



Greene County Photography Club

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NEXT MEETING: 4th Tuesday, January 28, at 7 PM at the Waynesburg Bible Chapel.



“Picture of the Year”

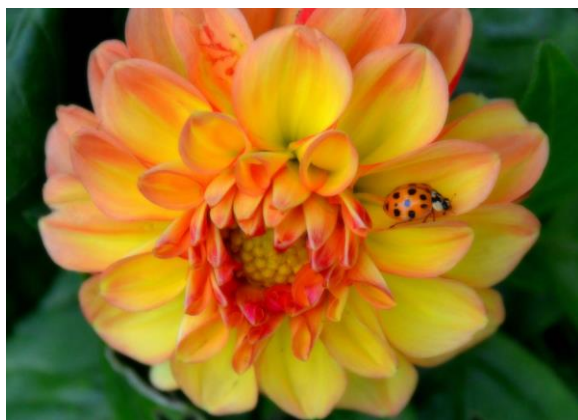


“Water Droplet”

By **Cathy Butcher**

(Tied 2nd Place – Bowlby)

Bowlby - Second



“Summertime”

By **Janice Morris**

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Bowlby - First



“Bathing Beauties”

By **Kathy Cochran**

January 28, 2014

Happy New Year!

Our Photo Challenge for January is “Black and White” and our program will be a DVD portfolio presentation by Dave Brendel.

Photography is a mix of creative skills and “fundamentals.” Last fall we obtained the *Great Course Series* on Photography from which we plan to occasionally select topics to show for our program.

December

Those who attended our Christmas Party enjoyed visiting and sharing some very tasty food! We had a brief meeting during which we talked about some possible “2014 Field Trips” including Phipps, the Zoo and Meadowcroft Village. We also selected 7 monthly challenges for 2014 and voted on the 2013 “Photograph of the Year.”

There was interest in the photo frame cards from:
<http://www.photographersedge.com>

Bowlby – Third



“Glade Creek Grist Mill”
By Alan Butcher

Upcoming Meetings

Date	Challenge	Program
Jan. 28	Black & White	Trains*
Feb. 25	Action	
March 25	Romance	
April 22	Weather	
May 27	Running Water	
June 24	Animals	
July 22	Insects	

*Technical difficulties prevented us from seeing Dave’s presentation in November. The alternate program will be from the Great Courses Series, “Photography.”



We are a member of the
Photographic Society of America
www.psa-photo.org
See Janice or Kathy D. for login

Start planning for 2014 Contests!

(Entry dates not known at this time.)

Sheep & Fiber	5/17 & 5/18/14
Strawberry Festival	5/10-18/14
Taylor County	May 2013
Cameron, WV	June 2013
Greene Co. Fair	7/27 – 8/2/14
Morgantown Wine & Jazz	9/20-9/21/14
Bowlby Library Exhibit	9/14-10/14
Greene Saver Calendar	10 per year

Please let us know of any contest information you become aware of and/or entry dates. Thanks!

Black and White Photography

Digital Photography School’s [“Tips for Black and White Photography”](#) and [“Five Black and White Photography Tips”](#) provide some ideas for taking better black and white photographs – shoot in RAW if your camera permits this as it will give you the most “post production” control. Take the picture in COLOR and make the changes on your computer. Use a Low ISO to reduce noise. Sometimes a dark, low-contrast situation works well. Look at shapes, tones, textures, shadows and highlights as you compose the picture.

Need some inspiration? Check out these links:

[Ansel Adams](#)

[Clyde Butcher](#)

“A good photograph is knowing where to stand.”
Ansel Adams

Join Greene County Photography Club! Dues paid now are for 2014.

\$12 Individual Membership \$15 Family Membership –those living in same house

You can pay at meeting or mail to Dave Brendel, Treasurer, 125 Scott Run Road, Sycamore, PA 15364

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