

CLINICS & COMPETITIONS

CLINIC 1

Categories: **All About Heat – Open – Digital Art***

Limit of 1 photo per category. Submissions must be made via BCC web site, deadline is October 17th.

LIVE Judging will take place Oct .28th at 10 a.m.

CLINIC 2

Categories: **Food - Open – Digital Art***

Limit of 1 photo per category. Submissions made via BCC web site and are due by January 16th

LIVE Judging will take place Jan. 27th at 10 a.m.

VERGINNIA BARRIE COMPETITION

Categories: **Defying Gravity – Compassion – Contrasting Textures – Injustice – Music – My Street – Pets – Silhouette – Weather – Squirrels with Props – Digital Art***

Limit of 5 entries plus Digital Art.

1 photo per category. Submissions due Mar 20th.

LIVE Judging will take place March 31st at 10 a.m.

***Scores for Digital Art entries only count toward Digital Artist of the Year award, not Rookie or Photographer of the Year Awards.**

Grand Valley Image Battle

An annual competition involving 10 camera clubs in southern Ontario. Hosted this year by the Grand River Imaging & Photographic Society (GRIPS) in Kitchener.

Live judging to take place Nov 5th. Time & location details to be determined.

Eggbert Competition

An annual competition, carrying on a friendly rivalry between the Brant Camera Club and the Grand River Imaging & Photographic Society (GRIPS). This year Brant will be hosting on Tuesday, April 17th.



2017-18 MEMBERSHIP FEES

\$50 – Single member

Additional family members \$20 each

Founded in 1957, and originally known as the Brantford Guild of Colour Photography, the Brant Camera Club has a rich tradition of offering its members instruction, fellowship and a place to share the love of photography.

For 2017-2018 we continue this tradition with a diverse program of guest speakers, workshops and learning nights.

Whether you are new to photography, or it's been a passion for you for many years, there is always room to learn something new. We put an emphasis on learning, with an aim to raise the skill level of its members to new heights through presentations and the sharing of knowledge among members.

The Brant Camera Club welcomes photographers of all skill levels. Challenge your abilities by entering one of our clinics or competitions. Gain feedback on your images and suggestions to help boost your skills.



Photo of the Year: "Feed Me! Me! Me! Me!"

by Juris Kanduth

Learn & Share The Love of Photography With Us

1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month
September 5, 2017 to May 15, 2018
7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Polish Hall – 154 Pearl Street, Brantford

www.brantcameraclub.com

SEPT 5, 2017 - Club Information Night -

Introduce executive; show PowerPoint of Clinic Topics; demonstrate how to change clinic submissions. Discuss changes to “post” rules. ***Bring your camera and manual.***

Sept 19, 2017 - Brian Thompson to speak on shooting indoors with low-light conditions and equipment required, along with overview of shutter/aperture/ISO & composition. **Bring your summer scavenger hunt slideshows.**

Oct 3, 2017 – We will meet at **the Canadian Military Heritage Museum** at 347 Greenwich Street for a night of shooting.

Oct 17, 2017 – **James Cowie** of Photo Tour Trekkers will present about photo tours and how he plans trips. **Clinic 1 entries are due.** **www.phototourtrekkers.com**

Oct 28, 2017 - Live Judging of Clinic 1 entries
SEE the entries, HEAR the judges’ comments & scoring! Starts at 10am in the Polish Hall’s lower-level lounge

Nov 7, 2017 – **Stephen Slack** is an illustrator and Photoshop veteran (22 years!) who will talk to us about creating digital art.
<https://www.artfinder.com/stephenjslack>

Nov 21, 2017 - Results from Clinic 1 We’ll look at the images, how they scored, and read the judges’ comments on how the image could be improved.

Dec 5, 2017 – **Terry McDonald** will speak about becoming an expert in areas close to home. He’ll show beautiful landscapes from southern Ontario.

<https://luxborealis.smugmug.com>

Dec 19, 2017 - Christmas Potluck - Members will have the opportunity to sit and get to know one another while enjoying a potluck dinner. **Show & Tell:** members introduce themselves, gear/software they use, preferred subjects/techniques. Max 10 images

Jan 2, 2018 - Learning Night: We’ll set up some table top photography stations around the hall. If you have any interesting items to photograph, please bring them along with your cameras, tripods.

Jan 16, 2018 – Program to be determined for this night. **Clinic 2 entries are due.**

Jan 27, 2018 - Live Judging of Clinic 2 entries
SEE the entries, HEAR the judges’ comments & scoring! Starts at 10am in the Polish Hall’s lower-level lounge

Feb 6, 2018 – **Showing of results from Clinic 2**
We’ll look at the images, how they scored, and read the judges’ comments on how the image could be improved.

Feb 20, 2018 – **Mike Kukucska** returns to share more long-exposure night photography techniques & stunning images from northern Ontario, and the US southwest including Death Valley. **<http://www.mkimage.ca>**

Mar 6, 2018 – BCC member **John Novak** will show us how you can make beautiful books to showcase your images.

Mar 20, 2018 – BCC member **Darlene Hewson** will give us insights into being successful photographing wildlife. **VB entries are due.**

March 28, 2018 - Live Judging of Clinic VB entries
SEE the entries, HEAR the judges’ comments & scoring! Starts at 10am in the Polish Hall’s lower-level lounge

Apr 3, 2018 – **Show & Tell:** members introduce themselves, gear/software they use, preferred subjects & techniques, max. 10 images. **Nominations for 2018-19 executive. Frugal Photographer/DIY** – a look at home-made gadgets you use. Be sure to bring yours!

Apr 17, 2018 – **The Eggbert Competition** is an annual competition between the Brant Camera Club and GRIPS (Kitchener). It’s our turn to host the event this year, and hopefully keep our winning streak going!

May 1, 2018 – **Elections** for the 2018-2019 season (all positions except 4 directors). Give feedback as to what you as members would like to see in the 2018-2019 season program.

May 15, 2018 - Scavenger Hunt Slideshows
We’ll look at images that members created participating in the Scavenger Hunt. Please bring your images on a USB drive.

June 5, 2018 - Annual Banquet --- We will present awards for our Photographer of the Year, Photo of the Year, Digital Artist of the Year, Rookie of the Year, People’s Choice Awards, and Verginnia Barrie competition winner. VB results will be shown during the dinner.