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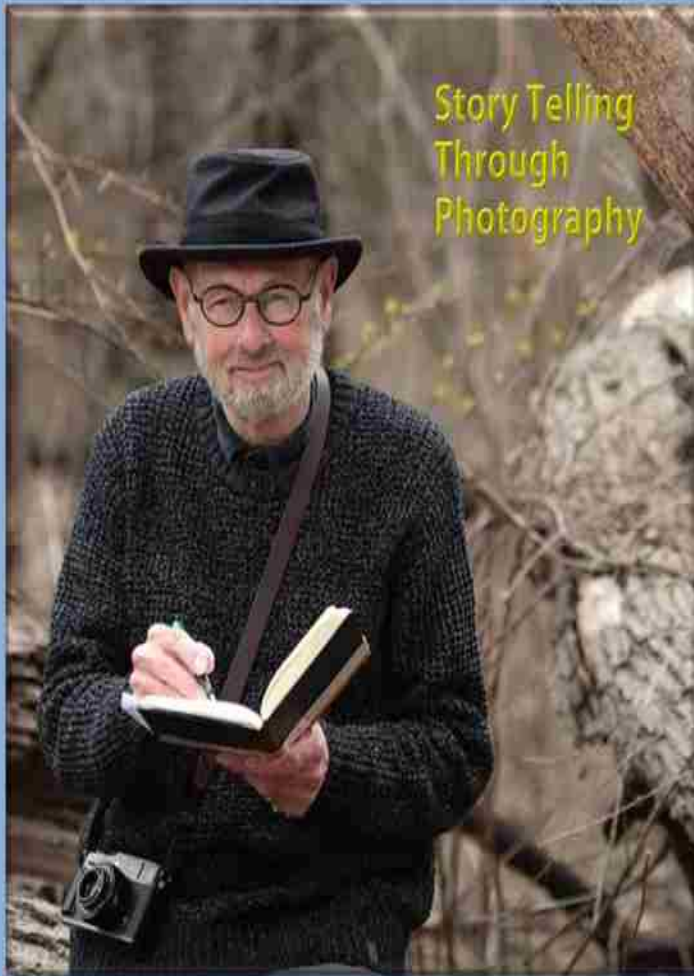
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### Meeting Schedule

May 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2024	Marty Gervais – Story Telling Through Photography
May 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2024	Warblers Shoot Point Pelee Bus Trip
May 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2024	Executive Meeting (Zoom)
May 21 <sup>st</sup> , 2024	Competition Night

**Meetings will be held at Gethsamane Lutheran Church 1921 Cabana Rd W. Windsor at 7:30pm**



## Story Telling Through Photography

Windsor Camera Club Program  
Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
Guests Welcome!

**Marty  
Gervais** is an  
award winning  
journalist, poet,  
playwright,  
historian,  
photographer and  
editor.

Gethsemane Lutheran Church 1920 Cabana Rd. W. Doors open 6:45, Start 7:30

# Windsor Camera Club Point Pelee Bus Trip

Date..... Wednesday, May 8 th

Time .....9:00 AM

Place.....Roma Club 19 Seacliffe Dr. East Leamington

Cost.....\$ 20, by e-Transfer, **BEFORE** May 1<sup>st</sup> at

[wcc.exec.2024@gmail.com](mailto:wcc.exec.2024@gmail.com)

Pt. Pelee pass holders will be reimbursed \$5 cash.

Lunch..... Roma Club at 1:30 PM. Delicious buffet lunch \$15.



# Print Nature



**Brian Masters**  
*American White Pelican*  
**1<sup>st</sup> Place, GOLD 86.5 points**

**Linda Menard-Watt**  
*Red-legged Seriema Sings*  
**1<sup>st</sup> place, SILVER 85.7 points**

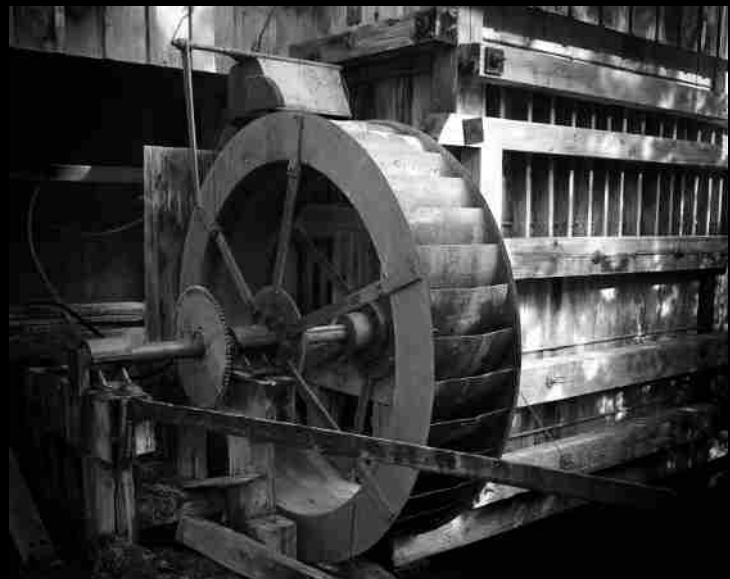


# Print Monochrome



Willy VanAudenaerde  
*Lighthouse at Night*  
1<sup>st</sup> Place, GOLD 83.7 points

Rick Kochaniec  
*Welbeck Water Wheel*  
1<sup>st</sup> place, SILVER 84.7 points







**Willy VanAudenaerde**  
*Split Rock Lighthouse*  
*1<sup>st</sup> Place, GOLD 86.0 points*



**David Brown**  
*Some Flowers For Her*  
*1<sup>st</sup> place, SILVER 82.3 points*

# Digital Altered Reality



**Greg Aldous**  
*Cuban Girl Passing By*  
**1<sup>st</sup> Place, GOLD 82.3 points**

**Linda Menard-Watt**  
*The Total Eclipse*  
**1<sup>st</sup> place, SILVER 86.5 points**





# Digital Monochrome



**Brian Masters**  
*Monochrome Maiden*  
1<sup>st</sup> Place, GOLD 85.5 points



**Sherry Butts**  
*Brant Street Pier*  
1<sup>st</sup> Place, SILVER 83.0 points



**Brian Cowan**  
*Saturday Morning*  
1<sup>st</sup> Place, BRONZE 74.7 points

# Digital Nature



**Alan Defoe**  
*Reddish Egret with Prey*  
**1<sup>st</sup> Place, GOLD 88.0 points**

**Graham Brown**  
*Bull Elephant*  
**1<sup>st</sup> Place, SILVER 85.8 points**



**Ken Unis**  
*Tree Swallow*  
**1<sup>st</sup> Place, BRONZE 83.3 points**



# Digital Nature



**Doug Myers**  
*Great Egret Mating Dance*  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place, GOLD 87.2 points

**Claude Gauthier**  
*Jacobin Mango Frenzy*  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place, SILVER 85.4 points



**Margit Lanoue**  
*Golden Eagle Landing*  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place, BRONZE 85.4 points



# Digital Nature



**Stephen Biro**  
**Snowy Egret**  
**HM, GOLD 87.0 points**

**Claude Gauthier**  
**Crested Caracara Costa Rica**  
**HM, SILVER 84.2 points**



# Digital Open



**Brian Masters**  
*Roses Are Red*  
1<sup>st</sup> Place, **GOLD** 86.0 points

**Palmer Johnson**  
*Racer 313*  
1<sup>st</sup> Place, **SILVER** 86.3 points



**Brian Cowan**  
*Ausable Gorge*  
1<sup>st</sup> Place, **BRONZE** 81.8 points



# Digital Open



**Alan Defoe**  
*Grist Mill in Fall*  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Place, GOLD 85.3 points**

**Maria Amaya**  
**Dutch Houses, Curacao**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Place, SILVER 86.2 points**



# Digital Open



**George Schiefer**  
*Portland Lighthouse*  
**HM, GOLD 85.9 points**



**Margit Lanoue**  
*Rough Ride*  
**HM, SILVER 85.3 points**

# ***Windsor Camera Club – About Us***

## **Our Dates**

We meet the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month from September to June.

The 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday is a Program night.

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday is Competition night.

## **History of the Club**

The Windsor Camera Club formed in 1952, was created to promote the advancement of photography as an art.

The purpose of the club is to bring together photographers that are like minded who are dedicated to the advancement of their skills by association with other members, through the study of others works and through spirited and friendly competition.

We exist to offer opportunities for all to share knowledge within the club and the community through events and programs that that spark interest in the knowledge and practice of all branches of photography.

Keep Smiling!

## **Membership Fees**

Fees are \$85 per year due in January and pro-rated throughout the year.

Guests are welcome to attend a couple times to check us out before committing to a membership.

## Competition Categories For Submission

Digital Altered Reality  
Digital Monochrome  
Digital Nature  
Digital Open  
Print Nature  
Print Open  
Print Monochrome

## Annual Salon

This Salon Banquet takes place every March at the Caboto Club and highlights the years best photos.

Ribbons, rosettes and medallions are awarded in both digital and prints.

## Trophies

The Frank Dumouchelle Trophy is awarded for the highest achievement

The Ted Douglas Trophy is awarded to the Best Image of the Salon.

## WINDSOR CAMERA CLUB

MEMBER  
Greater Detroit Camera Club Council (GDCCC)  
Canadian Association of Photographic Art (CAPA)  
Ontario Camera Club Council (OCC)

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Visit us at:  
Gethsemane Lutheran  
Church  
1921 Cabana Rd W  
Windsor Ontario

[www.windsorcameraclub.com](http://www.windsorcameraclub.com)

<http://wcc.visualpursuits.com>

# Preparing and Submitting Images for Competition

1. Ensure Horizontal Images are 2160 pixels wide and Vertical Images are 2160 pixels tall. The resolution doesn't matter; it's the pixel dimensions that are important.
2. Make sure that your titles have 25 characters or less (including spaces but not including the "jpg" suffix).
3. To submit images, go to our Visual Pursuits website, log in, and select "Submit Images to a competition" from the "Competitions" menu. You can watch the video "How to Submit Images to a Competition" to assist you.
4. In each Monthly Competition, a Member may enter / submit a maximum combination of four images (Print and Digital), provided a minimum of 1 entry is a Print. Otherwise, a Member can enter a maximum of 3 Digital Images
5. For help with submitting images, contact any of the listed Mentors on the next page.

**Vertical  
images  
should be  
2160 pixels  
tall.**

2160 pixels

**Horizontal images  
should be  
2160 pixels wide.**

2160 pixels



## Mentors

WCC member who are willing to help our members learn to improve their images

Alan Defoe	Basic Lightroom, Photoshop & Elements, Birds & Landscapes <a href="mailto:tigerguy48@hotmail.com">tigerguy48@hotmail.com</a>
Graham Brown	Canon cameras, Lightroom, Photoshop, Wildflowers and people <a href="mailto:gbrown110@cogeco.ca">gbrown110@cogeco.ca</a>
Doug Myers	Canon and Lightroom <a href="mailto:doug.sis@sympatico.ca">doug.sis@sympatico.ca</a>
Brent Groh	Nikon, Profoto, Godox, Photoshop, Lightroom, Portrait Pro, action sports, music lighting, posing and flash <a href="mailto:brent@jbtrucking.com">brent@jbtrucking.com</a>
Palmer Johnson	Portraits <a href="mailto:palmerjohnson01@gmail.com">palmerjohnson01@gmail.com</a>

# ***OFFICERS & DIRECTORS WCC 2024***

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