

**Camera Club of Oak Ridge**  
Newsletter for January 2016

**Next meeting: Tuesday, January 12, 2016** Roane State Community College (Oak Ridge campus), Room A-111. Come at 7:00 pm to chat, program convenes at 7:30.  
Program: **National Park Photography**. 2016 is the 100th birthday of our national park system. Club member John Clark has probably visited more of them than any other member. He plans to share images he has made of them over the last 19 years. More details on the website.

**Last meeting:** Bimonthly intra-club competition. The theme was **Portrait Photography**. Ron McConathy provided a terrific learning experience in the form of detailed analysis of each entry while judging the competition. The winners were:  
Prints... first place - Cheryl Tarrant  
Projected images... first, second and third places - Douglas Hubbard.  
Doug is either an experienced and talented portrait photographer or he was incredibly lucky.

**Upcoming meetings:** The February meeting will be an intra-club competition with the theme of "Pet Parade". Visit the website for more details.  
Beginning with 2016 the club has decided to limit the bimonthly competition to digital (projected) images only, no prints.

**Dues are due:** The club dues cycle runs from January to December and payments are due now for 2016. Privileges of membership include competing in the bimonthly intra-club competitions, reduced entry fee for the annual salon, posting images on the club Facebook page and website. Annual dues continue to be one of the best bargains in photography: \$20/individual, \$30/family, free for full-time students. Payments will be accepted at the January meeting by cash, check or card. One may also visit our "Join Us" page on our website to access PayPal or print out the Membership (re-) application form with instructions for sending your dues to me via snail mail.

Club Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/groups/cameraclubOR/](http://www.facebook.com/groups/cameraclubOR/)  
CCOR website home page: <http://oakridgecameraclub.org> (also contains the email addresses of the club officers listed below.)

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