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SSCC Board Meeting

A general board meeting of the Silver Spring Camera Club will be held at the home of President Mike Lux, Monday, December 8th, 7:30 pm. All current officers and chairpersons should make every attempt to attend. The meeting is also open to all club members wishing to participate (please call ahead to let Mike know that you are coming). The primary topic of discussion will be proposed rule changes. Board members wishing to propose other topics should contact Mike as soon as possible.

Holiday Open House

Bert Shankman is having another Open House - Show & Sale - Sunday, December 7th, 2003 from Noon to 6 pm at his home (3609 Patrick Henry Drive, Olney, MD). For directions, please call Bert at 310-774-0655.

There will be over 100 pictures on display including his newest works. All of his prints will be reduced by 20% for the day of the sale. And for a peek at some of his unique and beautiful flower images, browse his website at <http://www.photo-secession.com>.

If you are interested in how Bert produces his images, please come from Noon to 1 pm for a technology discussion. During this time he will show some of the more complex features and techniques. If you are interested in good eats or music, you're also in luck. His wife has planned a cheesecake theme for this Open Studio event and will be baking a selection of cheesecakes. Joyce Morton and friends are also planning to come and play a selection of classical pieces on his Baldwin piano. If you would like to play during the afternoon, please contact Bert ASAP to make arrangements.

December Field Trip

December's field trip will be to the Building Museum, 500 block of F St., NW, where they allow photographers to use tripods, so bright yours along! Field trip participants will meet on Saturday morning, December 6th, 2003, at 9:00 a.m. in the Giant Food Parking lot across from the Long Branch Library on Arlis Street. For more information, directions, carpooling, etc., please contact Field Trip Chairperson Bob Catlett at 301-585-7163.



Some members come on the field trips just for fun or just for the sheer enjoyment and comradere — and then, there are the others, who are down right serious!

December Calendar (most events start at 7:30 pm)

Dec. 4 th	Slide Meeting at Sligo Creek Community Center
Dec. 6 th	SSCC Field Trip (9:00 am)
Dec. 11 th	Digital Imaging Workshop
Dec. 18 th	Print Meeting at Long Branch Library

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Membership Rates

Student	\$20.00
Individual	\$30.00
Family	\$50.00

Submissions for the *Cable Release* should be directed to Editor, *Cable Release*, 12810 Kilgore Road, Silver Spring, MD, 20904, 301-622-6640. Submissions may be e-mailed to sjklem@his.com or mailed on disk in MSWord or Word Perfect format. Photos may be sent as e-mail attachments or mailed as prints.

SSCC web site: www.scccphotography.org

Digital Imaging Workshop

The Digital Imaging Workshop for December will be held on Thursday, December 13, 7:30 p.m., at the home of Henry Ng. We will examine and compare your test prints from the paper stock I passed out in our October session. Garry Kreizman will provide hospitality. (PS - As a courtesy to the Ng family, please remember to remove your shoes inside the front door--and bring some booties to keep your tootsies warm.)

Stan Klem

Directions to November Digital Workshop

1. From Beltway 495, take the Georgia Ave. (North) Exit. Continue North on Georgia Ave. until you pass Randolph Road.
2. Stay in the right lane and turn right onto Layhill Road.
3. Proceed north on Layhill Road. At the 3rd traffic light, turn right onto Sullivan Lane.
4. Go about 3-4 blocks and make a left onto Wagon Way.
5. Go 1/4 mile to 14020 Wagon Way (on your left).

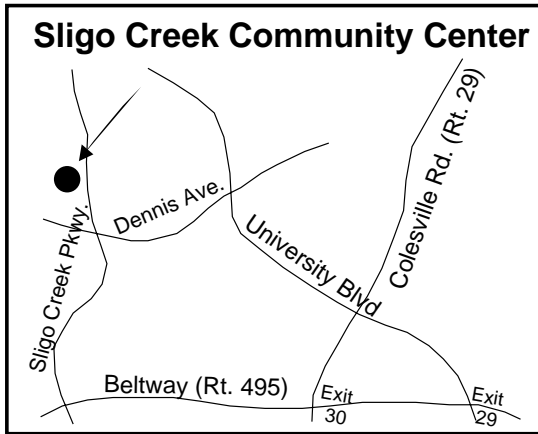
Deadline for submissions to the January issue of the *Cable Release* is December 20th.

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Slide Meeting

Thursday, December 4th, 7:30 pm

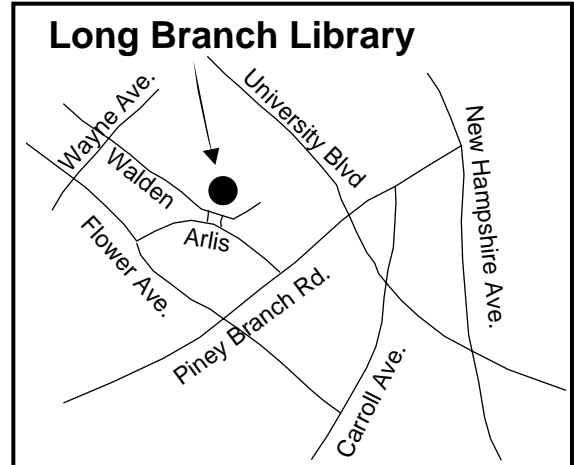


Our guest speaker for the December Slide meeting will be SSCC's own Don Becker.

Subject for the competition will be Open.

Print Meeting

Thursday, December 18th, 7:30 pm



No guest speaker for the December Print meeting had been announced by press time.

Subject for the competition will be Open.

Dear Fellow Camera Club Members:

Hello and good-bye,

It is with mixed emotions that I am writing my good-bye letter to you. As some of you may know, I am retiring from my Government job December 31, after 34 and a half years. And as some of you may have known, I bought a house in Fort Myers, Florida. I planned to move there in the future, but the future got here faster than I planned. I wanted to keep the house rented for a year or two, but as many plans go, that didn't happen. So, I will be moving sometime in early January. I am hoping that I will have many visitors who will come down to go photographing with me. It will take me some time to get settled in, especially since I will be going to India on Jan 26. So this move is going to be quick and easy I hope. I will be back in the area in the Spring because I have 3 photo jobs during the Summer and my husband, Larry will want to be on his boat. When I am back, I will try to get to the meetings.

I have made some really good friends in both the NIH Camera Club and the Silver Spring Camera Club. I will miss all of you. I understand that there are two camera clubs, Ft. Myers CC and Ft. Myers Beach CC. I look forward to attending meetings there when I get settled. Just think, I can compete all my old "winners" again!!!!!!

I will stay connected to you all by the newsletters and hopefully some will write an e-mail now and then.

My new address:

17330 Stepping Stone Drive
Fort Myers, FL 33921

My home e-mail: sharonphoto218@msn.com
(I will probably keep this one until I get settled and then may change to a high-speed provider.)

Thanks for your friendship, your knowledge and the opportunity to learn from all the experiences that Camera Clubs afford us.

Love, Sharon Antonelli

November SSCC Monthly Club Competition Winners

November 6th Slide Competition

Judge: Timothy Edberg

Combined Nov/Adv Slides

(11 Entrants, 32 slides)

1st	Ralph, Bob	Tasty
2nd	Mars, Larry	Another View
3rd	McCoy, Mary	Nautilus Shells
HM	Mars, Larry	Assiniboine Calm
HM	Frumento, Elisa	Hawaiian Flower
HM	Ralph, Bob	Wigpoo #1

November 20th Print Competition

Judge: Ginny Naden

Advanced Mono Prints

(7 Entrants, 14 prints)

1st	Manzelli, Peter	Going Nowhere
2nd	Ng, Henry	Lady in Dream
3rd	Kirkpatrick, Vernon	Pigeon Feeders
HM	Strange, Max	Approaching Ellicott City

Nov Color Prints

(4 Entrants, 12 prints)

1st	Catlett, Bob	Red Rooster
2nd	Bernache, Norm	Just Splashing
3rd	Ralph, Bob	Beach Biker

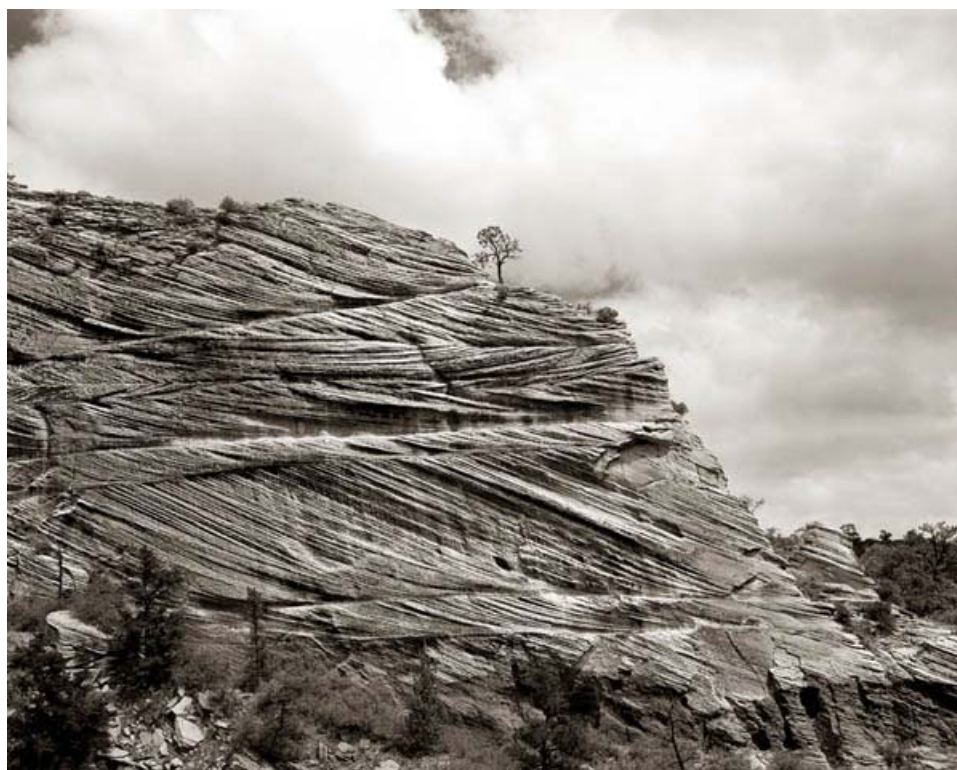
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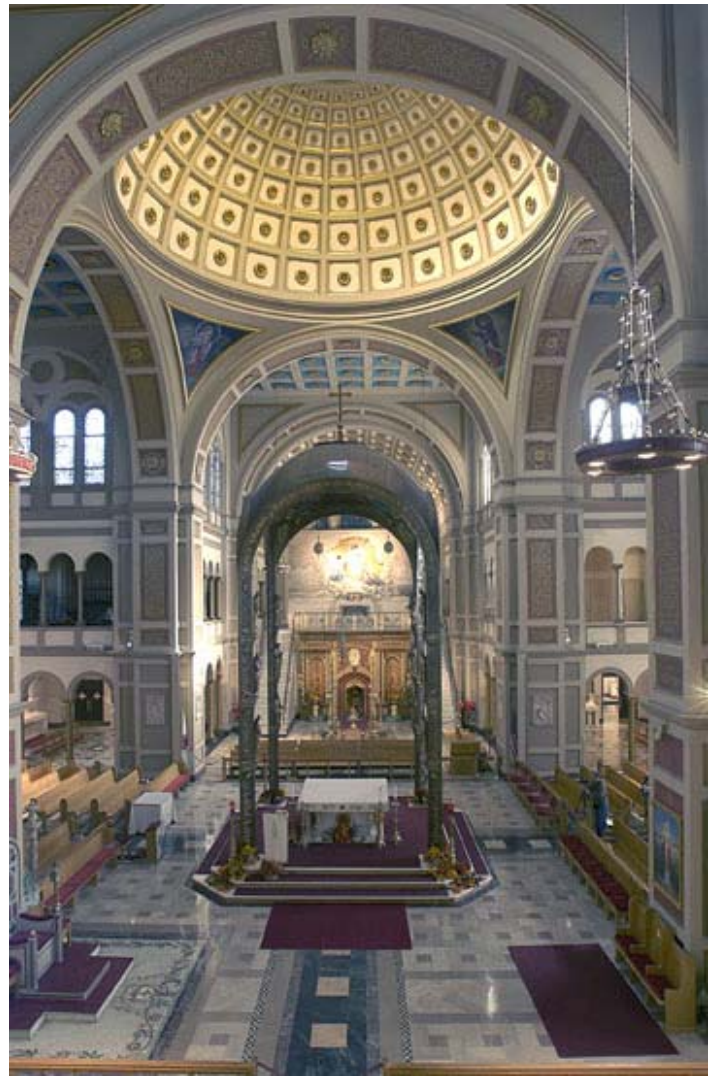
(8 Entrants, 22 prints)

1st	Manzelli, Peter	Breakfast in Trinidad, Cuba
2nd	Ng, Henry	Kick It
3rd	Brandt, Carl	A Swim in Autumn
HM	Kreizman, Garry	Space Ship Spider
HM	Rogers, Jim	Hillside in Oia, Greece #2

Right: In November, SSCC's stalwart gang of field trippers traveled to the Franciscan Monastery in Northeast Washington, DC. Leading the pack was field trip chair Bob Catlett, Gary Kreizman, Pres. Mike Lux, and Carl and Elsa Brandt. (Photos by Bob Catlett)

Below: Tree, Cliff, Zion Park — a monochrome print by Max Strange





Silver Spring Camera Club Membership Form 2003-2004

Name _____ Spouse's Name _____
Street Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____
Email Address _____

Membership rates: Individual \$30; Student or Spouse \$20; Family \$50. (Due to rising expenses, a \$5 assessment will be added to the 2003-04 membership rate, thus raising total fees to \$35, \$25, and \$50, respectively)

Dues cover the club year from September through May. After January 31, dues for the remainder of the club year for new members are \$20; dues for spouses and students remain at \$20. Make checks payable to the Silver Spring Camera Club, and give or mail to Treasurer, Marc Payne, 8503 Sundale Drive, Silver Spring, MD 20910. (For all questions about the club, please contact Membership Chairperson Garry Kreizman at 301-384-4911, or email: gkreizman@erols.com)