#### Fellow Coastal Camera Club member:

This is a March 3, 2024 eNews brief of upcoming events for your planning.



# **Upcoming Events/Club News**

#### President's Note New!

Last weekend the club held its 4th Virtual Beach Bash. A big thanks to the event chair Maury Kahn, Doug Strande, Susan Giordano and Deb Payette for making the weekend a success. The planning and personal time involved in making this a seamless and successful event does not go unnoticed. The next time you see or speak to one of these team members let them know how much you appreciate the time and effort they put into this event over the past few years.

#### Virtual Beach Bash New!

This year's event successfully ran this past weekend, receiving rave comments from the attendees. The Beach Bash has a long history from the club, running for many years as a conference on the boardwalk in Rehoboth, hence the name. For the past 4 years we have been running virtually and attracted attendees across the nation and worldwide, including the UK, Australia, and Canada, to name a few. Thanks to club members Maury Kahn, Deb Payette, Doug Strande, and John Whitmore for their efforts in arranging this

year's Virtual Beach Bash.

Both presenters provided in-depth information and hidden gems for all levels of photographers, covering creativity, previsualization, shooting, and postprocessing editing. Chuck Kimmerle discussed "Personal Expression in Black and White", especially related to Landscape Photography. Bob Coates centered on Nature in a presentation entitled "Nature and Wildlife—From Pre-Capture to Post Production and Fine Art Photography."

Through the generosity of the speakers. Chuck Kimmerle and Bob Coates each contributed an image for a raffle held during the event. The lucky winners, Frank Schimmoller and Paul Hammesfahr, will soon be receiving 20" x 30" acrylic prints of these stunning images.

For those who missed the live sessions, the good news is that all presentations have been recorded. The recordings will be available for streaming until April 15, providing an extended opportunity to catch up on the valuable content shared by the presenters. Access to the recordings can be found at <a href="https://vimeo.com/showcase/10996615">https://vimeo.com/showcase/10996615</a>, with the password: 2024CCCVBB.

#### Nominations for President and VP

Pursuant to Article IV of the Club's Bylaws, two of the four Club officers' positions are subject, this year, to nomination. They are the position of **Vice President and President.** The term of office is two years. This year's 2024 Nominating Committee was duly appointed by the Club's President, Joanne Tramposch, to include Sam Markman, Chair, Mary Lu Pool, Member, and Susan McFarlin, Member.

If a Club member in good standing wishes to propose any additional nomination(s), please submit same to the Nominating Committee Chair, Sam Markman at <a href="mailto:szmarkman@yahoo.com">szmarkman@yahoo.com</a>. Any submitted individual must be willing to serve, be in good standing, and be qualified for the position. Please submit nomination(s), if any, at least one week prior to the election to be held at the Club's May regular meeting at a date determined by the President. The term of office begins June 1.

## **CCC** at The Moorings of Lewes

When presented with an opportunity to exhibit, CCC was able to move quickly. A stunning set of photographs that offer variety was selected for the CCC Exhibition at The Moorings of Lewes. Congratulations to Nancy Allen, Scott Becque, Linda Benzon, Kathy Campos, Brian Cox, Bill Crnkovich, Dana Dagle-Long, Sharon Denny, John Hoyt, Steve Licata, Judith Picciotto, Deb Payette, Lorraine Quinn, Samantha Scullen, Leslie Sinclair, and Doug Strande, as their work will be part of the exhibition. Thank you to Maury Kahn and Paul Sylvia, who served as jurors, and Deb Payette, who helped with logistics. The club can be confident that the residents will enjoy this CCC exhibition that will be on display for the month of March.

## The End of Year 2023 Winners For the Southern Maryland SIG

Open competition

1st Place Final Note Joanna Macaulay
2nd Place Art Lovers Wayne Thomas

3rd Place AMG Metal Pole Sam Lane

HM Izamal Entrance Joanna Macaulay

HM Fall Fungus John Walker

Theme competition

1st Honolulu Joanna Macaulay
2nd I'll Take Manhattan Wayne Thomas
3rd The Lake Cindy Hartman
HM Paris from Notre Dame Leon Smith

HM Drops on Tulips Joanna Macaulay

## **Activities and Information**

## Membership Renewals Due

#### Important!

When renewing your membership you need to sign into the "Members Only" section first. Then go to the drop-down on the main site to renew. You only have to enter your credit card information.

<u>March 2024</u>	<u>Type</u>
Laura Grimes	Family
William Grimes	Family
Thomas Wise	Individual
Charles Jordan	Individual
Peter Duff	Individual
Samuel McCracken	Individual
George Abbott	Individual
Susan MacInnis	Family
Steve MacInnis	Family
Carole Bender	Family
Thomas Bender	Family

## **New Members**

Larry and Joanne Stamm Anne Tubiolo William Ashley

## Women with Vision 2024 Online Photo Conference New!

March 22 @ 5-8:30 pm / March 23 @ 9:00 am - 7:00 pm

The speakers will be recorded in the event one can't attend at these times.

## Featuring: Names you will recognize!

Six Professional Women Photographers speaking, Women with Vision is all about inspiration, creativity, knowledge, empowerment, and more!

Co/Guest Instructor:

Kristi Odom, Michelle Harris, Tesni Ward, Sapna Reddy, Lisa Langell, & Jackie Kramer. Hosted by Hunt's Photo Education's Emily Hojnowski

Cost: \$59.99

More info and to register: <a href="https://edu.huntsphoto.com/event/women-with-vision-2024-online-photo-conference/">https://edu.huntsphoto.com/event/women-with-vision-2024-online-photo-conference/</a>.

## Maryland Osprey and Nature Festival New!

The Maryland Osprey and Nature Festival will be held on Saturday April 6th at the Drum Point Club in Lusby, Maryland. Drum point is the spit of land on the North side of the Patuxent River where it enters the Chesapeake Bay. The festival will have a photo competition that focuses on wild birds. Entries are due no later than March 15th. More information about both the photo contest and the basic festival may be found at MONF website: https://marylandospreyfestival.org/

#### Nikon LIVE New!

13 educational and inspirational keynotes and four shoots—watch the pros in action. Welcome to Nikon LIVE from WPPI, where some of the world's greatest imagemakers will share tips, advice and inspiration for photographers and videographers in portraiture, weddings and events, and more. March 5-7, 2024.

https://www.nikonevents.com/us/live/wppi/2024/index.php?utm\_source=MKT&utm\_medium=email&utm\_campaign=wppi-live-3-1-

2024&utm\_content=btn&utm\_term=Watch&ET\_CID=5123258&ET\_RID=907127070

## Virtual Photography Summit, March 13-March 14 New!

You can get free 24-hour access to sessions with a free pass or sign up for lifetime access via a paid VIP Pass.

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#### MAPV Save the dates New!

Mid-atlantic Photo Visions (Formerly known as Nature Visions).

November 2-3, 2024. MAPV is having a photography conference in Manassas, VA at the Hylton Performing Arts Center. Motels/hotels are located nearby.

Details are not completely settled yet; however, in the past there have been notable speakers, an exhibit of competition winners, portfolio reviews, opportunities to sell old camera gear as well as to buy new photography gear, printers, tripods, etc. at conference-discounted prices from brand reps and camera stores, as well as other vendors, free sensor cleaning, etc.

Register to receive notices at: <a href="https://midatlanticphotovisions.org/">https://midatlanticphotovisions.org/</a>

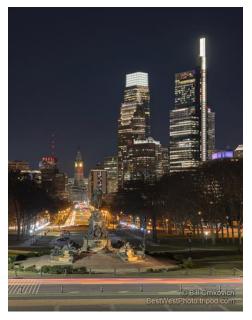
#### Landscape SIG Feb Field Trip New!

On Monday the 19th, seven Landscape SIG members met in the chilly late afternoon to photograph Philadelphia at night. We captured the downtown skyline along the Schuylkill River as the sun dropped below the horizon behind us and the lights came on. This gave us a nice variety of scenes from architectural details of the buildings to the long exposure of the cars on the roads. We then went to the steps of the Philadelphia Museum of Art (think of Rocky) for a different view of downtown with the Benjamin Franklin Parkway. We ended the evening with dinner in Wilmington. It was a fun time.

Photo credits: Carol Bell, Bruce Steakley, and Bill Crnkvovich







## **Event Photography SIG**

In February, Anne Rhoads assisted the Fort Miles Historical Association (FMHA) by providing photography for several dozen items available in the FMHA store. Anne worked with store staff to set up and capture high-quality photography which resulted in 57 high-resolution images for the use of FHHA. Anne solved multiple tricky lighting and editing challenges to successfully complete the project.

On May 5, Fort Miles will hold a Wall of Honor Ceremony and has requested photography coverage for this event. More information will be forthcoming, but interested Club photographers can mark the date on their calendar. If any Club members have expertise in "live streaming", this would be useful. Heretofore, the Event Photography SIG has provided 'still photography' only. Contact Sam Markman at <a href="mailto:szmarkman@yahoo.com">szmarkman@yahoo.com</a>.

## Photography Tips by Joe Reardon

Some great tips for all, from beginner to more advanced (in between promotionals, of course!)

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## Member Recognition

Please let us know of any current, outside accomplishments that can be included in this section by sending an email to <a href="mailto:nallen8305@msn.com">nallen8305@msn.com</a>.

#### **Deb Felmey**

Congrats to Deb. Her photo was selected for the cover of the special Bombay Hook edition of the Delaware Photographic Society - Reflector.

#### For Sale:

Please check here for equipment for sale. This information will be carried on 2 newsletters unless we hear the equipment has been sold. Send detail information to nallen8305@msn.com.

#### Backpack New!

Peak Design camera backpack, selling for over \$200 new, for \$75. MODEL 20L.

Also, giving away batteries for Fuji XT model cameras.

Contact Dick Snyder at <a href="mailto:rbsnidley43@gmail.com">rbsnidley43@gmail.com</a>





## Used Nikon Camera Equipment for Sale New!

Contact: Sue Eberhart- grammysueandpop@comcast.net

#### Lenses:

- 1. AF-S Nikkor 24-70mm 2.8G ED lens, front and rear caps, with box and case \$550
- 2. AF-S Nikkor 14-24mm 2.8G ED lens, front and rear caps, protective foam cover for front, with box \$550
- 3. Nikon AF-S DX Micro Nikkor 40mm f/2.8G Lens lens cap, hood and pouch, \$150
- 4. Nikkor 85mm f/1.4 DIF AF, front and rear lens caps and hood \$400
- 5. Tamron SP AF 180mm f/3.5, LD (IF) MACRO 1:1, case and straps, front and rear caps and hood, (Model B01N) \$200
- 6. AF-S Micro Nikkor 105mm 1:2.8 G ED Hood, front and rear caps, pouch \$500

#### Cameras:

1. Nikon D750 camera, shutter count 50,712 out of approx., 150,000, front

and rear caps, 3 batteries, battery charger, manual, remote control, Rugged Card Case and 6 used cards - \$800

- 2. Nikon D850 camera, strap, batteries, battery charger, USB cable, cards, manual, shutter count 98,436 out of approx.150,000 \$1200
- 3. Nikon D7200 DSLR Camera Body {24.2MP}, battery, battery chargers, remote control, manual, \$600

## Other photography equipment:

- 1. Black Rapid Women's Camera Strap (Elle), ballistic black \$35
- 2. Black Rapid Camera Strap (Spot) \$20
- 3. Crumpler Industry Disgrace Camera Strap \$20
- 4. Nikon ML-3 Compact Modulate Remote, sells for \$199 new,

https://www.bhphotovideo.com/c/product/37754-USA/

Nikon\_4645\_ML\_3\_Modulite.html/overview, online manual \$50

5. MH-18a Quick Battery Charger Compatible with Nikon EN-EL3 EN-EL3e EN-EL3a Battery for D50 D70 D70s D80 D90 D100 D200 D300 D300s D700 Digital SLR Cameras Power Supply \$15

- 6. Nikon MC-30 Remote Shutter Release Cord for D3 D3s D3x D4 D200 D300 D700 800 810 \$10
- 7. Walkstool Comfort 45 Large Folding Stool, used, sells for \$89.99 at B&H. Selling for \$35.00.....might be the best \$35 you ever spent. Trust me.

#### Lensbaby Soft Focus II Canon EF (DSLR)

lensbaby.com/collections/soft-focus-ii/products/soft-focus-ii \$279.00 new.

With an aperture range from f/2.5 to f/22 and Manual Focus. Plus comes with 4 drop in magnetic disks.

\$200.00 only used a few times

Contact Deb Payette at debpayette@gmail.com

Cheers, Nancy Allen

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