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The Newsletter of the Greene County Photography Club of Pennsylvania.



*Pittsburgh Skyline* by Bob Bedison

*1st Place - "CityScapes"*

**Next Meeting: 4th Tuesday, April 26, at 7 PM at the Waynesburg Bible Chapel.**

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***Freedom Tower*** by Bob Bedison  
*2nd Place*



Please join the  
Greene County Photography Club in 2016!

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

You can pay Dave Brendel, Treasurer, at any  
meeting.

<http://greenecountyphotoclub.org/>



<https://www.facebook.com/GreeneCountyPhotographyClub/>



## **Silverton, Colorado**

by Cheryl Brendel  
*3rd Place Tie*

## **Myrtle Beach Storm**

by Dave Brendel  
*3rd Place Tie*



## ***A Look Back***

**Cherry Blossoms** by Andrew Corfont  
*April 2010*

## **OFFICERS**

**President** - Kathy Douglas

**Vice President** – Alan Butcher

**Secretary** – Jackie Weaver

**Treasurer** – Dave Brendel

**Newsletter & Website** – Cathy Butcher

**Publicity** – Dave Brendel

**Facebook** – Ann Newman, Kathy Douglas,  
Kelly Scherrick & Cathy Butcher

# Club News

At our March meeting, Dave and Cheryl Brendel shared a lovely portfolio of their visit to St. Martins. The portfolio included beautiful landscapes and close ups of flowers.

Some members will be attending the Pirates' Photographer Night on April 13. We appreciate the Pirates' invitation and look forward to seeing some great photographs!

Our April program will be our "first effort" to provide feedback to each other on three photographs. Put three photographs on a USB memory stick to bring to the meeting. We will view the photographs using the projector and offer feedback. Also, our month's photo challenge will be "tools." What kind of tools, you ask? Well YOU decide!

Finally, we will begin to take nominations for our June election of officers for Photo Club. Please consider how YOU can help! Sadly, the Sheep and Fiber Festival will not be hosting a photography contest, because they did not have anyone to organize it.

## 2016 Club Meetings

### Featured Web Link:

<https://www.google.com/nikcollection/>

Google has just announced that it has made the best plugins for Photoshop and Lightroom, bundled into a single "Google's Nik Collection" absolutely free (it was priced at \$150 per license before). It appears that Google is no longer going to actively develop this product. These plugins provide different "looks" to your pictures. It's definitely fun to experiment, if you use Photoshop and / or Lightroom!

Date*	Program - Photo Challenge
April 13	Pittsburgh Pirate Photographers
April 26	Peer critiques & observations of 3 pic Tools
May 24	Camera/Photographer
June 28	Brides / Weddings Election of Officers
July 26	Rocks
Aug. 23	Black & White
Sept. 27	"Back to School"
Oct. 25	Orange
Nov. 22	Antiques
Dec. 27	Picture of the Year Party

\*All dates are tentative – 4th Tuesday of each

## 2016 Contests

Help us update these!

Event	Event Dates	Photo Deadline
Sheep and Fiber	May 21-22, 2016	No contest in 2016
<a href="#">Strawberry Festival</a>	May 18-20, 2016	Deadline: April 29
Taylor County	Usually Late May	
Cameron, WV	Usually July 4	
<a href="#">Greene Co. Fair</a>	August	Deadline: June?
<a href="#">Morgantown Wine &amp; Jazz</a>	Mid Sept	
Bowlby Library Exhibit	Sept.- Oct.	
<a href="#">Greene Saver Calendar</a>	March 31, June 30, Sept. 30 , Oct. 31, 2015	
Dominion Post 2016 Calendar		

If you get any 2016 updates, please email Cathy Butcher.



**Welcome Spring**  
Cathy Butcher  
April 2014