oconaluftee Visitor Center and Mountain Farm Museum. People will park along the park road to watch and photograph the elk. Park rangers and volunteers will tell you to stay on the side of your car opposite the field. Some elk can be remarkably close to you. Early morning or late evening is the best time to see them. Note: The park roads are two lane mountain roads with the usual twists and turns. Plan extra time to reach a location. Also, start early before the tourists finish breakfast and head into the park.

If you venture over to photograph Roaring Fork Motor Trail, you may want to have lunch or dinner in Gatlinburg as you will be on the outskirts of the town. A glorified tourist village with gift, souvenir shops, and amusement venues. There are craft shops and artist shops as well. Pedestrians rule the main street through town. There are many restaurants It is a place where one visit in your lifetime is enough but may be worth it to say you have been there.

> View Kaye Hargis' Guide to Smoky Mountain National Park



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This Month's Program: Zach Warner - October 22, 2024 "Funtography"





Brief description / Take Away

Zach will teach or explain his concept of "Photography Forecasting". Zach is able to capture the images he does by reading people and looking 5 steps ahead in multiple directions.

Biography

I'm half German sausage and half Italian sausage, and that makes for one tasty sandwich. My favorite past time is being on tour. There is nothing like being in a different city and state every day, constantly meeting new people and making connections.



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Next Month's Program: Clinton Kemp - November 26, 2024 "My Eye for Color"

Clinton Kemp will present "*My Eye for Color*" at the November 26th meeting. He will share his favorite photos and discuss how color influences the images he is drawn to make as well as how he feels it impacts his post-processing decisions. His presentation will include photography from his wide variety of photographic interests including landscapes, cityscapes, birds / wildlife, intentional camera movement, photojournalism, street / portraits as well as night and astrophotography.



Color and color contrast are powerful elements in photography. Color can be used to evoke emotions, moods and feelings. It can also draw attention to specific subjects and create depth and dimension. Over the past 5 years competing in Dallas Camera Club, Clinton has come to realize just how much color plays a role in his photography. He will discuss how he tends to seek out subject matter with vibrant or complementary colors (those opposite on the color wheel) and to a lesser extent analogous and monochromatic colors. He has also recognized that color has influenced the places he has decided to travel to for photography. He feels the vibrant colors of San Miguel de Allende, the geothermal pools in Yellowstone, the warm colored terrain of the US Southwest, and colors of Italy and Iceland in autumn made them some of his favorite places to capture. And it's the reason other colorful places like Greece, India, Morocco, Cuba, Cinque Terre, the Lofoten islands and Namibia remain on his travel bucket list.

Clinton grew up in Victoria, Texas. After earning a Bachelor of Fine Arts in advertising design and photography from Stephen F. Austin University, he moved to Dallas and soon after started a graphic design, marketing and print brokering business in 1995. Being self-employed for almost

30 years has afforded him a lot of freedom and opportunities to fulfill his love of travel and photography. He is thankful that he's been able to visit 23 countries, all while traveling on a budget. Clinton prides himself in doing what he can to stretch his travel dollars by taking advantage of deals, loyalty points and air miles.

Clinton joined the Dallas Camera Club in 2019 and has thoroughly enjoyed benefiting from the excellent virtual and live training opportunities the club offers. He has also enjoyed getting to know so many others who share the photography bug. DCC is the reason he purchased an Epson P800 printer and where he learned how to properly make a print. Clinton was named a Fellow of the Dallas Camera Club in 2021. Last year he got more involved by serving as club secretary and helping *Thru The Lens* newsletter editor, Nancy Mack. As the club celebrates its 90th anniversary, he encourages others to consider stepping up and giving back to the club by serving on the Board as a project manager or officer.



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(see the next page for more of Clinton's photography)

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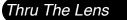
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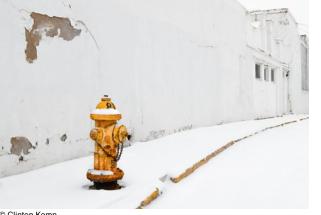
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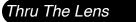
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by Michael Farnham

Monument Valley is located on the border between Utah and Arizona. It is not a National Park or a National Monument. It is owned and operated by the Navajo Tribe. Wind and rain have eroded much of the softer rock and left behind some impressive monoliths. It has been the site of many motion pictures. John Ford filmed Stagecoach there and he visited so much that they named a point after him.

Gary Kelly arranged a field trip to Monument Valley in November of 2017. All of us who went on the trip stayed at Goulding's Lodge which is located just outside the entrance to Monument Valley in Arizona. This is a photograph of part of the lodge.

I rode with Gary and he suggested that we spend a day in Canyon de Chelly before going to Monument Valley. While driving from Canyon de Chelly to Monument Valley we saw a volcanic plug with wonderful light. I was lucky enough to capture the following image.





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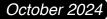


Every morning and every evening we would go on a bus tour into the Valley. These tours would always start out in the parking lot of the motel that is run by the Navajo and is located inside the tribal area. This afforded us a nice view of the Mittens. One of the more famous geographic features.



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One day the bus stopped at a Navajo dwelling that had a young woman who was working there to answer questions and demonstrate her art.



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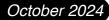


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The Dallas Camera Club Land's End Storefront is Open for Business



Gear up with DCC "logoed" apparel from Lands' End in time for the celebration of our 90th Birthday.

Visit <u>https://business.landsend.com/store/dallascameraclub/</u> to access the DCC Store. Once in our store, you can search for whatever you are interested in and have one of (currently) three logo versions applied (for a small fee).

It is suggested that you click the "No Minimum" quantity box to simplify your searches.

If you have any questions, contact Larry Petterborg at Ipetterborg@gmail.com

Upcoming Training *In-person and online training opportunities*

In-Person Training*

October 8	<i>New Member Orientation</i> by Keni Evans, 6:15pm, Room 237
October 8	<i>My Photography Passion</i> : Photographing Flowers by Nancy Mack, 6:15pm, Room 239
October 22	<i>My Photography Passion</i> : Landscape by Dennis Fritsche, 6:15pm, Room 239
November 12	New Member Orientation by Keni Evans, 6:15pm, Room 237
November 12	No Live Training Session
December 10	New Member Orientation by Keni Evans, 6:15pm, Room 237
December 10	No Live Training Session

*Schedule and classes are subject to change. For up-to-date information, visit "Training and Education" at www.dallascameraclub.org

Online Training via Zoom**

October 10	Monochrome Image Critique, 7:00pm Zoom
November 14	Ask Me Anything by Dennis Fritsche, 7:00pm Zoom

Live Training via Zoom: DCC members may login at www.dallascameraclub.org and visit "Training and Education" page for online training schedule and access codes.

2024-2025 Competition Topics Themes for each competition category this year

Themes for each competition category this year

The Dallas Camera Club monthly competitions run from May to February of the following year. There are no monthly competitions in March or April. The Annual Awards Banquet is in April.

MAY 2024

Projected: Open Color Print: Open Monochrome Print: Open Upload Image(s) by May 12 Turn in Print(s) by May 14

JUNE 2024

Projected: Water Color Print: Water Monochrome Print: Open Upload Image(s) by June 9 Turn in Print(s) by June 11

JULY 2024

Projected: Open Color Print: Open Monochrome Print: Open Upload Image(s) by July 7 Turn in Print(s) by July 9

AUGUST 2024

Projected: Low Key Color Print: Open Monochrome Print: Low Key Upload Image(s) by August 11 Turn in Print(s) by August 13

SEPTEMBER 2024

Projected: Open Color Print: Open Monochrome Print: Open Upload Image(s) by September 8 Turn in Print(s) by September 10

OCTOBER 2024

Projected: Negative Space Color Print: Negative Space Monochrome Print: Open Upload Image(s) by October 6 Turn in Print(s) by October 8

NOVEMBER 2024

Projected: Open Color Print: Open Monochrome Print: Open Upload Image(s) by November 10 Turn in Print(s) by November 12

DECEMBER 2024

Projected: Street Photography Color Print: Open Monochrome Print: Street Photography Upload Image(s) by December 8 Turn in Print(s) by December 10

JANUARY 2025

Projected: Open Color Print: Open Monochrome Print: Open Upload Image(s) by January 12 Turn in Print(s) by January 14

FEBRUARY 2025

Projected: Nighttime Color Print: Open Monochrome Print: Open Upload Image(s) by February 9 Turn in Print(s) by February 11

For competition rules and how to prepare images, go to the "Competitions" page at www.dallascameraclub.org

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Back Cover: Monument Valley by © Michael Farnham

August 2024 Color Print Competition Results

Congratulations to all Beginner, Advanced and Master Class winners

Color Prints Judge



Clark Crenshaw lives in Garland, Texas. For 17 years he has traveled the country selling his photography at some of the countries finest art shows. Although he does not participate in shows anymore,he does have a very large website where he sells his work. Many of his images have been licensed for a variety of reasons, including TV. Today he is mostly retired and plays some golf.



View Color & Mono Prints Video

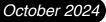
View this judge's photography portfolio

August 2024 Master Class Color Prints

- 1st Morning Light on the Rio Frio by © Dennis Fritsche
- 2nd Bambi by © Larry Petterborg
- 3rd Sunrise at Avon Pier-Hatteras Island by © Kaye Hargis
- HM Swimming in a Row by © Jan Dreskin-Haig



1st Place Color Print, Master Class Morning Light on the Rio Frio by © Dennis Fritsche



August 2024 Color Print Competition Results

Congratulations to all Beginner, Advanced and Master Class winners



1st Place Color Print, Advanced Class Ah, to be 14 by © Sharon Sturgis

August 2024 Advanced Class Color Prints

- 1st Ah, to be 14 by © Sharon Sturgis
- 2nd Say Aah! by © Janice Goetz
- 3rd Cart Blanc Reflexions by © John Johnson
- HM It's My Job to Keep Cars Moving 2552 by © Scherry Johnson



1st Place Color Print, Beginner Class Safety of Mom. Masai Mara by © Jennifer Bell

August 2024 Beginner Class Color Prints

- 1st Safety of Mom. Masai Mara by © Jennifer Bell
- 2nd Midnight at the Gaylord Texas by © A.M. Gullick
- 3rd Night Blossoms 4th of July Dallas, TX by © Yan Leveton
- HM Lets Pound Some Steel! by © James Cobb

August 2024 Monochrome Print Competition Results

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Monochrome Prints Judge



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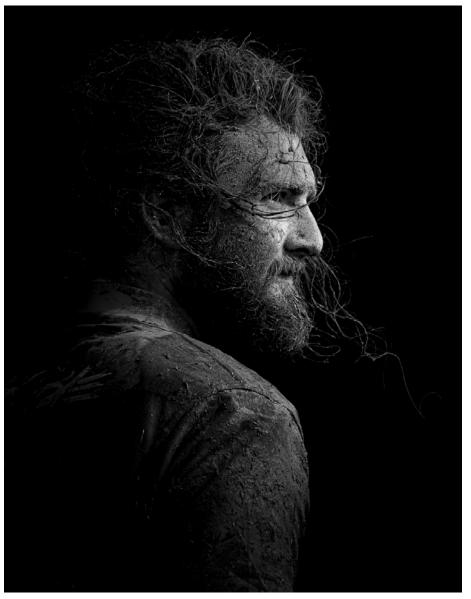


View Color & Mono Prints Video

View this judge's photography portfolio

August 2024 Master Class Monochrome Prints

- 1st Muddy Rugby Player by © Clinton Kemp
- 2nd Let the Light Shine Upon You by © Janice Goetz
- 3rd Blue Heron in the Shadows by © Jan Dreskin-Haig
- HM A Beer in Hand is Worth 2 in the Bar by © Jay Hoppenstein



1st Place Monochrome Print, Master Class Muddy Rugby Player by © Clinton Kemp

August 2024 Monochrome Print Competition Results

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1st Place Monochrome Print, Advanced Class Madonna Lily by © Keni Evans

August 2024 Advanced Class Monochrome Prints

- 1st Madonna Lily by © Keni Evans
- 2nd Seeing the Light by © Sharon Sturgis
- 3rd Low Key at White Sands by © Larry Golden
- HM My Dad by © Robert Shafer



1st Place Monochrome Print, Beginner Class Louis Vuitton Foundation Paris © A.M. Gullick

August 2024 Beginner Class Monochrome Prints

- 1st Louis Vuitton Foundation Paris by © A.M. Gullick
- 2nd Portrait of Jose by © James Cobb
- 3nd Lean into the Light by © Jan Leveton
- 2nd Within the Veil by © Karen Gilmore

August 2024 Projected Images Competition Results

Congratulations to all Beginner, Advanced and Master Class winners

Projected Images Judge



Dennis Hirning joined the Great Falls Camera Club and PSA in 1986. He was involved in the CSD (CPID) study groups and did a little exhibiting at that time, and rejoined PSA in 2005 after going digital and has become active in PSA. He earned his PPSA in 2009 and his EPSA in 2011. He has acceptances and stars in seven different divisions and has



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been in the top North American exhibitors for several years. He earned his APSA in 2012. He is currently the PSA Region 7 Director and PSA EID Exhibition Standards Director. He is now a member of three camera clubs and an officer in two of them.

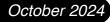
August 2024 Master Class Projected Image

- 1st Exiting Darkness by © Kay Hale
- 2nd Oranges by © Nancy Mack
- 3rd Resting by © Michael Farnham
- HM Arches Under Gravensteen Castle, Ghent by © Anita Oakley



1st Place Projected Image, Master Class Exiting Darkness by © Kay Hale





August 2024 Projected Images Competition Results Congratulations to all Beginner, Advanced and Master Class winners



1st Place Projected Image, Advanced Class Refuge Admist the Light by © Corey Singer

August 2024 Advanced Class Projected Image

- Refuge Admist the Light by © Corey Singer 1st
- 2nd Fringed Flower by © Lola Laird
- Good Night Party's Over! © Scherry Johnson 3rd
- Can You Remember These? by © Tom Panzer HM



1st Place Projected Image, Beginner Class Glowing Grace by © Yan Leveton

August 2024 Beginner Class Projected Image

- Glowing Grace by © Yan Leveton 1st
- 2nd Neon by © A.M. Gullick
- 3rd Delphinium by © Kim Kaufman
- Rain Cloud at Sunset by © Artie Turner HM

2024 PSA Councils Challenge Competition Winner from DCC / GSCCC *Congratulations to Clinton Kemp*





2024 PSA Councils Challenge Monochrome Images • Honorable Mention *California Waves Anaheim Marriott* by © Clinton Kemp

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August 2024 GSCCC Color Image Competition Winners from DCC Congratulations to Clinton Kemp and Nancy Mack



Color Images • 3rd Place Red, White and Blue Over Dallas by © Clinton Kemp



Color Images • 1st Alternate Oranges by © Nancy Mack



August 2024 GSCCC Monochrome Image Competition Winners from DCC Congratulations to Keni Evans and Kaye Hargis



Monochrome Images • 1st Place Madonna Lily by © Keni Evans



Monochrome Images • 3rd Place Gallian Hall Elkhorn Ghost Town by © Kaye Hargis



August 2024 GSCCC Photojournalism Competition Winners from DCC Congratulations to Jeffrey Sarembock and Janice Goetz



Photojournalism Images • 2nd Alternate Blacksmith at Work by © Jeffrey Sarembock



Photojournalism Images • 1st Honorable Mention Sacrament of Confirmation by © Janice Goetz



State Fair of Texas Photography Contest

Congratulations to Jay Hoppenstein



Color: Flora Honorable Mention © Jay Hoppenstein



Special Category: Altered Photograph Honorable Mention © Jay Hoppenstein

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Jay Hoppenstein



Color: Other Than In Texas (Cultural) Honorable Mention © Jay Hoppenstein

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Scherry Johnson



Color: Fish/Reptiles/Marine Life 1st Place © Scherry Johnson

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State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Sam Lucas



Special Category: Altered Photograph 3rd Place © Sam Lucas



State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Larry Petterborg

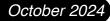


Color: Fish/Reptiles/Marine Life Honorable Mention © Larry Petterborg



Color: City Scenes Honorable Mention © Larry Petterborg

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State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Larry Petterborg

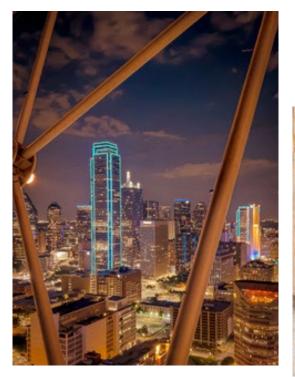


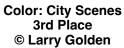
Color: Other Than In Texas (Animals/Birds/Reptiles) 2nd Place © Larry Petterborg



B&W: Other Than In Texas (Animals) Honorable Mention © Larry Petterborg

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Larry Golden







Color: Other Than In Texas (Cultural) 2nd Place © Larry Golden



Color: Birds Honorable Mention © Larry Golden

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Larry Golden



Color: Still Life 1st Place © Larry Golden



Color: Western Wear 1st Place © Larry Golden

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Kaye Hargis



B&W: Still Life Honorable Mention © Kaye Hargis



B&W: Scenery 2nd Place © Kaye Hargis

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Kaye Hargis



Color: Honey Bees 2nd Place © Kaye Hargis

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Janice Goetz

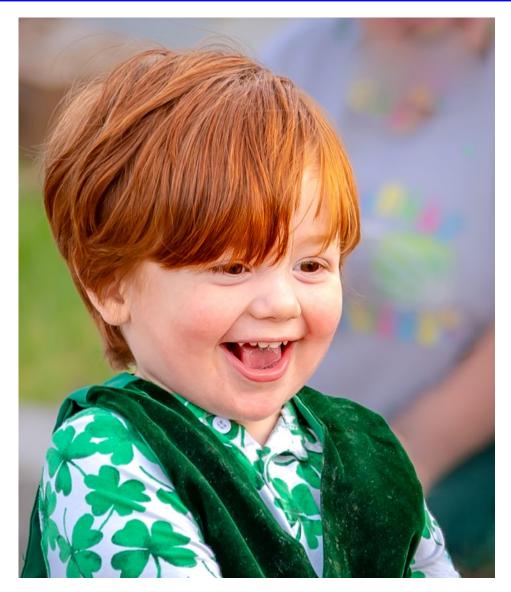




B&W: State Fair Theme 1st Place © Janice Goetz

Color: Fish/Reptile/Marine Life 2nd Place © Janice Goetz

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Janice Goetz



Color: Child **Honorable Mention** © Janice Goetz

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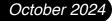


B&W: Action/Movement 1st Place © Janice Goetz

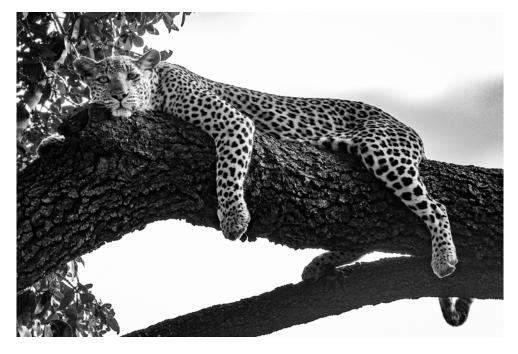


Color: Patriotic 1st Place © Janice Goetz

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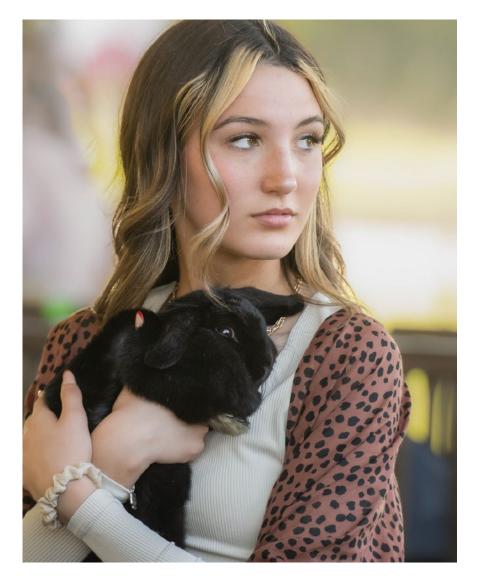
We celebrate two outstanding State Fair winners: member Courtney Hopping and her daughter, Quinn Hopping who entered in the Junior Division (ages 13-17).





Color: Other Than in Texas 2nd Place (Cultural/Animals) © Courtney Hopping Color: Other Than in Texas (Cultural/Animals) 3rd Place © Quinn Hopping

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Jim Bird



Color: Child 2nd Place © Jim Bird



Color: People 2nd Place © Jim Bird

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Jim Bird



Color: Action or Movement 2nd Place © Jim Bird

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State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Kay Hale



Color: People Honorable Mention © Kay Hale



Color: People Honorable Mention © Kay Hale

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Kay Hale



Color: Western Wear 3rd Place © Kay Hale

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Stephen Evans



Color: State Fair Theme Honorable Mention © Stephen Evans



Color: Other Than In Texas (Animals/Birds/Reptiles) **Honorable Mention** © Stephen Evans

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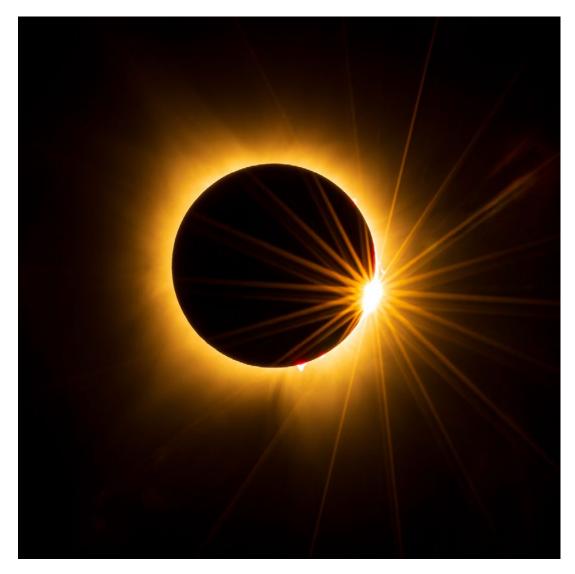
State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Stephen Evans



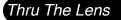
Color: Other Than In Texas (Landscapes) Honorable Mention © Stephen Evans

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State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Michael Blachly



Color: Skies (Sunrise/Sunset/Weather) **Honorable Mention** © Michael Blachly



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State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Lola Laird



Color: Rural Honorable Mention © Lola Laird



Color: Other Than In Texas (Landscapes) 3rd Place © Lola Laird

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Anne Gullick



B&W: Other Than In Texas (Landscape) 1st Place © Anne Gullick



Color: Other Than In Texas (Cultural) 1st Place © Anne Gullick

State Fair of Texas Photography Contest Congratulations to Phil Wirth



B&W: People 2nd Place © Phil Wirth

PhotoPlace Gallery: Light & Shadow Exhibition Congratulations to Dennis Fritsche



Lost Creek With Fog by © Dennis Fritsche has been selected by Juror Laura Moya to be included in the Online Exhibition: Light and Shadow PhotoPlace Gallery, Middlebury, Vermont October 4 - October 25, 2024



PhotoPlace Gallery: Light & Shadow Exhibition Congratulations to Nancy Mack



At Attention! by © Nancy Mack has been selected by Juror Laura Moya to be included in the Exhibition Gallery: Light and Shadow PhotoPlace Gallery, Middlebury, Vermont October 4 - October 25, 2024

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Red Bluff Art Gallery, Red Bluff, CA & Arts Benincia - Benincia, CA Congratulations to Sharon Sturgis

Breakfast Time by © Sharon Sturgis have been selected to be included in the Furry and Feathered Friends Exhibition Red Bluff Art Gallery, Red Bluff, CA

Exhibition Opens: 9/06/2024



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Breakfast Time by © Sharon Sturgis

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Breakfast Time by © Sharon Sturgis have been selected to be included in the Anamalia Exhibition Arts Benincia, Benincia, CA

Exhibition Dates: 10/24/2024 - 12/15/2024

View Gallery Show



Center for Contemporary Art - Abilene, TX Congratulations to Sharon Sturgis



Degas Dancer by © Sharon Sturgis

Degas Dancer by © Sharon Sturgis have been selected to be included in the National Juried Art Show + Exhibition Center for Contemporary Arts, Abilene, TX

Exhibition Dates: 10/04/2024 to 11/16/2024

View Gallery Show

CENTER FOR CONTEMPORARY ARTS

Helping Hands by © Sharon Sturgis has been selected to be included in the Rockwell Art League Juried Fine Art Show in Rockwall, TX

Exhibition Dates: 9/27/2024-9/29/2024



View Gallery Show



Helping Hands by © Sharon Sturgis

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Helping Hands by © Sharon Sturgis has been selected to be included in the Fine Line Creative Arts Center Images & Illusions - Art in the Digital Age Kavanagh Gallery • St Charles, IL

Exhibition Dates: 10/17/2024-11/21/2024



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October 2024

Indiana University East Art Gallery Congratulations to Sharon Sturgis



Gossiping in the Woods by © Sharon Sturgis

Gossiping in the Woods by © Sharon Sturgis has been selected to be included in the 476th Whitewater Valley Art Competition Indiana University East Art Gallery Richmond, IA

Exhibition Dates: 10/11/2024-12/13/2024



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Exhibition Dates: 10/11/2024–12/13/2024



Firefly Artists Gallery - Northport, NY Congratulations to Sharon Sturgis

When Things Got Worse by © Sharon Sturgis

When Things Got Worse by © Sharon Sturgis has been selected to be included in the Firefly Artists Gallery, Northport, NY

Exhibition Dates: 10/1/2024-11/1/2024





Places of Prayer Photographic Exhibition Congratulations to DCC members Frank Richards & Bob Sherman and all other exhibiting photographers



St. Jude Catholic Chapel by © Frank Richards

Well known Dallas photographer, Carolyn Brown, lead a team of 8 amateurs photographing places of worship in DFW Metroplex to mount a photo exhibition. The Places of Prayer exhibition was presented at St. Mathews Justus Sundermann Gallery in March and Dallas City Hall in August. The exhibition will be shown at AD EX (Architecture and Design Exchange) from September 24 through November 22 with additional churches and larger prints. There will be an artist's reception on October 1 from 6:00 to 7:30pm. You are invited to the reception and to visit the exhibition during October and November. AD EX is open from 10am until 6pm Tuesday through Thursday and 10am until 3pm on Friday and Saturday.

On Exhibit Sept 24 - Nov 22, 2024 Architecture and Design Exchange 325 N. St. Paul St. • Dallas, TX 75201 10am-6pm Tues-Thurs 10am-3pm Fri & Sat

Opening Reception Oct 1, 2024 6:00 - 7:30pm

Register to Attend Opening Reception



Wat Buddha, Dallas by © Frank Richards

Outside Photography Contests Other competitions to consider entering....

Photography COMPETITIONS

"light" Exhibition **Outdoor Photography (UK Ed.)** "various topics" entry deadline: varies by topic https://www.outdoorphotographymagazine. co.uk/submissions/

Comedy Pet Photography Awards Sony World **Photography Awards**

entry deadline: June 1, 2024 - January 3, 2025 www.worldphoto.org

SE Center for Photography "The Contemporary Portrait" Exhibition entry deadline: October 6, 2024 https://www.sec4p.com/

Amateur Photographer of the Year (APOY)

entry deadline: October 7, 2024 https://www.photocrowd.com/photo-competitions/photography-awards/ apov-2024/

Close Up Photographer of the Year (CUPOTOY) entry deadline: November 30, 2024

https://www.cupoty.com

A. Smith Gallery "story" October 14 "impressionistic" November 25 https://asmithgallery.com/

Black Box Gallery "camera work: trees & water" entry deadline: October 11, 2024 www.blackboxgallery.com

Decagon Gallery "Dreamscapes" October 15, 2024 https://www.decagongallery.com/opencalls

International Garden Photographer of the Year entry deadline: September 2 -October 31, 2024 https://iqpoty.com

Black & White Magazine "Looking Back / Looking Forward"

entry deadline: October 31, 2024 https://www.bandwmag.com/contests

Members who place in outside contests are encouraged to share their news and images with the editor for recognition in TTL.

Online Photography Resources

Websites to check out for inspiration

Fall Foliage Resources

Check out these websites about fall foliage in national parks

Great Smoky Mountain National Park https://www.nps.gov/grsm/index.htm

Best Fall Foilage https://www.nationalgeographic.com/travel/ article/best-national-parks-to-visit-in-the-fall

Attractions of America: Parks https://www.attractionsofamerica.com/travel/ best-national-parks-see-fall-foliage-us.php

More than just Parks https://morethanjustparks.com/best-nationalparks-fall/

Best Parks to Visit in the Fall https://mwg.aaa.com/via/national-parks/bestnational-parks-fall

Fall Color Destinations

parksexpert.com/national-parks-for-fallcolors

National Parks for Fall Color

https://www.foxintheforest.net/best-nationalparks-for-fall/

Fall Foliage

https://www.onetravel.com/goingplaces/americas-best-destinationfall-foliage/?fpaffiliate=ot-bingairline&fpSub=airlinesdsa&utm_

The Travel

https://www.thetravel.com/best-placesfor-fall-foliage-on-the-east-coast/

Other Online Photography Resources

Below are several other websites that some of our members enjoy and follow:

LensWork www.lenswork.com

William Neill portfolios.williamneill.com

Michael Frye www.michaelfrye.com

David DuChemin www.davidduchemin.com

Elements Magazine www.elementsphotomag.com **Black & White Magazine** www.bandwmaq.com

Backcountry Gallery www.backcountrygallery.com

Outdoor Photographer (UK Ed.) www.outdoorphotographymagazine.co.uk

> Lenscratch www.lenscratch.com

Lens Culture www.lensculture.com

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Places of Prayer Photographic Exhibition

on exhibit at AD EX Architecture and Design Exchange, September 24 - November 22, 2024

Places of Prayer showcases an exhibition of sacred spaces by eight prominent Dallas Photographers including Dallas Camera Club members Frank Richards & Bob Sherman. Carolyn Brown served as curator.

The exhibition will be shown at AD EX (Architecture and Design Exchange) from September 24 through November 22 with additional churches and larger prints. There will be an artist's reception on October 1 from 6:00 to 7:30pm. You are invited to the reception and to visit the exhibition during October and November. AD EX is open from 10am until 6pm Tuesday through Thursday and 10am until 3pm on Friday and Saturday.

Opening Reception Oct 1, 2024 • 6 - 7:30pm

Register to Attend Opening Reception



Architecture and Design Exchange is located at 325 N. St. Paul Dallas, Texas 75201. Open 10am-6pm Tues-Thurs and 10am-3pm Fri-Sat

The Impressionist Revolution

on exhibit at the Dallas Museum of Art, Dallas through November 3, 2024

The Impressionist Revolution from Monet to Matisse explores the fascinating story of Impressionism from its birth in 1874 to its legacy in the early 20th century. Told almost entirely through the DMA's exceptional holdings, this exhibition reveals the rebellious origins of the independent artist collective

known as the Impressionists and the revolutionary course they charted for modern art.

Breaking with tradition in both how and what they painted, as well as how they showed their work, the Impressionists redefined what constituted cutting-edge contemporary art. The unique innovations of its core members, such as Claude Monet, Edgar Degas, and Berthe Morisot, set the foundation

against which following generations of avant-garde artists reacted, from Paul Gauguin and Vincent van Gogh to Piet Mondrian and Henri Matisse.

Celebrating the 150th anniversary of the first Impressionist exhibition, The Impressionist Revolution invites you to reconsider these now beloved artists as the scandalous renegades they were, as well as the considerable impact they had on 20th-century art.

Dallas Museum of Art is located at 1717 North Harwood, Dallas, Texas 75201. Open Wednesday-Sunday 11am-5pm; Closed on Mondays & Tuesdays.

Al Satterwhite: A Retropective

on exhibit at PDNB Gallery, Dallas through November 9, 2024

PDNB Gallery will show a suite of photographs from Al Satterwhite's early, personal work taken in Florida. His vintage images of young surfers in the 1960's have become very nostalgic because they represent a more innocent culture reminiscent of the beach party teen films like Beach Blanket Bingo and How to Stuff a Wild Bikini.

PDNB Gallery is located at 150 Manufacturing St, Suite 203, Dallas, Texas 75207. Gallery hours are Tuesday - Saturday, 11:00am -5:00pm. Admission is free and open to the public.



View more about

this Exhibit

Portraits of Frida by Lucienne Bloch and Nickolas Muray

on exhibit at PDNB Gallery, Dallas through November 9, 2024

Portraits of Frida includes extraordinary photographs of the celebrated painter, Frida Kahlo, by two artists, Lucienne Bloch and Nickolas Muray.

Lucienne Bloch (1909 – 1999, b. Geneva, Switzerland) met the married artist couple, Frida and Diego in 1932 when hired to work with the very notable painter, Diego Rivera, in Detroit. This project at the Detroit Institute of Art became the most important Diego Rivera mural in the United States.

View more about this Exhibit

Lucienne, Diego and Frida became fast friends. Some of Lucienne's portraits of Frida in Detroit will be included in this exhibition.

Nickolas Muray (1892 – 1965, b. Szeged, Hungary) was a successful commercial photographer and two-time Olympic fencer based in New York. He was known for his portraits of actors, playwrights, ballet dancers and other notable figures in the arts. Muray was a pioneer in color photography advertising. Ladies Home Journal produced the first natural color advertising photograph in 1931, Muray's grand Miami



image of a swimming pool with 17 models in swimwear. He was a master printer, using the threecolor carbon printing process, revealing deeply saturated color, which became a signature of his photographs.

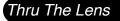
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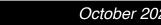
PDNB Gallery www.pdnbgallery.com

Craighead Green www.craigheadgreen.com Dallas Museum of Art https://www.dma.org/

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Talley Dunn Gallery talleydunn.com Amon Carter Museum of American Art www.cartermuseum.org





DALLAS MUSEUM OF ART

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this Exhibit

Club History & Benefits of Membership Education, fellowship, discounts and much more

Dallas Camera Club (DCC) was organized in 1934 by 52 printmakers meeting twice a month to improve their photographic skills. Color slides were added, presumably in the 1940s, and color print competitions were added in 1970. In 1998, images from digital files were first accepted into DCC competitions. In 2005, slides were combined with projected digital images to create the projected images category. Slides were eliminated in 2008. Club competitions are now focused on color prints, monochrome prints and digital projected images.

The objective of the club is "the mutual entertainment and education of its members in all forms of amateur photographic art." The DCC hosts contests and events including monthly competitions, field trips, workshops, programs of general interest, an awards banquet and an annual competition (the "Bird") between DCC and Fort Worth Camera Club members. The DCC emphasizes intra-club competition as a learning process. Importance is placed on helping the beginner or new member feel at ease, ask questions, learn and participate.

Dallas Camera Club Membership Benefits

- Build friendships with others who enjoy photography
 - criticism to expand your potential
- Benefit from extensive online and in-person training
- Compete in image competitions that help you learn and keep you engaged in photography
- · Enjoy guest speaker presentations from all kinds of photographers

Receive praise and constructive

- Participate in club-coordinated field trips to practice your passion for photography
- · Share your interests or photographic projects by creating a Potpourri show
- · Attend the Annual Awards Banquet to see and celebrate high score earners
- · Take advantage of club member discounts available from a growing list of photography-related vendors

Visit www.dallascameraclub.org to become a member today.

Dallas Camera Club Logos Over the Years







CAMERA

1960-1962

2009-2024

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1974-1983

The commemorative 90th Anniversary DCC loao shown at left was designed by DCC member. Keni Evans and will be used throughout 2024.

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90th Anniversarv Commemorative Logo

rs For 90 Years 1934-2024

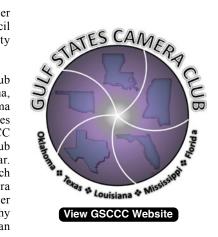
1969-1973

DCC Club Affiliations Regional and worldwide memberships

Dallas Camera Club (DCC) is a member of Gulf States Camera Club Council (GSCCC) and the Photographic Society of America (PSA).

GSCCC currently has 35 camera club organization members from Louisiana, Mississippi, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas. DCC member's images are selected by the DCC GSCCC representative to compete in inter-club image competitions throughout the year. GSCCC also holds a convention each vear that brings members from camera clubs across the gulf coast region together for fellowship, training, photography field trips, year-end competitions and an annual awards banquet.





The Photographic Society of America (PSA) is a worldwide organization providing a wide range of services that promote photography and benefits to its members. Individual members can participate in competitions, study groups and on-line education programs designed to advance their photographic knowledge and skills.

Competitions are held for clubs, councils, federations and chapters. Member image galleries are available for viewing. Image analysis and critique, discounts for both hardware and software products as well as the monthly PSA Journal are available to members.

Dallas Camera Club was proudly awarded 2nd Place in the PSA's 2022 Newsletter Contest (Magazine-style category). DCC's December 2022 issue of Thru The Lens was selected from among entries by PSA member clubs, chapters and councils, worldwide, who produce an electronic or printed magazine-style newsletter.

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