

May 2018

Pocono Photo Club



Coming in June!

Photographs open doors into the past, but they also allow a look into the future.

Sally Mann

June's meeting promises to be a feast for the eyes. We'll start out by reviewing the entries for the Scavenger Hunt and announce the winners. Prizes to be awarded for Best Overall set of photos for all 8 topics, Best Single Photo for each of the 8 topics, and Most Creative Interpretation of a topic. Honorable Mentions will be given at the judge's discretion (but with no awards). Don't for-



get to turn your entries into Stroud Foto by May 24th. See our website for further details.

We'll also be selecting new images for our PPC display. A preliminary selection will be chosen from uploaded images to our

website by President Ray Roper. The club will select the final images by popular vote. Winner's photos will be printed by PPC and become part of our pop-up exhibit at the Farmer's Market and other venues. Upload your pictures using the drop-down menu for photo albums in your profile. Join us on June 19, 2018, 7-9 pm in the Keystone Building at NCC Monroe Campus, Rt. 715, Tannersville., PA for a fun meeting.

May Meeting Next Week!

Chris Karfakis presents "The Evolution of Photography", an informative and entertaining presentation of photographic history. May 15, 2018, 7-9 pm, Keystone Building, NCC, Monroe Campus, Rt. 715, Tannersville, PA.



In the News ~

Congratulations to Laurinda Faye Rubin, Bradley Teets, and Eric Goins whose photographs have been awarded, published on the web, and printed respectively this month! Laurinda's photo was

recognized in the Pocono Art Council's The Earth Speaks competition, Bradley's floral macro was featured on macro.com and Eric's picture will be featured in Pocono Family.



Photo by Bradley Teets



Photo by
Laurinda
Faye
Rubin

**I really believe
there are things
nobody would
see if I didn't
photograph
them.**

Diane Arbus

The 5th Annual Pocono Art Collage ~

Ten photographers were chosen at our April meeting to represent PPC in the 5th Annual Pocono Art Collage in Dunning Gallery. The exhibit reception will take place on June 21, 2018 in the Dunning Gallery from 5:30 to 6:30 pm. Following the reception NCC will host a panel discussion on using social media to promote your artwork. On-line galleries, Facebook and other media will be featured in the presentation.

Your PPC Photographers: Ray Roper, Eric Goins, Angelo Pacheco, Bob Cook, Maurie Harmon, Terry Flatt, Ann LeFevre, William McCausland, Laurinda Faye Rubin, and Sarina Cook.

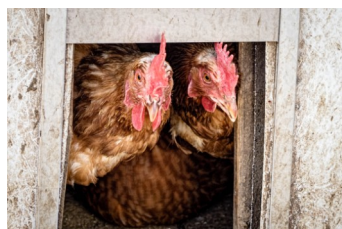


Photo by Eric Goins

Looking Ahead ~

The Fall show in Dunning Gallery will take a poignant turn with the title "Rescued". Photos in this show will feature the work of service dogs as well as the relationship between people and dogs which are rescued. More details to follow... In the meantime, keep your eyes open for photos which fit this theme. PPC will be selecting photos for this show during our July meeting.

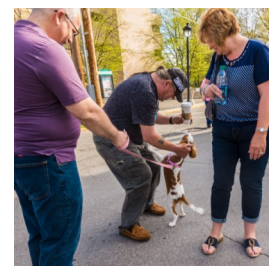


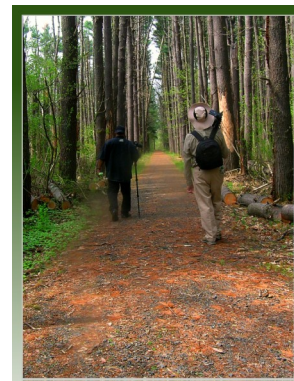
Photo by Bob Hare

Kettle Creek Exhibit ~ 4 Seasons in the Poconos

Our next exhibit at Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center is entitled, "4 Seasons in the Poconos" and will feature photos which illustrate the beauty we enjoy living in this natural area. Members will be able to contribute 2 photos which feature their favorite season (s). Pic-

tures must be mounted and framed with eye-hooks and wire on the back. A photo release form and the \$10.00 exhibit fee should be attached to the back of the photo. Drop off your pictures at the center during operating hours from 7/23-27, 7/30-31. The Center is located at 8050

Running Valley Rd. in Stroudsburg, Pa. 18360. The reception will take place on August 4, 2018 from 11 AM to 1 PM. The show closes and pictures must be picked up on August 31, 2018.



Scenes from the Farmer's Market

Photos by (from left to right) Adam Anik, John Ansivino, Bob Hare, Ray Roper, and Eric Goins.



Two upcoming Shoot Outs— Watch for emails with location and times!

May 19, 2018

June 23, 2018

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Rusty Tiller at Aspen Ridge
Farm by Ann LeFevre



Executive Committee Meeting- May 7, 2018
Ray Roper, Eric Goins, Sarina Cook, Stephanie Masgula, Ann LeFevre

Items discussed-
The photographer of the month will be Roy Hubbard
The curtain raiser for the May meeting is Janice Giannolla

Pocono Heritage Land Trust: Shoot Out dates will be organized in order to photograph 7 different locations managed/owned by the Trust. Pictures will be made available for use on their PHLT's website (phlt.org). Dates under consideration- May 19, 26 and June 23.

Scavenger Hunt: The judge has requested that each club submit all their photos on one CD or flash drive arranged by category. Eric Goins will collect the submissions from Stroud Foto and deliver them to the judge.

Danielle Austen presentation at Whispering Pines: Ray will bring projector, screen at W.P., Ann will bring extension cords. Meet at W. P. at 1 pm for set-up.

Exhibits:

Farmer's Market Shoot-Out very successful. Images will be collected by Ann and put into a slide show per Market Manager's request. Thanks to Eric Goins for setting up a mini-studio for portraits of patrons and vendors. Future dates for PPC to participate in were considered. 9/1/2018 is Stroudfest; 10/27/2018 is Harvest Day.

Four Seasons in the Poconos- at Kettle Creek. Drop off dates 7/23-27, 30-31 during business hours, hanging date 8/1/2018, Reception 8/4/2018, 11 AM to 1 PM and pick up date is 8/31/2018. Members may submit 2 pictures for this exhibit.

Garlic and Harvest Fest- set up 8/31/2018. Festival takes place on Sept.1-2, 2018 at Shawnee Mountain.

Looking ahead to Dunning Gallery Fall show: theme- Rescued. This exhibit will explore the relationship between service dogs and their owners as well as organizations/owners who rescue dogs. The council emphasized that these pictures should not be "pet pictures" but more action centered or relationship based. Photos for this show will be selected at the July meeting. Drop off dates August 27-28, 2018.

Terry Flatt is looking into another display at Shawnee Inn possibly in July.

Drop off dates for the Art Collage are May 29-30, 2018; reception date June 21, 2018, 5:30-6:30 pm with a presentation following on "Using Social Media to Promote Your Artwork" from 6:45 to 7:45 pm. Pick up dates- August 14-15, 2018.

Take down date for Middle Smithfield is June 4, 2018

Monthly meetings:

The June meeting will be a review of Scavenger Hunt pictures, entries and winners. In the remaining time new photos will be chosen for our portable display. Ray will send out an email announcing the "competition" and how to enter. Members will be encouraged to upload photos to the website and Ray will select photos to be considered for 12-15 spots on the display. Voting procedure will be similar to the one we use for our WWYD competition. Once photos are chosen Ann will process them to include a black border with the photographer's name. The executive committee members present at the meeting voted unanimously to use PPC funds for the printing of the winning photos. Pictures will be printed on "foam board" like the ones currently on display.

The July meeting has no scheduled speaker. Sarina suggested we hold another Round Table Discussion meeting which everyone agreed to. Sarina will lead one table on "Adding Textures". Other topics TBD.

Etc.

Ray is looking for more educational opportunities to add to the website.

Ann will contact Gene Tick about his photo on display at Dunning Gallery since he has moved out of the area.

Ann will contact Stroud Foto for pricing on the display pictures and to inform them about the Scavenger Hunt.

June Shoot Out set for June 26 with time and location TBD.

The next Executive Committee meeting is scheduled for June 4, 2018, 7 pm at Panera Bread.

Respectfully submitted,
Ann LeFevre



Exhibit Opening at Middle Smithfield
By Ann LeFevre