

THE CONTACT

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Cover Image : Caroline Tanchioni
Treeopia
3rd place DG OC Advanced 85 points

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Meeting Schedule

- June 6 Program Night
- June 13 Photo Shoot @ Jackson Park
- June 20 Competition Night

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

There is lots to see and do as we are nearing our summer hiatus from club meetings. Brent Groh, our Outings Director, has created a list of events that occur over the summer. Lots of places to go and shoot. Hopefully members will be able to take advantage of some of these to get out and create. See page 23 for the list.

The executive has decided that we will publish the assignment list for 2024 in the September issue. By having this list well in advance, members will be able to prepare for the 2024 assignment submissions. Just remember that the list does not go into effect until January 2024. And, that is not so far away as it seems because time really does fly.

Speaking of flying, WCC had a really nice day to shoot at Point Pelee recently. Unfortunately the birds did not seem to cooperate as well as the weather. On page 22 you will see some images of our members from that shoot.

Our speaker for the June program night is Marty Gervais who will be presenting the program he was to give at the Salon in March. Marty is a fun and interesting presenter so this program will be well worth attending

Our model shoot at Jackson Park is moved back a week to June 13th. This is because of our speaker for the first Tuesday of the month. There are models lined up and as always, it will be a fun and busy night with costumed models to add to the interest. See the flyer on page 5 for the details.

I have updated the images at Henry's. Have a look on page 21 to see if you are on the wall of fame.

As I write this, I am almost sad. I have been editing this newsletter for the club since the fall of 2011. I feel that it is time to change things up and therefore, this will be my last editorial containing the sometimes nonsensical musings from my muddled brain. But on a happy note, Theresa Tessier will be taking over as of the September issue. I look forward to seeing her work. I am certain that she will keep us as informed as she possibly can. It has been a pretty good run for me. I have learned a lot along the way about putting together the work of our talented members and trying to showcase it all within the confines of a few digital pages. You, our members, do make that part easy, with the beautiful and creative images that you present. Keep up your wonderful work.

Stay safe and have a great summer

Darlene Beaudet
Editor

“One photo out of focus is a mistake, ten photos out of focus are an experimentation, one hundred photos out of focus are a style.” – Anonymous

Assignments for 2023

June	Boats
Sept.	Food
Oct.	Hair
Nov.	Mustache
Dec.	Snow

**WCC Program Night:
6 June 2023**

**Presenting:
Marty Gervais ~**

‘What You Don’t See’

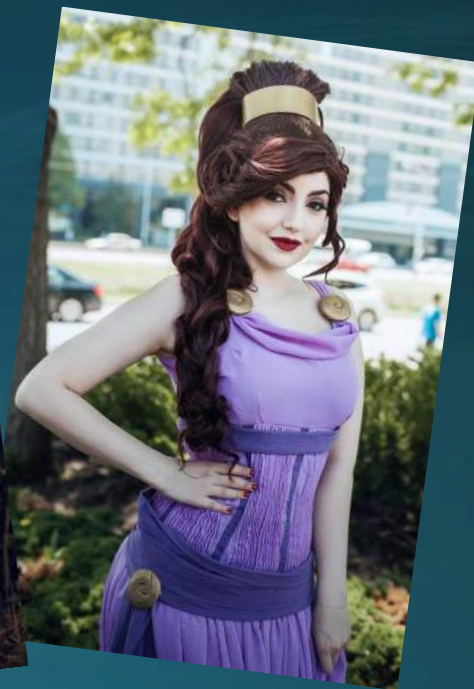
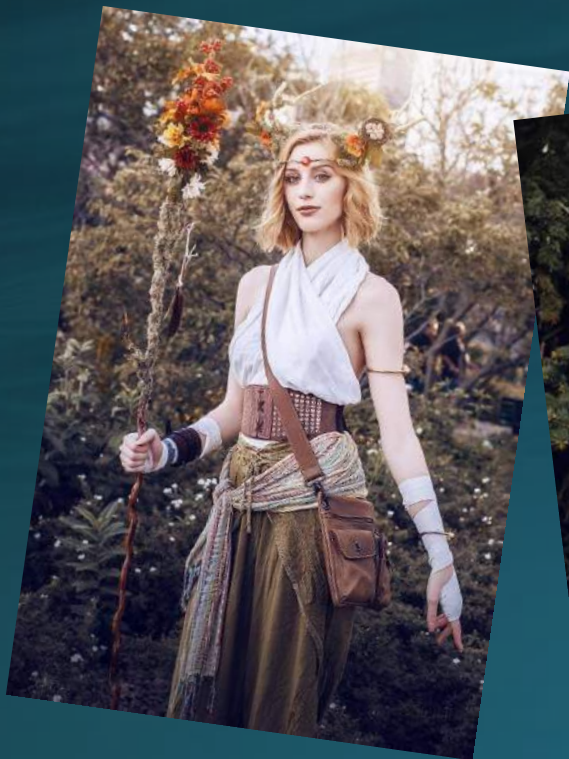


**Doors open @ 7 p.m. and meeting starts @ 7:30 p.m.
Gethsemane Lutheran Church 1921 Cabana Rd.W
Guests welcome!**

Windsor Camera Club, Photo Shoot, June 2023

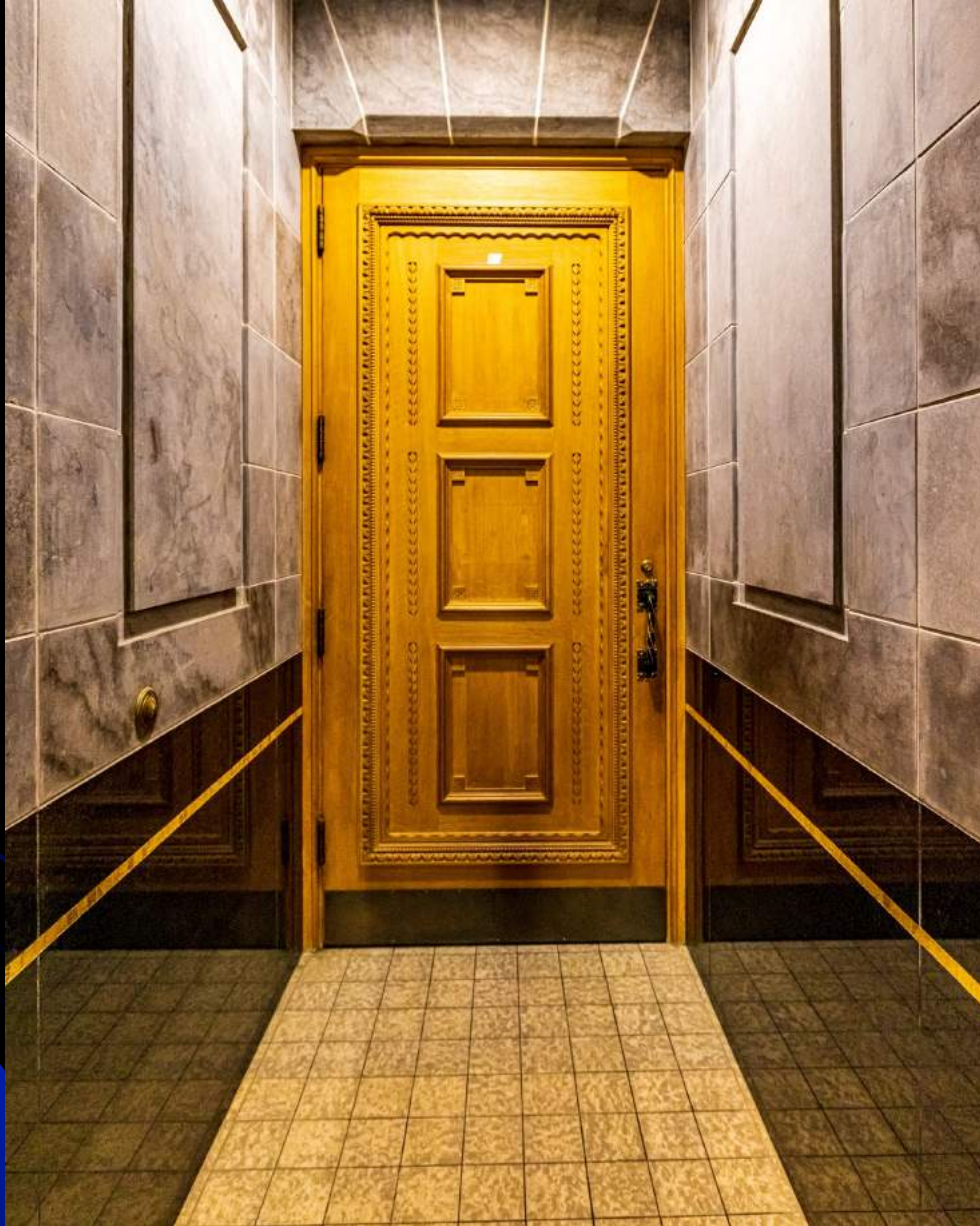
COSTUME PHOTO SHOOT

Date..... Tuesday June 13th
Time.....6:30.....9:30
Place,Jackson Park
Cost.....\$10.00 per shooter



Guests Welcome

Print Assignment Wheels or Doors



Stephen Biro
The Golden Door!
1st place Advanced 85 points

Print Nature



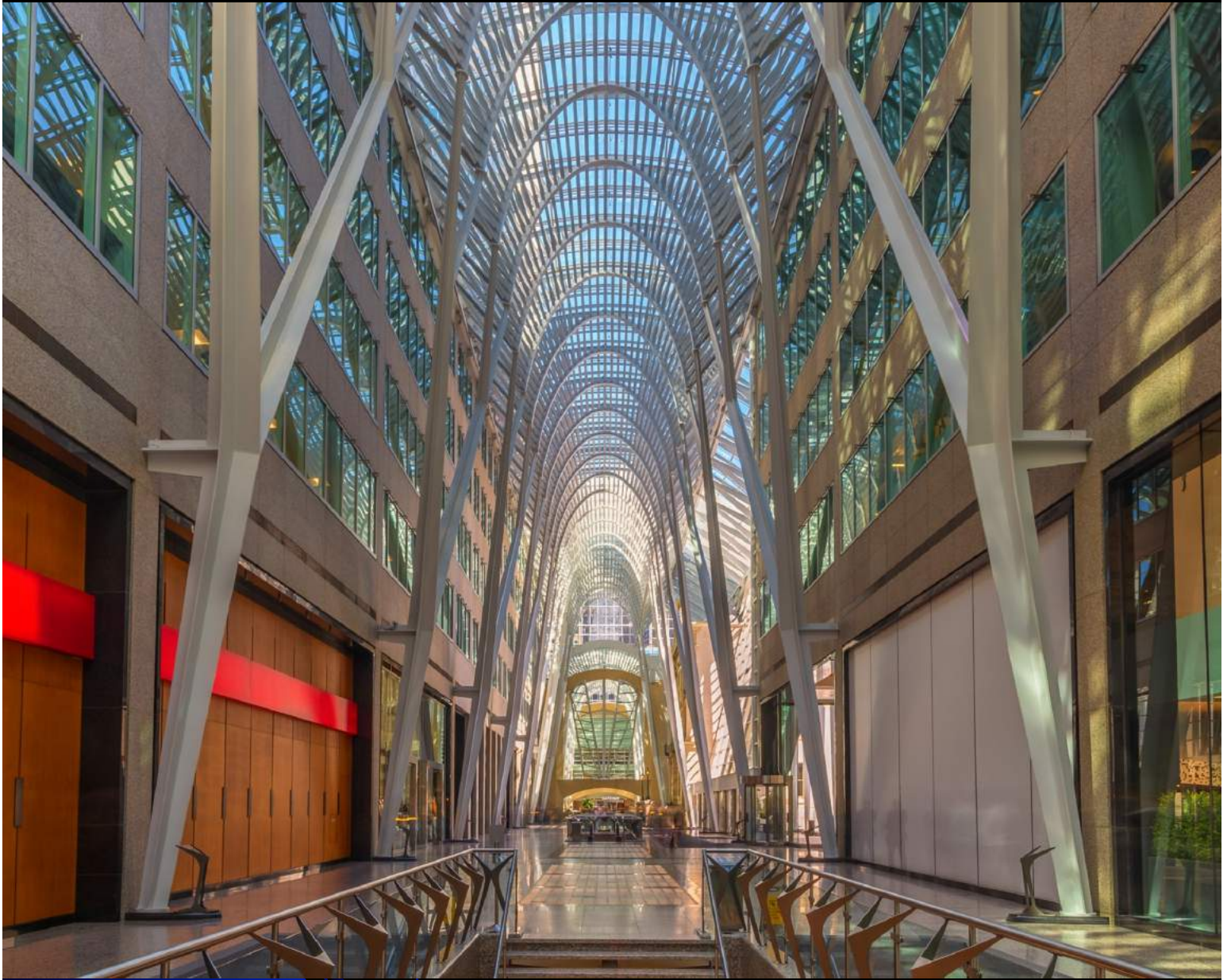
Alan Defoe
Willet
1st place Advanced 89.3 points

Print Open



Brent Groh
In the Navy
1st place Advanced 89.7 points

Print Open



Doug Myers
Alan Lambert Gallery
2nd place Advanced 88.3 points

Print Monochrome



Doug Myers
Great Egret
1st place Advanced 84 points

Digital Altered Reality



Brian Masters
Harley Quin Novel
1st place Advanced 87.3 points

April Assignment Digital
Wheels or Doors



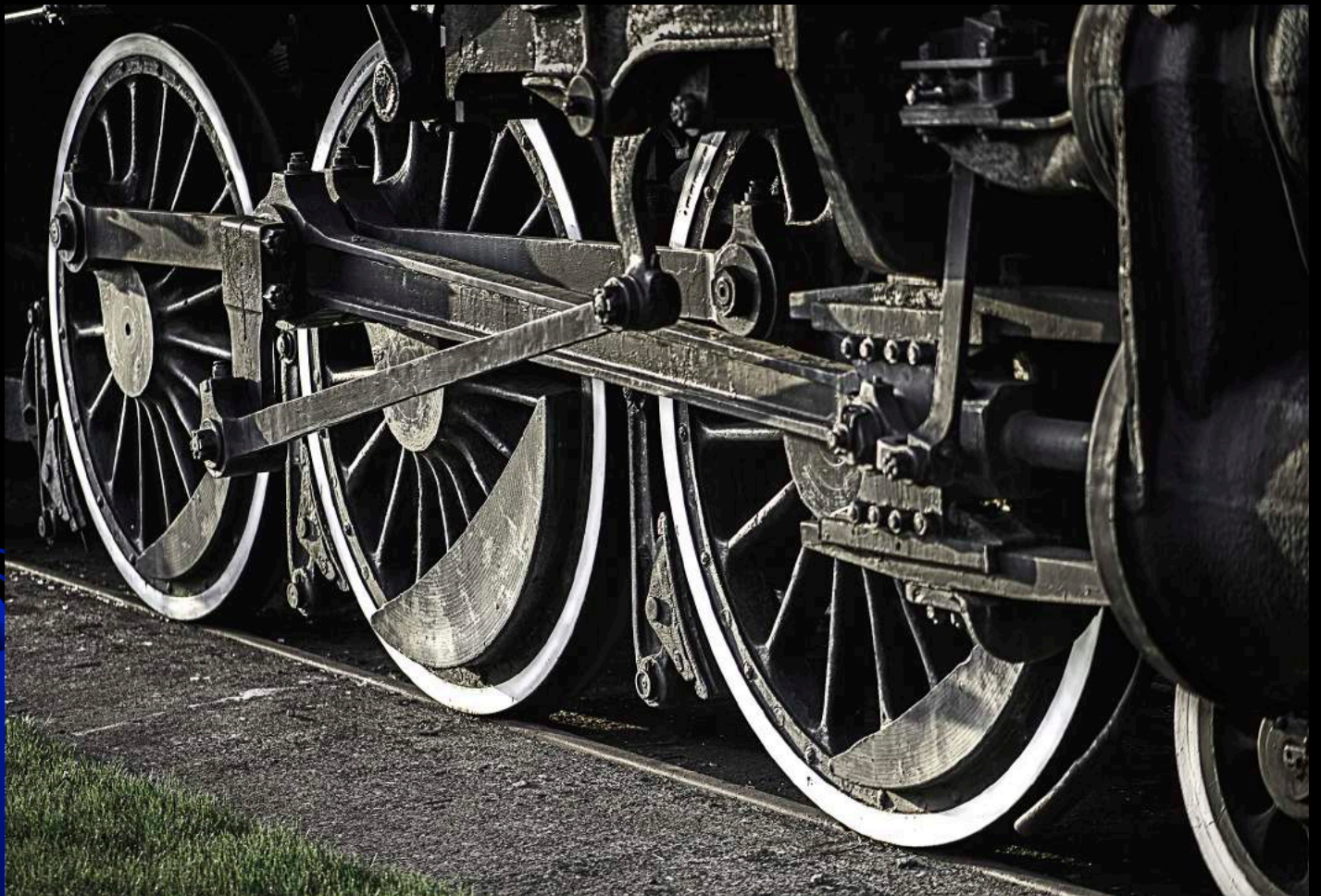
Arlene Kochaniec
Jeep Wheel
1st place Advanced 84.7 points



Brent Groh
Gorilla Door
2nd place Advanced 83.3 points



April Assignment Digital
Wheels or Doors



Rick Jubenville
Iron Wheels
1st place Novice 80 points

Digital – Monochrome

Maria Amaya
Cool Look !
1st place Advanced 89.7 points



Brian Masters
A Stitch in Time
2nd place Advanced 87 points

Digital – Nature



*Brian Masters
Polar Predicament
1st place Advanced 91.3 points*

Digital – Nature

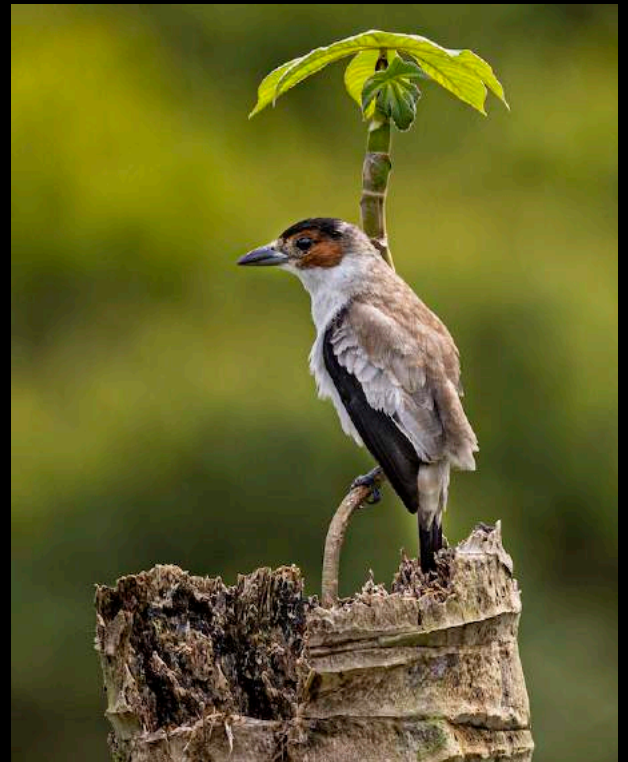


Larry Zavitz
Harris's Hawk
2nd place Advanced 91 points

Digital – Nature



Laura Strichuck
Pelican
3rd place Advanced 89 points



Norm Rheaume
Black-crowned Tityra
3rd place Advanced 89 points

Digital Open



Doug Myers
Early Morning at the Cove
1st place Advanced 89 points

Digital Open



Larry Zavitz
Tulip at Coventry Gardens
2nd place Advanced 87 points

Digital Open

Graham Brown
flowers (1 of 1)
3rd place Advanced 86 points



Stephen Biro
Wonderful Windows!
3rd place Advanced 85.7 points

WCC at Henry's



WCC at Point Pelee



Here is a list of some upcoming events that maybe of interest to Club members to visit to capture some unique Images.

May 26-29	Dog Bowl/Hot Air Balloon	Frankenmuth, Mi
June 2	Free Day -Detroit Grand Prix	Detroit, Mi
June 17	Moto Muster-Antique Cars	Greenfield Village
June 17-Sept 4	Historic Baseball Games	Greenfield Village (weekends only)
June 26th	Detroit River Fireworks	Detroit Riverfront
June 29-July 4	Field of Flight Show/Hot Air Balloon	Battle Creek, Mi
July 23rd	Cars for a Cause Car Show	486 Advance Lakeshore, ON
July 20-22	Ann Arbor Art Fair	Ann Arbor, Mi
Aug 5th	Coast Guard Festival/Model Shoot	Grand Haven, Mi
Aug 13th	Tour Di Italia Bike Race	Erie St. Windsor, ON
Aug 19	Woodward Dream Cruise	Woodward Ave Detroit, Mi
Aug 20	Riverside Rocks Festival	Wyandotte St in Old Riverside
Aug 19-Oct 1	Renaissance Festival	Holly, Mi (every weekend)

Brent Groh, Outings Director

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Windsor Camera Club Outing June 25th, 2023, Guests Welcome

RIVER CRUISE

Date..... Sunday, June 25th
Time.....3:30, Boat sails at 4:00
Place78 Riverside Dr. West
Cost.....\$60. per person. \$100.per couple
By PayPal on WCC Website
Or by email interac transfer to:
brent@jbjtrucking.com

Relax while you float along the historic Detroit River on a luxury cruise. See some of the most iconic sights including Hiram Walker, Belle Isle, waterfront mansions, Freedom Festival carnival and other notable locations on this Windsor river cruise. The lightly-narrated tour shows you some of the region's most unique and fascinating locations on the Detroit River waterfront!

There will be light snacks and a cash bar available on the boat.

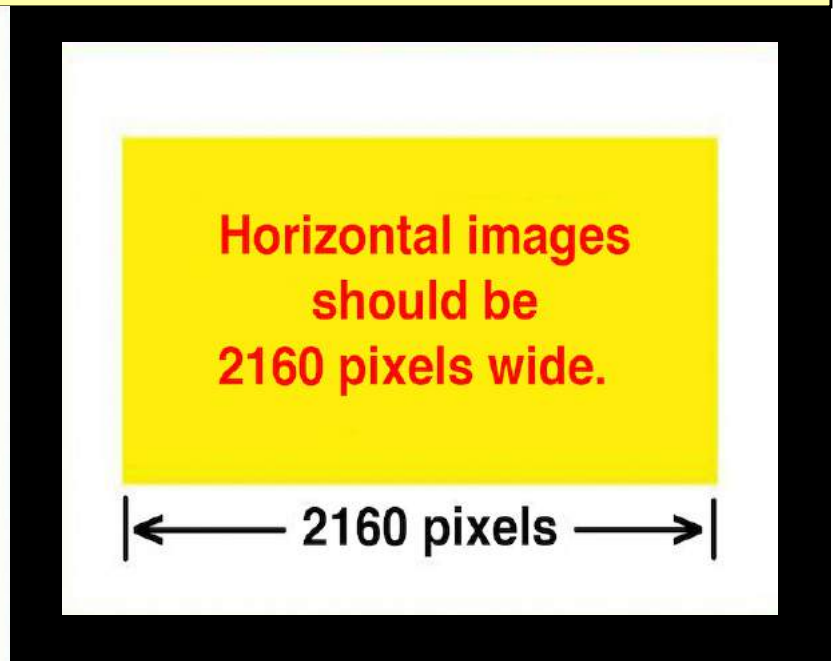
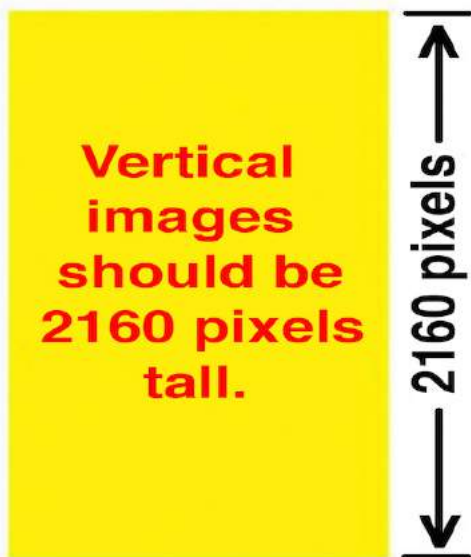
Mentors

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

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

Preparing and Submitting Images for Competition

1. Make sure that 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. Photos in the assignment category must be taken after the newest list of assignments was given out. (New assignment topics are announced in May of each year.)
4. 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.
5. The maximum number of entries allowed for each monthly competition is 3 (any combination of prints and digital images).
6. For help with submitting images, contact any of the listed mentors on the next page.



WCC Executive & Directors for 2023

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Graham Brown	Director at Large

Lambs to the left of me. Mutton to the right. Here I am. Stuck in the middle with ewe. 🐑🐑😄

