



December 2024

NEXT MEETING - DECEMBER 3

Animals



Tuesday, December 3 at 2:00 p.m. in the Cultural Center Education Room.

Club members, friends, family, guests, and all Willow Valley residents are welcome.

During the meeting we'll be showing the photos taken at the Landis Valley Village & Farm Museum Photo Shoot.

New Feature – We'll also be showing a brief tutorial about posing family members to help you take better pictures during the holidays.

PHOTO CHALLENGE FOR JANUARY 7

My 2024 Holiday Favorites



Members may submit up to four photos. If you plan to attend the meeting and wish to comment, let us know when you submit your photos.

Please send entries to ccwvchallenge@ gmail.com by noon Saturday, January 4.

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FUTURE CHALLENGES (subject to change)

February: The Color Red

April: Water in Any Form

March: we expect to have a guest speaker

May: Things That Are Round or That Go Around

PREVIOUS CHALLENGE PICTURES

Previous challenge pictures continue to be shown on the Entertainment Channel, Campus TV 4/Comcast 956, at 11:00 a.m., 3:30 p.m., and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. This month we'll be showing Lines–Straight or Curved, Something Small, The Color Blue, and My 2019 Holiday Favorites.

THE NOVEMBER MEETING

The November meeting was held November 5 in the Spring Run Auditorium. There were 43 in attendance. We looked at "It Starts with the Letters A or E." There were 163 pictures by 47 members. Thank you for your participation.

STUDIO OPEN DOOR

The Open Door session at the Studio will be held on Wednesday, December 4 and is open to all residents.

The sessions are held the first Wednesday of the month from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Lakes B-312. You can receive help with photography questions, have a few pictures printed or edited, or see the resources available to Club members.

PHOTO EXHIBITS

Jane Koester has an exhibit at North during December.

If you have an exhibit and would like it included here, please let us know.



The Five Fine Fotos are displayed monthly in the lower level of the Cultural Center by the elevators.

Members will receive a submission request when it's their turn. The requests are alphabetical.

After display in the Cultural Center they are displayed for a month in the Studio. Then, some are displayed in the Glen.

SIG MEETINGS

The December meetings will be on the 19th.

Lightroom/Photoshop SIG at 10:00 a.m.; Image Review SIG at 11:15 a.m. All meetings via Zoom.

About the Lightroom/Photoshop SIG – At the 10:00 a.m. session we'll answer any questions, look at video tutorials, and explore editing photos using the wide range of tools and techniques available in LR/PS.

To join the Zoom meeting:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89773142238?pwd=NTF2aG1lRlhwMEdJV05RV0JlaUNjdz09

Meeting ID: 897 7314 2238 Passcode: 088707

About the Image Review SIG – We encourage any member to submit photos for the Image Review session at 11:15 a.m. In the review we'll try to find helpful suggestions about how the photo might be improved. The suggestions are mainly how the framing, cropping, or composition might have been improved. There are no suggestions requiring significant editing unless requested by the submitter. Anyone is welcome to attend the meeting even if they don't have a photo to review.

If you have an image you would like reviewed please send it to tonypoulos3@gmail.com before the meeting.

To join the Zoom meeting (note, it's the same for both meetings):

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89773142238?pwd=NTF2aG1lRlhwMEdJV05RV0JlaUNjdz09

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DECEMBER EVENTS

- 3 Our December meeting.
- 4 Studio Open Door Lakes B-312, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
- 19 Lightroom/Photoshop SIG at 10:00 a.m. Image Review SIG at 11:15 a.m. No Council Meeting this month.

JANUARY EVENTS

- 7 Our January meeting
- 8 Studio Open Door Lakes B-312, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
- 16 Lightroom/Photoshop SIG at 10:00 a.m. Image Review SIG at 11:15 a.m.
- 22 Leadership Council Meeting, Spring Run Conference Room, 1:30 p.m.

QUESTIONS? Contact Tony Poulos, tonypoulos3@gmail.com