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**Above:** The above image by club member Michelle Barkdoll at the Spruce Knob overnight field trip.

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## **Summer Schedule**

## **Contest Themes**

- 5 Topic "Photographers who inspire you."
- 7-9 Field Trip 60th Annual Old-Time Wheat Threshing, Steam and Gas Engine Show Free admission/parking 5806 Federalsburg Hwy, Federalsburg MD <a href="https://www.threshermen.org/">https://www.threshermen.org/</a>
- 12 Topic Influentual Photographers, "Ansel Adams"
- 19 Talking about Astrophotography with with club members who met up at Spruce Knob, WV.
- 22 Club Picnic at Jackie ColeStock's
- 26 Photo Assignment Picnics
- 29-30 **Field Trip: 1st Annual Carroll County Balloon Festival** Carroll County Agricultural Center \$20 Admission Fee <a href="http://www.carrollcountyballoonfestival.com/">http://www.carrollcountyballoonfestival.com/</a>

### **Contest Themes**

**Close-Up / Macro** - The photograph should be taken from a position very near the subject. Generally this means that the lens should be focused at or near its closest focusing position. The use of screw on close up filters, extension tubes and macro lenses is permitted. Click here for examples of Close-Up/Macro.

**Patterns** - Patterns are simply repeated shapes, colors or objects, ordered in either regular or irregular formations. As a photographer, using pattern is key to good composition and, when used effectively, can transform an otherwise bland image into something dramatic and eye catching. Click here for examples of Patterns.

**Leading Lines** - Leading lines refers to a technique of composition where the viewer of your photos attention is drawn to lines that lead to the main subject of the image. A leading line paves an easy path for the eye to follow through different elements of a photo. <u>Click here for examples of Leading Lines</u>.

One Light Portrait - One light portrait lighting uses a single key light or main light. This is usually a speedlight or strobe. It's only one light. But you can supplement with a reflector, a window, or the sunlight. Each lighting pattern talks about where to place the light in relation to the subject. Click here for examples of One Light Portraits.



# Draft 2020-2021 Schedule

#### September - Photo Assignment - TBD

- 2 Year Intro/What I did over the Summer Slide show
- 9 Contest Color & Monochrome Prints Open
- 16 Program TBD
- 19-20 Field Trip Maryland Zoo
- 23 Contest Digital Open
- 25 Field Trip World War II Victory Commemoration Fly Over
- 26 Field Trip Easton Airport Day
- 30 Program Tabletop

### October - Photo Assignment - TBD

- 7 Contest Color & Monochrome Prints Patterns
- 14 Program TBD
- 17 Field Trip Spocott Windmill- Cambridge, MD
- 18 Odyssey of Light
- 21 Contest Digital Patterns
- 28 Program TBD

#### November - Photo Assignment - TBD

- 4 Contest Color & Monochrome Prints Open
- 7-8 Field Trip Baltimore Museum of Industry
- 11 Program TBD
- 18 Contest Digital Open
- 25 No Meeting (Thanksgiving)

#### December - Photo Assignment - TBD

- 2 Contest Color & Monochrome Prints Leading Lines
- 9 Contest Digital Leading Lines
- 16 Holiday Party Cathy & Greg Hockel's
- No Meeting (Christmas)
- 30 No Meeting (New Years)
- TBD Field Trip TBD

#### January 2020 - Photo Assignment - TBD

- 6 Contest Color & Monochrome Prints Open
- 13 Photo Talk or Program TBD
- 20 Contest Digital Open
- 27 Program TBD
- TBD Field Trip TBD

#### February - Photo Assignment - TBD

- 3 Contest Color & Monochrome Prints Close-Up/Macro
- 10 Program TBD
- 17 Contest Digital Close-Up/Macro
- 24 Program TBD
- TBD Field Trip TBD

#### March - Photo Assignment - TBD

- 3 Contest Color & Monochrome Prints Open
- 10 Program TBD (Check School Closed for Students?)
- 17 Contest Digital Open
- 24 Program TBD
- 31 Program Tabletop
- TBD Field Trip TBD

#### April - Photo Assignment - TBD

- 7 Contest Color & Monochrome Prints 1-Light Portrait
- 14 Program TBD
- 21 Contest Digital 1-Light Portrait
- 24/25 End of Year Contest
- 28 Program TBD
- TBD Field Trip TBD

#### May - Photo Assignment - TBD

- 5 Business Meeting
- 12 Contest Club Events
- 19 Program TBD
- 26 End of Year Banquet
- TBD Field Trip TBD

#### June

- 2 New Officer's Meeting
- TBD Field Trip TBD

# **Social Media/Distancing**

### Web Site

Theclubwebsitecanbefoundathttps://arundelcameraclub.org/. On the website you can find the club calendar and newsletters as well as other information like our constitution and by-laws.

### **Mailing List**

The club has a mailing list where we send out information to club members including information about calendar changes, contests, publishing newsletters, etc. To be added to the mailing list send an email to <a href="webmaster@arundelcameraclub.org">webmaster@arundelcameraclub.org</a>. You can remove yourself from the mailing list at any time.

### **Newsletters**

You can find out newsletters on our website. The newsletter has information on contest results and field trips as well as upcoming events and member accomplishments. You can find the archive of club newsletters at <a href="https://arundelcameraclub.org/newsletter/">https://arundelcameraclub.org/newsletter/</a>.

### **FaceBook**

The club has a FaceBook Group which we are relying on during the COVID-19 restrictions. You can find the group here <a href="http://facebook.arundelcameraclub.org/">http://facebook.arundelcameraclub.org/</a>. If you are not a member, you can request to join the group. It is a public group. Anyone on FaceBook can see our posts but only members can make posts. All of our virtual meetings have been broadcast via FaceBook.

### YouTube

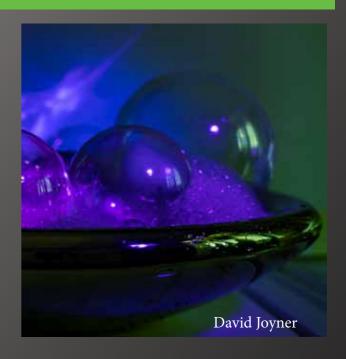
Videos of all of our virtual meetings and contests have been posted to YouTube. If you do not want to join FaceBook or missed one of our online meetings, you can see recordings here. You can find them here <a href="http://youtube.arundelcameraclub.org/">http://youtube.arundelcameraclub.org/</a>

Please join YouTube and Follow our page. Once we have 100 followers, they will let us replace the random numbers with our club name. We currently have 13 subscribers. So please subscribe.

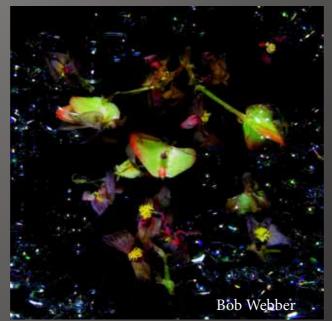
# Soap and Bubbles Assignment













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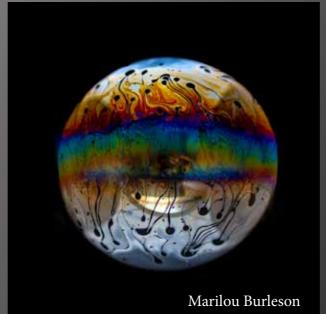
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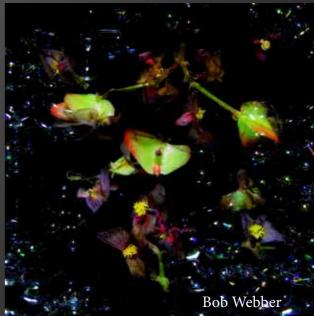












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# **Kinder Park Outing**











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# **Spruce Knob Field Trip**











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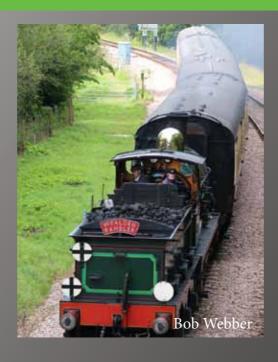




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# **Vacation Hot Spots**













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# **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 <a href="http://www.aacps.org/">http://www.aacps.org/</a>.

We meet at 7:00 p.m. and usually end before 9:00 p.m. The school doors are locked. We man the doors until 7:00 p.m.. It is important to be there by then to gain entrance to the school. Meetings are open to the public, but only dues paying members may enter competitions.

Meetings alternate with programs of informative speakers and photographic competitions. 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.

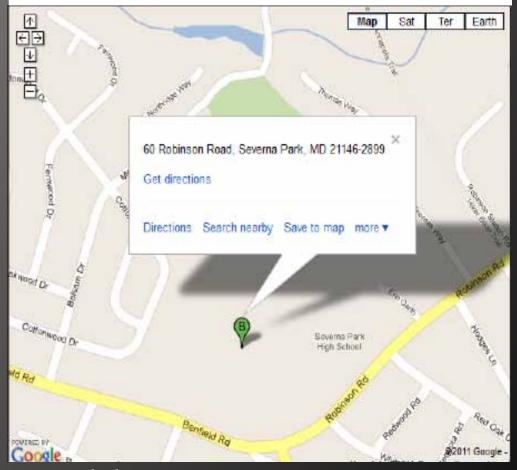
## **Membership Rates**

Individual . . . . . . . . \$35.00

Family . . . . . . . . \$15.00 each additional family member

### **Directions**

We meet at the Severna Park High School which is located at 60 Robinson Road, Severna Park, MD 21146-2899. We are now meeting in the new building in room 166 on the first floor. You can park in the teacher's lot on the left of the school and come in the side door. We must put the room back the way we found it and vacate the building by 9:00 PM.



# **Club Officers and Points of Contact**

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