



JULY 2015

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**Meeting is at: Northampton Community College  
Hawthorne Hall, Second Floor Rm 202**

**JULY 21st - Meeting at 7 PM**

## **AUSTRALIA/NEW ZEALAND - Terry Flatt**

***A photographic look at my three week tour of Australia/New Zealand: Spring here and Fall there. It will feature many of the major sites including Ayres Rock, Christ Church, Mt. Cook, Little Penguins, Opera House, etc. Information on camera settings for various shots. It will be a combination of scenic, cultural, general travel, animals, people, Sunrise/Sunset, etc. Especially New Zealand, there were gorgeous photo opportunities. And mixed in, will be some photos just for fun.***

***Vinzon Lee will present the full Scavenger Hunt program*** with photos from both the Palmerton and Pocono Photo Club.

We will have the opportunity to see the final results of the Scavenger Hunt. View all the images submitted by both clubs and see the images that were chosen as the winners.

We also invite members to submit up to two images per member to be critiqued. We will go through as many images as time allows. Having your images critiqued is an excellent learning experience and should not be missed. Digital images to be projected are preferred but prints can work as well.

## ***Here are the official winners for the 2015 Scavenger Hunt.***

- 1. Best overall photos of ten topics (Tie)  
Eric Goins, Pocono Photo Club  
Jim Denicola, Palmerton Camera Club***
- 2. 2nd. best overall photos of ten topics (Tie)  
Ann Levere, Pocono Photo Club  
Nanse Wolfington, Palmerton Camera Club***
- 3. Best photo for a single topic regardless of topic.  
Rodger Smith, Palmerton Camera Club***
- 4. 2nd. best photo for a single topic regardless of topic.  
Karen Frankenfield, Palmerton Camera Club***
- 5. Best single topic photo.  
Terry Flatt, Pocono Photo Club***

***The Trophy goes to the Palmerton Camera Club for the the 2nd year in a row with a 4-3 margin in prize wins. Prizes will be distributed at the July meeting for the Pocono Photo Club, and as deemed expedient by the Palmerton Camera Club.***

***Our sincere thanks and appreciation goes to Vinzon Lee for his work as this years judge. With so many fine photos it is a difficult task and the results show considerable care in the final selection.***

***And finally, to all that submitted and participated in this years Scavenger Hunt, you should all be very pleased with your effort and the quality of the photos.***

### **August meeting...**

**We will have a studio modeling workshop. Our August workshop will allow you to discuss lighting with mentors from our club that will be available. One set up will be for Dance photos with Danielle Cook. She is going to school for dance and is an experienced model.**

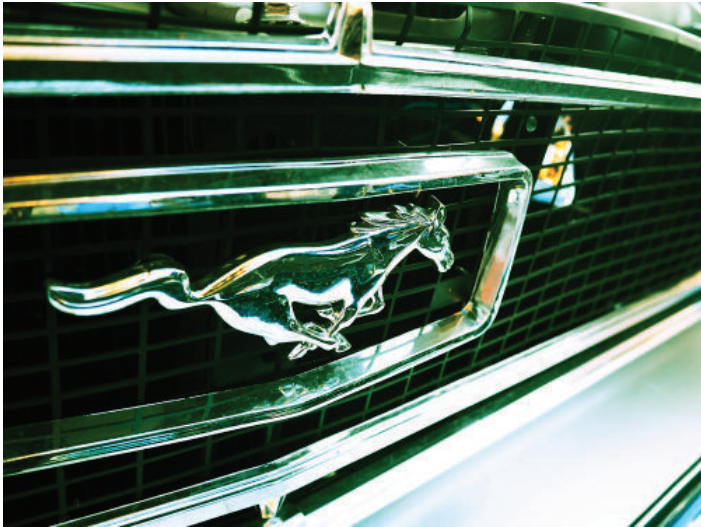
**We will also have Katy, an actress that will be posing in character.**





## ***"SHOOT OUTS"***

Get out and about and join us for a Shoot-out! Shoot-outs are a fun way to meet other photo club members, share your ideas, your expertise, ask questions and spark your creativity. We go to a variety of sites which cover a wide range of photographic styles and settings. Whether you own a simple point and shoot camera or something more elaborate, Shoot-outs are designed to give everyone an opportunity to use their camera to the best of their ability. They occur on a monthly basis. Watch for emails announcing upcoming dates and locations and make plans to come out with us!



*Photos from June Shoot-Out  
by Eric Goins*



## **JULY SHOOT OUT**

***July Shoot Out- "Friday Night Lights" The South might be well-known for its love of high school football under the stadium lights, but we here at PPC have our own version of Friday Night Lights. Join Ann on this month's Shoot Out for some fun and experimental light writing.***

***We'll meet at the Bushkill Meeting House  
(intersection of Rt. 209N and Bushkill Falls Rd) on July 31st at 8 P.M. and then  
choose a darker location for taking our photos.***

***Contact Ann at 570-588-3246 or Olivetreeann@mail.com if you have any  
questions or need directions. Lights will be provided or feel free to bring some  
of your own, and Mother Nature will provide us with a full moon too!***

# **Pocono Photo Club- Executive Meeting 7/7/2015**

**Attending: Eric Goins, Dick Ludwig, Don Bonett (Palmerton Club), Sarina Cook, Ann LeFevre, Bob Cook and Terry Flatt**

**Prizes from 2015 Scavenger Hunt distributed by Terry**

**Don Bonett will ask Palmerton's new president about the club's willingness to administer next year's Scavenger Hunt**

**10 topics- clear and easy to understand**

**Will have a time frame the pictures must be taken within**

**August Meeting:**

**2 models- interchange costumes and models**

**Lighting needs discussed**

**Back drop options (go with gray)**

**Pictures for Sarina**

**Set-up time 6:30 pm (room on right better)**

**Upcoming meetings:**

**Sept. Doug Goodell**

**Oct. Tom Doyle OR mentoring in small groups**

**(mentoring topics- how to approach post production, elements of composition, cropping, lighting); could also have a swap meet during meeting**

**Nov. Rick Burke**

**Dec. Christmas Social**

**Future Shoot-out ideas:**

**Where are the snow geese?!**

**One day Scavenger Hunt/ Photo Race (like a "road rally")**

**Invite Palmerton to a meeting- best in Spring 2016**

**Garlic Festival photos being taken. 5 photographers so far: Eric Goins, Ann LeFevre, Janice Giannola, John Guthrie and Patricia Bregen. Well received so far by both farmers and photographers.**

**Respectfully submitted:**

**Ann LeFevre**

## ***Pocono Arts Committee Meeting Summary***

The Pocono Arts Committee met on Thursday, July 9, 2015 and reviewed the Pocono Art Collage gallery show with overwhelmingly positive experiences in organizing the program and the way it was presented. A yearly calendar for continued gallery shows was mapped out. The current show will run until Sept. 18, 2015.

The next show, "All About Animals", will be hung on Sept. 21, with pieces being collected between 9/14 and 9/18. This show will feature one presenter from each group with 6 to 10 of their pieces being hung in Dunning Gallery. It will be up to the clubs to determine who will present. The name of that person needs to be emailed to Tom Shillea by Aug. 7 with a pdf file of one of their images (pdf file, 300 pixels per inch, 4x5" size). The opening date is tba.

Beginning plans are being formulated for the Spring Show (conservation/environmental theme); Pocono Art Collage will return next Summer.

Brain storming for social media presence between clubs; and a possible one-day workshop at NCC for clubs and public participation (How to use FB, Twitter, Etsy, etc. to promote your artwork). In the future, there could be some that are more hands on as well.

I am excited that PPC's participation in these events has broadened the opportunities we have to show in the community as well as interacting with other like-minded groups which celebrate the arts.

Ann H. LeFevre  
PPC Representative

# GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT OUR CLUB

## Would you like to be a "CURTAIN RAISER"

"Curtain Raiser Photos" are the photos shown prior to the start of regular PPC monthly meetings.

- The photos can be any subject of your choosing suitable for a general audience.
- There should be a maximum of 40 images.
- The images should be in JPEG format.
- The JPEG's should be about 1MB in size so they will display at full resolution.
- The JPEG's can be any resolution – ideally a resolution of 1440 pixels on the long side of the image matches the resolution of the projector but this is not essential.
- The images can be on a USB Thumb/Flash, CD, DVD or on a camera memory card - But you must supply a USB Card Reader to plug into the computer.
- If you want to show the slides in a specific order number them by putting 01 thru 40 as the first part of the file name. This way the computer will order them 1-40.
- Curtain Raiser Presenters are scheduled by PPC President.  
Contact: Terry Flatt

**PLEASE LIMIT THE NUMBER OF PHOTOS TO 40. Thanks.**

## FACEBOOK

**Pocono Photo Club is now on Facebook.**

Just do a search and LIKE. Members are welcome to post pictures and photo ops. Questions are also welcome. Interaction is important and encouraged. Please keep comments positive and professional. This will be a good way for us to pass along "instant" info on trips, and photo ops.

## MEMBER PHOTOS NEEDED FOR INCLUSION IN FUTURE NEWSLETTERS

**Do you have an image you'd like to see published in a future PPC Newsletter?**

Members can email photos to me for inclusion in future newsletters either as Headers or on other pages of the issue. There are different requirements for each type so read the information below carefully. I will be keeping a file for each member who sends photos to me so I can use their photos as the need arises. Thanks, in advance, for your photo contributions.

**Email all photos to Carole Ludwig: [cdphotos@ptd.net](mailto:cdphotos@ptd.net)**

## GENERAL PHOTOS *Please size your photos as follows:*

**Image Size - 5" on the longer side.**

**Resolution of 200 dpi.**

**INCLUDE: Your Name & Photo Title**

**Do not "Save for the Web" just save as a regular JPEG**

*Please email the .JPG - AS AN EMAIL ATTACHMENT.*

## NEWSLETTER HEADER PHOTOS (panoramas)

Panorama shots will be featured in the header of the newsletters each month. This new look has gotten many favorable comments. If you are a PPC member and have any panorama shots please send them to me via email. I'm particularly interested in seasonal shots that typify the 4 seasons visually.

*The image size of the HEADER PHOTOS need to be sized as follows:*

**Size - 7.5" wide x 2.5" high.**

**Resolution 200 dpi.**

**Do not "Save for the Web" just save as a regular JPEG**

*Please email the .JPG - AS AN EMAIL ATTACHMENT.*

**All .JPGs should be emailed to Carole Ludwig - [cdphotos@ptd.net](mailto:cdphotos@ptd.net)**

***This is your newsletter:*** We would like to print information about our members.

- Are you participating in an exhibit?
- Have you won any awards for your photos?
- Info and photos on a trip you have taken?
- Do you have any photo spots, workshops, seminars that might be of interest to other members?

**Please email any information or photos to:**

Carole Ludwig. [cdphotos@ptd.net](mailto:cdphotos@ptd.net)

We would like to periodically include a new feature in the newsletter:  
**How was this photo created?**  
If you have a photo and explanation you would like to submit, please email it to:  
Carole at [cdphotos@ptd.net](mailto:cdphotos@ptd.net)



## PROGRAMS COMING UP:

**AUGUST-** Live model Dance Shoot with Danielle Cook.

**SEPT.-** Doug Goodell - Panoramas & Hi-Res Mosaic Landscapes --

Composites generated by taking and combining multiple adjacent images is an impressive and growing off-shoot of digital revolution. And, its extension beyond linear form, to two dimensional mosaics greatly expands the range of opportunities for image creation. This program outlines the concepts involved and their application to achieve increases in field coverage, resolution, and/or perspective control. It shows examples of each of these three issues, and their relations in hardware and software, at both the capture and processing stages of image preparation.

## PPC OFFICERS:

President

*Eric Goins*

First Vice President

*Terry Flatt*

Second Vice President

*Ann LeFevre*

Treasurer

*Dick Ludwig*

Secretary

*Patricia Bregen*

Website

*Monica Woodhead*

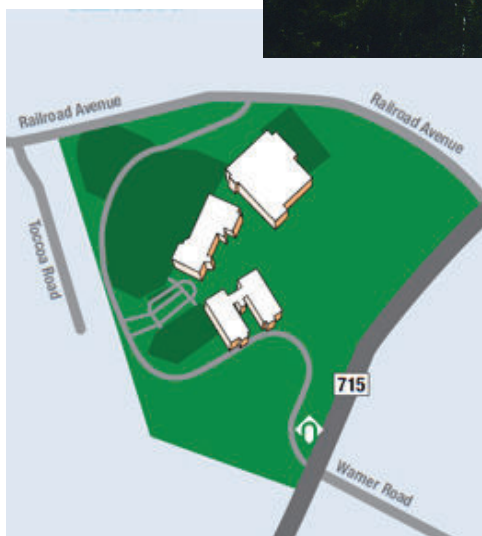
Newsletter

*Carole Ludwig*

"Shoot Outs"

*Ann LeFevre*

Fireworks at Shawnee  
photo by Eric Goins



## NCC CAMPUS MAP

### Northampton Community College at Tannersville

#### From I-80

Take Exit 299, Tannersville. Go South on 715 for one mile. The Campus entrance is on the right at Warner Rd., just past Railroad Ave.

#### From Tannersville

Route 611. Take 611 to 715 South.

Go South on 715 for one mile.

The Campus entrance is on the right at Warner Rd., just past Railroad Ave.

#### From points south of Tannersville

Take Route 715 North toward Tannersville.

The Campus entrance is on the left at Warner Rd., one mile before I-80.

Campus Address - 2411 Rt. 715 Tannersville PA. 18372