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When I think of all the members in the Arlington Camera Club, I realize that almost everybody has some type of job or position in the club that helps make our meetings, programs and events successful. We have room set-up, Hospitality,

Judges, Newsletter Team members, Program committee, Competition Committee, Outings & Field Trips, CACCA, Library displays, Community Service Events, party planners, someone prepares the ribbons, someone buys plaques, the DPI Team handles our digital images and we have board members (and who did I forget?). So let's once again say **Thanks** to our fellow members for their participation.

Meeting Programs

We've already begun booking programs for our fall meetings. I had a member suggest to me the other day that we could have member programs that included short presentations. Perhaps two or three different members could present shorter programs, say 20 minutes each. The presentations could be "anything goes" with one members showing images captured at an event or trip and another member demonstrating how to clean a digital sensor as an example. So, during our first meetings in September

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The presentations could be “anything goes” with one members showing images captured at an event or trip and another member demonstrating how to clean a digital sensor as an example. So, during our first meetings in September when we renew our memberships, I’m going to ask everyone “What small demonstration or program can you present to the club?” Remember, anything goes. And if you know of a presenter or want to see a particular program, let us know. Just go to the ACC web page and “contact us”. <http://www.arlington-cameraclub.org/contact-us-2/>

Watch your Yahoo Groups E-mail during the summer for short notice photo shoots or other events. If you are going on a photo shoot or know of an interesting photography related event, please send an E-mail to the group. Just send your announcement to arlicamclub@yahoo.com .

Keep your lens clean.

Bob Reynolds



The Things We Do for a Good Shot By Mike Garber

Friday morning Jim Pierson, Larry Arends and I drove six hours to Marion IL, near the Southern end of Illinois. Jim grew up in the Marion area. We checked into our hotel and drove on to the first waterfall, on our plan at Ferne Clyffe. There was an



improved trail out to the waterfall, but a stream had over run part of the path. Jim and Larry wore at least ankle high boots, but my shoes were lower. They forge the stream, but I was reluctant to get my feet soaked. So I took the high path and climbed through the trees and rocks to the falls.



At the waterfall, we found two falls. A local resident told us that he had never seen water come from the second, smaller falls before. We later found out that the area had at least ten inches of rain recently before our arrival. We later saw extensive flooding in fields and streams. There were

areas where the water came up to the road on both sides for miles. On the way out, Larry and Jim tried to help me across the stream with a log, it worked somewhat, but I got both feet in the water.



We finished at the Ferne Clyffe late afternoon and decided to go on to the Garden of the Gods Park for a potential sun set shot. The Garden of the Gods is limestone rock formations, bluffs and spires. The park is at the top of a bluff, facing west. We did some mild rock climbing to get good shots of the rock formations. We waited for sunset, but it was not spectacular, and interrupted by clouds. At dusk, we returned back to Marion for the night.



On Saturday morning, we set off to find Berne? Falls. Fortunately, the location showed up on Jim's GPS, as it was deep in Shawnee National Forest. After driving through fields and forest we found the falls. We were fortunate to have sunny weather, but the sun was in the wrong position for good shots of the falls, so we decided to return later in

the day. Looking on the map, there was another potential site called Stone Face Mountain. The face was reported to look like a Native American. We could not find the exact spot on the map or GPSs. So we drove through many fields and were blocked by a flooded road. We found where the face should be, climbed up a steep hill, but never saw the face.



We had a lot of time; so Jim suggested another place, Cave in the Rock. This was the site where in the 1800s river pirates hid and attacked riverboats. Legend tells that Davey Crockett help to clear out the pirates. I think I remember that on a Disney movie. We went to the site, but the Ohio River was at a flood stage and the cave entrance was under water. Those two spots that did not work out.

After lunch, we returned to Berne Falls. The area around the falls is all grey limestone. There are two successive falls; one drops about thirty feet or so. We could see that from the parking area and getting the base was not difficult. However the larger falls was a drop of about eighty feet to the floor of the cannon. Our challenge was how to get down there and not fall. We followed the top



of the canyon for a hundred yards or so and could see that a ridgeline came up to the edge, with about a 45-degree incline. We made our way down to the streambed. I stayed a bit behind. Jim made it to the bottom and found a place where he could cross the stream, but did not make it. He got a bit wet, but kept his camera backpack out of the water. Larry helped him out and across.

We did sit up and get some good shots. However, the challenge is how to get out of the cannon.



We saw people, including some small children come out of the cliff, rock formation, so we thought there must be away out. We climbed up to the rocks, but found we had to do some difficult rock climbing to get out, with our camera equipment on our backs. We got back to the top of the falls and discussed if three senior guys should be doing rock climbing. In all, it was a good outing.



ACC SWAP MEET



Item	Sale Price	Original Cost	Contact	Phone	Email
TAMRAC EXPEDITION 7 BACK PACK For Photo Equipment. Used once Can't use due to back problems	\$175.00	\$220.00	Cindy Kuffell	847-533-8682	cck116@comcast.net
EPSON STYLUS PHOTO PRINTER R-2280 + 7 unopened ink cartridges + USB + Epson manual	\$300.00	\$799.00	Jim Pierson	847.217.3806	jmperson@ameritech.net
OLYMPUS 70-300MM lens f4-5.6 in original packaging	\$80.00	\$359.00	Jeanne Garrett	847.253.5082	jgarrettphoto@yahoo.com
OLYMPUS FL-36 ELECTRONIC FLASH: Original Packaging, manual,	\$215.00	\$129.00	Jeanne Garrett	847.253.5082	jgarrettphoto@yahoo.com
OLYMPUS EXTENSION TUBE 1:1, Original Packaging	\$79.00	\$121.00	Jeanne Garrett	847.253.5082	jgarrettphoto@yahoo.com
DELUXE PHOTO GADGET BAG (CANON LOGO) 14" X 11" X 8". 6 adjustable compartments inside, 11" zip storage in front + 2 zip side compartments. Tons of room for camera. Lenses and all photo stuff	\$30.00	\$62.00	Jeff Berman	847.403.3100	bermfour@aol.com
NIKON USED ONLY 30 TIMES		Amazon Prices	Nancy St. Clair	847-670-7407	N1426@netzero.net
Nikon D3100 with 18-55mm lens Nikon 55-300 lens Battery charger Gadget bag Total		\$506.00 \$397.00 \$ 48.00 \$ 30.00 \$981.00			
Nikon D200 Camera Baody w/17-55 Nikor lens MB 200 Battery Pack(vertical grip) TOTAL	\$1300.00	\$1600 \$1800 \$275	Randy Vlcek	847-540-0233	randyvlcek@yahoo.com
Canon G10 Camera 14 MP shoots raw and jpeg. Includes software and battery charger & memory card. Excellent condition.	\$100.00	\$227	Randy Vlcek	847-540-0233	randyvlcek@yahoo.com
Vivitar 85 - 205 mm lens	Free to a good home		Patty Colabuono	857-253-1471	pcolabuono@comcast.net

Arlington Camera Club Exhibits

ONGOING AND UPCOMING EXHIBIT SCHEDULE. From Judy King

May/June, 2014 - Elk Grove Village Library

Theme - Open

Will call my contact mid-April to find out what the requirements are for hanging.

Will also find out put up / take down date/time.

Judy

FIELD TRIPS form Paula Matzek

Sat., June 28, 10 A.M. - 4 P.M. Pioneer Day at the Grove, 1421 Milwaukee Ave., Glenview. Costumed interpreters, blacksmithing, basket weaving, candle dipping...

Sun., June 29, 9 A.M. - 1 P.M. Portrait Photography Workshop, Lake County Discovery Museum, Wauconda. Professional photographer Robert Tolchin teaches composition, lighting, and lens selection. \$20 residents, \$28 nonresidents.

July 12 and 13, Sat. 10 - 5, Sun. 9 - 3 Civil War Days, Lakewood Forest Preserve, Wauconda, Reenactments, battles, demos... \$10 adults (\$7 seniors.)

In addition, Vesela is planning a field trip for us in July. Stay tuned for more details.

Paula

Prospect Heights Library Photographic Display

During the month of April, the Arlington Camera Club had some of their photos on display in the main foyer of the Prospect Heights library located just off Camp McDonald Road and Elm Street. Images cover both the walls in the foyer as well as the small case in that same room. We also had some images in the display case across from the reception desk.

We have several displays coming up, so please consider adding your images to these exhibits. The communities enjoy seeing our photos and who knows, they might even think about joining our club.



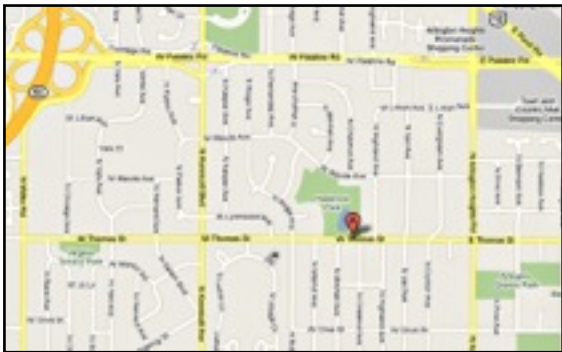


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ACC meets at the Christian Church of Arlington Heights, 333 W. Thomas Avenue, three blocks west of Arlington Heights Road, across from Hasbrook Park on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m.

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Winners of Annual Standings

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2013-2014

Slides - Color Slides

Jeff Berman

DPI – Color Images

Bill Bible

DPI – Monochrome Images

Carol Arnolde

Small Color Prints - Class B

Tim Medema

Class A

Larry Arends

Class AA

Bob Reynolds

Large Color Prints - Class A	Mike Garber
Class AA	Jeanne Garrett
Class AA	Patrick Grady
Small Monochrome Prints - Class B	Jeanne Garrett
Class AA	Larry Arends
Large Monochrome Prints - Class B	Paula Matzek
Class AA	Patrick Grady

ACC End of Year Competition Results – June, 2014

Slides

Ralph Childs	The Choreographer	1 st Place
Carol Arnolde	Foggy West Yellowstone	2 nd Place
Jeff Berman	Blonde in Black	3 rd Place

Small Monochrome Prints

Jeanne Garrett	Leopard	1 st Place
Carol Arnolde	Gifford Barn	2 nd Place
Jeanne Garrett	El Tracks	3 rd Place

Large Monochrome Prints

Randy Vlcek	Teton Barn	1 st Place
Randy Vlcek	Oxbow Bend	2 nd Place
Jeanne Garrett	Art Deco	3 rd Place

Small Color Prints

Kathy Grady	Reflection	1 st Place
Tim Medema	Dragon Fly	2 nd Place
Roy Lobenhofer	Eyes of the Tiger	3 rd Place

Large Color Prints

Patrick Grady	Bass Harbor Light	1 st Place
Jeanne Garrett	Building A Nest	2 nd Place
Patrick Grady	El Cap & The Merced	3 rd Place

DPI – Monochrome

Bob Reynolds	Lonely Cougar	1 st Place
Kent Wilson	A Good Day Fishing	2 nd Place
Larry Arends	Vintage Pose	2 nd Place
Richard Carr	White Flower	3 rd Place

DPI – Color

Randy Vlcek	The Boxer	1 st Place
Carol Arnolde	Yucca in White Sands	2 nd Place
Patty Colabuono	Good Morning Sunshine	2 nd Place
Jeanne Garrett	Peek a Boo	2 nd Place
James Beck	Baja Surf	3 rd Place
Bill Bible	Cold Climb	3 rd Place



Three Winning Slides, Jeff Berman, Carol Arnold, and Ralph Childs



1st, The choreographer by Ralph Childs



2nd, Foggy West Yellowstone by Carol Arnolde



3rd, Blonde in Black by Jeff Berman



Winners, Small Monochrome, Jeanne Garrett and Carol Arnolde



1st, Leopard by Jeanne Garrett



2nd, Gifford Barn by Carol Arnolde



3rd, El Tracks by Jeanne Garrett



Winners, Large Monochrome, Jeanne Garrett and Randy Vicek



1st, Teton Barn By Randy Vicek



2nd, Oxbow Bend by Randy Vicek



3rd, Art Deco by Jeanne Garrett



Winners, Small Color, Tim Medina, Kathy Grady, and Roy Lobenhofer



1st, Reflection by Cathy Grady



2nd, Dragon Fly by Tim Medema

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3rd, Eyes of the Tiger by Roy Lobenhofer

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Winners, Large Color, Pat Grady and Jeanne Garrett

1st, Bass Harbor Light by Pat Grady



El Cap & The Merced by Pat Grady



2nd, Building the Nest by Jeanne Garrett



DPI Winners, Bill Bible, Carol Arnolde , Randy Vicek, Patty Colabouno, and Bob Reynolds

DPI Monochrome



1st, Lonely Cougar by Bob Reynolds



2nd, A Good Day Fishing by Kent Wilson



3rd, White Flower by Richard Carr

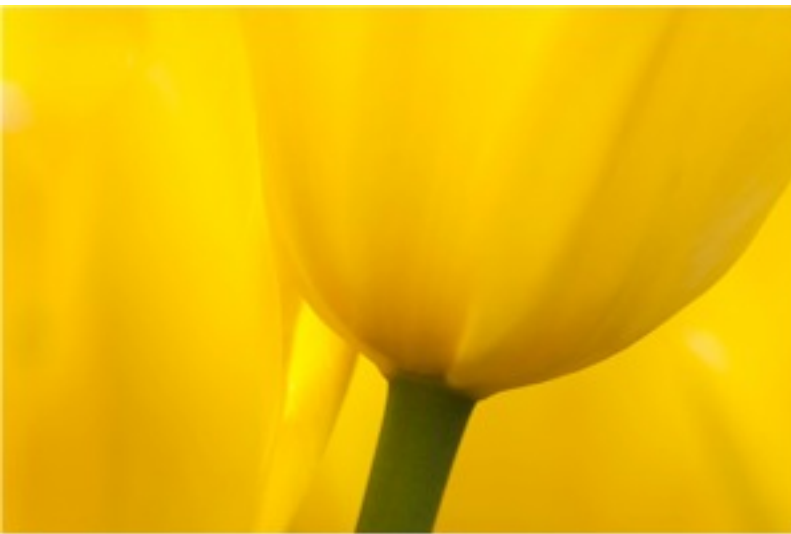
DPI Color



1st, The Boxer by Randy Vlcek



2nd, Yucca in white Sands by Carol Arnold



2nd, Good Morning Sunshine by Patty Colabuono



2nd, Peak a Boo by Jeanne Garrett



3rd, Baja Surf by James Beck



3rd, Cold Climb by Bill Bible