

Lens Line Newsletter

A detailed close-up photograph of a camera's viewfinder assembly. The image shows the complex metal frame surrounding the viewfinder, with various reflections and mechanical details visible. The viewfinder itself is a large, rectangular window showing a blurred scene of a building with a yellow structure. The overall image has a green border.

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On the Cover: The cover image was taken by club member Ernest Swanson and places 1st in September's Unlimited Color Print Competition.

On This Page: The image above was taken by club member Bob Miller and placed 1st in the September Unlimited Digital Competition.

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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 34th 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

September Field Trip - Gettysburg

Gettysburg Field Trip

On Saturday September 29th Reb Orrell lead a club field trip to Gettysburg. They met at the Benfield Boulevard and Veteran's Highway carpool location at noon and drove up to Gettysburg. Three club members made the trip including Richard Chromitz and Dolphy Glendenning. Turns out they not only had a great day but a fine sunset. Here are some of their photos.



October Field Trip - Western Md Scenic Railroad

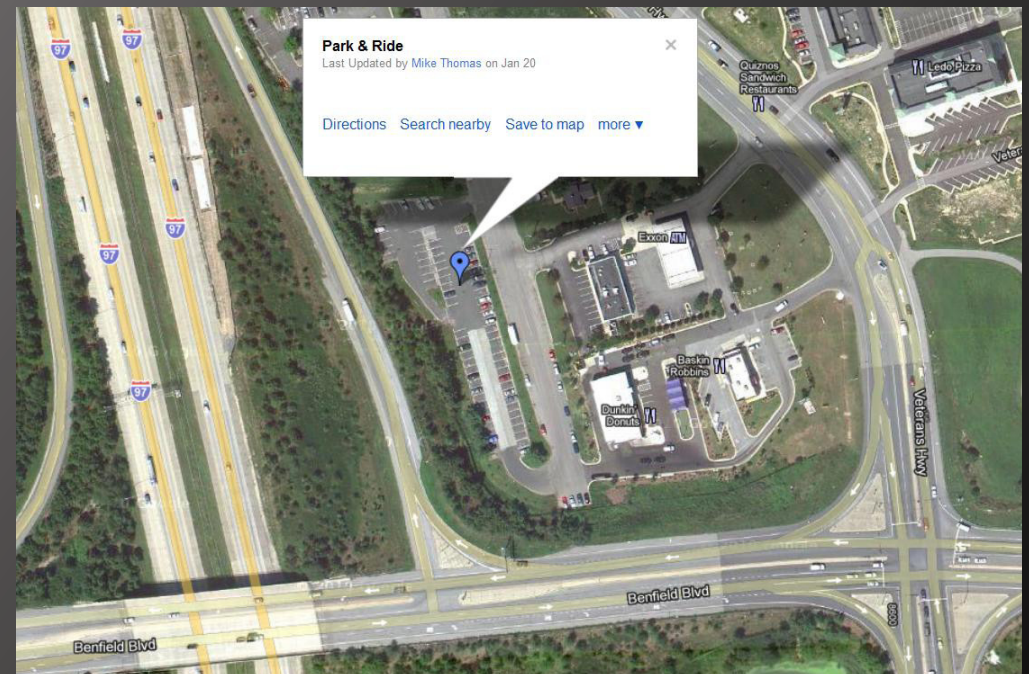


Mike Thomas

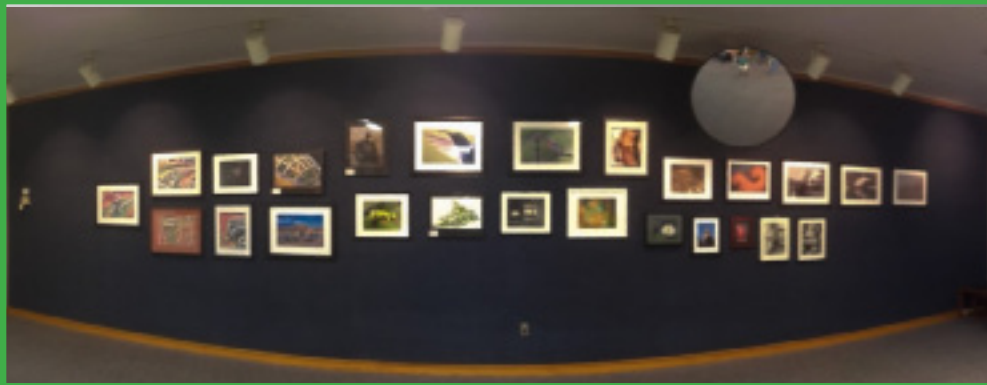
On Saturday 20 October we are going on a field trip to the Western Maryland Scenic Railroad. The train will go out on two 3.5 hour excursions that day at 11:30PM and 4:30PM. If you would like to ride the train, prices start at \$35 and can be purchased online [here](#).

I prefer to photograph the train departing Cumberland, drive to Frostburg, photograph the train arriving, turning on the turntable, and departing, drive back to Cumberland and photograph the train arriving again. The late excursion should return to Cumberland after sunset around 8:00PM. We will return then getting home around 10:30PM.

For anyone that would like to car pool, we will be meeting at 8:00AM at the park and ride next to the Severna Park Racquetball club off of Veterans Highway near Benfield Boulevard. Click on map for directions to park and ride. Otherwise we will meet you at the train station in Culmberland. If you would like to spend the night, there is a Fairfield Inn & Suites within walking distance of the station. If you would like to go, please send an email to fieldtrips@arundelcameraclub.org.



Club News / Announcements



North County Library Club Exhibit

On September 30th we hung our annual club exhibit at the North County Library. We ended up with a nice display of around 25 images. The address for the North County library's is 1010 Eastway, Glen Burnie, MD 21060. The exhibit will hang until November 11th. Please stop by to have a look.

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.

November 10th Field Trip Maryland Zoo at Baltimore

Beth Penn has asked for the weekend of Nov. 10 off. She 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 they have one, for the Chimp Forest glass windows.

Club Member Workshops & Meetup Groups

David Blecman runs The Annapolis Photography Workshop Group. If you are interested in photography workshops, group photo shoots, model photography, studio photography, studio lighting, and portrait and fashion photography; then you might be interested in this group. You can find more information at <http://www.meetup.com/annapolisphoto/>.

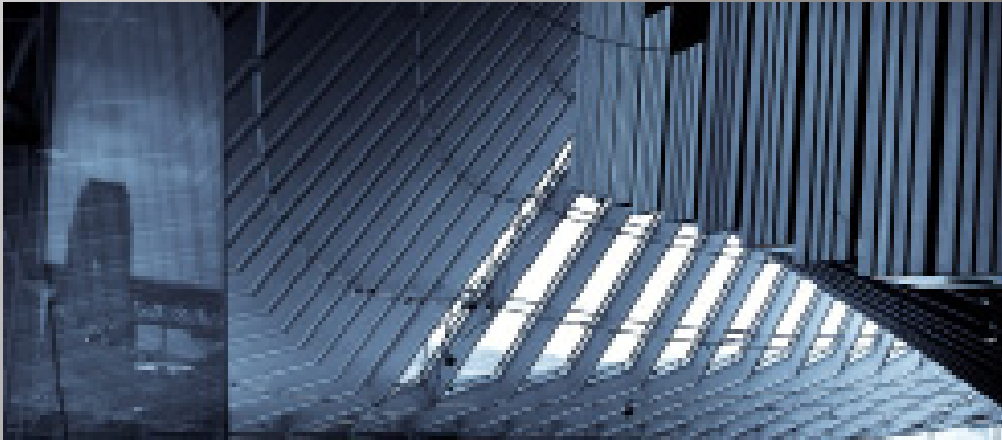
Chip Bulgin organizes meetups at his studio in Baltimore for the Baltimore Beauty, Fashion, Boudoir Meetup Group. So if you are interested in fashion photography, makeup artists, model, glamour, boudoir, studio, pin-up, beauty, digital photography, and retouching; then this meetup group might be for you. Trip ran a field trip to his studio for the club last year and the previous year he ran a great program on beauty photography for the club. You can find out more information at <http://www.meetup.com/Baltimore-Beauty-Fashion-Boudoir-Meetup/>.

Reb Orrell organizes meetups at his house and field trips all over the local area for the Baltimore High Dynamic Rangers (HDR) Photography meetup group. If you are interested in High Dynamic Range Photography, Photomatix Software, Topaz Filters, and nik software plugins; then you might like this meetup group. You can find more information at <http://www.meetup.com/Baltimore-High-Dynamic-Rangers/>.

Stephen Rosenbach judged our abstract contest last year and subsequently joined our club. He runs workshops to Annapolis and to New York City. You can find more information on his website <http://www.steverosenbach.com/photo-tours/>.

*If you run workshops or meetup groups, send an email to newsletter@arundelcameraclub.org so that we can publish in future newsletter.

September Novice Digital Competition Results



1st Place - Ken Claytor
"Sydney Opera House"



2nd Place - Chuck Gorum
"The Boat"



3rd Place - Reb Orrell
"A Streetcar Named Fort McHenry"

September Novice Digital Competition Results



4th Place - Cathleen Steele
"Fun in the Sky"



HM - Dick Chomitz
"Lead Paint"



HM - Steven Allen
"Timeless Afghanistan"



HM - Reb Orrell
"When the World Gives You Lemons"



HM - Fred Venecia
"Crimson Reign"



HM - Ron Peiffer
"Nose to Nose with Discovery"

September Unlimited Digital Competition Results



1st Place - Bob Miller
"White on White"



2nd Place Chip Bulgin
"Mad Hatter"



3rd Place - David Blecman
"Dragonfly"



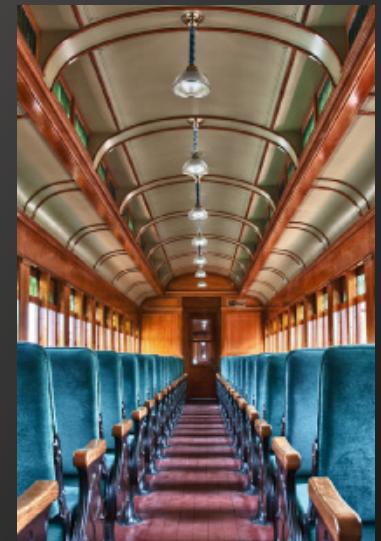
4th Place - Ed Niehenke
"Sails"



HM - Dolphy Glendinning
"Circles and Lines"



HM - Dawn Miller
"Lotus in the Sun"

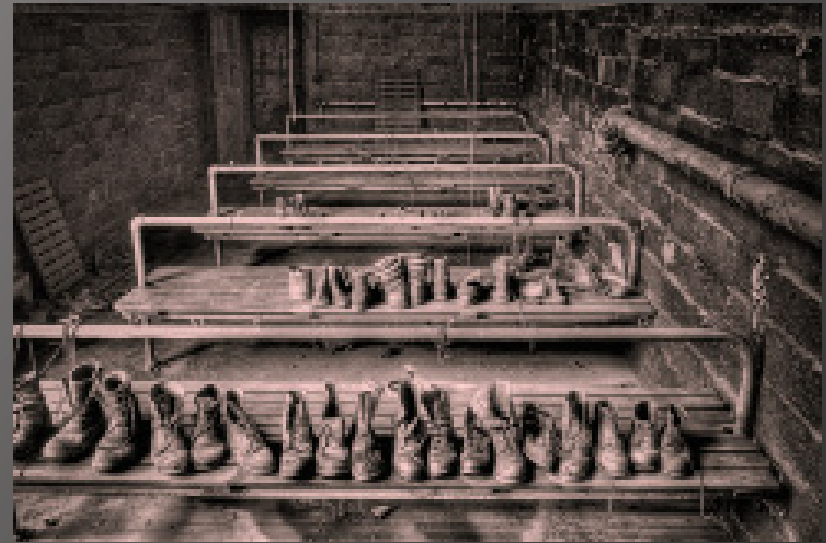


HM - Mike Thomas
"Strasburg Railroad Passenger Car"

September Novice Monochrome Competition Results



1st Place - Reb Orrell
"Headlight and Grill"



2nd Place - Reb Orrell
"St Nicholas Coal Breaker"



3rd Place - Christine Metzgar
"Light Moment"



4th Place - Ron Peiffer
"Streetcar Controls"



HM - Dick Chomitz
"Profile"

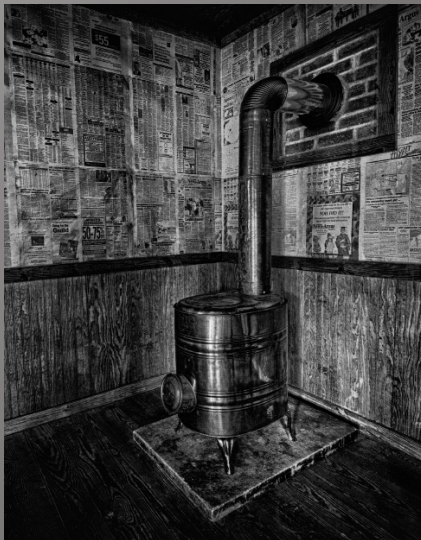
September Unlimited Monochrome Competition Results



1st Place Mike Thomas
"Eclipse Steam Tractor"



2nd Place - Chuck Gallegos
"Aguereberry Point"



3rd Place - Mike Thomas
"Shiny Metal Stove"



4th Place - Cathleen Steele
"Taking a Break"

September Novice Color Competition Results



1st Place - Mike Worsham
"Round Barn Interior"



2nd Place - Ron Peiffer
"Sliver of Daylight"



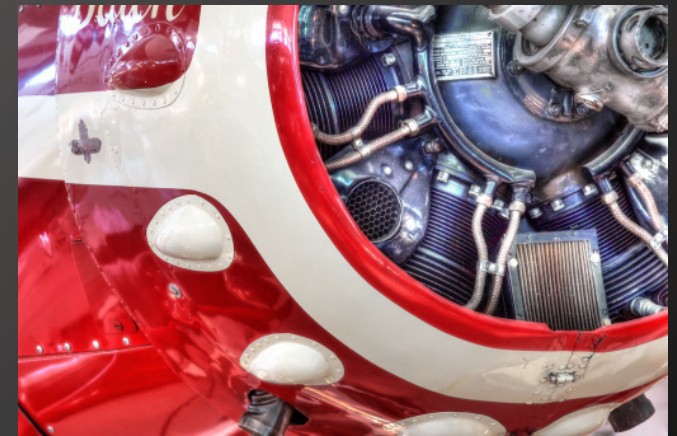
3rd Place - Dick Chomitz
"Sunflower"



4th Place - Ron Peiffer
"Saint Anthony's Monastery"



HM - Mike Worsham
"Cherry Waves"



HM - Ron Peiffer
"The Red Airplane"

September Unlimited Color Competition Results



1st Place - Ernest Swanson
"Enola Gay"



2nd Place - Mike Thomas
"Route 66 Classic"



3rd Place - Mike Thomas
"Eastern State Barber Chair"



4th Place - Chip Bulgin
"Frozen"



HM - Cathleen Steele
"Old Toll Station"

Club Officers and Points of Contact

President -	Chip Bulgin	president@arundelcameraclub.org
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Executive Committee -	Betty Harris and Charlie Graf	exec_comm@arundelcameraclub.org
Webmasters -	Reb Orrell	webmaster@arundelcameraclub.org

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.

