



Greetings

Because this will be our main avenue for communicating news, awards, notices of exhibitions, and interesting photographic tidbits to our Club members and friends, be sure to send me anything you want distributed to our mailing list. You may designate it for Members ONLY or for our entire list of about 600 members and others interested in our Club. You may email me at HROTHGAR99@COMCAST.NET or call me at 609-658-8551.

Several of you have asked about this username. I was reading Beowulf when I needed a username and Hrothgar was the name of the Danish King in that wonderful story. Plus there were already several thousand DavidAnderson usernames at comcast.net.

After the last meeting, Carl indicated to me that he wanted to play some continued role in the Club. The title of "Vice President" has a nice ring to it, so unless there is strong opposition, Carl will be our Vice President going forward.



PPC Monthly Meeting on May 11th, 7:30PM at the Johnson Education Center of the D&R Greenway Land Trust.

Scott and Hella McVay will be our speakers that evening. The topic will be:
Surprise Encounters with Artists and Scientists, Whales and Other Living Things

The presentation title is also the title of Scott McVay's recently released book. The work is a collaboration of Scott's writing and Hella McVay's photography. Scott McVay is founding executive director of the Robert Sterling Clark and Geraldine R. Dodge Foundations, and the 16th president of the Chautauqua Institution. A graduate of Princeton, he discovered and documented the six-octave song of the Humpback whale and, with Roger Payne, published a cover article in *Science*. He led two expeditions to the Alaskan Arctic to study, record, and film the Bowhead whale; the first led to a cover article in *American Scientist*, the second to a prize-winning film documentary by the National Film Board of Canada. McVay is the recipient of numerous awards, including: the Albert Schweitzer medal, the Animal Welfare Institute; the Joseph Wood Krutch medal, the Humane Society of the United States; and an honorary doctorate from Middleburg College. His board service includes: World Wildlife Fund, Smithsonian, Bat Conservation International, and now, Knowles Science Teaching Foundation. McVay also has a new collection of poetry, *Whales Sing and Other Exuberances*.

The event is free and open to the public.

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"Swap and Buy" at the June 8th monthly meeting

The Princeton Photography Club general meeting closes our 2015/2016 season with our annual "SWAP & BUY" on Wednesday June 8th at the D & R Greenway Land Trust, 1 Preservation Way, Princeton NJ

Our final meeting will close with a buffet including wine and deserts and lots of nice goodies!

Set up at 7 PM with opening sales at 7:30 PM. The event ends at 9:30 PM.

The swap & buy will also have floor space marked ***free items just take...***

A note to those bringing merchandise to the June 8th "Swap & Buy "

When you arrive, you will be assigned a table space which will be shared with other members of the Club. We suggest that when you decide to walk around to see the other tables you assign someone to stay at your table.

In other words, try to take turns and in that way protect any merchandise from being stolen since we hope to have a public audience attend this meeting as well.

Leave a name by your merchandise so that if someone wants to purchase an item they know whom to look for. The person staying with the table can then point you out to any interested buyer.

Also, make handouts that can be taken home. You may not sell your item at the meeting but someone may contact you later.

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So, if you want to bring something and just give it away, please feel free to do so. At the end of the evening please do not leave it for us to discard. Take it home with you.

An invitation to come to D & R has been extended to other photo clubs bring lots of items. You never know who might want them.

You can bring you own table if you want to. If your items are too big to take out of your car or to even bring to D & R, just make a flyer for them.

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2015 Edition of the Annual Photo Book

The 2015 Edition of our Annual Photo Book will be distributed at the June 8th meeting. The cost is \$67 for the hardcover version and \$56 for the softcover. If you requested that the book be mailed to you, there is an extra cost of \$8.

PLEASE - exact cash or a check made out to the PPC.

There is no storage for unclaimed books after the meeting. If you cannot attend the meeting, please make arrangements for the book to be picked up.

If you requested that the book be mailed to you, there is an extra cost of \$8. If you are wanting your book mailed, you must send a check and mailing address ahead of time to Sheila Geisler, 1 Hunters Run, Princeton NJ 08540.

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OPEN CALL FOR MIXED MEDIA ART: LAKEFRONT GALLERY

Wall Worthy: A Juried Exhibit of Mixed Media Artwork

The Princeton Photography Club is accepting submissions for a juried exhibit of mixed media to be on display at Lakefront Gallery, Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital Hamilton, June 25 through September 15, 2016. Juried awards totaling \$400 will be presented on July 7 at 6:30 PM, at the opening reception.

The term mixed media exhibit signifies that there will be a selection of artwork in different media allowing for the creation of one cohesive exhibit. To this end any form of art that is able to hang on a gallery wall will be considered. Mixed media includes photographs, painting, woodworking, acrylics, quilting or any other forms of art that will hang on a gallery hook.

Approximately 80 pieces will be accepted. All entries may be submitted on a CD, DVD, or memory stick; or you may upload your images to the Dropbox site, as specified in the prospectus.

Final submission date is May 23, 2016.

Artwork is to be hand delivered on June 24 or June 25.

Please view the complete prospectus at

<http://www.princetonphotoclub.org>

<http://princetonphotoclub.org/LakefrontGallery.html>

Gallery 14 Juried Photo Exhibit 2016 Prospectus - Call for Work

Artists are invited to submit a maximum of 5 works that have been created within the past 3 years for exhibit at Gallery 14.

Submission Guidelines

Submit pieces to be considered to gallery14exhibit2016@gmail.com by May 20, 2016. The show is limited to approximately 40 pieces which will be juried electronically.

Email entries as a jpeg: 72dpi resolution, maximum 1024 pixels long edge, labeled: **lastname_firstname_title**. In the body of the email submission also include: photographer's name, phone number, email, home address, photo title, frame size and photographic process. Selected participants will be notified by June 3, 2016.

Cash awards and ribbons to be presented for Best in Show, Merit Awards and Honorable Mentions.

Delivery of Work

Photographs selected for exhibit must be brought to Gallery 14 ready for hanging on July 8 or 9 from noon to 5 pm, or by mail. Entrants who have work accepted will be sent information about framing requirements.

Sales

Gallery 14 will receive a 30% commission if your works sells while on display at the Gallery.

Liability

All pieces must be self-insured.

Fees

The fee is \$10 for each photo submitted. At the time email submission is made, the applicant must **send a check made out to Gallery 14** to Larry Parsons, 107 Random Rd., Princeton, NJ 08540.

Jury Members

Kenneth Kaplowitz: Professor at The College of New Jersey where he is the coordinator of the “Lens Based” program in the Department of Art and Art History.

Theresa Hood: A freelance photographer who has exhibited her work extensively throughout NJ and Pennsylvania. In addition, she is a PSA certified Jurist.

Larry Parsons: Professional artist, photography teacher, member of Hopewell’s Gallery 14. His work is included in numerous private and corporate collections in New Jersey, New York, Maine, Colorado and California.

Calendar

Email Submission Deadline

May 20, 2016

Notification of Selection Date

June 3, 2016

Delivery of Work

July 8 or 9, noon to 5 pm

Exhibit Opening Reception

July 15, 2016, 6pm to 8 pm

Exhibition

July 15 - August 7

Pick-up Work

August 8, 3 pm to 5 pm

Curator

John Clarke

gallery14exhibit2016@gmail.com

Gallery 14

YWCA of Princeton is looking for volunteer photographers

Nina Magariello is the Volunteer Coordinator at the YWCA Princeton.

The YWCA Princeton as a non-profit organization has many fundraising events throughout the year to fund its many programs. Most of these programs are staffed by volunteers and are grant subsidized which means they have very limited budgets.

One of the areas in which they always need help is photography. They have been fortunate to have had many volunteer photographers over the years but they are tapping out their resources and are always looking for a fresh perspective. Some examples of events that need photographers are: In the Pink Fashion Show, Tribute to Women Awards Dinner, Firecracker 5K Run, Father Daughter Valentine's Day Dance to name just a few. Often the photographers use it as a networking opportunity to gain new business and to establish themselves in the community.

If interested, contact:

Nina Magariello

Volunteer Coordinator

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