

# Lens Line Newsletter



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# Draft 2012-2013 Schedule

## July 2012

7 Field Trip – [Tuckahoe Steam and Gas Annual Show](#)

## August

18 Field Trip – [Flying Circus and Balloon Festival](#)

19 Summer Picnic – Jackie Colestock's

## September

5 Club Year Intro

12 Show and Tell

19 Contest – Digital, Slide, Monochrome & Color Prints Open

**26 No Meeting – Yom Kippur – School Closed**

29 Field Trip – [Gettysburg](#)

30 Club Exhibit – North County Library – Setup 1:00pm

## October

3 Program – [Jeff Smallwood](#) – Landscapes Planned and Unplanned.

10 Contest – Digital and Monochrome Prints \*Scapes

17 Program – **Andre Gariepy**, retired CBS photographer.

24 Contest – Slides Open and Color Prints \*Scapes

20 Field Trip – [Cumberland/ Western Maryland Scenic Railroad](#)

**31 No Meeting – Halloween**

## November

7 Program – [David Muse](#) – “shooting in one's backyard.”

10 Field Trip – [Maryland Zoo](#)

11 Club Exhibit – North County Library – Dismantle 1:00pm

14 Contest – Digital and Monochrome Prints Open

**21 No Meeting – Thanksgiving – Schools Closed**

28 Contest – Slides and Color Prints Open

## December

5 Program – **Brian Flynn** – Our very own Brian Flynn has just published his first book.

12 Contest – Digital, Monochrome, Color Animals; Slides Open

15 Field Trip – [Christmas Lights 34<sup>th</sup> St. Hampden](#)

19 Christmas Party

**26 No Meeting – Christmas – Schools Closed**

## January 2013

2 Program –

9 Contest - Digital and Monochrome Prints Open

12 Field Trip – [U.S. Botanical Garden](#)

16 Tabletop Night/Macro

23 Contest - Slides and Color Prints Open

30 Program –

## February

6 Program –

13 Contest - Digital and Monochrome Prints Macro

20 Program –

23 Field Trip – [Bombay Hook](#) & [Prime Hook](#)

27 Contest – Slides Open and Color Prints Macro

## March

6 Program –

9 Field Trip – [Longwood Gardens](#)

13 Theme Contest – Digital Manipulation/Trick; Monochrome Prints Simplicity; Slides Slow Shutter Speeds; Color Prints “It's Not Sharp But I like it”

20 Program –

**27 No Meeting – Easter Break – School Closed**

## April

3 Program –

10 Contest – Digital and Monochrome Prints Open

17 Program –

24 Contest - Slides and Color Prints Open

27 Field Trip – [Southern MD Celtic Festival](#)

## May

1 Program –

8 Business Meeting

11 Field Trip – [Eastern State Penitentiary](#)

15 Club Events Contest

22 Banquet

29 Snow Date

# October Field Trip - Western MD Scenic Railroad

## Field Trip

On October 20th, around a dozen club members converged on Cumberland, Maryland. We photographed the Western Maryland Scenic Railroad leaving Cumberland.

Some of us intercepted the train as it passed Helmstetter's Curve. Then we photographed it arriving in Frostburg. The highlight may be the train turning on the turn table in Frostburg.

We had lunch in Frostburg and then went our separate ways.



# October Field Trip - Western MD Scenic Railroad



## Announcements



### North County Library Club Exhibit

On November 11th at 1:00PM we will meet at the library to take down the exhibit. If you have artwork in the exhibit, please come and help. This is really too many images for a couple of people to take home and then haul to a meeting.

### Annual Club Christmas Party

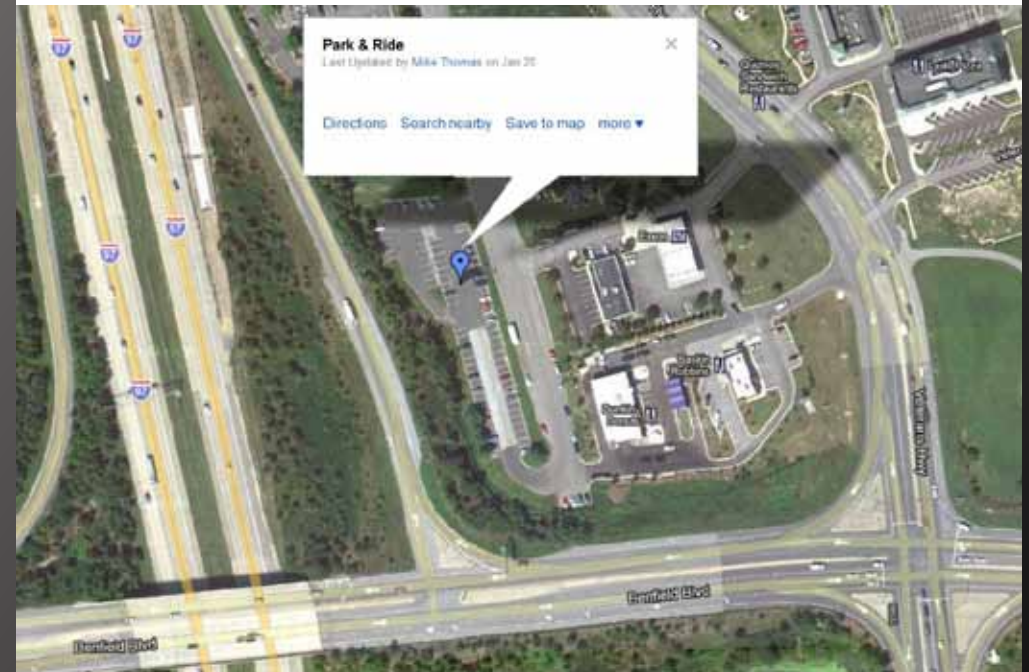
It's that time of year where we need to start planning our annual Christmas party and gift exchange. The party is scheduled for December 19th. Highlights of the party are the white elephant gift exchange and the pot luck dinner. We need a volunteer to host the party this year. The club will reimburse for sodas, paper cups, plates, napkins, and utensils. The party is always BYOB. Let Chip Bulgin know if you would like to host.

### November 10th Field Trip Maryland Zoo at Baltimore

Beth Penn is a docent at the Maryland Zoo and said she would love to show off the chimps and elephants. Bring a rubber lens hood, if you have one, for the Chimp Forest glass windows. Betty and Beth may be able to arrange an "enrichment" event for us.

We will meet at the zoo entrance at 9:00 AM. Although the zoo opens at 10:00 AM, Beth has arranged for us to go in at 9:10 AM. We all have to go in together and you must have purchased your ticket ahead of time and have it in hand. The zoo closes at 4:00 PM. Tickets are \$16.50. The National Zoo FONZ membership will not get you into the MD Zoo.

If you would like to go, please send an email to [fieldtrips@arundelcameraclub.org](mailto:fieldtrips@arundelcameraclub.org).



# October Novice Digital Competition Results



1st - Dawn Grannas  
"Grand Canyon"



2nd - Anne Benintende  
"Forrest and Trees"



3rd - Reb Orrell  
"Grand Tetons"



4th - Chuck Gorum  
"Lonesome Gull"

# October Novice Digital Competition Results



HM - Steve Rosenbach  
"Belvedere View"



HM - Larry Crow  
"Provincetown Beach"



HM - Ron Peiffer  
"St. Michaels Lighthouse"



HM - Vicki Pardoe  
"Grand Tetons"



HM - Vicki Pardoe  
"Mammoth Springs"



# October Unlimited Digital Competition Results



1st - Donna Neal  
"Tree Graveyard"



2nd - Bob Miller  
"Chincoteague First Light"



3rd - Chuck Gallegos  
"Mesquite Dunes moon Set"



4th - Bob Miller  
"First light Shen #1"



HM - Mike Thomas  
"Stormy Skies Over Canyon"



HM - Dick Chomitz  
"Cape May"

# October Novice Monochrome Competition Results



1st - Mike Worsham  
Great Island Cape Cod



2nd - Vicki Pardoe  
A River Runs Through It



3rd - Jackie Colestock  
Autumn Day



4th - Mike Worsham  
Solitude



HM - Dawn Miller  
Arctic Spaces



HM - Mike Worsham  
Sunset Grasses

# October Unlimited Monochrome Competition Results



1st - Chuck Gallegos  
Dettifoss



2nd - Bob Miller  
Morning At Otter Point



3rd - Chuck Gallegos  
Weathered Barns



4th - Bob Miller  
Cemetery Hill



HM - Mike Thomas  
Cape Hatteras National Seashore



HM - Chip Bulgin  
City Pipes

# October Novice Color Competition Results



1st Place Ron Peiffer  
“Fire in the Skies Over Annapolis”



2nd Place Graham Williams  
“Looking at the Other Side of Town”



3rd Place Ron Peiffer  
“View through the Sipapu”



4th Place Paul Ekstrom  
“Cannon Beach”



HM Reb Orrell  
“Boardwalk Sunrise”



HM Dawn Grannas  
“Tracks to Nowhere”

# October Unlimited Color Competition Results



1st Place Chuck Gallegos  
"Sunrise Dunescape"



2nd Place Chuck Gallegos  
"High Sierra from the Alabama Hill"



3rd Place Chip Bulgin  
"Monolith"



4th Place Dennis Balog  
"Autumn Egret"



HM Dawn Miller  
"Glacial Carving Artic"



HM Bob Miller  
"Boulder Beach Maine"

# October Combined Slide Competition Results



1st - Chuck Gallegos  
"Sundrop"



2nd - Christine Metzgar  
"Purple Diagonal"



3rd - Chuck Gallegos  
"Foggy Sunrise"



4th - Sunny Frank  
"Backlit"



HM - Bob Miller  
"Cliffs of Mohr"

# Club Officers and Points of Contact

President -	Chip Bulgin	<a href="mailto:president@arundelcameraclub.org">president@arundelcameraclub.org</a>
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Charlie Graf volunteered to take care of refreshments for the meetings.

# Club Information

## Meeting Nights

The Arundel Camera Club meets every Wednesday evening when school is in session and weather permitting. We only meet if the School is open. Check for school closings at the following link <http://www.aacps.org/>.

We meet at 7:30 p.m. and usually end before 10:00 p.m. Meetings are open to the public, but only dues paying members may enter competitions.

Meetings alternate with programs of informative speakers and photographic competitions. The purpose of programs are to bring in highly talented photographers to show us how to improve our photography.

Competitions give us a chance to show off our work and to get constructive critiques from our judges. Ribbons are awarded for first through fourth place and honorable mention. We have competitions for slides, color prints, monochrome prints, and digital images. Competitions are held for both novice and unlimited club members. Awards are awarded at the end of year banquet.

The club also has monthly photographic field trips to locations of interest. This is a chance to go out and practice what we learned during programs, a time to socialize with other club members, and a chance to do a little photographic exploration.

## Membership Rates

Students.....\$12.50  
Individual.....\$25.00

## Directions

We meet in room 114 at the Severna Park High School which is located at 60 Robinson Road, Severna Park, MD 21146-2899. The best place to park is along the back right of the high school. We place signs throughout the school pointing the way to our meeting room.

