

Camera Club of Oak Ridge

Newsletter for June 2016

Next meeting: Tuesday, June 14, 2016 Roane State Community College (Oak Ridge campus), Room A-111. Come at 7:00 pm to chat, program convenes at 7:30.

Program: The June meeting will be an intra-club competition with the theme of cell phone photos. Any subject but the photo must have been taken with a cell phone. Here are the rules for submission.

BIMONTHLY COMPETITIONS

Entries are accepted only from Camera Club of Oak Ridge members in good standing. Images may be entered as digital projection images with a maximum of 3 entries per member. Images must have been taken in the past five years. An image which has been judged as 1st, 2nd or 3rd in other competitions may not be entered.

Digital images should be resized so that the long side of the photo is 1400 pixels. Please eliminate any watermarks of other identifying information before submitting. Digital images should be submitted by email to the competition chairman (email: compvp@oakridgecameraclub.org) by Friday before the Tuesday meeting. If you have not received an acknowledgement of your submission, please contact the competition chairman for confirmation.

Digital image files should be named as follows: Your Last name followed by first name plus a short title for the image, e.g. Duck, Donald Rain on the Lake.jpg.

An **auction** of used equipment is also planned for the June meeting. See below for details.

Last meeting: The May meeting featured a presentation on sports and action photography by John Kernodle. John showed many images of his special interest, motorsports photography. He gave a number of insider tips regarding venues, passes, positioning and techniques for obtaining dramatic images of race cars in action.

A slate of officers was presented to the club by Mike Slay representing the nominating committee. There were no nominees from the floor. Since there are no contested offices, a vote will not be required at the June meeting. The slate of new officers is as follows:

President	Yvonne Dalschen
Program VP	Dawn Isbell
Competition VP	Jim Parks
Secretary-treasurer	Michael Miller

The nominating committee, with input from outgoing and incoming officers, also proposed 2 new appointed leadership positions.

Community Liaison...Rob Welton

Membership activities coordinator...Jill Vandagriff and Doug Hubbard

The latter co-chairs are charged with working to facilitate the social interaction of club members in a variety of activities. We are still looking for a suitable title for them, so suggest one.

It has also been announced that Co-chairs for Salon 2016 will be Pat Postma and Mike Slay. Additionally, recognition is due to the tremendous work done by Dennis Clark and Ann Barber maintaining our website.

Reflect for a moment on that impressive list of individuals who give of their time and talents to make our club a success. Thank them in person when the opportunity arises.

Upcoming meetings: In July, Michael Miller will present a program on macro photography including an in-depth discussion of focus stacking.

Club activities: The Secret City Festival will be June 10 and 11. Again this year, CCOR will be providing a valuable community service by photographing the activities. Rob Welton is coordinating the effort via the CCOR FaceBook group. Anyone can show up and shoot but an all-activities photographer's pass is available for those who sign up in advance. Here is a link the list of events <http://www.secretcityfestival.com/restaurant-1>

CCOR camera gear auction: The club recently received a donation of camera equipment. The majority consists of legacy Nikon lenses and film bodies. The goal is to make the gear available to the club members and prospective members at bargain prices. See the FaceBook page for more details. Here is a list of the items offered.

Folding Kodak Retina Ila rangefinder camera with 50 mm f/2 lens

Nikon FE body black

Nikon FM2 body black

Nikon FA body black with Nikon CF-30 leather case

Nikon N80 body

Nikon N80 body

Nikon 50 mm f/1.8 AI (MF)

Nikon 50 mm f/1.8 AI-s (MF)

Nikon 105 mm f/2.5 AI-s (MF) w/ built-in hood + HS-8 screw-on metal lens hood

Nikon AF 85 mm f/1.8D

Nikon AF 50 mm f/1.4D

Nikon AF 28-70 mm f/3.5-4.5D

Tamron (F-mount) SP 35-80 mm f/2.8-3.8 (Adaptall 2 F mount) (MF) (Model 01A)

Tamron (F-mount) AF 28-200 mm f/2.8-5.6 Aspherical XR (IF) Macro (Model A03N)

Tamron (F-mount) AF 28-200 mm f/2.8-5.6 Aspherical XR (IF) Super-II Macro (Model 371DN)

Sigma (F-mount) AF DL 28-200 f/3.5-5.6 Hyperzoom Macro

Sigma (F-mount) AF 70-300 mm f/4.5-5.6D APO Macro Super (case only)

Bell and Howell Electric Eye Zoomatic Perpetua 8 mm single lens movie camera with Varamat 9-27 mm f/1.8 zoom lens – Director's series Design 414 with box

Bogen 3216 Aluminum monopod with quick release and plate

Lowe-Pro Slingshot 102AW camera bag

Lowe-Pro Mini Mag AW camera bag

Lowe-Pro Mini Magnum camera bag

First edition of "Ansel Adams in Color" book, edited by Harry M. Callahan

Club Facebook page: www.facebook.com/groups/cameraclubOR/ or click on the Facebook icon on the home page of the CCOR website.

CCOR website: <http://oakridgecameraclub.org>

Your current club officers are:

President Rob Welton

Sec/Treas Lee Smalley

VP – Program Yvonne Dalschen

VP – Competition Jim Parks

Web Design Dennis Clark

Submitted by Lee Smalley Secretary / Treasurer CCOR