



The Viewpoint

October 2014



Jim Hagan



Wennie Anderson

PACT Schedule and Events

Please check our updated Schedule on www.toledophotoartsclub.com.

- **Educational Meeting** (1st Thursday of the month)
- **Board Meetings** (2nd Thursday of the Month)
- **Photo Contest** (Third Thursday of the Month)
- **Critique Group** (4th Tuesday of the Month) Diane Lewis
- **Photoshop Elements Group** (1st Monday of the Month) Steve Stalker
- **Studio Group** (2nd Saturday of the Month) John Dillon
- **Lightroom Group** (3rd Monday of the month) Charlie Mather
- **Other events**, such as IYP Classes, TBG Events, etc.

**Our Board ensures that adequate notice is provided to the members if there are any event changes. Any errors or misses are regretted. Please refer to the Schedule on our website or watch your e-mails or follow our Facebook page for the latest happenings!!

Now that we are back from our Summer schedule, most groups and activities are in full swing. Note that we are back in the Conference Center for our 2 monthly club meetings.

This month events:

October 2 - Photography using cellphones - 7:00 Conference Center

October 6 - Photoshop Elements Group - 7:00 clubhouse

October 9 - Board meeting 7:00 clubhouse - all welcome

October 11 - Studio group - 10:00-Noon - clubhouse

October 16 - Contest night - Digital - 7:00 Conference Center - see category below

October 20 - Lightroom Group - 7:00 clubhouse

October 28 - Critique group - 7:00 clubhouse

Monthly contest categories

October "Patterns" -digital

November "Color" - digital

December - No contest - Christmas Potluck presentation

January - "Black and White" - Print

February - "Broken" - digital

March - "Clocks" - digital

September Monthly contest results

Assignment: "Toys"

1st place: The Kite Flyer by Jim Hagan

2nd place: Ready For the Beach by Charlie Mather

3rd place: Evil Troll

Open Division:

1st place: Woodpecker by Wennie Anderson

2nd place: Negative by Dale Bockbrader

Taughannock Falls by Anna Koperczak

3rd place: An Evening Walk by Jim Hagan

Hall of Justice by Ben Anderson

Annual Contest Update

29th Annual Photo Contest has had some date changes due to the Nature Center not being ready for the public.

Current Schedule:

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Opening Ceremony and Exhibition start date - Oct 5, Sunday 11 am - at Secor Metropark. This is a public event and all are invited and we will have light refreshments. The center will be open until 4 pm that day.

Exhibition will run until Nov 1st, Saturday 4 pm, with take down day being Nov 2nd. Take down day is when the photographers can collect their pictures anytime between 11 am and 4 pm. If you are unable to pickup pictures that day, please contact us via FB or our website to arrange an alternate date after Nov 2nd.

When you come in to view pictures, please remember to vote for the People's Choice Award also. We will announce the People's Choice winner on October 25th.

Secor Metopark NCNP is open on weekends from 11 am to 4 pm.

PACT Annual Contest committee wants to thank all of the photographers who entered their pictures in this year's contest. Winners were announced earlier in August and we now have confirmed dates for exhibition

Improve Your Photography class dates set

If you want to go beyond shooting snapshots and start creating photographs, this seminar is for you. The classes are geared toward digital cameras although the majority of the information applies to film as well. Appropriate cameras include Digital SLR's and point and shoot cameras that have the capability of non-automatic modes (manual, shutter priority and aperture priority).

Classes are held on 6 Tuesdays beginning January 13, 2015 from 7:00 – 9:00 pm

Classes are held at

Toledo Botanical Garden Conference Center
5403 Elmer Drive. Toledo, Oh 43615

Note: Camera and manual are recommended for all sessions.

If Toledo or Lucas County issues a Level 1, 2 or 3 snow emergency, class will be postponed and remaining classes will be shifted one week.

Brochure/application should be posted on the website by Oct. 15
Class size is limited

Christmas Potluck slide show

It is time to be thinking about gathering a few photos for the annual Christmas slide show occurring on December 11. Number of photos and guidelines for submission will be in next month's "Viewpoint".

PACT Roster Updates

Renewals

None reported

New Membership

None reported

Members Photos Out and About

If you have winning photos in other contests or have your photos displayed for the general public, let me know so we can share it with the club.

For Sale or Looking For

If you have a piece of photo equipment you are either looking to sell or looking for, this newsletter will be an option for you.

Hints & Tips:

If you have an area of interest that you feel would be of interest to the club, this editor would welcome contributions. Creating an article for a newsletter normally results in learning as well as contributing.

Officers and Board Members for 2014-2015

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